

AAUW MADISON AREA 2023/2024 BRANCH PROGRAMS

Tuesday, September 12, 2023 at 6:30PM Field Trip to *Sustainable Haus Mercantile* in Summit. Visit a small woman owned business with a vision to educate & offer better choices for ourselves & our planet. We will learn to make a healthy cleaning product. **Limited to 10 people (advance registration) with priority given to members.**

Monday, September 18, 2023 at 7:00PM Panel Discussion on *Gun Violence* at the Library of the Chathams. Co-sponsored with League of Women Voters Morristown Area. How gun violence impacts our community and what local organizations are doing to address the issue. Panel includes Mom's Demand Action for Gun Sense in America, local Police, local schools and LWV Morristown Area.

Monday, October 2, 2023 at 6:30PM Dessert Meet & Greet at the Madison Community House. Come meet our Mature Grant recipients & Tech Trek Campers. Grant winners will tell us about their goals. Tech Trek campers will share their experiences at the AAUW NJ STEM Camp.

Monday, November 6, 2023 at 7:00PM *"How did I get here?" Speaker Branch President Ann Huber* at the Florham Park Library, Akhoury Room. Born in the middle of the 20th century behind the Iron Curtain, how did my journey lead to Madison's AAUW? Sometimes I stood on the shoulders of other women. Sometimes I had to stand on my own shoulders.

December 2023 Holiday Social Date, time & location TBD

Monday, January 15, 2024 at 1:00PM, Viewing and discussion of film, *Ruby Bridges* at the Florham Park Library, Akhoury Room.. Co-sponsored with League of Women Voters Morristown Area.

Tuesday, February 13, 2024 at 7:30 PM *Madam C. J. Walker: Her Story and Her Legacy* Speaker A'Lelia Bundles, biographer & great-great-granddaughter of Madam Walker; & a member of New Voices Foundation, which supports today's women of color entrepreneurs. Honoring Black History Month. **Virtual. Sponsored by AAUW NJ.**

Monday, March 4, 2024 7:00PM Title TBD Subject Supporting More Diversity in STEM **Speaker Cyndi Wilson** at the Florham Park Library, Akhoury Room.

Monday, April 1, 2024 at 7:00PM *It Takes More Than Bootstraps to Succeed in Higher Ed?* Location, Florham Park Library, Akhoury Room. More Than Bootstraps (MTB) understands the obstacles that first-generation college students face on their journey through higher education. Speaker Audrey Fisch, President/Founder/AAUW fellow, explores these obstacles & shares how MTB builds a community of 1st generation students who empower each other to succeed.

Note: All programs, dates & location are subject to change. Please check our website and/or our newsletter for current information. At this time all programs are in person with the *exception* of the February program which will be virtual via Zoom.