



AAUW MAUI BRANCH



NEWSLETTER - January 2014

Advancing equity for women and girls through advocacy, education, philanthropy, and research.

January Calendar Events

BOOK CLUB

Date: **Saturday, January 4**

Time: 12:00 pm. Drinks provided. Bring a bag lunch if desired.

Location: Ellen Sway's Home: 11 Hoolalei Way, Kihei

Phone: (808) 879-7645

Directions: From Kihei Road - turn mauka at the stop light at Foodland (Keala Place), go 3 blocks, at Hoolalei turn left - first house on left, downstairs.

Book: Just Kids by Patti Smith



LUNCH BUNCH

Date: **Tuesday, January 14**

Time: 12:00 pm Noon

Location: Chez Meme Baguette Bistro, 115 Kio Loop, Kihei
Entrance to parking lot is around back, or park on Hale Kuai Street (just off of Lipoa at intersection by Kihei School)

Directions and Menu Preview: <http://www.baguettestromau.com/>

RSVP: Call Barbara Cohen-Schweizer at (650) 787-7995 or email baylelev@juno.com

No later than Monday, January 13th, please.



ANTIQUE FAIRE & FUN-DRAISER - More detailed information coming soon.

Date: **Sunday, January 19**

Time: 11:30 am - 3:30 pm

Location: Endangered Species Warehouses, Pukalani - Please carpool.

RSVP: Call Cheryl at (808) 244-1850 or email mauicheryl@gmail.com

Cost: \$10, no extra charge for spouse. Refreshments available at nominal charge.

This is a fundraising special event with proceeds set aside for our AAUW scholarship program. The owner, David, will give us a tour of his six warehouses, huge discounts on anything we buy, and will appraise furniture brought to the site. For jewelry, there will be a separate session at the Kihei store with his art/jewelry expert.



NEEDLEWORK GROUP

Date: **Tuesday, January 21**

Time: 1:00 pm

Location: Cheryl Bergman's home

47 Noho'ana Pl, Wailuku Gate # 033

RSVP: Call Cheryl at (808) 244-1850 or email mauicheryl@gmail.com



Leftover Christmas goodies will be served! (Hee, hee.)



SPEAKER MEETING

Date: **Saturday, January 25**

Time: 10:00 Business Meeting

11:00 Speaker - Ms. Terri Huber, Certified Life Mastery Consultant

12:00 Luncheon

Restaurant: Kahili Golf Course, Wailuku

Menu Attached: Please make your choice before calling to make your reservation.

RSVP: Janet Walker at (808) 874-9435 and please note your luncheon selection.

Terri will tell us about the tools and systematic techniques she uses to help people identify their dreams, and overcome barriers, in order to find a more fulfilling life. Terri guides clients to live the life they love. Terri is offering a complimentary strategy session valued at \$250.00 to the lucky person who wins our drawing. She is also including for the winner and her guests, a one hour "laughter yoga session on the beach which activates an experience of outrageous joy".

Note from Terri: "The privilege of speaking to your group has special meaning for me because my mother is a member of AAUW."

Future Calendar Events

2014 GREAT DECISIONS

Great Decisions 2014 materials have been ordered. If you have questions about the books, call Cheryl Bergman at (808) 244-1850 or email at mauicheryl@gmail.com.

*The next Great Decisions meeting will be on **February 21** covering the topic **Defense Technology**. For a list of other topics, search the Foreign Policy Association website: <http://www.fpa.org/>*



WHALE WATCH 2014

Date: Sunday, March 2, 2014

Time: 4:00 - 6:00 pm

Location: Pacific Whale Foundation Store, Ma'alaea

Tickets: \$35 per person - Tickets will be available at all AAUW events.

Checks payable to "AAUW Maui Branch"

Contact: Karen Grafe at (808) 874-5625 or karjog@aol.com

This whale watch is a major fundraiser for our Branch to help fund scholarships which will be awarded to deserving University of Hawaii Maui College students.



HAWAII STATE AAUW CONVENTION

Dates: April 26-27, 2014

Location: Ala Moana Hotel, Honolulu

More information at a later date.

All members are encouraged to attend the annual state meetings and conventions to share with and learn from attendees from other branches.





AAUW Maui Branch News

President's Message for the New Year!

**Welcome all to 2014!
We've waited so long for this "new" beginning!**



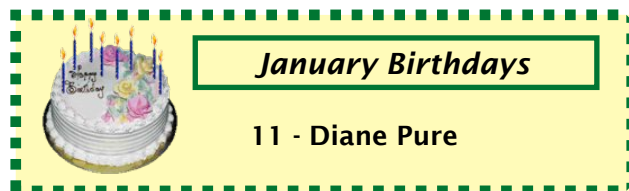
Let's just look back a minute for some proper thank you's ... like the GREAT Holiday Party hosted by Janet & Bob Walker and the newsletter and new directory from Sandi Boll! Don't forget all the coordinators during the year! I am proud of every member! This is a wonderful group of women!!!!

So, what's new? Well, we'll start with an event called the ANTIQUE FAIRE in January, the WHALE WATCH fundraiser in March, along with a GREEK GOURMET DINNER, a CAR TREASURE HUNT, possibly a walking trek through the mountains, and SPEAKER MEETINGS! Maybe a GAME NIGHT would be fun, along with a trip to Oahu for the STATE OF HAWAII CONVENTION in late April!

Fasten your seat belts and let's go!



**Mahalo!
Cheryl Bergman**



Please submit newsletter notices by **January 20th to: Sandra Boll
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Maui Branch News, continued

WOMEN HELPING WOMEN DONATIONS

Thank you AAUW members for your gifts and contributions for Women Helping Women. We collected an overflowing car trunk full of gifts this year!



AAUW GUAM VISIT

On a recent cruise to the Far East and Pacific islands, AAUW Maui Branch member Janet Go was greeted at Apra Harbor, Guam, by AAUW Guam President Dr. Mary Okada. Mary drove Janet around to see some of the changes on the island since Janet lived there from 1965 to 1978. Then they joined other AAUW Guam members for lunch at a Chamorro restaurant. From left to right are Dr. Marjorie Driver; Mary Ann Cabrera, financial officer; Atilana Rambayon, life member; Sandy Liberty, new member; Dr. Mary Okada; **Janet Go**; Rebecca Stephenson, immediate past president; and Francesca Remengesau, long-time member.



Check out the Hawaii State AAUW Website for news from other branches. Our monthly AAUW Maui Branch newsletters are posted under the heading "Branch News."
<http://aauw-hi.aauw.net/news/>