

Jamestown Branch

Spring/Summer 2019

Introducing Our New Editor

Calendar of Branch Events

Dear AAUW Branch, We leave you with a new newsletter that is made possible by the hard work of prior AAUW TWIGS editors. The willingness to share allows each editor to personalize and highlight women helping the community. We hope that future generations will be able to look back and reflect on the power of women united. I am honored to assist in the process of capturing the hard work and effort of AAUW.

Who Can Join AAUW?

A graduate holding an associate or equivalent, baccalaureate or higher degree from a nationally accredited educational institution is eligible for membership.

May 30, 2019

Event: Annual Dinner

Place: Landmark Restaurant, 516 W 4th St., 6:00 PM

Social, 6:30 PM Dinner

July 19-21, 2019

Event: Summer Leadership Conference

Place: Cazenovia College

Membership

AAUW Jamestown MEMBERSHIP COST

**REGULAR
MEMBERSHIP: \$80.00**
NATIONAL- \$59;
STATE: \$13;
LOCAL: \$8
**STUDENT
AFFILIATION: \$25**
NATIONAL-\$ 17
STATE \$8
LIFETIME \$1180
**DISCOUNTED RATE AT
ANNUAL DINNER**

Mission

To advance gender equity for women and girls through research, education, and advocacy.

Vision

Equity for all.

Values

Nonpartisan.
Fact-based.
Integrity.
Inclusion and
Intersectionality.



Mission, Vision and Impact: Where's AAUW Going?

November 28, 2017
An Update for AAUW State Presidents and Leaders

Kimberly Churches, CEO, AAUW

AAUW Today

- Rich foundation in our history and our many accomplishments
- Committed and longstanding members
Superb staff, mission-driven
- Respected for mission, policy/advocacy, fellowships & grants, research and programs
- Flat organizational structure leads to silos and many chefs
- Perceived frequently as an “older women’s organization”
- AAUW as “Jill of all trades”
- Membership organizations changing from 20th to 21st century
 - demographic shifts
 - interests
 - philanthropy

AAUW NEW YORK STATE CONVENTION 2019

Get in the Game

**AAUW JAMESTOWN BRANCH
AT THE 2019 AAUW CONVENTION**

2018 PROGRAM AWARDS

**JANET FORBES ELECTED AS A STATE
AAUW REPRESENTATIVE IN
PUBLIC POLICY**

**NEWSLETTER OF EXCELLENCE
WEBSITE OF EXCELLENCE
EXCELLENT VISIBILITY**

**AAUW JAMESTOWN BRANCH RECEIVED
A GOLD MEDAL OF HONOR FOR
EQUAL PAY DAY "WOMENS ISSUES IN
THE WORKPLACE"**

**YVONNE C. MAKL WAS RECOGNIZED
AS OUR BRANCH EMERGING LEADER**

≡ **The Post-Journal** 🔍



AAUW values empowering women of all ages through education, research, and advocacy. This was the 20th anniversary of Get In the Game, an event that helps promote leadership and healthy activities for young women. This year's sponsors included Jamestown Community College, Jamestown YWCA, and the United Way of Western New York Girls In Sports. GITG's 20th anniversary program was supported by the Ralph Wilson Foundation which provided backpacks with sports equipment for each participant. This year nearly 100 young women participated in thirty minute activities to promote physical wellness and leadership skills while also having fun! We would like to make a special thank you to all the sponsors, volunteers, families, promoters, and participants.

National Website: www.aauw.org

State Website: www.aauw-nys.org

Branch Website: <http://jamestown-ny.aauw.net>

AAUW JAMESTOWN BRANCH ANNUAL DINNER



Calling all AAUW Members and Guest
AAUW Jamestown Branch Annual Dinner
Celebration of this year's accomplishments
and Installation of Officers



Thursday, May 30, 2019

*Landmark Restaurant, 516 W. 4th Street, Jamestown, NY 6:00
Social, 6:30 Dinner in the private room,
off the side of the restaurant. We will be ordering off the menu.*

*Cristina Marsh, AAUW President,
will review our AAUW year's activities.*

*RSVP by Thursday, May 23
Janet Forbes
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jlforbes@hotmail.com*

AAUW SCHOLARSHIPS ARE MADE POSSIBLE THROUGH FUNDS RAISED BY
THE ANNUAL AAUW WHATS NEW FAIR

TWO MINUTE ACTIVIST

BECOME A TWO MINUTE ACTIVIST.

SIGN UP AS PART OF THE TWO MINUTE ACTIVIST TO BE ACTIVE AND ENGAGED IN TAKING ADVOCACY TO THE NEXT LEVEL.

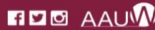
MEMBERS PROVIDE THE VOICE AND AAUW WILL PROVIDE THE MEGAPHONE.

STAY CURRENT ON IMPORTANT ISSUES AND POLICIES THAT IMPACT WOMEN.

<https://www.aauw.org/what-we-do/public-policy/two-minute-activist/>

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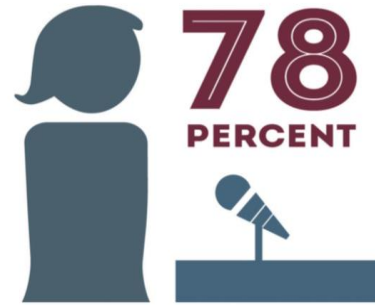


1 IN 5 WOMEN

IS A TARGET OF SEXUAL ASSAULT WHILE IN COLLEGE.



You can help end campus sexual assault.



of Elect Her attendees who ran for student office won.

AAUW programs like Elect Her give women the support they need to become leaders. Join today.



You should feel safe on your own campus. AAUW is working every day to make that happen. Join us, and together we'll make a difference.

Through AAUW, you can



ACT. We'll send you updates on what's happening on Capitol Hill, so you can let your elected officials know you're watching how they're voting.



LEAD. Apply for one of our campus project grants and change your campus climate. Or apply to be on our National Student Advisory Council and work with AAUW to help make campuses safer.



CONNECT. Meet other students who are passionate about changing the world at our National Conference for College Women Student Leaders. You can make connections for life, boost your résumé, and join or start an AAUW student organization on your campus.

AAUW is working every day to train women to be leaders, but only you can take that first step. Join us today.

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ACT. Learn how to negotiate the salary you deserve through our Start Smart workshops. You can also attend an Elect Her training and get the inside scoop on how to run for office.



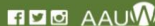
LEAD. Become a voice for student issues in AAUW and boost your résumé by applying to be on the National Student Advisory Council. Or apply for one of our campus project grants to help you change the climate for women and girls in your community.



CONNECT. Meet other students who are passionate about changing the world at the National Conference for College Women Student Leaders (NCCWSL). You can make connections for life, sharpen your professional skills, and join or start an AAUW student organization on your campus.

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