

# CULVER CITY STAR

## CULVER CITY NAUW:

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### NATIONAL THEME:

"Women Moving Forward with  
Purpose and Pride"



## PRESIDENT'S CORNER

### My NAUW Culver City Sisters,

Greetings! Some of you have had the summer off, but many of us were still hard at work meeting over the summer months planning for our **45<sup>th</sup> Southwest Sectional Conference**. **The Culver City Branch will have the great honor to host the Sectional Conference**. I will have more to say about the Conference later. I hope that you enjoyed your time off and you are ready to come back re-energized and ready to hit the ground running – so be prepared.

The photo on this page is from our **June Scholarship Reception** with our three recipients.

I am happy to report that our **Immediate Past Sectional Director Audrey Jordan** is doing a lot better since her operation and is recuperating. Continue to pray for her complete recovery.

Although we have welcomed a new member, **Elnora Rodgers**, she will be officially inducted into our branch at our first meeting in September. We are happy to have



**Elnora** and look forward to working with her and getting her input and ideas. I need **Culver City Branch officers** to please wear white for this meeting.

As to the **45<sup>th</sup> Southwest Sectional Conference**, we will need **EVERY MEMBER** to work with us to make it a huge success. Our next **Sectional Planning Meeting will be held on Thursday, September 19<sup>th</sup> at the Trio Restaurant, at 6:00 p.m.** The restaurant is located at 3031 S. Figueroa Street. There is parking available behind the restaurant. All are invited to attend.

**The 45<sup>th</sup> Southwest Sectional Conference will be held at the Doubletree by Hilton Hotel in Torrance, California, on January 31-February 1, 2014. SAVE THE DATE.**

**Rooms will be available for \$99 per night.** And to save money, you can always share a room with a sister member. There is also free parking at the hotel and free Wi-Fi service available as well as a pool and a gym for your convenience. The **Culver City Branch** needs to have 100% participation from our membership.

Our next major event will be the **Southwest Sectional Membership Tea for all branches**. The Tea will be held at the **DWP Facility on Sunday, October 13<sup>th</sup>, 2013, from 2:00-4:00 p.m.**

**The regular October meeting will be held on the same date at 12:00 p.m. to approximately 1:30 p.m. to accommodate the Membership Tea.**

Blessings to you all,

*Helen Ricks, President*

## BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

### September

**Alelia Akigbe** 9/6  
**Kenya Dennis** 9/19  
**Dr. Claretha Grahan** 9/17

### Hostesses for September

**Helen Ricks**  
**Mildred Slaughter**  
**Ruthie Williams**

*“Then God said, ‘Let  
there be light,’ and  
there was light.”*

*Genesis 1:3*



## Dates to Remember

**45<sup>th</sup> Southwest Sectional  
Conference**  
**January 31- February 1, 2014**

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News articles are due by  
October 1, 2014, for the next  
newsletter.

**Membership dues are to be paid  
by September 30<sup>th</sup>. After  
October 1, there is a late fee.**



## SICK AND SHUT-IN

Please let us continue to  
keep **Evelyn Wright** and  
her family members lifted  
up in your thoughts and  
prayers. She recently lost  
her husband. Ongoing  
prayers for **Odessia**  
**Love**, who just suffered a  
stroke. She is in

Centinela Hospital in  
Inglewood. And keep  
**Matteal Kirby’s**  
**husband, Willie**, in  
prayer. He was recently  
in the hospital, but he is  
out and recuperating.

