



December 2021 Newsletter

The American Association for Women in Community Colleges is the leading national organization that champions women and maximizes their potential at community colleges. Founded in 1973, AAWCC provides education, career development, and advancement to women educators and students at community colleges. As a council of the American Association of Community Colleges, AAWCC and its members are committed to equity and education of all women students at community colleges across the nation.

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AAWCC Holiday Silent Auction



Our Holiday Silent Auction Starts Tomorrow, December 7th, at 8:00 am!!

The AAWCC Silent Auction is a fund-raising event for the AAWCC Scholarships. All proceeds will go towards our LBCC students!

We will be emailing everyone the links to our Holiday Baskets/items as well as more pictures of all our wonderful donations this evening. So don't forget to check your email later tonight! More information about the auction can be found on our LBCC AAWCC webpage which can be found [HERE](#) later.

Auction Process:

- We will have pictures, descriptions, and estimated value of baskets available.
- We will have a Google bidding sheet for each basket.
- Bidders will place name, phone number and select bid amount on the bidding sheet.
- Donate 1.5x value and automatically win the selected basket.
- Highest bidder will win the item which will be calculated after 5:00pm.

Winners will be announced at our Wednesday, December 8th, General Meeting at 12:00 pm. [HERE](#) is the link to join us!

If you have any questions regarding our fundraiser, please email our AAWCC Executive Board at aawcc-lbcc-executive-board-lb@linnbenton.edu.

A little sneak peek at some of our awesome donated items and baskets we have up for auction!



Basket #9.



Basket #12



Basket #4.



Basket #7



Basket #8



Basket #5



Basket #10

Inspirational Quote of the Month

“A strong woman understands that the gifts such as logic, decisiveness, and strength are just as feminine as intuition and emotional connection. She values and uses all of her gifts.” – *Nancy Rathburn, Educator*

Great News about last month's Thanksgiving Food Drive!

Our AAWCC shared fundraiser/food drive with a committee of people from various positions at LBCC, provided food cards for 149 families, serving over 600 people. In addition to the approximate \$10,000 in food cards, we also provided 10lb bags of potatoes and a few frozen turkeys! Way to go LBCC!

Become a Member

The LBCC Chapter of the American Association of Women in Community Colleges cordially invites you to join us for a year filled with opportunities for personal growth, community service, and a whole lot of fun! This organization is open to all employees and students (both women and men) of LBCC. [Check out our webpage!](#)

Join others who have a firm commitment to creating equity and excellence in education and employment for women in community and technical colleges. An AAWCC membership offers women in the community college environment a national and local platform to further key issues. [Join Us!](#)



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