

AAUW ANNUAL REPORT, 2016-2017 - MEMBERSHIP TREASURER

For 2017-2018, the Poughkeepsie Branch paid National membership dues of \$16,013 and State dues of \$5,424.

I submitted the Branch Dues Report (BDR) on June 12, 2017, which included 188 renewing members, four Honorary members, three Paid Life members, two Dual members, one CU Rep, five free memberships (allotted through the previous year's Shape the Future campaign), and four new members.

From June, 2017 through April, 2017, I submitted ten Additional Dues Reports (ADRs). These reports listed 70 renewing members, one Transfer member, and 41 new members. For eligibility in the Shape the Future campaign, I submitted Guest Referral Reports following the September 7 Open House. We received five free memberships (the maximum allowed) for 2017-2018, which must be redeemed by June 30. These will be drawn at the Annual Dinner on June 14. It should be noted that National has changed its Shape the Future requirements, and beginning with the 2018-2019 fiscal year, a maximum of only three free memberships will be available.

During the 2017-2018 period, members had the option of using PayPal and Square for AAUW payments to the Poughkeepsie Branch. Few members have chosen to use either method, but it is hoped that using Square to enroll new members at the annual Open House in September will expedite that process.

I continue to work with AAUW's National staff, especially in the area of student membership fees, which have now been modified to include Graduate students and have been clarified for AAUW College and University members whose students may now join at no cost.

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