

Los Gatos-Saratoga AAUW Program Calendar 2024-2025



Topic	Date and Time	Location	Description
The Latest Happenings in K-8 Education	October 5, 2024 1:30 p.m.	Saratoga Library. 13650 Saratoga Ave., Saratoga, CA 95070	Mora Barker, Assistant Superintendent of Education Services and Kristin Murphy, Principal, Saratoga Elementary will talk about the latest trends and challenges in K-8 education, including the impact of Covid, Transitional Kindergarten and other important topics.
Life Transitions and the Law	November 9, 2024 1:30 p.m.	Saratoga Library. 13650 Saratoga Ave., Saratoga, CA 95070	Janis Carney, CELA, attorney and founder of Widlast Legal is a specialist in elder law. She will talk about various issues and new laws concerning inheritance, residential care, and what you need to know.
Picture Bride, War Bride	January 25, 2025 1:30 p.m.	Saratoga Library. 13650 Saratoga Ave., Saratoga, CA 95070	Sonia Gomez, Ph.D., is an Assistant professor of US History at Santa Clara University. Her passion is understanding how race, ethnicity and gender have shaped migration and diasporic communities. This talk will focus on war brides and picture brides and how they shaped Japanese America.
An Adventure with Bunny Laden	February 22, 2025 1:30 p.m.	Saratoga Library. 13650 Saratoga Ave., Saratoga, CA 95070	Bunny Laden, Ph.D. is well known to our AAUW members. She's an extraordinary photographer and she and her husband have taken many unusual trips, including Sable Island, Antarctica (on a National Geographic ship) and many more. This talk will likely involve penguins, as Bunny is trying to photograph every species
Water – what should we know!	March 29, 2025 1:30 p.m.	Saratoga Library. 13650 Saratoga Ave., Saratoga, CA 95070	The San Jose Water Company, Kurt Elvert, will speak with us about all things related to water in Santa Clara County – it's purity, the processes, the public's responsibility, the price. (still finalizing the topics)

TBD	April 26, 2025 1:30 p.m.	Saratoga Library. 13650 Saratoga Ave., Saratoga, CA 95070	
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Note: At some point, we will add the date for the Author's Luncheon – later in the spring.