

Women's Equality Breakfast:
95th Anniversary of the 19th
Amendment
August 29, 2015



Cherrie Wheaton, President of AAUW Greensboro heads the AAUW Greensboro Branch table of attendees, including Laura Tew, Mary Fran Schickedantz, Jane Terwillegar, Debra Richardson, Lena Murrill-Chapman, Sue Mengert, and Everlena Diggs.



Sue Mengert greets Mayor Nancy Vaughan at Women's Equality Breakfast sponsored by the City of Greensboro Commission on the Status of Women.



Congressional Update

The Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) 2015 is expected to be passed by Congress and signed into law by President Obama *sometime!* this fall, replacing the "No Child Left Behind Act." There are important amendments in support of Title IX assuring gender equity in education and STEM support in K-12 schools. Stay tuned and Take Action in support of the ESEA on the AAUW website:

<http://www.aauw.org/what-we-do/public-policy/aauw-issues/elementary-and-secondary-education-act/>

RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP

Over seventy-five members have renewed. Thank You!
We would love to have 100% solidarity and hope that you will consider joining or renewing your membership. Gift or invite others to join.
On-line:
<http://greensboro-nc.aauw.net/join-aauw/>

Contact Everlena Diggs
336-315-9880

September 2015

NOTES



**GREENSBORO
(NC) BRANCH**

**Elementary and Secondary
Education Act 2015 – AAUW
Congressional update**

**WOMEN'S EQUALITY DAY –
Perseverance was the theme**

**BERTHA STERNBERGER &
BENNETT COLLEGE
SCHOLARSHIP FUND BRUNCH**

**TRIAD TECH WOMEN – A NEW
NETWORKING ORGANIZATION**

Fall Events



**BERTHA STERNBERGER &
BENNETT COLLEGE
SCHOLARSHIP FUND BRUNCH**



AAUW Greensboro Branch member Margaret Curtis is a member of the College and University (C/U) Partnership Committee. Margaret, Sue Mengert, Cherrie Wheaton, Jane Terwillegar, Mary Fran Schickedantz, Marilyn Cotten-McMichael, Charlotte Divitci, Peggy Knox, Elaine Ostrowski, and Mary Ellen Shiflett attended the Bennett Scholarship luncheon hosted by Zuraw Financial Advisors at the Greensboro Country Club.

New Networking Opportunity

Triad Tech Women is a support, advocate, activist, and educational group for and in support of women who are and want to be in technical fields. We want to educate and enable girls and women to become interested in science fields and we advocate the widespread acceptance and respect of women who are or will someday work in those fields.

Saturday, September 26, 11 a.m.

HQ Greensboro, 111 West Lewis Street, 27406

<http://www.meetup.com/Triad-Tech-Women/>

Fall 2015 AAUW Greensboro Branch Programs and Events
Theme: *Connections to Collaborations*

Branch Programs

Tuesday, October 13, 6:00 p.m.

Congregational United Church of Christ,
400 West Radiance Dr.. 27403

Topic: "Food Insecurity in Greensboro"

Speaker: Merle Green, Director at the
Guilford County Dept. of Public Health
Program coordinated by Libby Haile and
Flossie Smith

Light refreshments by Mary Woodrow
and Branch hospitality committee

- FREE

Book Browsers

GUESTS WELCOME

Meeting Place: Kathleen Clay Edwards
Family Branch Library, 1420 Price Park
Road (off Hobbs Road), 27410

Meeting Time: 1:30-3:00 p.m.

September 14, 2015 – Bryson, Bill, "A
Walk in the Woods"

Will Carter from KCE Library, leader

October 5, 2015 – Kline, Christina Baker,
"Orphan Train"

Mary Woodrow, leader

Primary Election October 6

Public Policy committee recommends that
we prepare for October 6 primary
election by attending September 15
Lunch with the League of Women Voters
or consulting the Board of Elections
website:

<http://www.myguilford.com/elections/>

Fall Luncheon

Saturday, November 14, 11:00 a.m.

YWCA, 1807 East Wendover, 27405, near
Gatewood Avenue,

Event Chairperson: Mary Fran Schickedantz

Speaker: Congresswoman Alma Adams

Plated lunch by YWCA Hospitality

Cost – \$25 payable to AAUW Greensboro

Branch, PO Box 10754, Greensboro, NC
27404

Degrees Matter

Initiatives Promoting Higher Education

Thursday September 17, 9:30 a.m.

"Guilford Says Yes" event at Ragsdale High
School, 1000 Lucy Ragsdale Road,
Jamestown. 27282

RSVP guilfordsaysyes@gmail.com

Thursday, October 1, 9:30 a.m. – 4 p.m.

"North Carolina College Access and
Completion Convening" sponsored by the
John M Belk Endowment, Lumina
Foundation, and Degrees Matter!

Revolution Mill Event Center

900 Revolution Mill Drive

Greensboro, NC 27405

The convening will bring together policy
makers, educators, business leaders and
nonprofit leaders to showcase the many
"Islands of Excellence" and more
importantly to bring our collective work
closer together.

Cost \$25

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