

September 3rd Branch Meeting

September 3rd, Thursday, will be our next monthly meeting at 7pm at the AAUW bookstore. Debbie, Mary and Lauren will be reporting on the national meeting. If you need a ride or unsure where the bookstore is located, contact someone on the Steering Comm.

AAUW Used Bookstore

Want to meet new people? Here's your chance!

There doesn't seem to be slow time at the bookstore. The two collection-bins outside the store entrance is emptied 3 times a week. Books are sorted by category, copyright date, and then shelved alphabetically by author. Needless to say, it has been a busy summer!

Kelly Krein & Donna Gullickson have been holding the 'fort' down on Thursdays with some help from Mary Craft. Jody Larson has been the 3rd person on Saturdays.

Halloween is our big book-give-away to children who are at the Mall for "Trick or Treat." We need HELP, not just for Halloween, but for sorting, stocking shelves, taking books to recycle, etc. It never quits. We hope you can help. You'd never have to work alone. We'd love to have you there!



OPEN:
Every
Thursday
11-1pm
1-2 Saturdays
per month

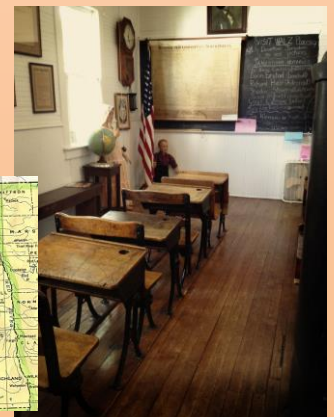
STEERING COMMITTEE SUMMER RETREAT

The **Steering Committee** Summer Retreat was held August 20th. Kelsey Barstad, Co-President, called the meeting to order with the following members present: Joan Slusser, Donna Gullickson, Kelsey Barstad, Mary Craft, Jill Schlenker, Lauren Sako, Patsy Klose, and Debbie Alber. Some the newsletter contains some of the **Steering Committee** reports.

Frontier Village School House

The ND map (early 1900's) at the schoolhouse is deteriorating. It has been taken to a photo frame gallery to get an estimate on preserving it. It is costly to dry mount & frame it. The **Steering Committee** agrees that it should be done to preserve the map. There was discussion on whether there were grants or other organizations that would be willing to help pay the cost such as the Historical Society or Jamestown tourism. Patsy will call Alden Kollman (a contact for Stutsman county historical museum) who might have information. This was then tabled for future discussion.

Linda Brown, who has been overseeing the scheduling of the school house greeters, has been overwhelmed and has asked for our help in this project.





Prairie School House

Multiple thanks the 2014 volunteers who spent an afternoon or more at the Prairie School House: Brenda Heintzelman, Jennifer Gall, Kay Glynn, Mary Allen, Betty Brosz, Carolgene Mathieson, Patsy Klose, Linda Brown, Debbie Alber, Betty Frigen, Joyce Nasland, Loretta Jung, Orlin Well, Kelsey Barstad, Ruth Urdahl, Kelly Krein, Deb Coalter, Joyce Nasland, Blu Clancy, Dorene Zinke, Barb Lang, Lauren Sako, Angela Pettys, Barb Enger, and Shirley Seher.

Special Thanks



A special *thank you* goes to **Linda Brown**, our branch volunteer coordinator worked like crazy to fill the slots for the schoolhouse!



...and to **Tom Enderle** for the ol' school clock maintenance!

Mary Craft Appointed AAUW ND State Funds Chair



As reported in the last Newsletter, Mary Craft was recently appointed as the AAUW ND State Funds Chair. She began her first official duty in office by attending a special one-day event for State Fund Chairs in San Diego, CA on June 18th.

The Fund Chair for ND AAUW suggests fund raising efforts for the state and communicates ideas to the other branches. The chairperson also keeps track of the funds that are given to National. She also learns the IRS rules for contributions and passes this information to the branches.

Block Party

The **University of Jamestown** block party will be Aug 27th from 5-8pm on Main Street. Small *PayDay* candy bars with *Pay Equality* (or lack of 'Pay Equality') will be printed on labels & put on the candy bar wrap and handed out at the Block Party. Posters made by Joan Enderle for the Pay Day event at UJ last spring.



Membership Numbers

We have **30** paid and renewed members in our Jamestown AAUW Branch.

We also have an additional 8 UJ students who signed up as National e-Student Affiliate at the 'Pay Day' event at UJ last spring. These students are welcome at our Branch meetings!

- Megan Baker
- Symbria Bell
- Jennifer Brandt
- Katianne Brockpahler
- Andrea Knudsvig
- Allison Leer
- Molly Muntifering
- Rebecca Nord