



Welcome to New Members

We welcomed Kelsey Barstad as a new Steering Committee member. Kelsey will start her three year term July 2015.

Jill Schlenker's three year term ends July 2015 and did not seek re-election to Steering Committee. (She will stay on for a year as a past president to help the next president that is elected in the June Meeting)

Patsy Klose has another year left on her three year term which will end July 2016

Donna Gullickson was elected last year to take over for Jessica Haak's last term but agreed to continue being on the Steering Committee for another three year term her term will complete July 2018.

Lauren Sako was elected last year and has two years left in her term which will end July 2017. Mary Craft has agreed to stay on as Finance Officer.



National Convention

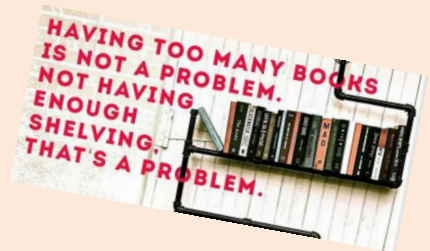
The Convention will be in San Diego this year on June 18-21, 2015. The Jamestown branch has set aside funds to help fund members to attend the conference. Deb Alber, Connie Hildebrand, Mary Craft and Lauren Sako will be attending the convention. Mary & Lauren will be attending their first National Convention.

North Dakota Annual Meeting

Jill reported on the State meeting held in Dickinson on April 17th & 18th. Friday was a fellowship type of event with everyone attending the home of a Dickinson branch member. Saturday started out with a video chat with Senator Heidi Heitkamp. Later there was an excellent presentation of sex trafficking in North Dakota. The annual meeting was held with four people being elected, which included Mary Craft for the Funds Chair position. At the National Convention Mary will represent ND as a Funds Chairperson.

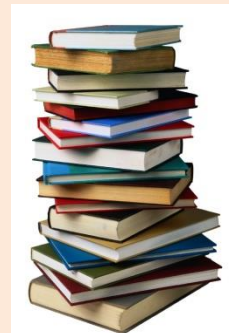
Book Store Hours

Thursdays 11am – 1pm
Saturday May 9th & 30th
Saturday June 13th & 27th



Lend a Hand

The bookstore is in need of more volunteers! Please contact Kelly at 252-4107 or 252-4690 to help out.



Jill & Andrea Knudsvig,
2015 AAUW Scholarship Winner



May Meeting

"Have your Dessert first!"

The May meeting will be held at the book store on **May 7th at 6pm**. We will be having an update to the members meeting. Kelsey will be bringing a dessert to share. There will be cold lemonade, hot water for tea and Jill will bring her Keurig machine to make coffee for anyone that wants coffee. The event is called "Have your Dessert first!"

Patsy will send a postcard to our UJ members inviting them to the meeting.

May Topics to be Covered

We Rise - Women Empowered - by Jill

Tech Savvy - by Joan E.

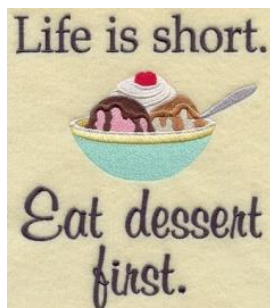
State Meeting - by Deb (hopefully)

Equal Pay Day - by Patsy with posters created by Joan Enderle.

National Convention - by Mary

Membership Incentive Announcement - by Mary and Jill

Voting - a reminder to the members to vote on the National issues on the ballot. The biggest measure on the ballot would remove the college graduate requirement for the organization.



June Meeting

The June meeting will be held June 4th at 6pm at CenterPoint Condo (Donna' & Jody) complex. The meeting will begin with a **Salad Supper**.

We ask all of our members to bring a Salad for their choosing. Plates, silverware, serving spoons, glasses, & lemonade will be provided.

CenterPoint Condo:

1208 7th St SW Building 1208 runs North & South & faces west. Park at either end of the building and enter the end door. Come into the center space of the building.

Directions will be repeated before meeting.

We will also be having an **Ugly Tie** contest in June. Winner gets a flower to plant. Final details will be made at the next Steering committee meeting.



Next Steering Committee

Next meeting of the Steering Committee will be May 14th at 7pm at the Knights of Columbus.

Items that will be discussed and completed:

- Agenda items for next meeting
- Election of Officers
- Garden Tour
- June Meeting final prep