

CULVER CITY STAR

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"Progressive Women:
Redefining Community
Service in the 21st Century"

My Dear NAUW Culver City Sisters,

We have one more month before we take our summer break. We have done a lot of mini-fundraisers this year to supplement our funds. The last fundraiser was on **Thursday, May 3rd, the Viejas Casino Trip.**

A big thank you goes out to all those who participated in the **Viejas Trip.** It was a great day and everyone seemed to enjoy themselves!

Although we didn't quite meet our quota, we still had enough people to make some extra money. The money is needed to send our delegates to the National Convention and also to ship the shoes to **Haiti. Second Vice President Carolyn Williams and Treasurer Kenya Dennis** did another outstanding job in organizing the event

The **National Convention** will be held in **Atlanta, Georgia, from July 31st to August 5th.** I hope that the **Culver City Branch** will be well represented at the Convention this year. Be sure to make your reservations early if you plan to attend.



Members can bring in their **flats or tennis shoes shoes for Haiti** at our May meeting. We should try to limit the weight of our packages to 44-45 pounds. Shipping rates are not cheap. As I previously indicated, the **Culver City Branch** bears the burden for shipping shipping the shoes to **Haiti.**

Haiti.

This year we have had many many activities, but we still need to have more programs focused on our students. We did not have a **Career Day** again this year. It has been several years since we have had a **Career Day or a or a Health Fair.** We should should not go another year year without having a major major activity for our students. We need a program that will incorporate incorporate the students in in our community. This is something that we can do. We merely need the students. Many of you are are teachers and should

have many connections in some of

the LAUSD schools. We need to work with another school in addition to the **Slauson Learning Center** so that we can reach additional students. We need to have more interaction with our youth.

This month we will celebrate **Memorial Day.** Let us remember to pay tribute to our veterans who have fought wars on behalf of the American people. We owe them all a debt of gratitude for their many sacrifices.

REMINDER: We will be meeting on **Sunday, May 20th,** at the **Normandie Senior Housing Center located at 6301 Normandie Avenue (at the corner of Gage and Normandie.)**

All profit portions are due. The profit portion per ticket is \$25 per unsold tickets. Even though we did much better this year in our fundraiser, we are still short of our \$5,000 goal.

Second Vice President Carolyn Williams and Treasurer Kenya Dennis are requesting that members who could not attend the **Viejas Trip** or sponsor someone else, are asking for a donation of **\$21** for our general funds. This will directly support our delegates at the **2012 National Convention**

God bless you all!!

Helen Ricks, President

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

May

Mildred Slaughter 5/13
Matteal & Willie Kirby 5/30



Members need to bring their membership cards to the May meeting in order to receive a current sticker. The sticker is needed to show that a member is financial in order to vote at the National Convention.

“There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free, there is neither male nor female; for you are all one in Christ Jesus .”

Galatians 4:28

Dates to Remember

**Sunday, June 10, 2012,
3:00 p.m. Culver City
Scholarship Reception**

Mailing Address:
NAUW Culver City Branch
P.O. Box 2524 Culver City
CA 90231-2524

**68th National Convention
Atlanta, Georgia**

**July 31 – August 5, 2012
Registration -\$299
(Postmarked by 6-30-12)
Late Registration \$325**

News articles are due by,
June 1, 2012, for the next
newsletter.

**Next Meeting Date:
May 20, 2012
Normandie Senior
Housing Center
Normandie & Gage**



**Hostesses For May
Claretha Graham
Mildred Kaufman
Matteal Kirby**

SICK AND SHUT-IN

Keep these members in your prayers. Alelia Akigbe recently lost her brother, Robert Barrett, in Connecticut. Dr. Mary Ellen Maddox not only lost her sister but she lost her oldest brother as well. Our 1st Vice President Mildred Slaughter lost her cousin, Joyce Coleman, on February 29th. She has another cousin,

Blondell, in the She needs your

Continuing prayers and encouragement are requested for the members: Dr. Hathaway, Ruthie Williams, Dr. Claretha Graham, and 2nd Vice President Carolyn Williams.

