

# WSWU - April 2016

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## **NEWSLETTER • APRIL 2016**

### **Message from Carolyn Farrell**

The date for our final event of the academic year is approaching and we want you to be a part of it! **We would love to see you on Tuesday, April 19<sup>th</sup> at 10 a.m. for the Annual Meeting, followed by a Lecture and complimentary Light Lunch.** It is a day to welcome our new scholars, leadership award honorees, and new Board members. Don't miss what has proven to be a day of inspiration for all of us! We are delighted to have as our guest speaker, **Sharon Price John, CEO, Build-A-Bear Workshop, Inc.**

#### **Schedule:**

We encourage you to bring a friend and to give yourself a treat....make a day of it!

10 a.m. **Annual Membership Meeting**.....meet the scholars and leadership honorees

11:15 a.m. **Adele Starbird Lecture** with Sharon Price John, *CEO, Build-A-Bear Workshop, Inc.*

12:15 p.m. **Complimentary Light Lunch**

These events will be held in Emerson Auditorium and the adjoining area, Frick Forum of Knight Hall. RSVP at [sharon\\_britt@wustl.edu](mailto:sharon_britt@wustl.edu)

### **Elizabeth Gray Danforth Scholarship**

Over many years, members of the Women's Society of Washington University have raised funds to build the Elizabeth Gray Danforth Scholarship Endowment. We want to take this opportunity to thank each of you for your generous donations through the years! Your generosity allows the Women's Society to offer two full scholarships annually to worthy candidates who are applying to Washington University from the St. Louis Community College. In March, our current scholars enjoyed a delightful lunch hosted by Dr. Danforth and the Women's Society. Scholars, current and past, always express such gratitude to the Women's Society for giving them the opportunity to study at this renowned institution.....making their dreams come true.



*L to R Back Row: Gwendolyn Packnett, Beatriz Calvin, Scholar Justin Smith (junior), Kathy Pope, Carolyn Farrell  
L to R Front Row: Scholar Rachel Zink (senior), William Danforth, and Scholar Elie Mafolo (junior).*

**We need your help!**

While this year is winding down for most of our committees, the Education Committee is beginning to think about next year's lectures. We welcome your suggestions. Please email your ideas to the WSWU Office at [Sharon\\_Britt@wustl.edu](mailto:Sharon_Britt@wustl.edu)

With Warm Wishes,

Carolyn G. Farrell  
*President*

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