



# Branch Lines

JUNE-JULY  
2018

American Association of  
University Women



## Branch Installation and Awards Lunch Our 50th Anniversary Celebration

Say: "Thank you" to outgoing officers

"Welcome" to incoming officers

"Congratulations to the Eleanor Roosevelt Award Recipients

**Wednesday, June 27, 2018**

Timbers Ballroom, 7050 Del Webb Blvd., Sun City Roseville

11:00 a.m.—Greet Branch members for socializing.

Timber's bar will be open for beverage purchases—a few steps away.

11:45 a.m.—Lunch with program following

Hear Rohan Sharma, Branch winner of  
Speech Trek and second place winner at the  
State Speech Trek competition, speaking about  
"How Can We Stand Up To Sexism?"



This year's Eleanor Roosevelt Award will go to five branch members, not the usual two, in honor of our five decades as a branch.



There will be door prizes and a special  
50th anniversary cake!

Cost: \$18 — \$3 less than last year's

### Menu Selections:

Chicken Apple Salad or Grilled Chicken Taco Salad  
Portobello Mushroom Sandwich with Potato Salad side  
Clip coupon below and send with check payable to AAUW to:  
Barbara Fraivillig (Address in Branch Handbook)

**Reservation  
Deadline:  
June 18**

### BRANCH INSTALLATION LUNCHEON RESERVATION FORM

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone or  
email \_\_\_\_\_

Entrée Selection \_\_\_\_\_

My check for \$18 payable to AAUW is enclosed.

Indicate special dietary needs: \_\_\_\_\_

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

As I prepare for the end of the fiscal year and the Annual Meeting, I've been reading the Annual Reports submitted by our Board Members and realize what an incredible year it's been.

In addition to coming together to celebrate our branch's 50th anniversary, our branch has provided topical programs that support our mission statement, enhanced the Philanthropy fundraising, developed our Membership efforts, standardized our Finance practices, expanded our Outreach Projects, improved our Communications, and our Marketing team has collaborated with our community to increase AAUW Roseville-South Placer's visibility.



**Kathy Novotny**

There's still time to vote on the three proposed changes to the AAUW National By-Laws before the June 9th, 2018 at 9 p.m. Eastern time deadline. The three proposals are:

- Three-year staggered term on the AAUW National Board
- Open AAUW National Board to those outside AAUW membership
- Eliminating the degree requirement for membership

Please make sure to save this date in June:

On Wednesday, June 27th, 2018 at 11:00 a.m., we will wrap up our 50th Anniversary celebration with the Installation Luncheon at the Timber Creek Ballroom, Sun City Roseville. Our speaker will be Rohan Sharma, the winner of AAUW Roseville-South Placer Speech Trek competition, who went on to place second in the AAUW CA State Speech Trek competition.



See page 6 for the May 9th Board Meeting Highlights.

## Kudos to Speech Trek Contestant at AAUW State Finals

By Michele Stark, Speech Trek Chair

On Saturday, at the AAUW-CA State Convention's Speech Trek Finals for the Eleanor Stem-Allen Memorial Speech Contest, Rohan Sharma, our branch finalist and sophomore from Whitney High School, was awarded second place, with a \$1,000 cash prize! As a male, Rohan took a courageous step forward to express his compelling viewpoints on how to stand up to sexism. Rohan's voice represents a hallmark for what we hope all males will realize: It is vital to eradicate sexism in order to advance women's equality and respect.

Hear Rohan's exemplary speech at the branch's June 27 Installation and Awards Luncheon, where we can give him a standing ovation. (His speech is also available to view on our branch website.)

Thank you to the following: Gray Allen, the Speech Trek sponsor; the amazing Speech Trek committee and other branch volunteers; the Sun City Community Forum team; community volunteers; parents, teachers, and counselors; and to all 27 students who participated in the Speech Trek contest this year.

Together, AAUW makes a difference.


**AAUW SNAPSHOTS** of California **Convention 2018**  
EDUCATED. REASONED. ACTIVE.

What happened on Saturday, April 28

Speech Trek  
Open Space

**How can we stand up to sexism?**

"The most important thing we can all do is to encourage all of the women in our lives to be limitless instead of confining them to the boundaries of how a woman should behave."



Rohan Sharma

### NOTE:

**Rohan is the first male contestant to compete at the State level. It's Time!**

**State Finals:  
Speech Trek Winners  
pose with their awards.  
Congratulations to all.**

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1<sup>st</sup> Place Christine Irving, 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Chloe Johnson and 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Rohan Sharma

## Twentieth Anniversary Tech Trek Ice Cream Social Continues the Tradition

By Kim Lillard, Chair

For twenty years, AAUW's Tech Trek in California has been sending young women to STEM camps. Up and down the state this spring, seventh grade girls are enjoying get-togethers to celebrate their upcoming camp experience. Saturday May 5th saw the Roseville-South Placer Branch's **Tech Trek Ice Cream Social** celebrated at the home of AAUW member



Kim Lillard during this milestone year of the Tech Trek tradition. Tech Trek committee members Sally Altman, Louise Santana, Patti Kingston and Kim Lillard were present; committee members Lois Adams, Viktoria Peterson, Carol Mahany, Dotti May and Noreen Briggs were there in spirit.

We were fortunate to be able to add one more student to our Tech Trek Scholarship recipients chosen this year, bringing our count to seven. Sydney Hurter (Olympus), Alyssa Rizzardo (Twelve Bridges), Brooke Roeker (Glen Edwards), Nia Sanders (Silverado), Sydney Schell (Creekview Ranch), Taylor Schell (Creekview Ranch), and Ella Zumot (Cavitt) make up this year's camper roster. Sophie Ohanyan (Springview), and Eliot Cummings (Western Sierra Collegiate Academy), were this year's alternate choices.

Once our scholarship recipients learn they've been chosen for camp, their excitement starts to turn to a bit of anxiety and trepidation. What can we expect to happen at camp? What will be expected of us? What will we be doing? What should we bring? Who are the other girls who will attend with us? Parents of the recipients, too, have many questions. Will my daughter be safe? Will she be allowed to contact her family? What if there's an emergency at camp? What is their typical day going to be like? What will their living situation be like? The branch's ice cream social is designed to address these and many more questions the girls have at this point in their journey.

The atmosphere at the social is low key, laid back, and focuses on having fun, enjoying ice cream, getting to know the attendees, and answering as many questions as possible for the girls and their parents. A mix-and-mingle time starts off the celebration, then a more formal round-table introduction commences. At this time, the newest recipients meet several of our last year's campers, and if our branch has a junior or senior girl counselor attending, she is also invited to share her expertise with the group. This year we had in attendance Yuli Rodriguez, Feizah Teope and Hannah Treehan, three of our 2017 Tech Trek ambassadors, and Raquel Thomas, one of our 2015 ambassadors who has also been chosen as a 2018 Junior Camp Counselor by UC Davis Camp Directors Martha Rees and Susan Wheeler.

**See next page for conclusion of article and photos of our girls at Ice Cream Social.—>**



Continued:

**Tech Trek Ice Cream Social**

This year our round-table discussion lasted a lively long time, until all questions were answered, and all stories were told. Afterwards, the girls gathered together for photo opportunities, and then the ice cream eating commenced! Guests once again mingled inside and outside in the lovely afternoon atmosphere, eating ice cream and sharing experiences until it was time for leave-taking. A heartfelt thank you to all who assisted in bringing about such a lovely event again this year.

Next on the Tech Trek agenda is the

**Camp Visitation Day, to be held on Thursday, July 26th.**

All branch members, teachers, and others associated with Tech Trek are welcome to attend. More information will be forthcoming in future Branch Lines regarding this event.

For more information regarding Tech Trek, please contact **Kim Lillard**.



**Tech Trek Ice Cream Social 2018 Recipients and Counselor**

**Left to right:**

**Bottom: Brooke Roeker (2018), Ella Zumot (2018)**

**Middle: Alyssa Rizzardo (2018), Sydney Schell (2018), Sydney Hurter (2018), Taylor Schell (2018), Nia Sanders (2018)**

**Top: Yuli Rodriguez (2017), Hannah Treehan (2017), Feizah Teope (2017), Raquel Thomas (2015)**



**Girls Receiving Their Goodie Bags**



## May 9th Board Meeting Highlights

From President Kathy Novotny



- There was discussion regarding support of Measure E on the June ballot. This measure will provide needed funds to Sierra College for the update of their infrastructure.
- Sue Miller spoke on her attendance to the AAUW-CA State Convention.
- Maria Actis reported that in 2017 our members contributed more than 15K directly to AAUW National and that she will be holding two budget meetings in June.
- Sue Cofer updated on the final plans for the June 27th luncheon.
- Lynn Cooper discussed the final fundraising effort for this fiscal year – supporting the June primary election by staffing two precincts.
- Kathleen Crawford shared two articles published in the Style magazine and the Press-Tribune on the Women of Distinction award night. She also updated the Board on the work being done with the Roseville and Rocklin Chambers of Commerce and the effort to ensure there's also representation at the Lincoln Chamber of Commerce.

## AAUW Name Tags Available

By Dotti May, Membership Vice President

If you would like to buy an AAUW name tag for \$4.00  
please send money (check made out to AAUW)  
and your name for the tag to Dotti May.

1 ½ inches high X 3 inches wide  
with magnetic fastener

Dotti May  
P.O. BOX 1496  
Lincoln, CA 95648

Questions: Give Dotti a call.



**NOTE:** If you've already ordered a name tag,  
you may pick it up at any Branch meeting.

## Philanthropy Committee Kudos by Lynn Cooper and Dianne Black, Co-VPs

Last month we thanked the entire membership for their support of our fundraisers. We also reported the status of monies to fund next year's programs (**approximately \$28,000**).

We could not end the Branch's 50th Anniversary Year without saying thank you to the superb members of our Philanthropy Committee. This group worked diligently throughout the year: developing and following up with Women of Distinction raffle baskets and prizes, donating raffle prizes, selling raffle tickets, brainstorming and developing the WOD event prior to a chairperson being named, "licking and sticking" the No Reservations cards, putting forward the idea of attractive AAUW nametags to the Board, helping in every phase of the WOD event, offering suggestions for improvements. Many of these ladies have been on this committee for two years and we could not have had such successful fundraisers without them.



### An enormous thank you to:

Joan Mackey	Kathy Kort
Patricia Lane	Sue Miller
Kathleen Crawford	Sanchia Spadow
Ann Mitchell	Maria Actis
Linda Hart	

A *very special thank you* goes to Alan Hart (Linda's husband) for the graphic design and publication work he has so graciously contributed!!

**THANK YOU ALL FOR A JOB WELL DONE !!!!!**

***WHAT A WONDERFUL 50<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY YEAR IT HAS BEEN!***

Visit our Website to review all of our great events, see photos of these events, and honor the members of our Branch and community supporters who have contributed to such a successful AAUW year.

<http://rosevillesouthplacer-ca.aauw.net/>

## Title IX Basics From Sue Miller

***The American Association of University Women strongly supports the vigorous enforcement of Title IX and all other civil rights laws pertaining to education.***

Title IX of the Education Code, passed in 1972, is the first comprehensive federal law to prohibit sex discrimination in education. It covers women and men, girls and boys, and staff and students in any educational institution or program that receives federal funds. This includes local school districts, colleges and universities, for-profit schools, career and technical education agencies. Title IX enforcement is centered in the Office of Civil Rights (OCR) in the U.S. Department of Education, which works through state education departments on some aspects of enforcement.

***More than Athletics -Title IX affects all areas of education, including:***

- recruitment, admissions and housing;
- career and technical education;
- pregnant, parenting, and/or married students;
- science, technology, engineering, and math education;
- sexual harassment and assault;
- comparable facilities and access to course offerings;
- financial assistance;
- student health services and insurance benefits;
- harassment based on gender identity; and
- athletics.



***Enforcement*** - Title IX regulations are enforced by the Office for Civil Rights (OCR) at the U.S. Department of Education. The law prohibits retaliation for filing a Title IX complaint or advocating for those making a complaint. AAUW believes OCR must receive adequate funding to strengthen its Title IX enforcement efforts and advocates thorough investigation of complaints and proactive compliance review. Complaints can also be filed with the CA Department of Education.

***Title IX Coordinators*** - Title IX requires that every recipient of federal funding designate at least one employee who is responsible for coordinating the school's compliance, the Title IX coordinator. Coordinators oversee all complaints of sex discrimination. They also identify and address any patterns or systemic problems at their schools. It is common to find coordinators who do not understand the scope of the law. Some of the most egregious Title IX violations occur when schools fail to designate a coordinator or when the coordinator does not have the training or authority to oversee compliance.

***Sexual Harassment and Bullying*** - Sexual harassment creates an inequitable learning environment and is a violation of Title IX. Bullying also can be a violation, but not always. If a school fails to recognize and address discriminatory harassment based on sex or gender identity, it can be held responsible for violating students' civil rights. Title IX prohibits gender-based harassment, even if those acts do not involve conduct of a sexual nature.

***What can Branches Do About Compliance?*** Visit Title IX coordinators in local K-12 and college districts to learn more about how reporting and follow up are handled in the district. Take along AAUW Title IX materials. Have a branch program featuring local Title IX Coordinators sharing their experiences. Interested? Give me a call.



## Changes—and Time to Renew AAUW Membership

**As we prepare for fiscal year 2019, there are a lot of changes happening at AAUW.**



The AAUW Board of Directors voted in June 2017 to enact the first dues change in almost a decade. Effective March 16, 2018, **national dues will increase from \$49 to \$59.**

Annual dues currently account for 13 percent of AAUW's annual budget. They help to sustain and grow AAUW's programs and work that advances equity for women and girls. A combination of dues, donations, and corporate and foundation funding is critical to supporting AAUW's salary negotiation workshops, groundbreaking research, advocacy efforts, campus leadership programs, and so much more.

**State and local dues stay the same: \$20 for State and \$24 for our local Branch. A total of \$103 for the coming 2018-2019 year.**

AAUW is aiming high in the strategic planning process on which it has just embarked, undertaking an ambitious, rigorous course of action that will sharpen our focus, relevance, and impact and buttress our core issues — pay equity, education, STEM (science, technology, engineering, and math), leadership, and Title IX — to solidify AAUW's position as a leader within the equity space during the 21st century.

The process involves asking these questions: Where are we now? Where do we want to be? How will we get there? And it involves integrating our mission, programs, and business model. "We're going to need rigorous focus and meaningful relevance in order to achieve lasting impact with respect to our mission," says Churches (Chief executive officer Kimberly Churches). "We're about advancing equity, but what are we doing to ensure that we are demonstrating measurable impact? This is a new planning process, but it's more than a plan. It's about the outcomes we will achieve and how we implement them."

**See page 10 for our Roseville-South Placer Branch Membership Renewal Form.**

Our Membership Chair, Dotti May, will be pleased to receive your renewal for the 2018-2019 AAUW year. Thank you for keeping your membership current so you will be included in our coming year's Branch Handbook and continue to receive our Branch Lines newsletter and informative emails. Thank you!



## Roseville-South Placer Branch 2018-2019 Membership Renewal

**This year you have Two Options to renew your dues:**  
**Use the MPP Program online **OR****  
**Use this Application**  
**PLEASE DO NOT DO BOTH**  
**Call Dotti May, Membership VP, with questions.**

**You may use this form to update your handbook information.**

Handbook Information:

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

Birth Month & Date  
\_\_\_\_\_

Spouse or S/O first name (Optional)  
\_\_\_\_\_

{If there are no changes to your handbook information you do not need to complete below.}

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Suggestions for the Branch:  
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<b>Renewal of Roseville-South Placer Dues</b>	
<b>BREAKDOWN OF DUES:</b>	
AAUW National	\$59.00
California State	\$20.00
Roseville/Placer County Branch	\$24.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$103.00</b>
<p><b><u>Payment is due on or before June 30th</u></b>  <b>Make your check out to AAUW /\$80 is tax deductible/</b>                      Send to Dotti May, VP Membership. See address at the bottom of this form.</p>	

**Mail this completed renewal form with your dues payment to:**  
**Dotti May**  
**P. O. Box 1496, Lincoln, CA 95648**  
**Date received \_\_\_\_\_ Check No. \_\_\_\_\_**

## Interest Group Meetings in June & July—Open to all members

### Casual Gardeners

**Wednesday, June 6, meeting at 9:15**

On June 6, the Casual Gardeners will be heading to Empire Mine near Grass Valley to explore the gardens and grounds on a guided tour. We will meet at Green Acres Nursery at Sierra College and I-80 at 9:15. The tour is set for 10:30. We will then lunch at Toffanelli's in Grass Valley.

Interested in joining us? RSVP to Pat Tolleson.

The Casual Gardeners are taking their summer break in July.

### Wednesday Evening Book Group

**June 6, at 6:30 p.m.**

Meeting at the home of Rosemarie LaRocca  
Reviewing: The Rising Tide by John M. Berry  
RSVP to Rosemarie if you plan to attend.

**July 11, at 6:30 p.m.**

Meeting at the home of Kathy Kort  
Reviewing: Mrs. Grant and Madam Jule  
by Jennifer Chiaverini

RSVP to Kathy if you plan to attend.

Further information: Contact Jane Watkins.

### Mah Jongg

**Thursday, June 7 and June 21, at 1:00 p.m.**

**Thursday, July 5 and July 19, 1:00 p.m.**

Group plays twice monthly in members' homes on first and third Thursdays. Players will be contacted by Coordinator Joyce Wade.

Or RSVP to Joyce if you plan to attend.

Newcomers are welcome at the teaching table.

Mahj players began using the 2018

National Mah Jongg League card on April 1.



### Hand and Foot Card Game

**Tuesday, June 12 and July 10, at 1:00 p.m.**

No meeting in August but will resume in September.

Group meets on the second Tuesday monthly at the Granite Bay home of Darlene Thomas.

We are looking for new members.

For information about our group, contact Darlene.

### Social Bridge

**Wednesday, June 13 and July 11 at 1:00 p.m.**

Chicago scoring 2-table bridge is played on the second Wednesday at a player's home. If you would like to play or be a sub, come join us.

RSVP to Leslie McNeill.

### Nine And Wine

We're taking a hiatus for the summer.

For details about our group, please contact Carolyn Garfein.

### Duplicate Bridge

**Friday, June 8, at 1:00 p.m.**

Hostess: Barbara Gorden in Lincoln

**Friday, July 13, at 1:00 p.m.**

Hostess: Susan Hovde in Lincoln

(See Branch Handbook for addresses and contact information and please RSVP if you plan to attend games in June and/or July.)

We need 8 players.

**Save the date: August 10 at 1:00 p.m.**

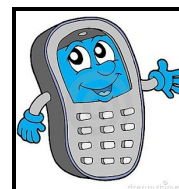
Hostess will be Sandi Roullier in Lincoln.

If you would like to join or be a substitute in this group, please contact Sandi Roullier.

### Egals (Technology forums)

No meetings in summer.

Questions: Janet Dixon: 409-9244



## June & July Interest Group Meetings—Open to All Members

### Great Decisions

**Friday, June 8, at 10:00 a.m.**

Our group meets on the second Friday of the month  
Raley's Event Center, 1915 Douglas Blvd, Roseville

Topic: Open forum from May's Meeting

DVD shown. All welcome to join us.

NO mtgs. in July and August. Have a cool summer.

Further information: Contact Elsie Gaura.

### Women of the World

**Monday, June 11, 2018, at 10:00 a.m.**

Hostess: Kathy Kort, Sun City Lincoln

Dianne Black reviews "Becoming Ms. Burton"  
by Susan Burton.

RSVP to Kathy if you plan to attend.

NO meetings in July and August. Happy Summer!

Further information: Contact Joan Mackey.

### Tuesday Book Group

**June 19, at 10:30 a.m.**

Lutheran Church, 6365 Douglas Blvd., Granite Bay

Susan reviews: News of the World

by Paulette Jabri

**July 17, at 10:30 a.m.**

Raedene reviews: Down the Long Hills

by Louis L'Amour

Questions: Contact Patricia Glover.

### Wednesday Book Group

**June 20, at 10:30 a.m.**

Raley's Event Center, 1915 Douglas, Roseville

Gerri reviews: Anything is Possible

by Elizabeth Strout

**July 18, at 10:30 a.m.**

Marilyn reviews: The Last Days of Night

by Graham Moore

Questions: Contact Nancy Taylor.

### Mexican Train

The Train will be taking a rest in the station during  
June and July. We hope to see members attend  
our games after we are up and running again at  
Joan Urry's home at **1:00 p.m. on August 27.**  
For further Information, please contact Joan.

### Women's Gourmet Group

The **June 25** Women's Gourmet will be at the  
home of Janet Jabri in Lincoln.

The **July 23** Women's Gourmet will be at the  
Lincoln home of Maria Actis.

RSVP to hostesses if you plan to attend.

Hostesses to email members with further details.

Further information: Contact Karen Allen.

### New Member Group

**No meetings in June or July.**

For further information about our group,  
please contact Lynn Cook.

### Movies on Monday

**We will not meet June through August.**

Wishing a happy summer to all our movie fans.

See you in September.

Questions: Please contact Darlene Thomas.



Many thanks to our  
Interest Group leaders  
and hostesses  
who make our get-togethers  
so enjoyable.

## June-July Neighborhood Groups Events

### Granite Bay/Loomis/Newcastle/E. Roseville/Orangevale:

Out group will enjoy its last luncheon until the fall on **June 15** (our usual third Friday.) The specific restaurant will be chosen at our May 18 luncheon. For information about our group, contact **Sally Altman**.

**Rocklin/Springfield:** On **June 28** at 12:00 p.m. we will explore the flavors of the Anatolian region of Turkey at the Anatolian Table Restaurant at 6504 Lonetree Blvd in Rocklin. Please RSVP to Monika Bassel if you plan to attend. For more information about our group, contact **Jerri Yeager**.

### Neighborhood Group Leaders

Granite Bay/Loomis/Newcastle/E. Roseville & Orangevale: Sally Altman  
 Rocklin/Springfield: Jerri Yeager  
 SCR Villages 1-8 + Northwest Roseville & SCR Villages 9-13 + Southwest Roseville  
 Sandy Haley

They welcome your call for information about the group in your neighborhood.

### SCR Villages 1-8 and Northwest Roseville:

For the next several months, both Roseville groups will be combined into one neighborhood group. Please see the information below for our upcoming activities.

### All SCR Villages and Northwest & Southwest Roseville:

The combined groups will have breakfast at Mimi's on Tuesday, **June 12**, at 9:00. Please RSVP to Sandy Haley.

**Then:** On Monday, **July 2** at 11:30 a.m., we will have lunch at Pottery World. RSVP to Sandy Haley if you plan to attend.

**In August:** Our traditional Summer Salad Luncheon at Adele's. More information to come.



For further information about our groups:  
 Contact Coordinator Schelly Jensen at  
 773-0976 or schellyaawu@gmail.com

### **Leadership Needed**

*Please contact Schelly Jensen if you would like to assist with activities for the Lincoln Neighborhood Group..*



## Board Meeting Notice

Board Meetings are scheduled for the second Wednesday of each month at the Raley's Conference Room.

**The next Board meeting will be on  
June 13 at 10:00 a.m.  
at Raley's in Lincoln.**

**July Board meeting will be on  
Monday, July 9, 10:00 a.m., at  
Raley's in Lincoln.**

Anyone interested in attending our board meetings is welcome. Please call our Branch President with your discussion item a week before the meeting so you can be placed on the agenda. Thank you.

Misplaced your copy of Branch Lines?  
No problem!  
Contact Editor for a re-send.

## Visit AAUW Media Sites

Hold CTRL on keyboard, then click on addresses below to visit our Branch Website and Facebook page, as well as State and National sites, for a wealth of information about AAUW events present, past, and future—also to access links to articles of concern for today's women.

<http://rosevillesouthplacer-ca.aauw.net/>

<http://www.aauw.org/>

<http://www.aauw-ca.org/>

<http://www.facebook.com/aauwrsp/>



To access the Members Only section on our Branch Website, you will need to use the branch password.

**Branch Lines Deadline: 15th of the month**

## AAUW ROSEVILLE-SOUTH PLACER BRANCH LINES

**Adele Tarantino, Editor  
Gini Christiansen, Distributor**



Roseville-South Placer (CA) Branch

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

### **NOTE:**

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or in black-and-white.

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It is suggested that you print out the newsletter now so you will have it handy for future reference.

