AAUW NC ANNUAL MEETING

FRIDAY, MARCH 31 AND SATURDAY, APRIL 1, 2017

THE DOWNTOWN MARRIOTT HOTEL

304 North Green Street, Greensboro, NC 27401 336-379-8000 | <u>www.Marriott.com</u>

Directions to the hotel:

From the WEST: From I-40 E, follow directions to the PTI Airport and Bryan Blvd. Follow Bryan Blvd. to Benjamin Pkwy., which mergers onto Battleground Ave. Go straight and turn right on Greene St. The hotel is straight ahead on the left.

From the EAST: From I-40 W, take Exit #227 for I-840 to US-70 toward Greensboro. At the end of the exit ramp, turn right onto US-70/Wendover Ave. Exit onto Elm St. South (toward downtown to your left). Turn right on Lindsey St. The hotel is on your right.

Rooms: The discounted AAUW NC rate for a standard room (2 doubles or king) is \$125 plus tax. The deadline for discounted group rate reservations is **March 3**. Questions regarding room arrangements should be directed to Sonya Dukes at the hotel.

Parking: For overnight AAUW guests, parking is complimentary. Daily parking for AAUW guests is discounted to \$2 per car, per day.

Optional Activities for Guests Not Attending Meetings: Events, maps, and activities around Greensboro will be in the welcome packet. For preplanning, visit <u>www.VisitGreensboroNC.com</u>.

Friday meetings in the Triad West/Central Ballroom on the 2nd floor:

11: 00 a.m. Board Meeting: Lunch will be provided through the Marriott Room Service Menu with a choice of sandwich or salad and drink.

3:00 p.m. Presidents' Council Meeting

Friday Dinner: Dinner will be at the Liberty Oak restaurant, 100 W. Washington St., from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. The restaurant is about a half-mile from the hotel with parking nearby. Separate checks will apply.

Wine and Wisdom Party Friday 7:30 p.m. in the hotel Hospitality Room on the second floor: Snacks, dessert and beverages will be hosted by the Greensboro Branch. This is an opportunity to share branches' best projects and ideas, as well as an opportunity to socialize with event participants.

Tar Heel Branch meeting Saturday morning in the Hospitality Room at 7:30 a.m.: A light breakfast snack will be provided. If you are not attending this meeting, breakfast will be available in the hotel restaurant.

Meetings on Saturday in the Georgia Ballroom: Check in will start at 8:00 a.m. in the Marriott lobby. The meetings will start at 9:00 a.m. upstairs in the Georgia Ballroom on the far right. Coffee, tea or water will be available.

Lunch on Saturday: A hot and cold lunch buffet will be served outside the meeting room. Lunch is \$30. To guarantee a meal, please make your lunch reservations when you register.

Juvenile Literature Award Books for Sale: The AAUW NC winner for 2017 is Sheila Turnage for her book **The Odds of Getting Even.** Sheila will speak to us on Saturday and will be happy to sign your book. If you didn't buy one with your registration, they will also be for sale on Saturday.

Contacts:

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