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# THE LOCKLETTER

Diane Whitaker, Past President/Lois Day, President

Editor: Bobbie Way

## *President's Message*

Dear AAUW Members,

I enjoyed being your President and I thank the Board of Directors for placing a book in the Ross Library in my honor. From what I heard at the Board meeting, Lois's team has a great season ahead and I am looking forward to participating.

See you in September!

*Past President Diane*

Dear Friends,

How lucky we are to be members of the Lock Haven Branch of AAUW. We are part of an organization that has worked toward and advanced the cause of "justice for all" for over one hundred years!

Our AAUW community works devotedly for equity and enlightenment as it challenges and breaks through educational, vocational, political, and economic barriers. How do we do this? We do it with tenacity, vigorous advocacy, financial support, and education.

I invite you to be excited about your role in AAUW in this area and era. Please, do support it with your membership, meeting attendance, time, talents, ideas, and enthusiasm. Invite others to join us! Let us enjoy our fellowship during the coming 2011-2012 program year and do our part to continue the pursuit of AAUW's admirable and attainable goals.

Thank you, thank you for all you have done and will do for AAUW. Let's have another good year in the Lock Haven Branch of AAUW.

Sincerely yours,

*Lois Day, President*



Mark  
Your  
2011-2012  
Calendars



**AAUW's First Meeting**  
Thursday, September 1, 2011  
**Book Sale**  
April 29-May 5, 2012



Thank you to everyone who helped at the AAUW Red Cross Blood Drive.

**During our drive, we collected 54 units of life-saving blood!**

*Toni and JoAnn*

### 2011-2012 AAUW Annual Dues

Dues for the upcoming year will be \$70.00 as they were last year. Contact Carol Hildebrand.

**Board of Directors**  
2010-2011

**Elected Officers**

President	Diane Whitaker
Program Vice Presidents	Laura Long Roberta Doyle
Membership Vice Presidents	Carol Pollard
Recording Secretary	Linda Frye
Fiscal Officer	Carol Hildebrand

**Appointed Positions**

Educational Foundation/ Legal Advocacy Chair Public Policy	Beth Brobst Committee (chaired by Branch President)
Book Sale	Toni Tomasi Carol Hildebrand
Hostess	
Publicity	Roberta Doyle Becky Gilbert
Diversity	JoAnn Marcinkevage
Parliamentary Advisor	Linda Frye
Cheer Committee	Gerry Cierpilowski Betty Nelson

**Area Representatives**

Historian	Diane Whitaker
LockLetter	Bobbie Way
Yearbook	Ellie Zimmerman Bobbie Way

**Lock Haven Branch AAUW  
Branch Meeting May 5, 2011**

Following dinner at *Stella A's*, the following reports were given.

**WRITE, READ, WRITE:**

Pat Burd reported that she thought the program was an overall success. Some members did not get a return letter because several of the children had moved out of the area.

**BLOOD DRIVE:**

Toni Tomasi and JoAnn Marcinkevage are co-chairing the drive and passed around a clipboard for people to sign up to help. The Blood Drive is June 21 at the Moose. Toni also passed out flyers for people to post.

**BOOK SALE:**

Toni and Carol Hildebrand thanked everyone who helped and especially thanked those who worked every week pricing and sorting the books. Carol Pollard and her husband were thanked for getting books from the State College AAUW for the Lock Haven sale and they received the "Amy" award. Approximately \$6500.00 was made on the sale plus a grant of \$600.00 from Thrivent Financial for Lutherans is pending. No expenses have been paid out of the total to date. Toni announced that the 2012 sale will be the first week of May.

**LAF:**

Beth Brobst passed around an envelope for LAF donations. She reported that to date, 2 applications for undergraduate and 6 applications for graduate scholarships have been picked up at the Ross Library desk. She has scheduled the Scholarship Awards meeting for June 30 at 2:00 p.m.

**AAUW PA STATE MEETING:**

Lois Day and JoAnn Marcinkevage attended the State Meeting. JoAnn reported on some of the workshops she attended. The 2012 meeting will be April 13-15.

Diane presented the *Outstanding Woman of the Year Award* to **Carol Pollard**.

Laura Long installed the 2011-2013 officers: President, Lois Day; Membership Vice-Presidents, Carol Pollard and Bonnie Rosamilia; Program Vice-Presidents, Betty Nelson and JoAnn Marcinkevage; Secretary, Linda Frye; and Treasurer, Carol Hildebrand. Laura thanked the outgoing officers for their work.

*Carol Hildebrand and Diane Whitaker*



**Treasurer's Report as of 6/23/2011**

**Checking Account:**

**Balance as of 4/20/2011** **\$9,165.36**

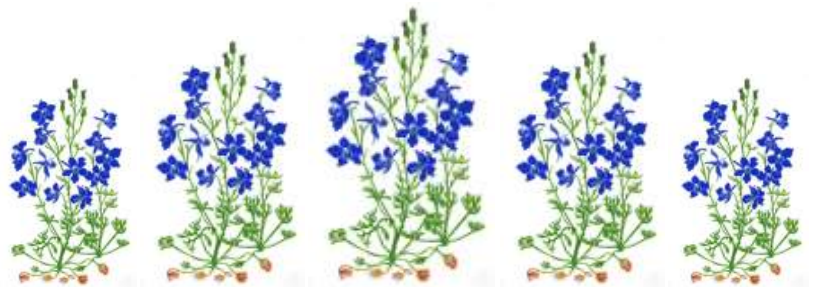
**Income:**

Book Sale	\$116.25
Thrivent Financial for Lutherans	\$2,481.00
LAF	\$39.00
Donation for Blood Drive	\$8.00
Dues	<u>\$1,631.00</u>
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$4,275.25</b>

**Expenses:**

Bucktail High School Service Award	\$150.00
Express Ad for Book Sale	\$51.00
Flowers for annual dinner	\$24.20
Thrivent Financial for Lutherans	<u>\$1,881.00</u>
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$2,106.20</b>

**Balance as of 6/23/2011** **\$11,334.41**



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## **AAUW DIVERSITY POLICY**

*In principle and 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.*