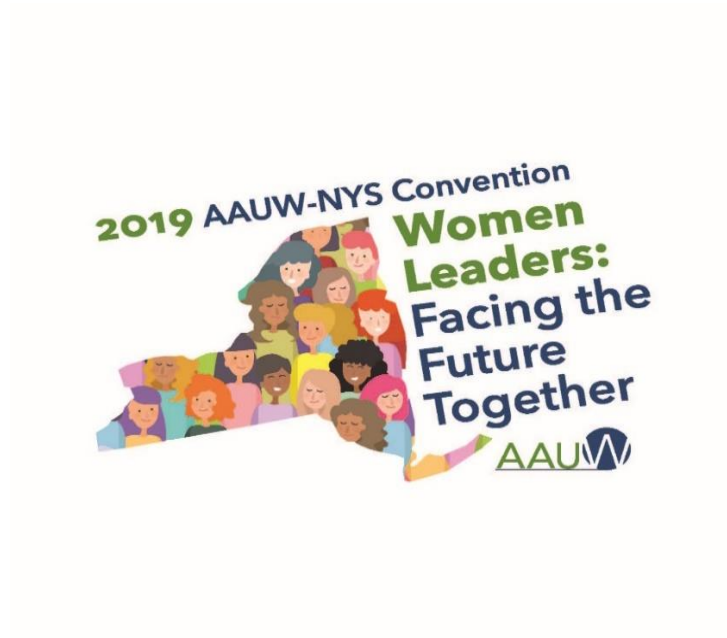


# 2019 AAUW-NYS CONVENTION INFORMATION PACKET



**2019 AAUW-NYS CONVENTION  
OTESAGA RESORT HOTEL  
COOPERSTOWN, NY  
APRIL 26-28, 2019**



## **American Association of University Women New York State (AAUW-NYS) 2019 Convention The Otesaga Resort Hotel-April 26-28, 2019**

**Happy New Year to ALL!!!**

The New Year is here, and we are on a countdown to plans to attend the 2019 AAUW-NYS Convention. Jane Pendergast, Mary Lou Davis and the Convention Planning Committee have been busy planning this extraordinary convention at the luxurious Otesaga Resort Hotel in Cooperstown, NY on April 26-28, 2019. This year's theme is **"Women Leaders: Facing the Future Together"**. This past midterm elections have shown that women are serious about leading our future. Women from all backgrounds and cultures will be taking on leadership roles from local government to Governor's Office to the United State Congress. Our future is women.

This year's convention will showcase women from many different communities. We will hear from a representative from the National office as well as from Kate Brownell, first female to have her baseball jersey in the National Baseball Hall of Fame in Cooperstown. There will be plenary sessions along with some amazing workshops to include an interactive STEM workshop where you will develop something in sports. The fundraising segment has a new look; there will not be a basket room or items to auction. The fundraising will be entertaining; we will have a belly dancing performance and first-time wine tasting fundraiser.

Registration is now open. Register early to attend. Be sure to make your selections for the tours and workshops when you register.

Come to Convention and be inspired by the speakers and workshops that will be presented. Your attendance at this convention will be enthusiasm for our 2020 Convention. Don't forget to submit your applications for your branch's Emerging Leader and 21<sup>st</sup> Century Program Awards. See you in Cooperstown for a weekend of "Women Leaders: Facing the Future Together".

Janice Brown  
AAUW-NYS President

Please use **ONLINE REGISTRATION**  
at <https://aauw-nys.org>

Thank you!

## AAUW NYS 2019 CONVENTION REGISTRATION FORM

April 26-28, 2019, Otesaga Resort Hotel,  
Cooperstown, NY

→ **Deadline: March 25, 2019** ←

### PLEASE PRINT:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Preferred first name \_\_\_\_\_

*Last:*

*First*

Address/City/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Branch \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_

Position 2018-19 \_\_\_\_\_ Position 2019-20 \_\_\_\_\_

First time attending an AAUW NYS Convention

### Credentials Category: ***Please check one only.***

Branch Delegate (*Check with your branch president*)

Branch Alternate (*Check with your branch president*).

Non-Voting Branch Member

NYS Board of Directors member

NYS District Coordinator, Nominating Team, Convention Arrangements Team, or Public Policy Team

Past NYS President

Individual Member (*Member of the Association. Not a branch member*)

AAUW College/University Member/Representative

*Please list the college or university you represent.* \_\_\_\_\_

Guest

### Convention 2019 Registration: ***Please check all that apply.***

Online registration/full convention (Fri-Sun) \$45.00 \_\_\_\_\_

By Mail registration/full convention (Fri-Sun) \$50.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Companion registration (non-AAUW member) \$20.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Friday registration fee \$20.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Saturday registration fee \$40.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Sunday registration fee \$20.00 \_\_\_\_\_

AAUW Fundraiser – Belly Dancing Performance \$20.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Fenimore Art Museum/Farmers' Museum (Guided Tour) \$23.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Baseball Hall of Fame (Self-Guided) \$13.50 \_\_\_\_\_

Chair Yoga (Sat, 6:30-7:30 am) No Charge, **registration required**

ADD Late Fee after Mar 25 \$15.00 \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Convention Registration**

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

✉ **Mail to: AAUW Convention  
Registration, Betty Preble,  
6935 East Quaker,  
Orchard Park, NY 14127  
Phone: 716/662-0608  
Email:  
[betty.preble@gmail.com](mailto:betty.preble@gmail.com)**

**Please continue registration on next page**

**Hotel/Meal Registration**

I am registering for the hotel/meal package including room and 6 meals. Please choose your room type:

- Single \$572.40 \_\_\_\_\_
- Double \$386.40/person \_\_\_\_\_
- Triple \$329.60/person \_\_\_\_\_

*If Double or Triple, list roommate name(s)*

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- Early arrival – Thursday night, including breakfast \$215.40/person \_\_\_\_\_
  - Stay late – Sunday night, including breakfast \$215.40/person \_\_\_\_\_

**OR**

I want to register for the meals ONLY and am NOT registering for the hotel package.

- Friday Dinner \$65.00 \_\_\_\_\_
- Saturday Breakfast \$20.00 \_\_\_\_\_
- Saturday LAF Luncheon \$25.00 \_\_\_\_\_
- Saturday Educational Fund Gala \$65.00 \_\_\_\_\_
- Sunday Breakfast \$20.00 \_\_\_\_\_
- Sunday Luncheon \$30.00 \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Hotel/Meals Registration** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Convention Registration** \$ \_\_\_\_\_ + **Hotel/Meals** \$ \_\_\_\_\_ = **Total \$** \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to AAUW NYS Convention.

**WORKSHOPS - Choose one for each session. See descriptions on the website.**

Session 1: Sat, 2:15 - 3:30 PM	Session 2: Sat, 3:45 - 5:00 PM	Session 3: Sun, 8:45-10:00 AM
<input type="checkbox"/> STEM: Launch into the Future	<input type="checkbox"/> STEM: Launch into the Future	<input type="checkbox"/> STEM: Launch into the Future
<input type="checkbox"/> Women in Sports	<input type="checkbox"/> ERA: Emancipation of Women	<input type="checkbox"/> ERA: Emancipation of Women
<input type="checkbox"/> LGBTQ: Language/Impact	<input type="checkbox"/> HEALTHCARE: Issues Now	<input type="checkbox"/> INTERSECTIONALITY



## AAUW-NYS

April 26-28, 2019

A block of rooms has been set aside for the AAUW-NYS convention at the Otesaga Resort Hotel. The hotel package includes two nights and 6 meals. Additional nights are also available.

The hotel registration will be handled by Betty Preble. Betty must receive your registration with a check for room and food no later than **March 25**. Make your reservations early to guarantee a room at the hotel.

Please use online registration at <http://aauw-nys.org>.

Then mail your check to:

Betty Preble  
6935 East Quaker  
Orchard Park, NY 14127  
Phone: 716-662-0608  
[Betty.preble@gmail.com](mailto:Betty.preble@gmail.com)

### **Rates:**

Double occupancy per person - \$386.40 includes gratuity, two nights and six meals

Single occupancy - \$572.40 includes gratuity, two nights and six meals

Additional nights including breakfast are available for \$215.40 a night.

Any registrations after March 25, 2019, will need to be made by contacting the hotel directly. You can reach the Otesaga at 607-353-6906 Monday-Friday, 8:30 – 5:30. Our group code is 2443417.

You can also email [reservation1@otesaga.com](mailto:reservation1@otesaga.com) Registrations with the hotel will have added tax on your bill.

## DIRECTIONS TO THE OTESAGA HOTEL



### FROM THE WEST (Buffalo/Syracuse)

Take Exit 30 off the New York State Thruway (I-90) at Herkimer and take Route 28 South to Cooperstown. After entering the village, turn left onto Chestnut Street. Follow Chestnut Street through the stop light to Lake Street. Turn left at Lake Street. The hotel is located on the right overlooking Lake Otsego.

### FROM THE EAST (Albany and New York City)

Take the New York State Thruway (I-90) to Exit 25A and I-88 to Duanesburg (5 miles), Exit 24 then Route 20 West to Route 80 South to Cooperstown. After entering the village, The Otesaga is on the left, just past the golf course on Lake Street.

### FROM THE SOUTH (Binghamton/Oneonta)

Take I-88 East to Oneonta, Exit 17 to Route 28 North to Cooperstown. After entering the village follow Chestnut Street through the stoplight to Lake Street. Turn left onto Lake Street. The hotel is located on the right overlooking Lake Otsego.

# AAUW-NYS CONVENTION TOURS

Attendees will have the opportunity to enjoy the beautiful Fenimore Art Museum and the Farmers Museum on Friday afternoon between 2-4pm (This is a guided tour). Pickup at hotel lobby. Prices are \$23.00 for both. Must include with registration fees.



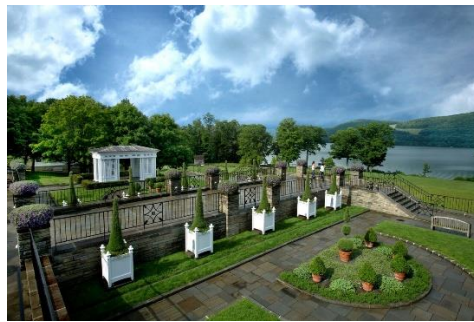
Farmers Museum



Farmers Museum

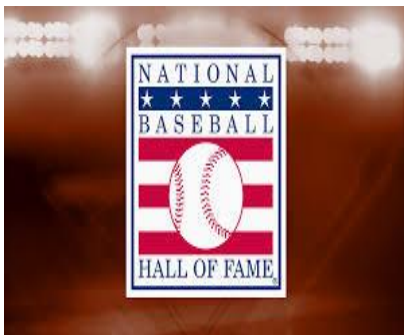


Fenimore Museum



Fenimore Museum

Tour of the National Baseball Hall of Fame Museum will be available to conference attendees on Sunday starting at 1:30pm. This is a self-guided tour. Price is \$13.50. Must include with registration fees.



National Baseball Hall of Fame



National Baseball Hall of Fame

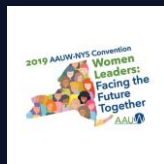
See AAUW-NYS Website for additional information: [www.aauw-nys.org](http://www.aauw-nys.org)

AAUW FUNDRAISER EVENT

# BELLY DANCING PERFORMANCE

\$ 20.00 DONATION  
SATURDAY, April 27th -9pm

REGISTER ONLINE WHEN YOU REGISTER  
FOR THE STATE CONVENTION



Performance by Fire & Spice Belly Dancers  
Belly Dancing Lessons Available



## AAUW FUNDRAISER EVENT



**\$20.00 Donation (ALL NYS WINES)  
variety of NYS wines and prices**

**PARTICIPANTS WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO SELECT A CARD FOR \$20.00 ON FRIDAY (EVENING)  
AND SATURDAY (AFTERNOON)**

**AT THE TIME OF THE DRAWING YOU WILL MATCH YOUR CARD TO THE WINE BOTTLE THAT HAS THE  
SAME CARD YOU SELECTED IN YOUR \$20.00 DRAWING OPPORTUNITY**

**2019 AAUW – NYS CONVENTION -Otesaga Resort Hotel**

**Cooperstown, New York CONVENTION WELLNESS ACTIVITIES**

**Chair Yoga**

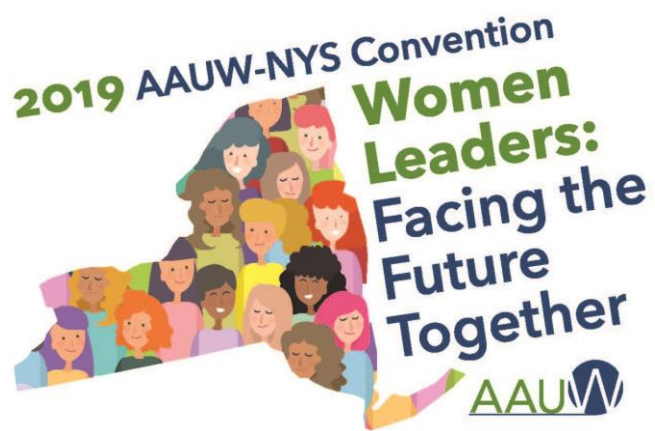
**JOIN US EARLY SATURDAY MORNING APRIL 27, 2019 (6:30AM TO 7:30AM) AT THE BEAUTIFUL OTESAGA HOTEL, COOPERSTOWN, NEW YORK FOR CHAIR YOGA UNDER THE INSTRUCTIONS OF COOPERTOWN'S OWN BONNIE FLOWER**



**Walking Tour**

**JOIN US EARLY SUNDAY MORNING APRIL 28, 2019 (6:30AM-7:30AM) AT THE BEAUTIFUL OTESAGA HOTEL, COOPERSTOWN, NEW YORK FOR A WALKING TOUR OF THE VILLAGE THAT WAS FOUNDED BY WILLIAM COOPER FATHER OF THE FAMOUS AUTHOR JAMES FENIMORE COOPER.**

**THESE TWO EVENTS ARE FREE TO AAUW 2019 CONVENTION PARTICIPANTS**



## CONVENTION PROGRAM BOOK ADVERTISEMENTS

**Deadline: Friday, February 28, 2019**

**This is your invitation to advertise in  
the 2019 Convention Program Book.**

### Why should you advertise in the Convention Program Book?

- Your Branch is celebrating a special anniversary.
- You want to call attention to an accomplishment of your Branch, especially in the area of leadership.
- You are honoring a special member.
- You own a business or know of a business that wants to be known by AAUW members.

Questions? Please contact **Jean Havens** at (914) 954-3148 or [jhavens@verizon.net](mailto:jhavens@verizon.net)

### Ad Sizes and Prices

#### **Full Color**

Full page, outside back cover (7½" w. x 10" h.), \$300 \_\_\_\_\_

Full page, inside front or back cover (7½" w. x 10" h.), \$250 \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Black & White**

Full page (7½" w. x 10" h.), \$175 \_\_\_\_

Half-page horizontal (7 ½" w. x 5" h.), \$125 \_\_\_\_

Half-page vertical (3¾" w. x 10" h.), \$125 \_\_\_\_

Quarter-page vertical (3 ¾" w. x 5" h.), \$65 \_\_\_\_

Business card size (3 ¾" w. x 2½" h.), \$35 \_\_\_\_

**Format:** Please send ad text/artwork in **jpg** format only. (Do not send in a Word document.) **Please send as black-and-white unless you are buying one of the three available full-page color ads.**

Email your layout, ready to print, to: Jean Havens at [jhavens@verizon.net](mailto:jhavens@verizon.net)  
no later than Thursday, **February 28, 2019**. Thank you!

**Payment:** Please make checks payable to "AAUW NYS Convention" and mail to: Jean Havens, 40 Kisco Park Drive, Mount Kisco, NY 10549. Please respond quickly so your Branch will be represented in the Convention Program Book!

## BRANCH EXHIBIT AREA – Deadline April 15, 2019

Displays in the Branch Exhibit Area at the NYS AAUW Convention are a popular way for each branch to share accomplishments, ideas and wares with other branches. The Branch Exhibit Area is a place for members to meet people from other parts of the state and enjoy a spirit of camaraderie as they share information and ideas. The guidelines are few and the rewards are many.

This year we encourage each branch to reserve a half table for displays, handouts and sale items. Keep in mind that the Branch Exhibit Area is unsecured. Display posters should be free-standing or on a storyboard.

### DETAILS:

1. Each branch should set up exhibits between 12:00 noon and 6:00 pm on Friday, April 26.
  - a. Do not display items before 12:00 noon due to branch areas being designated.
2. The branch is required to have one or more of its members stay with the exhibit during the official hours the Branch Exhibit Area is open if items are for sale or at any time items of value are displayed at the table.
3. Exhibits will be on display all of the time.
4. Branches should remove their displays and sale items by 10:00 pm on Saturday night.
5. The form below should be returned **by April 15, 2019:**

**Linda Hammond, 11 S Clark Ave., Gloversville, NY 12078-2610**

Questions: 518-229-2058 Linda.hammond2058@gmail

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BRANCH NAME \_\_\_\_\_

BRANCH CONTACT \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE/EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

# AAUW NYS Convention AAUW NYS Convention Schedule – Otesaga Resort Hotel Cooperstown, NY

**April 26 to 28, 2019**

## **Friday, April 26**

12:00	6:00	Registration Open
1:00	5:00	Tour (Fenimore Art/Farmers Museum)
1:00	5:00	AAUW Funds Wine Room Setup
1:00	5:30	NYS Board of Directors Meeting
5:00	6:00	AAUW Funds Wine Room Open
6:00	6:30	Emerging Leaders and President's Reception with Cash Bar
7:00	8:00	Presidents' Dinner
8:00	9:00	Welcome: Janice Brown Keynote: AAUW National Rep
9:00	10:00	AAUW Funds Wine Room Open
9:00-	12MN	Entertainment-Hawkeye Bar and Grill
9:30		Wine Room-Tasting/Resolution Caucus / Networking
9:30		Nominating Committee

## **Saturday, April 27**

6:30	7:30	Chair Yoga
7:00	9:00	Registration
7:30	8:30	Breakfast (Membership/ Program /Communication Awards)
8:30	9:30	Plenary Session-
9:45	11:00	Business Meeting/Election of Officers
11:15	12:15	Plenary Session-
12:15	12:30	BREAK
12:30	2:00	AAUW FUNDS-LAF SPEAKER/Funds Awards
2:15	3:30	Workshops Sessions 1- choose 1
3:45	5:00	Workshop Sessions 2- choose 1
5:00	5:30	BREAK/Free Time/ Visit Wine Room
5:30	6:15	Women in Baseball Presentation
6:30	7:00	Cash Bar
7:00	9:00	Convention Banquet Induction of New Officers Keynote – Bridie Ferrell
9:00	10:00	AUW Fundraiser –Belly Dancing Performance

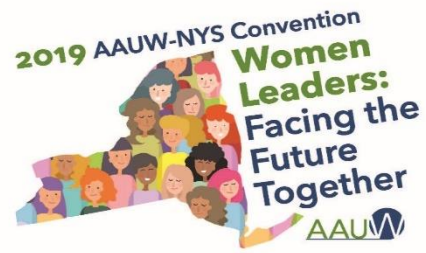
## **Sunday, April 28**

6:30	7:00	Morning Walk
7:00	9:00	Registration
7:30	8:30	Breakfast – Counterpart Sessions
8:00	8:45	Nominating Committee-if needed
8:45	10:00	Workshops Session 3- Choose 1
10:15	11:45	Plenary Session- Kate Brownell
12:00	1:00	Luncheon and Closing Session
1:15	1:30	Call to Convention 2020
1:30	2:30	Post-Convention Board Meeting
2:00	3:00	Baseball Hall of Fame Tour-Self-guided

**See AAUW NYS website for additional details on workshops and speakers**

<http://aauw-nys.org>

# REMINDERS!!!!



- ✓ DEADLINE TO REGISTER FOR CONVENTION AND MAIL YOUR CHECK TO BETTY PREBLE BY **MARCH 25<sup>th</sup>** -NO HOTEL REGISTRATION WILL BE MADE WITHOUT YOUR CHECK.
- ✓ DEADLINE FOR CONVENTION BOOKLET ADS IS **FEBRUARY 28<sup>TH</sup>**
- ✓ DEADLINE FOR BRANCH HONOREES IS **MARCH 1<sup>ST</sup>**
- ✓ DEADLINE FOR BRANCH DISPLAYS IS **APRIL 15<sup>TH</sup>**
- ✓ DEADLINE FOR PROGRAM AWARDS IS **FEBRUARY 28<sup>TH</sup>**
- ✓ DEADLINE FOR EMERGING LEADERS IS **FEBRUARY 25<sup>TH</sup>**
- ✓ DEADLINE FOR BRANCH NEWSLETTERS, WEBSITES AWARDS IS **FEBRUARY 28<sup>TH</sup>**
- ✓ SIGN UP FOR TOURS AND FUNDRAISING ACTIVITIES
- ✓ CONVENTION QUESTIONS: SEND EMAILS TO

JANE PENDERGAST- [jpendergast2@msn.com](mailto:jpendergast2@msn.com)

MARY LOU DAVIS- [maryloudavis125@gmail.com](mailto:maryloudavis125@gmail.com)

JANICE BROWN - [4jmac2@gmail.com](mailto:4jmac2@gmail.com)

## SEE YOU IN COOPERSTOWN