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Summer Solstice Addendum



Congratulations: Two Tampa AAUW Members Reach Educational Milestones



Milestones: Robyn Kibler and Aleseya Pinkney both met educational milestones this summer. Aleseya earned a bachelors of science degree in health sciences and Robyn defended her economics dissertation to earn a doctoral degree.

- Annual Planning Board Meeting. Board Members Required. All members welcome. Saturday, July 29 11am- 1pm-Temple Terrace Golf and Country Club- 200 Inverness Avenue, Temple Terrace, 33617.. You will order from menu. Call Irene for
First Meeting of Fiscal Year 2017-2018 Saturday, September 16,2017- Temple Terrace Golf and Country Club-. More details to come.



Robyn Kibler, PhD

Robyn Kibler defended her doctoral dissertation, Investigating the Adoption of the Surgical Robot in Hospitals Across Florida, on June 29th. Surgical robotics has been

found to be minimally invasive. Because robotics minimizes invasiveness, there is less blood loss, less scarring, fewer complications, and a shorter recovery period. Robyn's dissertation address the economics of robotic surgery. She earned her doctorate's degree from the University of South Florida. Robyn joined Tampa AAUW this year. However, at one of the most challenging and busiest times of her career, she did not let her work as a University of Tampa professor and continued work on her dissertation keep her from the challenge and responsibility of accepting the newly created Financial Officer Mentee role..



Aleseya Pinkney, BS

On May 24 2017 Aleseya Pinkney earned a bachelors of science degree in Health Sciences from the University of South Florida.

Aleseya joined Tampa AAUW a year ago as a student. She is energetic and is always ready to "lend a hand" Since joining AAUW, she has been active in several projects. Her involvement includes being an usher for the 100th Year Anniversary Celebration-helping to superbly minimize guests' frustration by helping them navigating the complexed grounds of the venue, taking a role in the Tampa AAUW Players holiday presentation, and volunteering to create the affiliate's Facebook page. On July 1, 2017, Aleseya became the official Tampa AAUW Website and Facebook Manager.

Membership Matters

It's not too late to renew! Membership on all levels and at every stage matters. AAUW National led a three-pronged campaign-recognition, recruitment and retention during fiscal year 2016-2017. During the campaign, three Tampa members were recognized by National for their longevity in their commitment to the AAUW mission. Additionally, during fiscal year 2016-2017, Tampa stepped up its recruitment efforts and welcomed ten new members.

Questions :How do we meld the ideas of the experienced and the newly recruited member to create a viable and sustainable organization-an organization that will last another hundred years? How can individual members help?

You can start by renewing your membership. If you have not already done so, please consider renewing today. Be a part of laying the foundation for the next hundred years. Join us in keeping the mission. Please contact Joyce Ellsworth, Financial Officer, at 813.971.6731 to let her know your intentions. Or just send your check to Joyce Ellsworth 11107 N 21st Street. Tampa, Florida, 33612.

813.9716731 . Please make check payable to AAUW Tampa Affiliate

Regretfully some members' birthdays were not included in the June edition.

Happy Birthday Season!

- Mattie Parr July 10
Connie Fountain July 11
Aleseya Pinkney July 15
Maureen Solimon July 27

