

**General Meeting June 20<sup>th</sup>  
Dinner 5:30PM, Presentation 6:30PM**

**Featuring Mary Jo Pitzl  
Presents the legislative wrap-up**



**Once again (her 6<sup>th</sup> year) Mary Jo Pitzl will present the legislative wrap-up for the 2017 legislative session.**

**Areas of interest: Legislative and government reporter for The Arizona Republic and AZ central. Mary Jo spends much of her time at the state legislature. She will give an excellent summary of the legislative activities for the past twelve months.**

Mary Jo has worked as the legislative and politics reporter at The Arizona Republic since 1980. She has been at The Republic through momentous news events, countless redesigns and numerous editors – and has lived to tell about it.

She has covered numerous beats, from Scottsdale police to universities, Gov. Fife Symington to the environment. Previous watchdog projects have included continuing coverage of the state's budget crisis of 2008-2011, a critical look at new arsenic standards and an examination of the loopholes and exemptions that riddle Arizona's tax code.

A native Nebraskan, she studied at the University of Nebraska and earned degrees in Journalism and French.

Mary Jo lives in central Phoenix and she is the current caretaker for a home in one of Phoenix's historic neighborhoods. When she's not tracking the latest policy debate or traipsing around the statehouse, she enjoys gardening, hiking, singing with a women's community chorus and running a journalism contest that promotes the best work in the western states.

**General Meeting Review for May 16<sup>th</sup>**

In the absence of Dana Kennedy, we had a visitor, Nancy Splain who is the Inter Faith Director at The Beatitudes, who stepped up to do a program. After her talk, President Sue Enright asked each table to take 5 minutes to have everyone tell when they first noticed racism in their surroundings. Then one person from each table told their story. It was an interesting evening.

**THE IMPORTANCE OF YOUR RSVP**

We need your RSVP as promptly as possible, and no later than Friday before the meeting. The number can be changed as late as noon on Monday before the meeting. If you must cancel, please call before noon Monday or YOU WILL BE CHARGED THE \$15. The branch must pay for the number reserved. New reservations may be added before noon Monday Please be considerate and RSVP to: Sue Zeigler 602-992-8145 or SueZee85028@aol.com

Dinner is \$15 and is at 5:30p followed by our speaker at 6:30p. Meetings are held at the Luther Life Center at the Beatitudes, 1616 W. Glendale Ave. Phoenix, AZ. Please enter the Beatitudes at the gate by the flag pole. Visitors are welcome. Menu: **Strawberry Spinach Salad, Glazed Salmon, Garden Orzo, Roasted Vegetables, Dinner roll and Banana Cream Pie . A vegetarian option is available.**

## Things to Do

### Morning Book Discussion

Friday June 2nd at 9:30am bring recommendations for books for next year's reading

Friday June 16th at 9:30am will be voting on the recommendations from the June 2<sup>nd</sup> meeting.

We will not meet in July and August

For information about the book discussion group and its location please contact Linda Eaglestone laEaglestone@gmail.com or 602-265-6962.

Meetings are at 9:30am in the home of Mary Beth Lemons.

### Evening Book Discussion

At this time there is no information about this group until the September newsletter.

Contact Kathleen Preece for information: kathleenofaz@cox.net or 602-717-3894.

### World Travelers

Thursday, June Louise Slotta and her daughter –in-law Sherry Slotta will report on their Thailand trip with sons Jeff and Mark Slotta.

Please contact Carolyn Baker 602-277-5032 for information or directions. Also, if you know of anyone that has been on a trip and would like to share their experience with our group, let Carolyn know.

**Word Travelers will not be meeting again until September. Watch for information in the September newsletter**

### Coffee and Conversation

We will continue to meet on the last Saturday of June, July and August We are looking for a new place that can accommodate our group. If you have any ideas, please let me know. Watch for emails of the place for future meetings. It may remain at Scott's Deli.

### Movies, Museums & Theater

**There will be no events in June, July or August. Stay tuned for the fun in the fall.**

**Kay Baughman**

## Saturday Matinee - Noon Classics

This group will also be suspended for the summer months. The September newsletter will have information for the next event.



Great Decisions had the last gathering for the 2017 series. Gretchen will be taking orders for the next series in November.

### Board Meeting

There is no board meetings scheduled at this time. If the need of a board meeting arises we will send out notification

After voting on the new officer slate, we installed Robert Rowland, Program Vice President and Carmela Arnold, Co-Membership Vice President at the May meeting.



We will be installing Glenda Walker, Co-Membership Vice President and Carolyn Baker Corresponding Secretary at the June Meeting.

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

Phoenix Branch Officers:

Co-presidents: Sue Enright and Mary Beth Lemons  
Vice-president: Program: Roberta Rowland  
Vice-presidents: Membership: Carmela Arnold and Glenda Walker

Treasurer: Lesli Jones and Debra DeVault  
Recording Secretary: Suzanne Petersen  
Corresponding Secretary: Carolyn Baker

## Membership Renewal

It is again time to renew your membership. Please make sure you submit your check before June 30th.

If you have any changes needed for the directory use the attached form. If there are no changes of your information, you do not need to complete and send a form with your check.

If you would like a new picture, or you do not yet have a picture, please contact Mary Beth Lemons or Debra DeVault so we can have one for the directory.



## SCHOLARSHIP

The Scholarship Committee met recently after reviewing ten applications, and chose one recipient for the fall semester at Phoenix College. The Martha Hoyt Memorial Scholarship Fund of \$750 was granted to Jillian Herner, who received the same award for this spring semester.

Jillian is working on her pre-nursing hours and plans to earn her BSN with Phoenix College and NAU through the Concurrent Enrollment Program. Jillian plans to get her MSN and ultimately become a Nurse Practitioner. It was a pleasure working with her this semester and we are looking forward to renewing the relationship next fall.

There was not enough interest built up in our Endowment Fund at MCC Foundation to offer an award for the fall semester. Hopefully, there will be enough to offer scholarships the following two semesters.

Dot Fields  
Scholarship Chair

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Debra DeVault  
1342 East Palm Lane  
Phoenix, AZ 85006-2201

### Dues Structure

National Dues	\$49 (\$46 is tax deductible)
State Dues	\$ 9
Branch Dues	<u>\$14</u>
TOTAL	\$72

Donations are welcome for National EF/LAF and/or Local Phoenix College Scholarship.

Donation amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Donation for: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Phone and/or Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth Month and Day: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

I would be interested in participating in . . .

- \_\_\_\_ Book Discussion Group \_\_Day \_\_Evening
- \_\_\_\_ Membership Committee
- \_\_\_\_ Directory Committee
- \_\_\_\_ Great Decisions Group  
(Foreign policy study group - Eight sessions)
- \_\_\_\_ Public Policy Action Committee
- \_\_\_\_ Program Committee
- \_\_\_\_ Scholarship Committee  
(Awards local scholarship[s])
- \_\_\_\_ Bridge: \_\_Marathon \_\_Lessons \_\_Games
- \_\_\_\_ Mah Jongg: \_\_Lessons \_\_Games
- \_\_\_\_ Ways & Means (fund raising)
- \_\_\_\_ World Travelers Discussion Group
- \_\_\_\_ Movies, Museums and Theater
- \_\_\_\_ Last Saturday Morning Coffee &  
Conversation
- \_\_\_\_ Educational Foundation-National

**Please note that we only have 5 participants this past quarter:  
So if you have not been registered be sure and get registered  
TO BENEFIT AAUW PHOENIX BRANCH SCHOLARSHIPS**

We have registered with Fry's Food Stores to have our members, friends and relatives use their Fry's V.I.P. cards at time of purchase to earn money that will be used for our scholarships. The instructions to register your V.I.P. card are below. If you need help, please contact Mary Beth Lemons [mlemons1@cox.net](mailto:mlemons1@cox.net) or 602-510-1544.

AAUW Phoenix Branch Organization **34523**

**NOTE: I followed these instructions and I am now signed up.**

PLEASE NOTE: Before you can link your Fry's V.I.P card to an organization, you must have an email address.

STEP 1: Creating an Online Fry's Account

\*NOTE: If you already have an online Fry's account, skip to #2

\*Go to <http://www.frysfood.com/>

\*Select 'Register'.

\*Under Sign-In information, enter your email and create a password. (Write down your email & password—will need it in step 2)

\*Select 'Use Card Number'.

\*Enter your Fry's V.I.P Card Number, last name and postal code.

\*Under 'Select Your Preferred Store' enter your postal code.

\*Select 'Find Stores'.

\*Choose your store then select 'Create Account'.

\*You will then be prompted to check your email for a confirmation email.

Click the hyperlink in your email to finish creating your Online Fry's Account.

\*Continue to step #2 to register for the Fry's Community Rewards Program of your choice.

STEP 2: Register for the Fry's Community Rewards Program

\*Go to <https://www.frysfood.com/topic/community?activePage=community-rewards-2>

\*Select 'Sign-In'.

\*Enter your email and password then select 'sign in'. (This will be the email and password you created in step 1)

\*Select 'My Account then select 'Account Settings' from drop down menu.




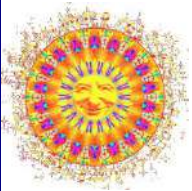
\*Click 'edit' under Community Rewards. If prompted, enter personal information.

\*Under Find Your Organization: Enter the NPO number or name of organization then select 'search'. (You can get the NPO number from your organization)

\*Under Select Your Organization: Select box next to your organization

\*Then select 'save changes'\*If you have registered correctly, you should now see your organization information listed under 'Community Rewards' on your Account Summary






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11	12	13		15	<b>16 Book Discussion</b> 9:30am Contact: Linda Eaglestone	17
	19	<b>20 General Meeting</b> Beatitudes Life Center Contact: Sue Zeigler Dinner 5:30 pm Speaker 6:30pm	 Summer Solstice	22	23	<b>24 Coffee and Conversation</b> 9am Scott's Deli, 5539 N 7th St Contact: MB Lemons
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Have a great summer!!!!

See you at Coffee and Conversation and/or at the meeting in September

## JULY 2017

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## August 2017

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