## Interest Groups

Book Clubs (4 groups)

Bridge (2 groups)

Dining

Mah Jongg

Public Policy Discussion

"Coffee &" (monthly drop-in morning social)

"Cocktails and Conversation" (monthly drop-in social)

## Activities

October: Steam Divas program for local 5<sup>th</sup> grade girls Planning for college seminars for high school students

February: Expanding Your Horizons

Spring: Tech Trek Selection

Spring: Scholarships awarded to college juniors / seniors

## Tentative 2019-2020 Programs

September 21, 2019: Fall Kick Off, Lynnewood UMC, Pleasanton

October 6, 2019: Northern California AAUW Fund Luncheon, Crow Canyon Country Club

November 13, 2019: Bocce Ball and Lunch. Campo di Bocce, Livermore

December 12, 2019: Holiday Luncheon at Lily's at the Pleasanton Hotel

January 18, 2020: Make a Difference Day participation: Pleasanton Senior Center

February 8, 2020: Wine and Cheese potluck at a member home

March 2020: Women's Suffrage film

April 17-19, 2020: AAUW California Convention, Milbrae

April 2020: Branch annual meeting and luncheon, Zephyr Restaurant, Livermore

May 2020: Women in business speaker

June 2020 : Installation / Potluck Brunch

Livermore-Pleasanton -Dublin Branch



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## What is AAUW?

AAUW is a national non-partisan non- profit organization with local branches, founded in 1881. AAUW's mission is to advance gender equity for women and girls through research, education, and advocacy. Our focus is on Education and Training, Economic Security, and Leadership

AAUW is California's most active and diverse organization for women, offering action for equity, personal and professional growth, community leadership, and friendship. AAUW promotes equity for all women and girls, lifelong education, and positive societal change. Membership is open to all graduates who hold associate or equivalent, baccalaureate, or higher degrees from an accredited college or university, as well as college/university students.

At the national level, AAUW is the sponsor of the National Conference for College Women Student Leaders. AAUW California founded Tech Trek, a science and math summer camp for young women entering the eighth grade in the fall. These one-week camps are held on college campuses and feature hands on activities in math, science and related fields. Tech Trek has expanded to become a national project. Our branch has sent girls to camp for over 20 years.

Our local Livermore- Pleasanton-Dublin branch was formed in 1952 and has spear-headed many community projects. One such endeavor was the formation of a community orchestra which is now the Livermore-Amador Symphony. Our local branch has raised money for and offered scholarships to local women in their third /fourth year of college since 1966 and established the Livermore- Pleasanton- Dublin AAUW Scholarship Foundation in 1989. We have awarded over \$70,000 to such students.

Nationally, the AAUW Fund supports women with grants and fellowships to complete degrees and graduate work. Groundbreaking research is also supported by the Fund. AAUW supports advocacy in both Sacramento and Washington DC and works in partnership with the California Commission on the Status of Women, National Organization for Women, League of Women Voters, and many other organizations to advocate on issues such as unfair pay, gender discrimination, racial discrimination, social Security, educational issues, and women's health care.

Our branch offers a variety of programs throughout the year. In addition, there are many interest groups which have been formed by members over the years and which are open to all Branch members. These groups allow you to share your passion, learn a new skill or expand your intellectual horizons, all while meeting members on a more intimate level. In addition to established interest groups, likeminded members are always welcome to form new groups.

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