

*AAUW American Association of University Women
Canton Branch February 2010*

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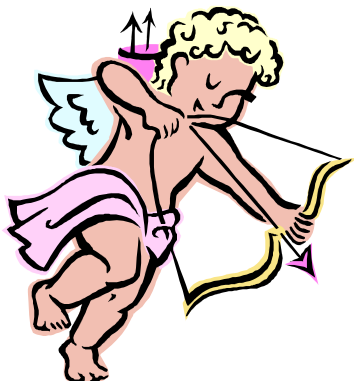
“ Movie Making in Massachusetts”

Thursday, February 11, 2010 **7:00PM****
Richard Rousseau (former CHS teacher)

Massachusetts – especially Greater Boston – has become a hot location for movies and tv shows. Film stars are frequently spotted enjoying Boston restaurants and shopping. Movie making has also become big business in the Bay State. Canton resident and former Canton High School teacher, Dick Rousseau, has been a part of this exciting scene for several years. Dick has appeared in *Spencer for Hire*, *27 Dresses*, *Bride Wars*, *Witches of Eastwick*, *Pink Panther 2*, and many other shows. On Wednesday, January 13 at the Canton Public Library, Dick will tell us what it's really like to audition and appear in a Hollywood film. He'll also tell us about the plans for a movie production studio and about what the state is currently doing to promote Massachusetts to film makers as an attractive location – both visually and financially.

Program Facilitator: Jane Valin

**Location: Canton Public Library, Community Meeting Room
Washington Street, Canton**



"I don't understand why Cupid was chosen to represent Valentine's Day. When I think about romance, the last thing on my mind is a short, chubby toddler coming at me with a weapon." ~Unknown

From the President's Desk

Greetings to all,

I hope many of you were able to take part in some of the activities that were planned for the month of January. Choices included the January meeting at the library when our own Jane Valin enlightened us with the inside info on the upcoming census. Annette and Pam arranged for a cultural visit to the theater. Finally, Louise once again arranged for a visit to Roche Brothers where many members honed their skills as floral designers. Thanks to all who did the behind the scenes work. I know everyone really appreciates your hard work.

Fortunately, our February meeting is NOT CANCELLED. Our original speaker is unable to come and we were able to find a replacement. A rabbit came out of the hat !!

As May will be here before we know it, try and take the time to plan your donation to our Fundraiser Raffle. If you already have some talent then maybe you can take a few extra minutes to start a project. If you know someone with a talent or a skill that would like to make a donation to our raffle, it's never too early to start.

See you soon...

Regards,

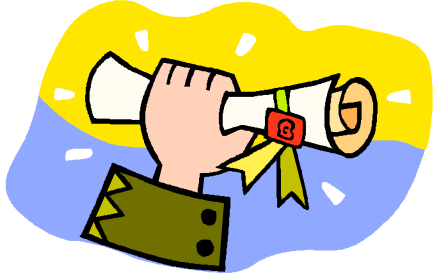
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SPRINGING AHEAD:

Something to look forward to: Our Annual Banquet ! Pencil in May 2nd for our combination fundraiser/annual banquet: a brunch at Raffael's in Walpole, featuring local authors ! There's more information within this issue.....

On a sadder note

Condolences: Our sympathies go out to Chris Clark, whose mother recently passed away.



Fundraising: Our Authors' Panel Brunch will be held on **Sunday, May 2, 2010 at 11 a.m. at Raffael's on Route 1A in Walpole.** Tickets are \$38.00 each and we can seat up to 100 people.

In order to raise scholarship funds, we need everyone's assistance. Could you

- Be responsible for the sale of 2 tickets or, if unable to attend, donate \$50?
- Help on one of the following committees ?

** Publicity: contact Ellen Quinn (781-828-2653)

** Ambassador: table assignment & greeting attendees: contact Lorraine Barry (781-828-7262)

** Raffle: collect raffle donations & sell tickets at the event: contact Barbara Murphy (781-344-0741)

- Donate something for the raffle (basket of goodies, restaurant gift certificate, object d'art) ?

We are depending on you for your support and appreciate your involvement and usual generosity.

Louise Scanlon-Oberg (781-828-3981)
Sue Giuliano (781-828-3158)

DATES TO REMEMBER

* **February 11 Thurs. Branch Monthly Meeting**

* **March 3 Weds. Board Meeting**

Deadline for Next Newsletter: March 4th

