

Report of the Membership Treasurer 2022-2023

We had a very successful year this past year despite the effect of Covid on our and all volunteer organizations. This was primarily due to the constant work and attention given to our membership renewals and new member recruitment by Mary Scalise-Annis and Bonnie Auchincloss, our Membership Vice-Presidents.

We ended the year with 253 members and 9 free members for the upcoming year as a result of 3 years of not receiving credit for our numerous new members. This was a recurring issue that was finally resolved in recent months.

The new National AAUW member and renewal platform is coming along, and it appears that some changes are still to be made in the coming weeks. One change that seems to be permanent is that our renewals will begin to be annualized as of July 1, 2023. We are being told that anyone not renewing by June 30th this year will have a different renewal date after that time. We are hoping National will change back to the June 30th renewal date each year, but have no answer on that question.

Thank you all for your promptness in renewing and for your patience in learning our new branch renewal online process. While not everyone is using it yet, that is fine, and those who are have been getting their renewals done very quickly.

It has been my honor to represent you as your Membership treasurer and my term will end on June 30th, with Kathy Friedman taking over for the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

Sue Doyle, Membership Treasurer 2022-23