



THE VIEW FROM SAN RAMON

Volume 39, Number 1

September 2022

AAUW San Ramon Annual Membership Meeting “We’ve Only Just Begun”

**Saturday, September 17, 2022
9:00 AM–12:00 PM**

San Ramon Community Center
Terrace Room
OR
Via Zoom

(link emailed prior to meeting)

Continental “Plus” Breakfast
Payment details on page 12



RSVP & Payment due by September 7th

- ❖ Meet the Tech Trek campers and Renaissance Scholars.
- ❖ Welcome new and prospective members.
- ❖ Gather information about our upcoming year.
- ❖ Learn about Special Interest Groups.
- ❖ Celebrate—it’s our branch’s 40th Anniversary!

More information and details inside on page 12

AAUW MISSION AND DIVERSITY STATEMENTS

American Association of University Women advances gender equity for women and girls through research, education, and advocacy. In principle and in practice, AAUW values and seeks an inclusive membership, workforce, leadership team, and board of directors. There shall be no barriers to full participation in this organization on the basis of age, disability, ethnicity, gender, gender identity, geographical location, national origin, race, religious beliefs, sexual orientation, or socioeconomic status.

SEPTEMBER

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3 7:30 PM Game Night Lucy Weed
4 	5	6	7	8	9	10 9:00 AM Local Walking Group Lois Kamoroff
11	12 1:00 PM Daytime Readers Margo James 7:00 PM Board Meeting via Zoom	13	14	15	16	17 9:00 AM– 12 noon Membership Meeting Cindy Alpert
18	19 7:00 PM Night Book Group Cheri Ng	20 7:00 PM Bridge Chris White	21	22 6 PM–9 PM San Ramon Candidates' Forum via Zoom	23 7:30 PM Friday Flicks Chris White	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

Snippets

If you have a Snippet item (family events, career changes, etc.) that you would like to share with branch members, please send it to Carol Lombardi. **This column depends on member contributions.**

San Ramon City Council and Mayor Candidate Forum, September 22, 6PM–9PM via Zoom

To register: <https://members.sanramon.org/events/details/san-ramon-mayor-and-city-council-candidate-forum-debate-7410>

Candidate info: http://www.sanramon.ca.gov/our_city/departments_and_divisions/city_clerk/elections/candidates

Save the Date

October 12 Fundraiser for Scholarship at Mountain Mike's Pizza, 11:00 AM–9:30 PM

Watch for more information about our 2022–2023 events coming in future newsletters.

Co-President's Pen



Welcome back as we begin a new AAUW branch year!

“September is the other January,” claims Gretchen Rubin, author of several books on happiness and host of popular podcast, [Happier](#). Like Gretchen, I feel a sense of renewed zeal at this time of year, and the September air seems charged with possibility. As a child, I could hardly sleep the day before the start of a new school year. I was so excited to meet my new teacher and new classmates and see what new things I would learn that year. I know most schools now start in August (including San Ramon), but for me it will always be September.

This new AAUW membership year of 2022–2023 also feels fresh. As we emerge from two of the most challenging years of our lifetimes (I’m hopeful we are emerging!), we have a chance to stretch. We can apply what we’ve learned—for example, we’ll continue to offer Zoom and hybrid to enrich our time-honored activities as well as open our arms to new ideas.

40th Anniversary: Speaking of time-honored, our branch celebrates our 40th anniversary on October 11! Please join us to celebrate at our annual Membership Meeting on Saturday, September 17, and we’ll share memories of the early days in the October newsletter. The gemstone for a 40th anniversary is the ruby. The ruby’s fiery glow is thought to represent the burning flame in the hearts of a couple who have been together for 40 years. I’m a relative newbie to AAUW San Ramon, so I’m really looking forward to hearing from many of you about all the fun historical facts and stories.

Spring 2022 Survey Update: Thanks to the 65 members who took time to contribute to our branch survey last May. We’ll be sharing some of the findings at the September Membership Meeting as well as throughout the next few newsletters. Here’s one data point: We are a busy bunch (of course you knew that!). 42% of respondents travel

extensively, 38% volunteer (other than AAUW) more than 4 hours per week, 26% have paid jobs, and 18% are caretakers.

News from AAUW CA: AAUW CA elections for state board positions will be held in April 2023. If you have thought about stepping up to a state leadership position, watch for more information on the state website and nomination forms coming soon.

See you soon!
Kathleen Schaub
Co-President with Janice Colby



Newsletter Procedures

Following is a reminder for the veterans and new info for newbies.

- Deadline is 15th of every month. We publish September through June. If you need a postponement for unusual circumstances, please advise Carol and Isabel asap.
- Send articles—not fragmented sentences or thoughts, but an actual complete paragraph or two—in a **Word document**.
 - Word count limit: Please keep articles to no more than one page.
 - No pdfs for articles: must be live, editable text.
 - If you quote a source, identify the source: URL if an online source, publication name and date if print.
 - Send photographs as JPEGs as attachments to email. Include captions identifying people/circumstances in body of email.
 - Send all the above to Carol Lombardi.
 - Carol will email the newsletter to members by the first of the month.



Happy September Birthdays

Alice Miller
Anne Hayden
Pat Barley
Janice Nugent
Diane Griffiths
Arlene Addison
Brenda Uranga
Millie Kessler

Program

Annual Membership Meeting

September 17, 9:00 AM–12:00 PM

**San Ramon Community Center
Terrace Room**

12501 Alcosta Blvd. San Ramon OR

Via Zoom (Zoom link to be emailed)

Evites were emailed in August—please RSVP and pay by September 7th!

Cost: \$36.50 if attending in person; \$26.50 if attending via Zoom

Payment by credit card for attending in person:

<https://square.link/u/TToEz3n9>

Payment by credit card for attending via Zoom:

<https://square.link/u/bAiY0o0n>

Payment by check payable to AAUW San Ramon;
mail to: PO Box 336, San Ramon CA 94583

Welcome to a new planning year for our branch programs. Your VPs of Program, Cindy Alpert and Karen Rice, are busy planning monthly programs that are interesting, intriguing, interactive, and informative.

Information about programs will be shared in the newsletter, on our website, and through social media. Evites will provide specific details about each program. Please respond to each program's Evite, so we know who to expect. We encourage you to invite a friend—please let us know if you do.

In October, we will have an opportunity to learn more about upcoming ballot propositions. Presentations by the League of Women Voters will provide information about each proposition. Two events are being planned: one by the Danville-Alamo-Walnut Creek Branch (in-person meeting) and one by the Orinda-Moraga-Lafayette Branch (Zoom meeting). Additional details will be shared when they are available. Look for Evites to both events!

In addition, we are celebrating the start of our 40th year as an AAUW Branch! Our official charter was granted on October 11, 1982, and many of the charter members are still active. Look for flashback articles in future newsletters and more celebrating throughout the year.

We hope to see many of you at the September Membership Meeting plus the many exciting events planned for the upcoming months.

Have a great start to September!

Cindy Alpert & Karen Rice
Co-VPs Program

Tech Trek



Tech Trek 2022 was a combination of in-person and virtual camp, offered during June and July. Our branch sent five campers to the Sonoma Camp and two girls to virtual camp. Thanks to the phenomenal support of our Tech Trek committee members—Arelia Barnes, Harvalee Grimm, Margo James, Karen Rice, Rebecca Said, Nancy Vandell, and Lucy Weed—we have been able to deliver another successful season of Tech Trek camps. We also thank the volunteer servers at our Tips for Change fundraiser: Cindy Alpert, Kathleen Schaub, Karen Rice, Chris Burchik, and Lucy Weed. The late Marsha Froines was also a valuable member, and we all miss her dearly.

There will be a 2023 Tech Trek camp. We again hope to send six girls to in-person camp and two to virtual.



Our five Sonoma campers. The sixth did not attend. Two more took the virtual option.

The campers were profusely thankful for the opportunity our branch provided them. Here is an excerpt from the many thank-you notes to the AAUW San Ramon Branch:

“... The camp provided new experiences for me and things I never knew at my age. It was the first time away for more than a day, and my first time on a real college campus. I got to listen to women who work in fields dominated by men. These also opened up job opportunities that I never considered. On Monday, my first day here, I made a jiggy bot. I learned to solder a motherboard and was able to make a robot (aka a jiggy bot) that moved in circles around the table. We also went to Sonoma's water plantation and learned how valuable water is. I also shared a room for the first time and I learned how to live with someone....”

Naisha

You can hear more comments like these when you meet the girls at the September 17 Membership Meeting. We will also post more thank-you notes in future newsletters.

Stella Hadjimarkos
Tech Trek Co-Chair with Cordelia Hwang

In Memory: Marsha Froines



It is with deep sadness and heavy hearts that we say good-bye to our friend Marsha Froines, who passed away unexpectedly in her home in August 2022. We will all miss her more than words can express.

She joined AAUW San Ramon in July 1999 and, as you will see from the following long list of contributions, Marsha was a dedicated and generous branch member.

Marsha touched all of us with her faithful publication of our monthly newsletter, a position she held along with Carol Lombardi since 2006. As part of the newsletter duo, Marsha dealt with all the newsletter's demands and deadlines, and she was a major reason the newsletter was so popular among our members. The newsletter has received many accolades over the years, and it has been a necessity in the smooth running of our organization. In addition to sending the monthly newsletter, Marsha also served as our branch email communicator, forwarding special announcements to members.

Many know Marsha from her leadership of the Lunch Bunch Special Interest Group, where her lunch partners appreciated her humor, intelligence, wit, and fierce independent spirit. The Lunch Bunch served Marsha as a support community during the years when her beloved Steve was fighting memory issues and after he passed away. The social limitations required by Covid were difficult for her and, when the AAUW Lunch Bunch was unable to meet in person, Marsha gathered a few friends to form the Juliet (Just Us Ladies Eating Together) Club.

Earlier, Marsha served on the branch Hospitality Committee, providing home-cooked appetizers at our programs and organizing potlucks. Her muffins, casseroles, dips, and other culinary specialties are legendary. Marsha also served as a member of the Tech Trek Committee. For years she was the liaison for contacting local middle schools to solicit nominations, and she led the group reading applications and evaluating candidates during the selection process. One of her favorite AAUW volunteer tasks was reading essays written by the young Tech Trek applicants. Marsha was also a valuable member of the Scholarship Committee.

Marsha was indeed a very generous person. She never needed accolades for all her participation—she was just pleased to be a part of AAUW in any way she could. She left a great legacy and will be greatly missed.

Memorial Activities For Marsha:

- Condolences: If you wish to send condolences, Marsha's mother is Mary Lou Campbell and her sister is Gloria Leinbach, please email us at aauwsr@gmail.com for their addresses.
- Memorial Service: As of this writing, the family has not made plans for a memorial service. Marsha's ashes will be scattered at Half Moon Bay, one of her favorite places.

We will continue to update our membership if more information becomes available.

Membership



Membership Matters

Welcome Back

It's been a lovely summer! We hope you have been having happy times with family and friends. Your Membership Team is looking forward to working with you to keep our programs and fellowship active and strong.

Annual Membership Meeting September 17, 9 AM–12 noon

The Annual Membership Meeting is taking place on Saturday, September 17. We hope to see you in person or via Zoom. Details can be found in this newsletter (page 12) and in the Evite sent to your email. Let us know if you did not receive it. Your RSVP would be greatly appreciated.

Prospective Member Guests and Shape the Future Discount

We welcome prospective member guests to all of our programs! Please consider inviting your friends and family who might be interested in joining AAUW to our Annual Membership Meeting. It is a great way for prospective members to meet us and experience the breadth of the work we do and programs we support at the branch as well as the state and national levels. Please share contact information for prospective members with the Membership VPs, and we will initiate their invitation. **We participate in the AAUW Shape the Future campaign. Anyone who joins at the annual meeting or a monthly program receives a 50% discount on AAUW National dues for the first year—a \$33.50 savings!**

Renewal of Dues: Deadline Is September 30

We're wrapping up the annual membership renewal process. Thank you for your patience and perseverance as we all learn to navigate National's new upgraded systems. If you still need to pay your dues, please reach out to us if you would like to do so online. If you prefer to pay by check, please make it payable to AAUW San Ramon and forward it to P.O. Box 336, San Ramon, CA 94583. Dues for 2022–2023 are **\$107: \$67 (National) + \$20 (State) + \$20 (Branch)**.

Membership Co-VPs
Harvalee Grimm
Betsy Hoffmann
Margo James

Public Policy



When Women Vote, We Change the Conversation!

Since 1881, AAUW has been a leading voice promoting education and equity for women and girls. AAUW encourages women voters to get involved in the political process and gain a better understanding of the impact legislative action can have on our lives.

The recent US Supreme Court *Dobbs* decision on abortion has stimulated action in many states across the nation, including California. Our legislature passed and Governor Newsom signed AB1666 which will enable a woman coming into California to receive an abortion to be protected from lawsuits originating in her home state. This bill was co-sponsored by AAUW CA! A further step protecting a woman's right to make personal medical decisions is a Constitutional Amendment, Proposition 1, which will be on the November 8 ballot. It would amend the California Constitution to prohibit the state from denying or interfering with an individual's reproductive freedom in her most intimate decisions, which includes the fundamental right to choose to have an abortion and the fundamental right to choose or refuse contraceptives. AAUW CA supports this Constitutional Amendment.

Congressional races are particularly important this November. Redistricting after the 2020 Census has changed the boundaries of many Congressional districts. In the current partisan climate, we need to be aware of what is at stake in both our national and state upcoming elections. Your current member of Congress may no longer represent you—be sure to become informed soon on the candidates for Congress in your district. As you sort through all this, please reflect on priority issues affecting us, our daughters, and granddaughters, and evaluate candidates' positions on these issues.

Here are resources to get helpful, non-partisan information:

- CA Secretary of State website: **Qualified Statewide Ballot Initiatives**. Voter info on Ballot Initiatives.
- State and County Voter guides: mailed to all registered voters in October.
- **We Draw the Lines California**: maps of newly redrawn congressional districts

Register to vote, if you haven't already! And if you have recently moved, update your information with your County Registrar of Voters! Voting is a powerful tool to bring about change!

Source: <https://www.aauw-ca.org/when-women-vote-we-change-the-conversation/>

Fund



Hooray! AAUW National awarded \$6 million in Fellowships and Grants this year to 320 recipients, of which 49 are in California.

Mark your calendars to attend the four Zoom meetings featuring many of these recipients as speakers. You will hear fascinating stories of their research. This is your chance to see where your AAUW Fund contributions go!

Registration will start in September for meetings on the following dates:

- Saturday, October 15
- Saturday, October 23
- Sunday, October 24
- Saturday, November 12

SAN RAMON CANDIDATE FORUM

Via Zoom
September 22, 6 PM–9 PM

Hear the candidates' positions on local matters

For San Ramon residents: City Council candidates are running in Districts 2 and 4, so only residents in those districts will vote for these candidates. The mayoral election is an at-large election, so all residents can vote.

The forum will be held via Zoom; **register here:**
<https://members.sanramon.org/events/details/san-ramon-mayor-and-city-council-candidate-forum-debate-7410>

For more information on candidates, go to
http://www.sanramon.ca.gov/our_city/departments_and_divisions/city_clerk/elections/candidates

Cindy Alpert & Karen Rice
Co-VPs, Program

Communications

Wanted: A co-editor to work alongside Carol Lombardi to continue creating *The View*

The Communications team suffered a hard blow with the sudden passing of Marsha Froines, our newsletter co-editor. She took great pride in our newsletter and was pleased to see so many positive responses about it in the branch survey this past Spring. She will be missed.

In light of the situation, we are looking for someone with writing and technical skills to work with Carol Lombardi so we can continue to publish this newsletter. If you are interested in more information (e.g., job description), please contact us through our branch email at aauwsr@gmail.com

You Are Part of the Communications Team

Communication is a two-way street.

The tools:

Newsletter: *The View*

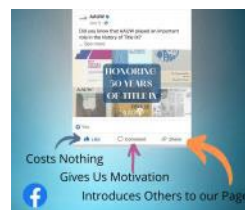
Website: <https://sanramon-ca.aauw.net/>

Facebook: San Ramon University Women @SRAAUW

Instagram: @sanramonaauw

We have a few requests:

- Please read our newsletter and let us know what you think.
- Visit our website. Let us know if you find it helpful. Is there something missing?
- LIKE our Facebook page. LIKE our posts. And SHARE them with your friends.



- FOLLOW us on Instagram. LIKE our posts. SHARE them with family and friends.



Please send us feedback to aauwsr@gmail.com

Thank you,

Isabel Lau and Carol Lombardi, Communications Team



SAN RAMON BRANCH PROPOSED BUDGET

Approved by Board 8-8-2022

2022-2023
PROPOSED

2021-2022
ACTUAL

Income

Dues - National (Pass-Through)	\$1,340	\$784
Dues - Donations (Pass-Through)	\$0	\$0
Dues - State (Pass-Through)	\$500	\$240
Dues - Branch	\$2,000	\$1,080
Sub-total Dues	\$3,840	\$2,104

Admin (misc donations to Branch)	\$10	\$0
FUND Donations (Pass-Through)	\$1,800	\$1,880
Local Scholarships (Excludes SPF)	\$6,000	\$3,915
Tech Trek Donations (Pass-Through)	\$900	\$605
Tech Trek Parent Donations	\$250	\$200
Event - Fall KickOff	\$1,500	\$0
Event - Year-End Celebration	\$1,700	\$930
Wind Festival Branch Fundraiser	\$4,400	\$4,437
Programs (incl refundable deposits)	\$1,000	\$0
Advertising - Newsletter	\$50	\$50
Reserve	\$1,510	\$791
Total Income	\$22,960	\$14,912

Expense

Dues - National (Pass-Through)	\$1,340	\$784
Dues - Donations (Pass-Through)	\$0	\$0
Dues - State (Pass-Through)	\$500	\$240
Dues Paid by Branch to National	\$1,840	\$1,024

Admin	\$600	\$539
FUND (Pass-Through)	\$1,800	\$1,780
FUND (Seed money & assessment)	\$500	\$392
Local Scholarships	\$7,020	\$4,520
Tech Trek Camp	\$0	\$0
Tech Trek Misc & Pass-Through	\$1,150	\$461
Event - Fall KickOff	\$2,400	\$0
Event - Year-End Celebration	\$2,600	\$2,639
Wind Festival Branch Fundraiser	\$2,800	\$2,512
Hospitality	\$200	\$27
Insurance	\$450	\$434
Marketing & Communications	\$0	\$0
Membership	\$500	\$184
Program * (see note)	\$1,100	\$399
Public Policy	\$0	\$0
National Convention	\$0	\$0
State Convention	\$0	\$0
Training	\$0	\$0

Total Expenses	\$22,960	\$14,912
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* Program Exp includes refundable deposits

Net Income / (Expense)	\$0	\$0
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Local Scholarship



2021-2022! A Different but Successful Year

Welcome back to a new and different year for AAUW! Due to the generous donations from our members, friends, family and successful fundraisers this past year, a total of **nine** \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded. Four scholarships have already been awarded to Cal High and Dougherty High seniors, and the remaining five will be awarded to Renaissance Scholars. Please join us to learn about these impressive young women and the Renaissance Scholar program.

2022-2023 Plans

Due to the continuing COVID pandemic, our annual Silent Auction has been cancelled for 2022. We would still like to continue giving scholarships to our high school students and Renaissance Scholars. With that said, our modest goal this year is to raise **\$6,000** for scholarships instead of \$10,000. Our fundraising plans will be shared in the coming weeks. Our scholarship program to help young women pursue their educational goals will depend on the continued generous support of our members.



Gift Basket Reminder: Still Time to Donate

You still have time to make donations to our "Back to School Support Baskets" for our Cal State University East Bay AAUW Renaissance Scholars. Our gift baskets can include retail gift cards, office supplies, textbook and parking fee help, personalized items, gas cards, and other individualized gifts.

Since our Membership Meeting is slightly later this year, we have moved the deadline to contribute from **September 1 to September 6, 2022**. This will still allow us time to complete the four baskets before the meeting. If you choose to contribute to this project, please contact one of our vice presidents to make arrangements for delivery. Thank you for your generosity!

You do make a difference!

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Local Scholarship cont'd

Mountain Mike's Pizza Fundraiser Wednesday, October 12 11:00 Am–9:30 PM

Please save Wednesday, October 12 for our first Local Scholarship fundraiser at Mountain Mike's Pizza in San Ramon all day. Thirty percent of the proceeds will be donated to Local Scholarship. More information will be coming soon!

Thank you in advance for your help and support for this coming year.

Julie Gin, Local Scholarship Co-Chair
Scholarship Committee Co-Chairs

Julie Gin, Loranne Weir, and Susan Walker-Christensen
Committee Members: Cindy Alpert, Sally Blackwell, Pam Bugbee, Pat Campbell, Dayna Hannum, and Sally Scholl



Walking Group

Our local walking group continued to meet in June and July for lovely, sunny walks.

It was another beautiful day on August 13 for our walk around the lake in San Ramon. Seven of us (Kathleen Schaub, Susan Volsky, Chris Burchik, Janice Colby, Andree Chagnon, Harvalee Grimm, and Lois Kamoroff) were able to walk two miles as we enjoyed each other's company and news.



We look forward seeing even more walkers at our next meeting on September 10, beginning at 9:00 AM.

Lois Kamoroff and Andrée Chagnon

Branch Member Visits California



Our longtime member Pauline Nolte and her husband, Robert Seymour, traveled from their home in Vermont in July and stopped in the San Ramon area for a few days to visit with family and friends.

Because of Covid concerns, Pauline and Robert met with small groups during their stay. It was great to see them and enjoy an outdoor lunch at the San Ramon Community Center.

Chris Burchik

Can You Spot Mistakes?

We need readers to find typos, weird spacing, bad spelling, and any other oddball problems in our newsletter before we publish.

Please volunteer to read a page or two of the newsletter draft and help us eliminate errors—just once if you like, again next month if you can. You can choose your subject matter (Scholarship column? Presidents' Page? Just Interest Groups?) or take 2-page potluck.

Should require maximum 1 hour (usually around the 20th of the month) to read the copy and transmit your findings.

The catch: Fast turnaround. Prefer 48 hours max.

Email Carol Lombardi for more information:
aauswr@gmail.com

Interest Groups

In Memoriam
Marsha Froines
THANKS FOR LUNCH BUNCH

GAME NIGHT

First Saturday

Saturday, September 3; 7:30 PM

Via Zoom videoconference

Information about the Zoom call will be sent prior to September 3.

Questions? Contact Lucy Weed

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### DAYTIME READERS

#### Second Monday

September 12; 1:00–3:00 PM

Via Zoom videoconference

We are reading *Hamnet* by Maggie O'Farrell. Marielle Boortz will lead the discussion.

If you have questions, or wish to be added to the email list to receive a Zoom invitation, please contact Margo James

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LOCAL WALKING GROUP

Second Saturday

Saturday, September 10; 9:00 AM

We'll walk around the lake at Bishop Ranch. The walkway is gravel and paved in some areas and an easy flat terrain. Parking should be easy at the Target parking lot. Everyone is welcome, including your dogs!

RSVP if you would like to be a part of this group.

Contact:

Andrée Chagnon

Lois Kamoroff

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### BOOK EXCHANGE GROUP

This group is currently full. Contact Lois if you'd like to be placed on a waitlist.

Lois Kamoroff

## Interest Groups

### THE NIGHT BOOK GROUP

Third Monday

Monday, September 19; 7:00 PM

Via Zoom videoconference

We are reading *Harlem Shuffle* by Colson Whitehead.

Chris White will lead the discussion.

Questions? Contact Cheri Ng

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TUESDAY NIGHT BRIDGE

Third Tuesday

Tuesday, September 20; 7:00–9:00 PM or so

We will play via Zoom/teleconference and BridgeBase.

If you would like play, please RSVP and let me know if you're interested in playing. Also let me know if you're **not** able to attend.

Contact Chris White

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### FOURTH FRIDAY FLICKS (FFF)

Friday, September 23; 7:30 PM

Via Zoom videoconference

Having just recently returned from a 6-week visit to sub-Saharan Africa, Lucy Weed will lead our discussion of *Out of Africa*, available on Netflix and many other venues for a small fee. Let me know if you wish to receive a Zoom link for the above event:

Contact Chris White

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AUDIO BOOK GROUP

Space Is Available—Please Join Us!

The Audio CD Book Group is like the Book Exchange group, where you buy one book on CD (or download an audible book and transfer it to CD). It is then passed to the next person on the list at the first of the month. We don't hold monthly meetings, so if there is a book you don't have time to listen to, you just pass it along to the next person on the list.

The books should be unabridged on CD, either fiction or non-fiction, and published in the past year.

This group has one opening, so contact Cindy by September 17, as the group will begin passing their first CD book on October 1.

Cindy Ferrin

2022–2023 Board

CO-PRESIDENTS

Janice Colby
Kathleen Schaub

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Kathleen Schaub

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Cindy Alpert
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OPEN

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Claire Mailhot
Patty Nobles

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Judy Bracken
Beth Robertson

AAUW San Ramon Information

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CA State website: www.aauw-ca.org

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Branch mailing address:

P.O. Box 336, San Ramon, CA 94583

Branch email address:

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Facebook: San Ramon University Women/AAUW

Instagram: @sanramonaauw

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Carol Lombardi

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9:00 AM–12:00 PM

San Ramon Community Center Terrace Room

12501 Alcosta Blvd., San Ramon

OR via Zoom (details to follow)

\$36.50 per person (attending in person)

\$26.50 per person (attending via Zoom)

Continental “Plus” Breakfast & Dessert served

Reservations and advance payment required by September 7
Look for Evite with details!

Know a prospective member? Please invite them and contact
Harvalee Grimm at aauwsr@gmail.com

Questions? Contact Cindy Alpert at aauwsr@gmail.com

Name: _____

Payment options:

☐ **Check** made payable to **AAUW San Ramon**: \$36.50 – attending in person / \$26.50 – attending via Zoom. Send to AAUW San Ramon, PO Box 336, San Ramon CA 94583

☐ **Credit card**: attending in person. Click here <https://square.link/u/TT0Ez3n9>

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