

Women with Vision

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Young women with dreams become women with vision

Our Mission: Advancing equity for women and girls through advocacy, education, philanthropy, and research. The American Association of University Women is the nation's leading voice promoting equity and education for women and girls.

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Message from President

Hello! I have missed seeing you all. I hope you are staying safe and healthy.

--Our slate of officers for next year is posted in the panel to the left. Please take a look and text or call me at (760) 522-7481 if you have any questions. We will conduct an official election via email at end of May.

--AAUW National website <u>www.aauw.org</u> has a new look, check it out next time you are online.

--Due to the uncertainty of COVID-19 pandemic, 2020 Tech Trek has been cancelled. AAUW-CA is looking at options, I will keep you posted.

--It's time to re-new our annual membership. There's no paperwork, just a simple dues payment. The best option is to renew with your credit card online. If you have not renewed, please look for an email coming to you in the next few days from <u>memberinfo@aauw.org</u> with the title, "AAUW Membership Renewal." It has your unique personal link that takes you directly to credit card payment.

Sincerely,

Young Milton

<u>Membership Renewal</u>

Rather than mailing a check to our PO Box, consider making your **Renewal** payment on-line. It saves our Treasurer lots of work and trips to the bank in this time of isolation. Annual dues are for July 1-June 30 and is \$95. All you have to do is

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--Click on this link and you will be directed to the site where you can pay online by credit card. It is very easy! <u>click HERE to use your credit or debit card!</u>

Stay well!

Elizabeth Leader Treasurer

Public Policy

It Only Takes Two Minutes!

Join AAUW in urging Congress to improve and expand legislation protecting our civil rights, economic security, and access to education.

TELL CONGRESS TODAY

It's Time to Pass the Paycheck Fairness Act

The gender pay gap is persistent and can only be addressed if women have the tools they need to challenge discrimination and employers have the incentives they need to comply with the law. It's time for Congress to make real change for all families by passing the Paycheck Fairness Act.

Follow the link to add your name and address to tell your Senators to pass the bill. <u>https://www.aauw.org/act/two-minute-activist/paycheck-fairness/</u>

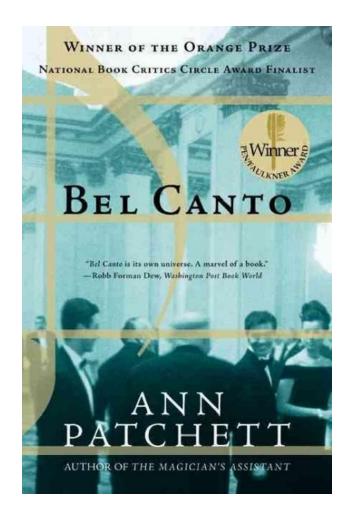
Book Review

Monday May 11 at 10 am on ZOOM

Next book is Bel Canto by Ann Patchett

Elizabeth Leader will be leading it. Contact her to get the link. elizabeth.leader@gmail.com

Ann Patchett's award winning, *New York Times* bestselling *Bel Canto* balances themes of love and crisis as disparate characters learn that music is their only common language. As in Patchett's other novels, including *Truth & Beauty* and *The Magician's Assistant*, the author's lyrical prose and lucid imagination make *Bel Canto* a captivating story of strength and frailty, love and imprisonment, and an inspiring tale of transcendent romance. *Amazon.com*



2020 General Meeting Programs

Dear Fallbrook AAUW Friends,

Due to the recent COVID-19 pandemic Fallbrook AAUW will be following the guidelines of AAUW National and AAUW State Leadership and we will not have in-person meetings until Governor Newsom lifts the stay-at-home order. This includes interest group meetings. Fallbrook AAUW cannot sanction any meetings of any group within our branch. National AAUW mentioned that these rules are to protect members and branch liability. National AAUW suggested branches cancel all meetings through June and evaluate in July.

Due to this our schedule is tentative. However, your Fallbrook board has been busy planning and rescheduling cancelled speakers and programs. Unfortunately, statewide Tech Trek is cancelled. Larissa Anderson and her committee worked very hard and interviewed and selected campers; we are sad and disappointed and do want to acknowledge the selected campers. Fallbrook AAUW scholarship recognition meeting is also postponed. We had hoped to host Tech Trek campers, Scholarship Award recipients and Board Installation the end of June at one event. We will keep you informed of any breaking news!

Best wishes,

Susan Duling VP Programs

<u>August: Saturday, August 15, 2020,</u> Membership Tea. We need a member to volunteer her home for this 10:00 morning event.

<u>September: Saturday, September 12, 2020.</u> 10:00 am at Fallbrook Regional Health District Community Room. Fallbrook author P. Austin Heaton graciously rescheduled her canceled April program. Phyllis will speak about her new book *"Murder at the Expo: Miss Sadie Brown and the Death of Dr. Wolf"*.

<u>October:</u> Saturday, October 3, 2020. 10:00 am at Fallbrook Regional Health District. Zita Dixon AAUW American Fellow graciously rescheduled her cancelled May program. Zita is earning her PhD in Social Policy from Brandeis University in Massachusetts.

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