



Women's March
Saturday, January 20, 2018
AAUW Morgan Hill participation

AAUW Morgan Hill members and friends plan to join in this year's Women's March in San Jose, on the same day that marches are planned in cities and towns across the U.S. To register for the event, go to <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/womens-march-2018-san-jose-tickets-39716001630> Your registration is free and gives the San Jose March organizers an idea of how many people will participate.

[Margie Snively](#) and [Jenny Redfern](#) are organizing our AAUW MH participation. Please read the following plan and take action as needed.

- Friday, Jan. 19, 7 – 9 pm. Make a sign to carry in the March. Meet at the Countryside Clubhouse, 14900 Venetian Way, MH. We will provide some supplies, and you can bring your own poster board and markers. **RSVP to Margie margsnively@aol.com .**
- Saturday, Jan. 20, 7:45 am.
 - Going on your own? Meet other AAUW members in St. James Park in downtown San Jose before 11am and walk together to SJ City Hall. [Map of St. James Park.](#)
 - Carpoolers will meet in the VTA parking lot on Butterfield Avenue, across the tracks from the Caltrain station. **RSVP to womensmarch@aauwmh.org or call Jenny at 408-829-7522/leave a message.** We need to match cars and people because some people are staying in downtown San Jose after the March to attend "Menopause: The Musical". **Some will return right after the March ends, and some will stay downtown for the afternoon – choose your carpool accordingly.**
- Those who carpool will drive from the VTA lot to the LightRail station off Santa Teresa in South San Jose, park the cars, and take LightRail the rest of the way into and back from San Jose. Bring \$2 or your Clipper card for the 8-hour ticket. The LightRail map is [here](#).
- We will take LightRail to the St. James stop and meet up with other Santa Clara County AAUW members in St. James Park before proceeding to the March kick-off point near SJ City Hall.
- Wear your most comfortable walking shoes and layered clothing with a hood or hat. Bring a fanny- or backpack or shoulder bag and leave your purse at home. Bring your driver's license or ID, cell phone, \$ for LightRail ticket, water, hand wipes, a snack, and more \$ for a meal if you are staying downtown after the March.

- Use the “buddy system” – stay together with at least one friend. Make sure at least one other marcher has your cell phone number. We will try to stay together as a group, but the crowd may be enormous and energetic again this year.
- The March will begin near San Jose City Hall and end near the SAP Center. If you get lost, look for the AAUW table at the March event site in Cesar Chavez Plaza on Market Street between the Fairmont Hotel and the Tech Museum.

Last year’s March was a lot of fun – we met AAUW members from other branches, as well as friends and family from all over the county. Bring your enthusiasm and keep AAUW’s mission in mind while we march together. “Si se puede! Yes we can!”