

**AAUW-NY ANNUAL MEETING**  
**June 24, 2023**  
**Membership Annual Report**  
**By**  
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We presently have 24 AAUW branches in NYS, the same number as reported last year. However, 2 branches have 10 members or less.

Each branch reported its numbers, totaling 1328 members in New York State. The June 2021-22 report indicated 1492, meaning we have 164 fewer members than previously.

In February 2022, National AAUW updated their computer system. Weekly help sessions, email and phone calls have assuaged many of the system issues. Prompt attention and response has improved local relations with National representatives.

Hybrid meetings and activities are necessary. There is a hunger for social interaction but there is caution regarding the unknown “bugs” still lurking and unidentified! Our branch activities are as varied as our members. A few conduct meetings totally on Zoom; a few are totally out and about.

Our majority of members is retired...and brings a wealth of experience along with education. We have drive and purpose. The goals set by National will embrace diversity... and increase our membership!

Each one needs to reach one, embracing those that are like us and those that add dimensions to our lives.