



Bulletin

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ANNUAL MEETING

Saturday, April 25, 2020

The State Board is pleased to announce the Kansas Annual Meeting will be held on the campus of the Kansas City Kansas Community College. *Find registration form is on website <http://aauw-ks.aauw.net/>, in email, or from Branch President.*



Jewell Building on the KCKCC Campus

7520 State Avenue, Kansas City, Kansas



AAUW

Hear Us Roar!

- ⇒ **For the Vote**
- ⇒ **For Empowering Women Leaders**
- ⇒ **For Equal Pay for Equal Work**

8:30 a.m. Registration

9:00 a.m. Welcome!

2:00 p.m. Adjourn

On the agenda –

- KCKCC AAUW student organization presentation;
- Meet the 2019 NCCWSL Scholarship Winner, Karol Pineda;
- Celebrate the 19th Amendment Centennial;
- AAUW updates and more

Registrations are due APRIL 10.

Registration fee includes lunch - \$15 students, \$35 all others. Make checks payable to **KS AAUW**. Mail registration form (see form in email) and check to: Carolyn Dwire, State Treasurer, 700 N. Washington, El Dorado, KS 67042.

ANNUAL MEETING RECOGNITION OPPORTUNITIES:



SUNFLOWER GARDEN

HONOR SOMEONE

If your branch, or you, as an individual, wishes to recognize someone by planting a sunflower in the KS AAUW Sunflower Garden, **send a \$25 contribution and the name of the honoree** to Tresa Landis, KS AAUW Funds Chair, 1314 Houston Street, Manhattan, KS 66502. Checks should be made payable to AAUW Funds. Honorees will be recognized at the KS AAUW Annual Meeting on April 25.



Kansas Star Branch **Be a Star for 2019-2020**

Document your Branch events, projects, donations, and community visibility your Branch gained during the 2019-2020 year and become a Kansas Star Branch!

Applications are online at aauwks.org website and due APRIL 15. It is not necessary to achieve all Stars, simply tell us what accomplishments were made this year. Recognition will be given at the KS Annual Meeting.

Send application to: Louise Ehmke, 74 W. Rd. 130, Healy, KS 67850 or email vlehmke@st-tel.net.



2020 AAUW 13-State Regional Convention

June 18-20, 2020
At Hyatt House Hotel in
East Moline, Illinois

Early Bird registration is \$175

Full convention info at:

<https://aauw-il.aauw.net/state-convention/>

SPEAKERS

Kim Churches – CEO of AAUW

Kendra Davis – Senior Vice President
Advancement & Partnerships, AAUW

Lisa Maatz – Former VP Government
Relations, AAUW

Denise Lieberman – Director, Advancement
Project's Power and Democracy Program

Dr. Angie Maxwell – Director of the Diane
Blair Center of Southern Politics and Society,
Univ of Arkansas

Michelle Duster – an award-winning author
and great-granddaughter of Ida B. Wells

GREAT PROGRAMMING

- Economic Security Panel
- Celebration of the 19th Amendment
- WorkSmart—bring your own device for the online workshop
- Town Hall with Kendra Davis
- ERA Passage in Illinois
- Branch Program Sharing—bring your best ideas and take some home!
- Breakout sessions on Cyber Security, Running for Office, Title IX, Diversity & Inclusion, and more

REGISTRATION

On-line registration will open on web site in February:

Early Bird Registration (before May 15)	\$175
Regular Registration (after May 15)	\$225

Registration includes lunches on Thursday & Friday, and dinner on Thursday

Optional Riverboat Cruise Dinner \$50.95
Friday evening aboard the Celebration Belle

HOTEL RESERVATIONS

The Hyatt House Hotel in East Moline

Hotel rooms are about \$149 with two queens or one king, plus a sofa sleeper; rate includes taxes and full breakfast.

[Hotel Reservation link](#)

QUAD CITIES AREA

Check out The Quad Cities, an Iowa/Illinois central location in the heart of the region:

<http://www.visitquadcities.com>

AAUW CALENDAR 2020

NOW- March 15 Half Off National Dues
February Black History Month

March Women's History Month
March 8 International Women's Day
March 31 Equal Pay Day - Wear **RED** to show how far women are 'in the red'

April Sexual Assault Awareness Month
April 10 KS AAUW ANNUAL MEETING REGISTRATION DUE
April 15 Star Branch Application due
April 24 State Board Meeting
April 25 KS AAUW Annual Meeting, Kansas City, Kansas

May 3 - KS AAUW Bulletin items due to Lredington12@gmail.com in .doc or .docx format and pictures in .jpg form.
May 15 Early Bird Registration ENDS- 2020 AAUW 13-State Regional Convention
May 27-30 NCCWSL <https://www.nccwsl.org/>

June 18-20 2020 AAUW 13-State Regional Convention REGISTRATION
June 30 2020-21 Officer Reports due to National

IDEAS FOR HOW TO CELEBRATE EQUAL PAY DAY

<https://www.aauw.org/resource/how-to-equal-pay-day/>



Consider a role on the AAUW OF KS Board.
Vacant Positions include:

- President Elect
- Program Vice President
- Membership Vice President
- Secretary
- College/University Partnership Representative
- Public Policy

Let a board member know if you are interested in joining the team.



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

AAUW on a National Level

The American Association of University Women (AAUW) is the nation's leading voice promoting equity and education for women and girls. Since our founding in 1881, AAUW members have examined and taken positions on the fundamental issues of the day — educational, social, economic, and political.

The AAUW supports AAUW's continuing goal of breaking through barriers for women and girls, and it does so through member activism and voter mobilization. It is a nationwide network of nearly 100,000 members, 1,000 branches, and 500 college/university institution partners.

A [briefing](#) on the AAUW website provides detailed information about the structure of AAUW, the AAUW Funds, AAUW branches, and members.

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In principle and in practice, AAUW values and seeks a diverse membership. There shall be no barriers to full participation in this organization on the basis of gender, race, creed, age, sexual orientation, national origin, disability, or class.



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Voting never goes out of style.

aauwaction.org
#ItsMyVote

IT'S MY VOTE
I WILL BE HEARD
ROCK THE VOTE

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