

The sale of the Thruway Mall makes it unlikely that the same site will be available for the 1995 sale. Suzanne Grossman is investigating alternative locations. If anyone has information of a suitable available site, please call Suzanne (837-8769) or Betty Loucks (632-3157). Dates for the sale cannot be determined until a site is found.

The committee welcomes input from branch members. Contact any committee member with your suggestions or to volunteer your services.

Betty Loucks  
Used Book Sale Facilitator

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## CULTURAL NEWS

**A**t the September branch meeting, the international travelling photographic exhibit of the life and times of Ann Frank, "Ann Frank in the World," was mentioned. There are two ways in which AAUW members can participate in this event. The first is by becoming a docent; 250 are needed. Training will take place in March. The necessary 10 hours will be offered every week during the month at various times of day. After the training, the number of hours volunteered will be up to the individual. The second way members can be involved is to visit the exhibit. The exhibit will be at Williamsville South High School from April 23 to May 21 and will be open either six or seven days a week, including some evenings. If you are interested in being placed on the list for information, call Lois Weinstein at 688-7020. Perhaps we can get a group together closer to the time of the exhibit.

In November, the opening activities of the Center for the Arts at the University at Buffalo will continue. Among the offerings are Pick of

the Crop Dance Company; *Threepenny Opera*; Beethoven's only opera, *Fidelio*; and the Zodiac Dance Company. The Niagara University Theatre will present Tennessee Williams' *Sweet Bird of Youth*. The Buffalo Philharmonic will feature two outstanding pianists, Claudia Hoca and Fabio Bidini. The November 18 and 19 Pops concerts will be a concert version of *Fiddler on the Roof*. In the QRS series will be the Hubbard Street Dance Company and the keyboard conversations of pianist Jeffrey Siegel. Finally, there will be two dynamite theatrical offerings in the theater district: at the Kavinoky, *My Fair Lady*, and at the Irish Classical Theatre Company, the New York hit, *Someone Who'll Watch Over Me*. Hope you enjoy the month!

Judy Summer  
Cultural Representative



## Holiday Festival

**Save the Date: Sunday, December 4  
at 2 p.m. at Temple Beth Am**

Join us for a time to remember  
We'll celebrate Chanuka on the 4th of December,  
The dreidl we'll spin; the story'll be told,  
So join us for latkes, a nosh hot and cold.  
We'll light the candles on the Menorah  
And learn to dance a bit of the hora.  
The Temple's children's chorus will sing,  
So family, friends, and especially children you'll  
bring.

Save the date, December 4, and note more  
details in the December newsletter.

Bertha Cutcher

You are Invited to Attend  
**A Candidates' Forum**  
 Please join us to

**MEET THE CANDIDATES**  
**Thursday, October 27, 1994**

All candidates running for election to congressional, state and local offices in the November elections will be invited to speak and answer questions. The City Court Judges and Supreme Court Justices will be asked to present statements.

Hear the positions of potential officials on issues of importance to all of us. This is your opportunity to ask questions before going to the polls on November 8.

**Where: YWCA of Western New York**  
 190 Franklin Street  
 Buffalo, NY 14202

**Time: 5:30 p.m. Wine and cheese  
 reception**  
**6:20 p.m. Introductions**  
**6:30 p.m. Statements begin,  
 followed by questions to  
 candidates**

Co-sponsored by the Business and Professional Women of Buffalo, Erie County Commission on the Status of Women, Everywoman Opportunity Center, NYS League of Women Voters, Planned Parenthood of Buffalo & Erie County, Pro-Choice Network, Women's TAP Fund and the YWCA of Western New York. We urge all citizens to attend, become better educated, and vote.

## October Board Meeting

**T**he regular meeting of the Buffalo Branch Board of Directors was called to order by President Judy Weidemann at 7:05 p.m. on October 5, 1994, at The Cafe in the Square, Amherst, New York.

The minutes from the April 1994 meeting were circulated, corrected and approved as corrected. The minutes from the September, 1994 meeting were circulated, corrected and approved as corrected.

A letter of resignation from Kelly McCurdy, treasurer, was accepted. The executive board approved the appointment of Gloria Aquila as treasurer.

**President's Report - Judy Weidemann** distributed the information for board members from the state president's packet. She announced the following changes in positions: Dr. Annette Stein is representative for International Relations; Alice Mason has agreed to be the May Luncheon Chair; and Carol Fatta has resigned as Public Relations Chair. Judy also reported that the rosters are ready to be mailed.

**President-Elect's Report - Bunny Blackstone** reported that because the Thruway Mall has been sold, we must put the Luck of the Draw Auction on hold. She will explore the possibility of holding the auction at a future time.

**Past President's Report - Suzanne Grossman** reminded the board of the district conference on October 15 in Rochester. Those going to the conference are encouraged to car pool.

Suzanne also reported on the March 25, 1995, conference - "Equity Beginning Now." It will probably be held at Medaille College. There will be four strands:

- **Education** - Dr. Judy Harris and Dr. Don Sabo will speak.
- **Health** - Tim Finan, chief administrator of Niagara Falls Memorial Hospital, and Kate Grew of "Especially for Women" at Sisters Hospital will give program suggestions.
- **Corporate** - There will be a program from Dupont and possibly one from Rich Products.
- **Public Policy** - Frank Messiah from the New York State Department of Labor will speak. We may have a speaker on Canada's policy in this area.

The planning committee for the conference will meet again on October 18 at 5:30 at The Cafe in the Square.

**Vice President for Program** - Carolyn Iadovito reported that the year's programs are all in place. Everything is set up for the October and November programs. More help is needed for the December program because of the illness of both chairs.

**Vice President for Membership**

**Recruitment** - Marlene Dick reported that the Membership Committee met on October 1, 1994, to discuss recruitment ideas. We now have a listing of area members-at-large. There will be a new member tea in January. Marlene will work closely with Gloria Aquila, the new treasurer.

**Loans Fund Treasurer** - Cindy Monacelli distributed the September report. The balance in the Chamberlin Loan account as of September 30, 1994, was \$22,495, while Funds for Education had \$1,642.50.

**Educational Foundation Chair** - Stacey Johnson reported that the balance in the

Educational Foundation account is \$15,110.50.

**Nominating Committee** - Chair Suzanne Grossman reported that the committee is beginning to look for candidates for next year's slate.

**Community Representative** - Phyllis Kelly will have an article in the November newsletter.

**Cultural Representative** - Judy Summer had an excellent article in the October newsletter.

**Educational Representative** - Barbara Carier continues to speak on equity in education.

**Newsletter Editor** - Betty Loucks is always willing to accept articles for the newsletter.

**Chamberlin Loan** - Maryalice Seagrave is planning the winter interviews to be held from December 27 through December 31.

**Finance/Budget** - Diane Silvestro will be holding a committee meeting soon.

**Legal Advocacy Fund** - Carolyn Day announced that we are one-third of the way to our goal for this year.

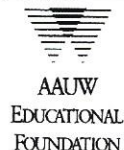
**Used Book Sale** - Betty Loucks reported that we are looking for a new location since the Thruway Mall has been sold. We need to move our material from storage at the mall. Betty will hire movers to put the material in storage.

**Old Business** - We are waiting for the rewording on reproductive rights in the position statement from the Women's Action Coalition.

We will discuss the status of our proposed name change in November.

**New Business** - We will look into further advertising of AAUW Buffalo Branch in the media.

Respectfully submitted,  
Barbara Olandt  
Acting Secretary



*The AAUW Educational Foundation provides funds to advance education, research, and self-development for women and to foster equity and positive societal change.*

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## AAUW BUFFALO BRANCH CALENDAR

11/1 Tuesday - **Duplicate Bridge** should call Mary O'Connor (831-9227) for location and reservations. Bridge time is 7:30 p.m.

The **Music Study Group** will meet at 1 p.m. at the home of Mary Mahoney, 751 W. Ferry St., Buffalo. Piano selections by Ravel will be presented. Please call Mary (882-3841) for reservations.

11/2 Wednesday - The **Buffalo Branch Board** will meet at 7 p.m. at the Snyder library, 4622 Main Street, Amherst. It is important that all board members attend. Call Judy Weidemann (652-2100) (W) or (649-0975) (H) if you are unable to attend.

11/8 Tuesday - **German Study Group** meets on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays at 1:30 p.m. For information about location, call Gloria Beutner (838-1273) or Renny Ferber (836-3277).

The **Women's Issues Group** will meet at the home of Lynn McClive, 50 Anderson Place, Buffalo at 7 p.m. Call Lynn (885-3299) if you plan to attend.

11/15 Tuesday - The **Book Review Group** will not meet this month out of respect for Alice Weinmann.

11/16 Wednesday - The **Craft Club** will meet at 7:30 p.m. Call Barbara Dascomb (833-0904) for details.

The **Book Collecting Group** will meet at a location yet to be determined. Call Jill Brown (836-8601) for the location if you plan to attend.

The **Dinner By the Book Group** will dine from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. at The Coachman's Inn, 10350 Main Street, Clarence. Helen Morrison will lead a discussion of *Shipping News* by E. Annie Proulx from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. If you plan to attend, call Rita Green (632-0014) by November 11.

11/18 Friday - The **Literature Group** will meet at 1 p.m. The hostess is Margaret Haas (839-3701), 230 Hamilton Drive, Snyder. In accordance with this year's theme of reviewing works by local authors and/or local history, Margaret will review *Out of the Salt Box* by Ruth Rasey Simpson of Tonawanda. Margaret will welcome a call from you.

11/21 Monday - **Wanted: Bridge Players!** The former **Thursday Evening Bridge Group** is in the process of reorganizing. Tentative plans are to meet the 3rd Monday at 1 p.m. Mary O'Connor will be hostess in November. If you are able to play, please call either Mary (631-9227) or Margaret Haas, Chair (839-3701).

**Investment Group 2** will meet at 7 p.m. sharp at the Greenhaven Library, 350 Greenhaven Road, Tonawanda. Contact Eve Stoklosa (695-3606) or Judy Bratty (833-5995) for more information. Guests are welcome.

11/22 Tuesday - The **Investment Club** will meet at 7 p.m. sharp at the Williamsville Library, 5571 Main Street, Williamsville. All members are encouraged to be in attendance to transact business. Contact Carolyn Iadovito (634-0927) for more information. Guests are always welcome.

The **International Study Through Foods Group** will not meet in November. The group is in the process of setting their schedule for the year. Anyone interested in this group should contact Suzanne Grossman (837-8769).

*See Calendar page 12.*

### PARKING DIRECTIONS FOR WNED

Enter WNED parking lot via either entrance on Charles Street. Stop at the monitor, push button, and identify yourself as AAUW.

### Reservation Form for November Meeting at WNED

See page 1

Name \_\_\_\_\_

#Guests \_\_\_\_\_ Name of Guest/s \_\_\_\_\_

Amount enclosed @ \$2.50 per person \_\_\_\_\_

Make check payable to AAUW Buffalo Branch

Mail reservations by **October 29** to Maryalice Seagrave  
350 Warwick Avenue  
Buffalo, NY 14215-3241

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Marlene Dick is interested in a **Computer Club**. Those interested in further information should contact Marlene (837-3458).



Sundays in the winter, a **Skiers Club** is being suggested by Eve Stoklosa (695-3606). Both downhill and cross-country skiing are proposed. Skiers with any level of competence are encouraged to participate. Lessons, lunch, and apres ski activities will be available.

Judy Bratty  
Study and Interest Groups Coordinator

**Moving? Did not receive newsletter? Please contact Marion Fay (835-5660)**

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