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AAUW West Chester-Chester County Branch presents

"Girl Gov"

Wednesday, October 14 at 7:00 p.m.

Maeve Kelly

Communications and Program Associate / GAB Coordinator
for Chester County Fund for Women & Girls

CCFWG has begun a new program for young women focusing on
civic education and government

ZOOM instructions will be emailed in advance

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Letter from the President

“There never will be complete equality until women themselves help to make laws and elect lawmakers.” Susan B. Anthony

In just one short month Americans will be casting votes in one of the most significant elections of our time. This is our opportunity to make our voices heard by electing candidates whose platforms are consistent with the mission of AAUW, including women's education, workplace and economic equity, and leadership. We should celebrate the anniversary of our right to vote by making sure that we exercise voting in a way that is most comfortable for us, whether in person or by mail. Regardless of which candidate(s) you support, let's help make this a year of record turnout by Chester County women! We can do it!

This month's Newsletter is filled with lots of good and important information. We held our first Branch meeting of the year on September 9th via Zoom technology. It was great to “see” everyone! We had a very informative speaker from the West Chester University Resource Pantry; they are most grateful for our support and more details about all of our outreach programs are listed in this Newsletter. Anne Anderko reviewed our Branch goals for the year (also included in the Newsletter) and there were reports from each Board member. Also, in this Newsletter, please find your order form for the Pecan Sale and support it as you are able.

Due to the pandemic and inability to hold in-person meetings, Handbooks were mailed out and everyone should have received one. Please take a moment to familiarize yourself with this invaluable resource. All of the board officers and committee chairs are listed and we hope you will reach out to them with any questions you may have. Now is the time to get involved.

Our next Branch meeting will be on October 14th via Zoom. Our speaker will be Maeve Kelly, Communications and Program Associate/GAB Coordinator for Chester County Fund for

Women and Girls. If you were not able to attend the September meeting because of schedule conflicts or discomfort with the online platform, please give it a try. We had almost 40 attendees last month...let's shoot for 50 in October!!

Again, thank you for your continued support of AAUW and please be sure to VOTE!

Stay safe,
Janet Kane

Audit 2019-2020 Fiscal Year

Beginning of August, a yearly audit was completed by three members of our branch, Glen Sweet, Cathy Wilson and Suzy DeGeorge, finance officer. A very thorough audit was completed especially in light of the financial scam that our branch experienced last year. The group suggested some recommendations to the Board and they will be discussed at the October 7 board meeting. We will report on any major changes in our financial procedures in the November newsletter. Thank you to our branch members for conducting a successful audit.

AAUW T-SHIRTS Still Available



For those of you that missed out on the AAUW T-shirt sale from last year, we still have sizes small through large available for \$9.99. If interested, please make your checks out to AAUW West Chester-Chester County and send to Anne Anderko, 908 Pine Valley Circle,

West Chester, PA 19382 and arrangements will be made for delivery. One of these days we will all be back together and we can wear our shirts!

GOALS FOR 2020-2021

The Board met on September 2nd with our focus on establishing branch goals for the 2020-2021 fiscal year. It is an aggressive list with many challenging opportunities for our 90 branch members to become involved and help continue our mission of advancing equity for women and girls.

Goal 1- Five Star Recognition Program

The Five Star Recognition Program was created by AAUW National to direct branches all across the United States to focus their goals in specific areas to keep them in line with National's mission statement. They broke out this program into 5 areas and each one that is achieved by June 30, 2021 will earn a star. We are researching each one of the 5 areas and at the Oct. 7th board meeting, we will determine which stars are attainable for our branch.

The 5 areas are:

Programs - Holding strategic plan-related programs, for example Work Smart Online Training Day.

Advancement – Retaining 90% of branch membership, increase greatest needs giving by 25% to National.

Communication & External Relations – Web and Social Media Presence

Public Policy & Research – Host at least one public event where Action Network sign-ups are collected or promote the Action Network on your website.

Governance & Sustainability – create a strategic and succession plan

***Goal 2 – Membership Retention** – Due to the pandemic, PMP's-Pro prospective Members Parties will not be held and emphasis will be on retention of current members

***Goal 3 – Continue Pay Equity/Work**

Smart/Start Smart – Provide programs on these topics.

Goal 4 – LAPP – Public Policy & Legislation – Target areas of political interests that align with AAUW State and National concerns.

Goal 5 – Continue Community Outreach Programs

- **West Chester University Resource Center/Gateway to Equity Award Winner**

- **CYWA – Community Youth and Women's Alliance in Coatesville**
- **Laundromat Library League**
- **West Chester Food Cupboard**

Goal 6 – Support Disadvantaged Students with Online Learning

- Survey our group.
- Elect a coordinator for the project.
- Reach out to agencies that we supported through our Community Outreach programs to determine the need for our services

**Denotes goals that are in alignment with 5 Star requirements*



Chapter presidents Janet Kane and Anne Anderko prepare for October Board Meeting.

MEMBERSHIP

-- Patricia Schultz & Susan Skiles

We now have 90 members with 2 probable newbees! As mentioned at the meeting we are focusing on RETENTION this year but are always eager to add new members! The fee for new members is **\$55.50. A great deal!** We hope that EACH OF YOU will talk to your friends about our branch and send us their contact information so we can speak to them directly.

Patricia: 610-436-9752

pls@patriciaschultz.com

Susan: 610-431-4278

whimziecieux@gmail.com

WCU Resource Pantry Gateway to Equity Award Winner Here's How to Donate

-- Mimi Jones

The Resource Pantry at West Chester University provides items for all students in need, including the Promise students who are unaccompanied, homeless and foster youth. We have supported the Pantry in the past and are happy to support them this year. We encourage those who wish to help to donate items from the [Pantry's Amazon Wish List](#) or the Pantry's Most Needed Items List on the Resource Pantry's website which can be found [HERE](#).

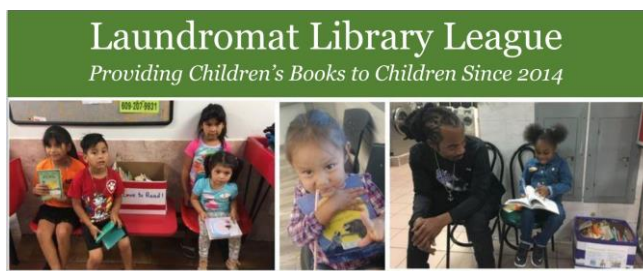
The list of items will be updated each month. If you choose to donate items from the Amazon Wish List, please remember to include that this is a gift from the AAUW.

If you choose to donate directly, items can be left at the homes of Peggy Staarman for Downingtown members, Anne Anderko for West Chester central, and Eva Kaufmann for southern West Chester. Please email Peggy at peggstarr@verizon.net, Anne at ananderko@msn.com, or Eva at ekaufmann1@gmail.com to let them know when you plan to drop off your donation. For the month of October, the Pantry especially needs donations of jackets, hats and scarves.

We ask that these items be donated by ten days after the branch meeting.
Thank you, everyone.



Laundromat Library League Update



Some facts about the LLL provided by Arlene Rengert:

- 5 years, 5 months! Founded Fall 2014
- 219=Total number of participating sites with Library Boxes of children's books
 - 95=Participating sites in Pennsylvania
 - 26=Participating sites in New Jersey
 - 98=Participating sites in 27 other states (AL, AR, AZ, CA, CT, DE, FL, IA, ID, IL, KS, LA, MD, ME, MI, NC, NH, NY, OH, OK, OR, SC, SD, TN, UT, VA, VT)
- 60=Number of children's books in each Library Box: includes books for toddlers through teens
- 106,333=Number of donated children's books received and distributed since 2014. (Additional books purchased as needed.)
- 607=Number of volunteers in the LLL network who support the goals of the operation.
- \$3,650=Annual operating budget (not including purchase of books or postage to mail them)

www.laundromatlibraryleague.org
laundromatlibrary@gmail.com

Book Drive and How to Donate

The Laundromat Library League has new storage space and would like to fill it with more books! Each laundromat box contains 60 children's books. Because the children are encouraged to take the books home, the boxes need to be replenished continually. **Our branch will hold the third annual book drive for the LLL this fall.** The LLL appreciates all children's books from toddler through (continued on next page)

LLL Book Drive / Donations (continued)

early chapter books. Books in Spanish and those that feature minority characters are in great demand.

You can drop off your donated books to Toni Gorkin (tgorkin@comcast.net) or Anne Anderko (ananderko@msn.com) during October and November. Please contact them before you deliver any books. Peggy Staarman will collect the books from Toni and Anne and label each

September Branch Meeting Held by Zoom

-- Anne Anderko

We had 37 branch members tune in September 9 for our first branch meeting for the new fiscal year. If you were not able to join us, the video of the meeting is now on our website. To get there, you need to click on About Us and then Members Only. The password for that web page is on the inside cover of your handbook. Once on the page, you need to click on the date of the meeting. Then you need to enter the same password again. The video will open in Vimeo. I had to close the white bar at the bottom of the screen by clicking on the x at the left to see the whole screen. If you have trouble accessing this video, please e-mail Sandy Alexander, frau.salexander@gmail.com for technical help.

The meeting began with our guest speaker, Chyna Hart from the West Chester University Resource Pantry, Gateway to Equity Winner with questions following. Please see the related article in this newsletter for ways to donate to this worthy cause. We followed with our regular business meeting. Highlights included an overview of the goals for 2020-2021, Audit, Fundraising, Handbooks, LAPP-Public Policy activities, and other items. (see related articles).

For our newer members, if you have questions on any of the programs, please refer to your handbook and reach out to the branch officer or committee chair.

with the LLL sticker that says, "Read It. Love It. Pass It On" and acknowledges the AAUW gift. Of course, the LLL always appreciates monetary donations that enable the organization to purchase books. You can write checks to the Laundromat Library League and mail them to Peggy Staarman (307 Benning Lane, Downingtown, PA 19335). The LLL greatly appreciates the contributions of branch members to fulfill the LLL mission of making children's books available to families where there are few or no books.

Zoom Tips . . . and another TIG Armchair Travel Tip

-- Sandy Alexander

Looking for armchair *travel* inspiration? Check out Smithsonian magazine's collection of coverage dedicated to *virtual* reality experiences. Go on a virtual safari in Africa. Take a virtual dog sled ride in Fairbanks, Alaska. Enjoy video tours of Frank Lloyd Wright buildings across America. All this and more at <https://www.smithsonianmag.com/travel/virtual-travel-180974440/>.

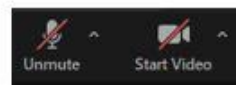
Zoom Tips and Tricks

Whether you are using a computer, a tablet or a smartphone, here are some icons (symbols) you might see at the top or bottom of your screen after you join a Zoom meeting.

Your camera and microphone are turned on.



Your camera and microphone are turned off.



Click on the microphone or camera icon to switch between on and off.

Once the meeting has started, it is a good idea to turn your microphone off. If you are using a computer or a device with a keyboard, you can hold down the space bar when you want to talk.

In a large meeting, you may be asked to raise your hand to speak. To do this, locate the Participants icon. Click on the little symbol on the right to find the Raise Hand option and click there.



There is also a Chat feature in Zoom. You can click on the chat icon to open the Chat panel where you will be able to type a message.

FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE -- PECAN SALE

Greetings from your “virtual” fundraising committee.

Don't forget to order your pecans! The packages are the perfect size for a socially distant 6-foot toss to your friends and relatives. Give them something sweet if you can't give them a hug. Since we will not have a November monthly meeting scheduled at Grove United Methodist Church, there will be other arrangements for getting all of the candied favorites and plain pecans for cooking to you in November for holiday gift giving and baking. Current possible options include items to be picked up from Trish Alfano at her home in West Goshen Township or setting up a pick-up location and date at a central point such as the parking lot at Grove United Methodist Church where we normally have our meetings. An order form is included in this email with a section to indicate how you would like to get your pecans. Please forward this email to your family and friends who may be interested in some tasty pecans.

By participating in these fundraisers, we are able to raise the funds to support the worthwhile programs for young girls and women. We thank you for your continued support.

Teapots

Despite not being able to have our anticipated banquet and Teapot decorating contest in May 2020, our members stepped up once more and contributed over \$1,500 for our 2019- 2020 Gateway to Equity fundraiser. Hang on to your teapots. We will schedule a belated best decorated teapot contest when we are able to meet again in person.

Fundraising Co-chairs: Trish Alfano & Marie Knox

Making a difference! Watch this space!

This special section is returning to the newsletter to provide updates and point out opportunities for you to participate in Community Outreach activities.

- **West Chester University Resource Pantry/Gateway to Equity Award Winner**

See related article for details. You can donate in several different ways: 1) Go on to the WCU Resource Pantry site and click on their Amazon Wish List; 2) see the Most Needed Items list on their website; 3) contact Peggy Staarman, Anne Anderko, or Eva Kaufmann to arrange for delivery of donated items to the Pantry. Please remember to include that this a gift from AAUW.

- **CYWA- Community Youth and Women's Alliance in Coatesville**

This is one of the 4 shelters that we supported last year in our Gateway to Equity program.

We will continue to support this specific shelter. At this time, we are still working with them to determine their specific needs.

- **Laundromat Library League**

See related article for details, Book Drive being planned. If you have books that you would like to donate, we have 2 drop off points. We ask that you e-mail these members when you will be dropping off books. A box will put outside of these drop off points. Please contact, Anne Anderko, ananderko@msn.com or Toni Gorkin, tgorkin@comcast.net.

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Making a Difference (continued)

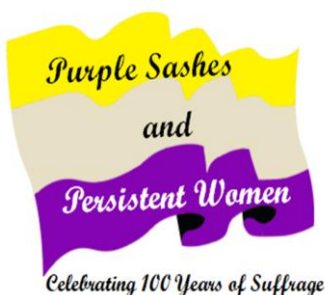
- **West Chester Food Cupboard-On Haitus**

Due to the pandemic, we will not be meeting the last Monday of each month to volunteer at the cupboard. If you would like to support them through donations, please send them to West Chester Food Cupboard, 431 S. Bolmar Street, West Chester, PA 19382 and place AAUW in the memo line.

- **Community Warehouse has new location**

The Community Warehouse Project (CWP), to which several AAUW members have donated furniture and household

items, has relocated in West Chester to the Schramm Business Complex at 800 E. Virginia Ave, the first building past the guard house, identified with a new Community Warehouse sign. Due to the pandemic, the need for furniture and household items is even greater than when the warehouse opened in 2017. After staying home for several months, many folks have discovered unused items that could be of use to families coming out of shelters, all of which have continued to operate during the pandemic. If you have items to donate, especially beds and lamps, contact Jeannie McGinn, 484-343-4577, or email her at rotaryjeannie@gmail.com for information about how and when to donate your items. For more information about the non-profit organization, go online to Community Warehouse Project.



Suffrage Centennial Celebration Information

The Suffrage Centennial celebration has been extended to August 26, 2021!

Because of the interruptions caused by the COVID-19 Pandemic, the National Women's Historical Center has extended the celebration of the 100th Anniversary of the passage of the 19th Amendment that granted suffrage to women in 1920.

Many events are still taking place during the current year, but virtually, and you can enjoy them at your leisure. For more information about events visit the national suffrage websites listed below.

[Women Win the Vote Gazette](#)

[Women's Suffrage Centennial Commission](#)

[Women's Vote Centennial Initiative \(WVCI\)](#)

[National Votes for Women Trail](#)



League of Women Voters of Chester County
PO Box 62, Exton, PA 19341 610-644-5960
www.lwvccpa.org

VOTING INFORMATION FOR PA VOTERS

Go to www.votespa.com

(This site has translate button top right corner)

- REGISTER TO VOTE AND/OR MAKE ANY CHANGES
 - CHECK YOUR REGISTRATION
 - FIND YOUR POLLING PLACE
 - MAIL-IN BALLOT APPLICATION
 - TRACK STATUS OF MAIL-IN BALLOT
- ACCESS MORE VOTING INFORMATION



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PERSONALIZED VOTING INFORMATION

www.vote411.org

CHESTER COUNTY VOTER SERVICES

www.chesco.org/election

610-344-6410

FIND MY PA LEGISLATOR

www.legis.state.pa.us

YOUR VOTE IS YOUR VOICE. MAKE IT COUNT !

AAUW Mission Statement:
To advance gender equity for women and girls through research,
education, and advocacy.
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Newsletter

The newsletter is published by the first of each month except for the summer months. The deadline for submissions is the 10th of the month. Please send emails to tgorkin@comcast.net. Thank you to everyone who contributes to these issues; it can't be done without you! -- *Toni Gorkin*

Facebook Page

Don't forget to check our Facebook Page. It's **AAUW Chester County PA**. Thank you to Alice Lenthe for getting it up and running.

Chapter Web Home Page Redesigned



Programs



Special Interest Groups



Community Outreach



AAUW Work Smart Workshops



AAUW Economic Security Focus



Advocacy

Our Branch Website has a re-designed Home Page! There are icons to take you to the parts of the website you need to find. Check it out at wccc-pa.aauw.net. Also, a reminder: The website and Facebook page are most effective if they have up-to-date information. It is our public face. If you are sending Toni pictures for the web page, make sure to copy them to Sandy at frau.salexander@gmail.com and Alice Lenthe at alicelenthe@gmail.com. Sometimes a picture is worth a thousand words!

Trifold Brochure

The trifold brochure that describes our chapter has been updated and has been printed. It's a good tool to use when exploring interest with potential new members.



We are deeply saddened by and mourn the passing of Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg on September 18th, 2020. She recognized and fought for the very goals we share as members of AAUW -- education of women, workplace equality, women's leadership and fidelity to the constitution of the United States. With her keen intelligence, respect for the rights of all, and her wardrobe of lace collars, she will be sorely missed by people across the political spectrum.

What the Constitution Means to Me: a Play

Amazon Studios has announced that *What the Constitution Means to Me*, created by and starring Heidi Schreck, will premiere Oct. 16 on Amazon Prime Video. The play was captured during its final week on Broadway at the Helen Hayes Theater by

director Marielle Heller. *What the Constitution Means to Me* was named a Pulitzer Prize finalist and won the Obie Award and New York Drama Critics' Circle Award for Best American Play. [HERE](#) is a link to information.

AAUW State and National News: Stay Involved from Home



Voting 2020: The Good, the Bad, the Ugly – an AAUW Pennsylvania Virtual Program October 5 at 7:30 p.m.

This virtual program is presented by AAUW Pennsylvania District Coordinators. The presenter is Judy Clack, Voter Service Chair League of Women Voters of Greater Pittsburgh on October 5, 2020, from 7:30 to 9:00 PM. It will be a Zoom Webinar; registration is required.

Register by using the following link.

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_f2WVfmSQSGm_-xeUvXI5Bg

You may submit questions for the speaker when you register.

East District Coordinator: Eva Kaufmann

Central District Coordinator: Sue Johnston

West District Coordinator: Paula Tomko



Demand that your Senators [fight for a just and fair Supreme Court](#).

Our nation is reeling from the COVID-19 pandemic, an economic crisis, reckoning with our long and painful history with racism, and

how to access the vote in a critical election year. But the Senate is refusing to consider legislative relief. Instead, they have abandoned this great responsibility to focus on expediting a process to ram through a politically opportune nominee for one of the most important jobs in the country. A full and fair vetting process is vital to determine the nominee's qualifications and temperament, but it takes time and consideration. The Senate has previously shown that they are willing to disregard this duty by rubber-stamping the *past two* Supreme Court nominations. The Senate must prioritize the health and safety of the country over political power—conducting a rushed hearing process would harm our nation for generations.

We hold Justice Ginsburg's memory as inspiration: continue the fight for gender equity and representation where decisions are made. This election year, we are elevating the voices of all people in the selection of all branches of their government. It is critical that the Senate honor the people's part in the selection of our next Supreme Court Justice.

Take Action

Tell them to protect our right to decide on Justice Ginsburg's successor – AFTER inauguration!

Be Prepared for the Election

As we head into the last few months before the election, it is important to know your options, the deadlines, and where to get information.

Be sure you are registered to vote. October 19 is the last day to register or update your voter registration.

October 27 is the last day to apply for a no excuse mail-in-ballot, but don't wait. Do it now! As soon as you get it, complete the ballot and mail it or drop off at your county election office or its satellite offices.

If you prefer to vote in person, check on your polling place by November 2. Many may be moved because of Covid-19.

Do all of this at [VotesPA.com](https://www.votespa.com). You can even find out how to be a poll worker.

While the news focuses on the Presidential election, many others running for office have an even more significant impact on our lives. All 18 of our Pennsylvania congressional representatives are running as are all 203 state representatives and half (25) of our state senators.

AAUW is non-partisan and does not endorse candidates, but it is important to know where candidates stand before you cast your vote. You can download a [Head-to-Head Federal Election Guide Template](#) where you can compare congressional candidates' stands on AAUW issues.

A guide for state senators and representatives in Harrisburg is available at [Resources for November 3, 2020](#). Check AAUW's [2020 Gender Policy Agenda](#), which outlines our priority issues at the federal and state level that impact Economic Security, Education, and Foundational Rights. The agenda includes specific Pennsylvania legislation.

For problems while voting or other questions call 1-866-our-vote (866- 687-8683).

Special Interest Groups

Note: Because of the Covid-19 Coronavirus Stay-at-Home/Safe Distancing orders, meetings have been cancelled, but some groups are using virtual meeting options.

Women's Social Bridge

To have your name added to the e-mail list,



contact Sandy Alexander at frau.salexander@gmail.com.

The social bridge group will not be meeting

until further notice.

Couples Bridge

A chair is needed. Please contact one of the presidents if interested.

Mah Jongg

Contact is Kim at kinglavin@comcast.net

FIG (Food Interest Group)

On hiatus until further notice. Contact: Donna Eaves, FIG chair, at 610-692-5277 or deaves@live.com.

Book Groups:

AAUW branches are known for their book groups, and membership in a group often encourages continuing membership. The West Chester-Chester County Branch currently has three book discussion groups meeting in the day and one in the evening at different times of the month.

LIT I: Daytime Literature Group

Fiction & Nonfiction Lit I Book Group meets at 1:00 pm on the third Monday of the month.

Lit I is using Zoom for a virtual meetings. The schedule of books is posted on the chapter webpage. Contact: Janet Kane: jfentonkane@gmail.com or 610-399-1149.

LIT II: Evening Literature Fiction & Nonfiction Book Group

Lit Group II is using Zoom for virtual meetings. The schedule is posted to the chapter internet page. Contact: Jean Speiser at JeanSp@gmail.com.

In October we'll be reading *Radio Girls* by Sarah-Jane Stratford - a fictional account of the early days of the BBC a hundred years ago. Nancy Day is our discussion leader. We meet (virtually for the foreseeable future) at 7:30 on the third Wednesday of every month and that's October 21. Zoom information will be sent out a few days before the meeting; if you'd like to participate but aren't receiving Lit II notices please get in touch with Jean Speiser (JeanSp@Gmail.com).

Our November book is Michelle Obama's *Becoming* with Lyn Eaton leading the discussion.

LIT III: Daytime Fiction & Nonfiction Book Group

This new group will meet on the first Tuesday of each month. The schedule is also posted on the chapter internet page. Contact: Carol Haaf 610-793-5086 or carolahaaf@verizon.net

TIG (Travel Interest Group)

The Travel Interest Group is on hiatus until conditions improve. Contacts are: Sandy Alexander (frau.salexander@gmail.com), Mary Marco (Mary.m.marco@gmail.com), or Jane McDowell (jlmcdowell@gmail.com).

Walkers Group

The group is not meeting as a group for now, but Walkers are encouraged to walk on their own and use safe distancing practices. Contact: Phyllis Dunn at dunn.phyllis@gmail.com

Stitchers Group

Stitchers is meeting via ZOOM at 10:00 A.M. Please join us for creative stitching & interesting conversations!

ATTENTION: We've added Wednesdays to our stitching calendar! We will be meeting on odd Thursdays and even Wednesdays. Not to worry, I will send you reminders each week. In October we will meet on

10/1

10/7

10/15

10/21

& 10/29.

Please mark your calendars and join us for creative stitching & interesting conversations!

Contact Patricia Schultz to be added to the mailing list: pls@patriciaschultz.com or 610-436-9752





Glazed Pecans –
\$9.00 per 8 oz. bag



Cinnamon Glazed Pecans -
\$10.00 per 10 oz. bag



Pecan Caramel Clusters -
\$9.00 per 8 oz. bag

PECAN 2020 FUNDRAISER

ORDERS DUE OCT. 16



Chocolate Covered Pecans -
\$10.00 per 12 oz. bag



Extra Large Pecan Halves -
\$13.50 per 16 oz. bag

FALL FUNDRAISER PECAN SALE

ALL ORDERS MUST BE SUBMITTED BY OCTOBER 16, 2020

Due to limited quantities of certain items, orders will be filled in the order received.

NAME
EMAIL
PHONE

DESCRIPTION	ITEM #	QUANTITY	COST Per bag	TOTAL COST
16 oz. Extra Large Pecan Halves	102		\$13.50	
10 oz. Cinnamon Glazed Pecan [gift bagged]	212		\$10.00	
8 oz. Pecan Caramel Clusters [gift bagged]	205		\$9.00	
12 oz. Chocolate Covered Pecans [gift bagged]	203		\$10.00	
8 oz. Glazed Pecans [gift bagged]	223		\$9.00	
TOTALS:				

- **Please make your check payable to: AAUW West Chester-Chester County and mail to: Trish Alfano, 1004 Pine Valley Circle, West Chester, PA 19382**
- There is no tax
- If you have any questions, please e-mail Trish Alfano at ba1004@comcast.net or call 610-431-4545.
- Orders will be distributed in **November [date and time to be announced later]** **Please indicate possible delivery option(s):**
- I would be able to pick up from Trish – 1004 Pine Valley Circle, West Chester 19382
- I would be able to pick up at Grove United Methodist Church parking lot [date TBD]
- I am able to make arrangements for another member to pick up my order
- Other request: _____



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October 2020 Newsletter

Virtual Meeting Oct 14: Girl Gov

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AAUW Mission Statement

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

AAUW Vision Statement

AAUW will be a powerful advocate and visible leader in equity and education through research, philanthropy, and measurable change in critical areas impacting the lives of women and girls.

AAUW West Chester – Chester County Branch Vision Statement

The West Chester-Chester County Branch will

- Actively recruit members who support Association goals.
- Nurture these members through active Interest Groups, through monthly meetings with intellectual and social merit, and through member support.
- Sponsor at least one project per year with volunteers and with funds to promote Association and branch goals.
 - Sponsor at least one local scholarship per year for a nontraditional student
 - Support programs for training and self-development of branch members to promote Association goals.
- Raise funds through community projects and member gifts to support Association goals.

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