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| Allentown | Coalition Building | 18-Oct | AAUW Diversity: Deeds and Dialogue interest group and the Bethlehem Library are sponsoring a Community One Read. The book - Tears We Cannot Stop by Michael Eric Dyson |
| Allentown | Other | 4-Nov | Inter-branch program with Allentown and Easton - FAKE NEWS: The Media in a Post-Truth World was attended by 130 members and the public. A panel of three fielded a wide-range of questions. More than 125 members and community friends made up the respectful audience at the Nov. 4 Forum on Fake News: The Media in a Post-Truth World. Moderator Deborah Musselman presented audience questions and made sure Morning Call columnist Bill White and political reporter for THE CAUCUS Paula Knudsen had time to give thoughtful answers. Audience interest was high with questions being submitted throughout the hour. |
| Beaver Valley | Coalition Building | 30-Jan | "Girls Just Want to Have Civil Rights: How to be an Advocate & Ally in the Fight for Equity" A discussion with Anne Hedgepeth, Interim Vice President of Public Policy & Government Relations, AAUW |
| Beaver Valley | Newspaper | | LTE about gerrymandering |
| Beaver Valley | Other | Nov | Branch program on women's health care issues |
| Beaver Valley | Other | | Two members attended "conversations on health care symposium" |
| Beaver Valley | Other | | Had a public policy table at their annual Kitchen Tour |
| Beaver Valley | Redistricting Reform | | Along with FDPA members met with state representative to discuss gerrymandering |
| Bethlehem | Coalition Building | 18-Oct | AAUW Diversity: Deeds and Dialogue interest group and the Bethlehem Library are sponsoring a Community One Read. The book - Tears We Cannot Stop by Michael Eric Dyson. There were three panelists representing different views and a facilitator. The audience participation was excellent and the discussion was both valuable and insightful. There were 60 people in attendance from AAUW and the greater community. |

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| Bethlehem | Equal Pay | 10-Apr | Members participated in Equal Pay Day Lobbying and Rally at the Capitol on April 10, 2018. |
| Bethlehem | Equal Pay | 26-Oct | The AAUW Lehigh Student Affiliate Chapter hosted their first event on Thursday, October 26, called "Cookies for Change". The event aimed to raise awareness on Lehigh's campus about the gender pay gap, and foster productive and insightful conversations among students. AAUW-Bethlehem provided cookies and some funding for the AAUW-Lehigh University Student Group's first Pay Equity Education and "Cookies for Change" event. |
| Bethlehem | Equal Pay | 11-Dec | Susan McNamara of AAUW-Bethlehem and Toni Hoffman of AAUW-Easton speak at the League of Women Voters-Lehigh County "Hot Topics Luncheon" December 11, 2017, on Pay Inequality |
| Bethlehem | GOTV | 26-Sep | Student affiliate group from Moravian did voter registration |
| Bethlehem | GOTV | 26-Sep | Voter Registration table at Northampton Community College on National Voter Registration day. |
| Bethlehem | Other | 4-Nov | Inter-branch program with Allentown and Easton - FAKE NEWS: The Media in a Post-Truth World was attended by 130 members and the public. A panel of three fielded a wide-range of questions. More than 125 members and community friends made up the respectful audience at the Nov. 4 Forum on Fake News: The Media in a Post-Truth World. Moderator Deborah Musselman presented audience questions and made sure Morning Call columnist Bill White and political reporter for THE CAUCUS Paula Knudsen had time to give thoughtful answers. Audience interest was high with questions being submitted throughout the hour. |
| Bethlehem | Other | 14-Nov | As a follow up to the November 4 meeting there was an informal "Talk Back" on Tuesday November 14, 2017. Members and the public had the opportunity to interact with one another and further discuss the media and how it operates today. The event was held at Wesley Church, 2540 Center Street 18017. The discussion started at 7 pm and was finished by 8:15 pm |
| Bethlehem | Other | | Second year of their two year exploration of "Hate Crimes and Hate Crime Prevention" as a program focus area |
| Bethlehem | Other | | Wrote an article for their newsletter on the psychological impact of hate crimes |
| Bethlehem | Redistricting Reform | 15-May | Member volunteered with FDPA to work the polls -- talking to voters about gerrymandering and getting signatures on a petition. |

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| Carlisle | Coalition Building | 19-Jul | Participated in Pennsylvania Campaign for Women's Health Community Conversations in Carlisle. |
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| Carlisle | GOTV | 23-Sep | Voter registration at Harvest of the Arts festival |
| Carlisle | GOTV | 25-Oct | Candidate forum for Carlisle Area School District school board |
| Carlisle | GOTV | 13-Feb | Voter registration "class" for Hope Station Women's Group |
| Carlisle | GOTV | 15-Mar | Voter registration at Project Share |
| Carlisle | GOTV | 24-Mar | Voter registration at Black History Festival with Hope Station Women's Group |
| Carlisle | Newspaper | 23-Oct | Title IX LTE published in The Sentinel |
| Carlisle | Newspaper | 14-Nov | Latina Women equal pay LTE in The Sentinel. |
| Carlisle | Newspaper | 6-Dec | LTE opposing SB2 -- Education Savings Account vouchers |
| Carlisle | Other | 26-Sep | Branch meeting: AAUW and Public Policy. Public Policy Chair shared how AAUW selects the Public Policy Priorities. Randi Teplitz and Megan Healey spoke about the work of the Pennsylvania Commission on Women--illustrating the impact of public policy advocacy. |
| Carlisle | Other | 7-Nov | Topic Talks -- Barriers & Bias (AAUW research about women in leadership). Book group style exploration of public policy issues. Guest speaker Dickinson professor. |
| Carlisle | Other | 14-May | Topic Talks -- review of Deeper in Debt research |
| Carlisle | Redistricting Reform | 12-Oct | Community event. Panel discussion: "Redistricting Matters: A Nonpartisan Consensus for Cumberland County" |
| Carlisle | Redistricting Reform | 15-May | Member volunteered with FDPA to work the polls -- talking to voters about gerrymandering and getting signatures on a petition. |
| Carlisle | Title IX | 24-Oct | Branch meeting: Title IX and Sexual Assault Prevention at Dickinson College |
| Carlisle | Title IX | 17-Apr | Topic Talks -- CASD Superintendent discussed K-12 campus sexual assault and gender based bullying. |
| Doylestown | Economic Security | 3-Oct | Co-sponsor with Women's and Girl's Foundation and PathWays PA to hold a Town Hall on Paid Family Leave to announce results of the study. |
| Doylestown | Start Smart/Work Smart | | Co-sponsoring Start Smart with Delaware Valley University |

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| Doylestown | STEM | 28-Apr | Members participated in the STEMGirlz Discover Day sponsored by Bucks County Community College. |
| Easton | Coalition Building | 18-Oct | AAUW Diversity: Deeds and Dialogue interest group and the Bethlehem Library are sponsoring a Community One Read. The book - Tears We Cannot Stop by Michael Eric Dyson. There were three panelists representing different views and a facilitator. The audience participation was excellent and the discussion was both valuable and insightful. There were 60 people in attendance from AAUW and the greater community. |
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| Easton | Equal Pay | 11-Dec | Susan McNamara of AAUW-Bethlehem and Toni Hoffman of AAUW-Easton speak at the League of Women Voters-Lehigh County "Hot Topics Luncheon" December 11, 2017, on Pay Inequality |
| Easton | GOTV | various | participated in 5 different voter registration actions |
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| Erie | Equal Pay | April 2018 | Collaborating with Zeta Phi Beta on event to explore pay equity. Panel discussion and keynote speaker. Held on regular branch meeting day yet will publicize to all woman organizations. |
| Erie | Equal Pay | 9-Apr | panel discussion with Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc., Rho Sigma Zeta chapter |
| Erie | GOTV | Oct 2017 | Registered voters at community booth in main corridor of shopping mall. |
| Erie | GOTV | Spring 2017 | Registered voters at community booth in main corridor of shopping mall. |
| Erie | Other | Monthly | Study group--Global Friends invites member of Erie's burgeoning immigrant community to share their country and personal story. |

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| Erie | Other | Monthly | Study group--Religions of the World explores different faiths in the community to increase awareness for diversity and inclusion. |
| Erie | Redistricting Reform | 3-May | Co-sponsored the showing of the 'Gerrymandering' film with LWV |
| Erie | Redistricting Reform | 15-May | Crew working at polling places next week on May 15th gathering addition signatures for Fair Districts PA |
| Erie | STEM | May 5, 2018 | Tech Savvy with Edinboro University. |
| Fox Chapel Area | Coalition Building | 30-Jan | "Girls Just Want to Have Civil Rights: How to be an Advocate & Ally in the Fight for Equity" A discussion with Anne Hedgepeth, Interim Vice President of Public Policy & Government Relations, AAUW |
| Fox Chapel Area | GOTV | 19-Apr | Democratic and Republican Primary Forum for Candidates for PA Senate District 38 and PA Legislative District 30 Candidate forum jointly with North Hills Pittsburgh |
| Fox Chapel Area | Legislative | 9-Nov | Phyllis Bianculli, Public Policy Chair, participated in a coffee with Senator Randy Vulakovich. |
| Fox Chapel Area | Legislative | Mar 13, 2018 | Legislative forum--inviting state representatives and senators--to discuss AAUW issues. |
| Fox Chapel Area | Newspaper | 23-Dec | Guest Editorial on history of CHIP in the Pittsburgh Post Gazette |
| Harrisburg | Coalition Building | 25-Jul | Member of coalition to show Equal Means Equal |
| Harrisburg | Coalition Building | 5-Apr | Co-sponsored Legislative Advocacy Training and provided informational table. |
| Harrisburg | Equal Pay | 10-Apr | Members participated in Equal Pay Day Lobbying and Rally at the Capitol on April 10, 2018. |
| Harrisburg | GOTV | 5-May | Display of GOTV materials for members at the Spring Tea to encourage them to vote in the Primary Election |
| Harrisburg | Newspaper | 19-Dec | LTE in Patriot News about SB2--Education Savings Accounts http://www.pennlive.com/opinion/2017/12/senate_bill_2_-_a_wolf_in_shee.html |

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| Harrisburg | Other | 23-Sep | Dr. Patricia DeMarco to share her world class expertise on Pennsylvania's own environmental pioneer, Rachel Carson. Dr. DeMarco was the Executive Director of the Rachel Carson Homestead and is the Director of the Rachel Carson Institute at Chatham University. |
| Harrisburg | Other | | Articles published in the Branch newsletter, the Connection, on Gerrymandering, Sexual Harassment, Education Savings Accounts (SB 2) and AAUW Advocacy 101 |
| Harrisburg | Redistricting Reform | 4-Oct | Branch program "Gerrymandering: Democracy at Risk" with Ken Gehosky of Fair Districts PA |
| Huntingdon | GOTV | 16-Mar | Mentors to 'Governing Girls" program creator, Isabella Bennett (Juniata sophomore) on two day non-bipartisan politics workshop offered to Huntingdon County high schools on March 16-17. |
| Huntingdon | Education | 27-Mar | Held Deeper in Debt public meeting |
| Indiana Co | Other | 18-Oct | Second in their series on health care in rural PA - a panel including a gynecologist and an anthropologist who focuses on reproductive health. https://www.indianagazette.com/news/aauw-panel-discussion-on-health-care-to-be-held/article_17f5d10c-af59-11e7-9535-a7b930eda9ea.html |
| Johnstown | Other | | Held a Public Policy committee meeting |
| Johnstown | Redistricting Reform | | Legislative day for Fair Districts PA |
| Johnstown | STEM | Oct 2017 | STEM event |
| Johnstown | Redistricting Reform | | Helped with a Fair Districts info seminar |
| Johnstown | Redistricting Reform | | Contacted legislators for fair districts |
| Lansdale | Equal Pay | 10-Apr | Members participated in Equal Pay Day Lobbying and Rally at the Capitol on April 10, 2018. |
| Lansdale | Redistricting Reform | 17-Oct | Dr. Mark Schafer from Fair Districts PA was speaker |
| Lebanon Valley | Newspaper | 2-Nov | Latina Women can't wait for equal pay LTE in The Lebanon Daily News. |
| Lebanon Valley | Newspaper | 18-Jan | LTE opposing SB2 -- Education Savings Account vouchers |
| Lock Haven | Newspaper | 30-Dec | LTE opposing SB2 -- Education Savings Account vouchers |

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| Lock Haven | STEM | 2-Nov | Sponsored a panel featuring women in science, technology, engineering, and math. Co-sponsored by the College of Natural, Behavioral, and Health Sciences at Lock Haven University. The moderator was Jackie Whitling Dumm (AAUW member and professor of Chemistry). Panelists were Dr. Heather Bechtold (Biology), Dr. Loretta Dickson (Geology), Dr. Kelly Greenland (Physics alum, 2006), and Dr. Jacinth Maynard (Math). The audience was mostly students, AAUW members, and some community members. I think we had between 20-30 in the audience. |
| Lower Bucks | Equal Pay | 10-Apr | Members participated in Equal Pay Day Lobbying and Rally at the Capitol on April 10, 2018. |
| Lower Bucks | GOTV | 20-Sep | voter registration at Bucks County Community College |
| Lower Bucks | Redistricting Reform | 19-Oct | Lower Bucks, Makefield and NEMCO branches sponsored a public meeting with Fair Districts PA speaker at the Bucks County Community College |
| Lower Bucks | Title IX | 13-Jan | Program on Title IX |
| Makefield Area | Redistricting Reform | 19-Oct | Lower Bucks, Makefield and NEMCO branches sponsored a public meeting with Fair Districts PA speaker at the Bucks County Community College |
| NEMCO | Redistricting Reform | 19-Oct | Lower Bucks, Makefield and NEMCO branches sponsored a public meeting with Fair Districts PA speaker at the Bucks County Community College |
| North Hills Pittsburgh | Coalition Building | 9-Sep | Branch member, Lee Fogarty named Commissioner representing Pittsburgh to CEDAW (Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women; international treaty adopted in 1979 by the United Nations General Assembly) https://northhills-pa.aauw.net/public-policy/ |
| North Hills Pittsburgh | Coalition Building | 18-Jan | 18th Annual Celebrate the Dream -Martin Luther King, Jr. Unity Breakfast at La Roche College program and scholarship presentation in collaboration with North Hills Anti-Racism Coalition |
| North Hills Pittsburgh | Coalition Building | 30-Jan | "Girls Just Want to Have Civil Rights: How to be an Advocate & Ally in the Fight for Equity" A discussion with Anne Hedgepeth, Interim Vice President of Public Policy & Government Relations, AAUW |
| North Hills Pittsburgh | Coalition Building | 17-Sep | Branch is member of the International Day of Peace Celebration planning committee. This day was established in 1981 by the UN General Assembly and set annually for September 21 with the intention of having the entire world observe a full day of peace and nonviolence. The International Day of Peace Festival in North Park. |

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| North Hills Pittsburgh | Coalition Building | 20-Oct | Collation Building with League of Women Voters - Naturalization Ceremony and GOTV. AAUW NHP Francie Cech and Bobbie Hall attended the Naturalization Ceremonies acted as one of the first to "Welcome" newly sworn citizens. They were in the courtroom of the U.S. District Court in Pittsburgh. There were 49 new citizens from 29 countries. They helped new citizens to register to Vote and become acquainted with local elected officials by distributing Voter registration forms and Facts for Citizens Guides. |
| North Hills Pittsburgh | Equal Pay | 10-Apr | Equal Pay –Cindy Stewart planning a march/rally in front of La Roche College with both branch and AAUW Student Organization. Letters to the editor are also being planned. |
| North Hills Pittsburgh | GOTV | 19-Apr | Candidate forum jointly with Fox Chapel Area Democratic and Republican Primary Forum for Candidates for PA Senate District 38 and PA Legislative District 30 |
| North Hills Pittsburgh | GOTV | 29-Nov | Branch Meeting focused on Public Policy with Speaker: JON DELANO, discussing “Campaign 2018: Make or Break for Trump & the GOP?” |
| North Hills Pittsburgh | Other | 18-Mar | Presentation of Gateway to Equity Award Amanda Laichak, JA of W. PA VP Education for Commitment and Passion for Education |
| North Hills Pittsburgh | STEM | 12-May | STEM Savvy – combing workshops, hands-on learning & career sessions. North Hills Pgh. is supporting La Roche College with members volunteering at the event. |
| North Hills Pittsburgh | STEM | 2/18 – 5/18 | La Roche College – PR on STEM Savvy, emails to 250 teachers, 200 posters mailed to school, Remake Learning Website, Carnegie Science Center web this marking promoting STEM Savvy each stating that AAUW NHP is a supporting organization. |
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| Pittsburgh | Coalition Building | 30-Jan | “Girls Just Want to Have Civil Rights: How to be an Advocate & Ally in the Fight for Equity” A discussion with Anne Hedgepeth, Interim Vice President of Public Policy & Government Relations, AAUW |

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| Pittsburgh | Other | 4-Dec | Human Trafficking event with Carlow University. |
| State College | Economic Security | 20-Feb | Co-sponsor with Penn State Sustainability Institute and the Commission for Women. Screening of Zero Weeks (paid leave in PA) and panel discussion. |
| State College | Education | 6-Oct | Public event: Panel discussion on cyber schools |
| State College | Newspaper | 26-Jan | Op Ed opposing SB2 http://www.centredaily.com/opinion/article196964339.html |
| State College | Newspaper | 16-Apr | LTE in Lock Haven Express opposing SB2 |
| State College | Newspaper | 16-Apr | LTE in State College Centre Daily Times opposing SB2 |
| State College | Newspaper | 7-Oct | LTE promoting the Cyber Charter schools forum on October 7: http://www.centredaily.com/opinion/article172993181.html |
| State College | Other | 10-Oct | Public event: Presentation of Deeper in Debt research and panel discussion. |
| York | Equal Pay | 10-Apr | Members participated in Equal Pay Day Lobbying and Rally at the Capitol on April 10, 2018. |
| York | Newspaper | 10-Aug | LTE on importance of knowing your state legislators |
| York | Newspaper | 19-Apr | LTE in York Daily Record opposing SB2 |