



45th Southwest Sectional Conference

“Progressive Women Remaining Relevant in a Changing Society”

January 31-February 1, 2014

Doubletree by Hilton

21333 Hawthorne Blvd.

Torrance, California 90503

(310) 540-0500

HOST

Culver City Branch

Helen Ricks-President

Evelyn L. Wright: Sectional Director

Dr. Essie French- Preston : Lay Member

Dolores Y. Owens-National President

National Theme

“Women Moving Forward With Purpose & Pride”

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Hester Watkins, Herracia Brewer-Co Chairs

Dear Southwest Sectional Sisters,

The Culver City Branch is delighted to serve as your host for the 45th Southwest Sectional Conference to be held January 31st-February 1, 2014. I would like to extend my warmest greetings to each and every one of you. The members of the Culver City Branch (President and Co-Chairs Hester Watkins and Herracia Brewer) and our Sectional Director Evelyn Wright have been busy planning activities that will provide you with an invigorating and exciting experience. We have planned for an entertaining Friday night event, informative workshops, and plenty of vendors to shop till you drop. This Conference will be an opportunity to fellowship with NAUW Sisters from throughout the Southwest Section. It is a chance to make new friends and reconnect with old ones.

We look forward to seeing all of you at our 45th Southwest Sectional Conference. Be sure to invite your family and friends to our Scholarship Reception Dinner and special event on Friday night or the Founder's Day Luncheon on Saturday. They might enjoy the events, see how much fun we actually do have, and want to become a part of the National Association of University Women. Remember to save the dates.

Helen Ricks, President

Culver City Branch

Conference Hotel: Doubletree by Hilton 21333 Hawthorne Blvd. Torrance, California 90503

Single/Double \$ 99 plus tax Free Guest Parking, WIFI, local calls 310 & 424, and Shuttle from LAX to hotel.
Complimentary Fitness Center, Whirlpool and Business Center.

Hotel accommodations can be made directly by calling (310) 540-0500. Ask for NAUW SW Sectional Conf rate. This rate is available through **Jan. 16, 2014**. Check in 3:00 pm Check out 12 pm

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REGISTRATION FORM

Name _____ Branch _____

Address _____ City/Zip _____

Phone _____ email: _____

Check One: _____ Delegate _____ Alternate _____ Sectional Officer _____ National Officer

_____ 1st Time Attendee _____ Member (non delegate)

_____ Early Bird Registration: Nov. 15-Dec. 1, 2013 \$ 160

_____ Regular Registration Dec.2-Jan. 14, 2014 \$ 165 **NO REFUNDS FOR NO SHOW**

_____ Late Registration: Jan.15-Jan.30, 2014 \$ 170

_____ On Site: Jan. 31-Feb.1 \$ 175 plus processing fee **(credit/debit cards only)**

Registration Includes: Conf. Materials, Fri. Dinner, Sat. Sectional Directors Breakfast and Founder's Day Luncheon

Indicate your preference for Vegetarian Meal: **__ Fri. Dinner (salmon) __ Sat. Breakfast __ Sat. Luncheon (chicken)**

EXTRA TICKETS (indicate number of tickets)

Friday “Harlem Renaissance” _____ Vegetarian Meal _____ tickets @ \$ 55 ea= Total _____

Sat. Sectional Directors Breakfast _____ Vegetarian Meal _____ tickets @ \$ 27 ea= Total _____

Sat. Founder's Day Luncheon _____ Vegetarian Meal _____ tickets @ \$ 40 ea= Total _____

Registration & Extra Tickets Grand Total Enclosed: _____

Make Branch Check, Money Orders Payable to: NAUW Culver City Branch OR utilize the NAUW Pay Pal Account

Click Here for PayPal:



Mail Registration Form & Money to: NAUW Culver City Branch

ATTENTION: Kenya Dennis

P.O. Box 2524

Culver City, CA 90231-2524

THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN

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Conference Souvenir Ad Journal

Deadline January 7, 2014

The Souvenir Journal Committee is pleased to prepare this publication for the 45th Southwest Sectional Conference. The souvenir journal is a great way to connect with other branches, greet sectional and national members as well as businesses in the community while supporting the efforts of the conference. Please review the attached price list and make your selection. The souvenir journal will be 8 ½ X 11.

| AD SIZE | COST | AMOUNT PAID |
|---------------------------------|-------------|--------------------|
| Back Cover Page | \$170.00 | _____ |
| Back Inside Cover Page | \$150.00 | _____ |
| Full Page Color (color picture) | \$120.00 | _____ |
| Full Page Black and White | \$100.00 | _____ |
| Half Page | \$ 60.00 | _____ |
| Quarter Page | \$ 40.00 | _____ |
| Business Card | \$ 15.00 | _____ |

Add \$10 for all photos

Last Name _____ **First Name** _____

Business Name _____

Address _____

City _____ **State** _____ **Zip** _____

Telephone _____ **email:** _____

Please email camera ready ad to: Herracia Brewer at ellohim@sbcglobal.net . If email is not convenient, please mail the completed form and camera ready ad to the address below. Please print name on all photos.

Mail your certified check, branch check or money order to:

NAUW Culver City Branch

ATTENTION: Herracia Brewer

P.O. Box 2524

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SUBMISSION DEADLINE: JANUARY 7, 2014

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Tentative Schedule of Conference Events

Friday, January 31, 2014

(Attire: Appropriate for Branch Presentation)

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| Registration & Hotel Check-in | 12:00 pm-6:00pm |
| Executive Committee Meeting (Business Casual) | 3:00 pm-5:30pm |
| Vendors | 1:00 pm-10:00pm |
| “Harlem Renaissance” Scholarship Dinner | 7:00 pm-11:00pm |

Saturday, February 1, 2014

(Attire: Green & White Necrology Participants: White)

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| 7:00 am-8:30 am | Sectional Directors Breakfast |
| 8:00 am-9:00 am | Registration & Hotel Check-in |
| 8:45 am-10:45 am | Opening Session |
| 10:45 am-11:45 am | Workshops |
| 11:45 am | Group Photo |
| 12:30 pm-2:30 pm | Founder’s Day Luncheon |
| 3:00 pm-5:00 pm | 2 nd Plenary |
| Adjournment | |

EXPERIENCE THE HARLEM RENAISSANCE



Billie Holiday



Duke Ellington

This was a time of cultural and creative explosion for the African American Community

JOIN THE SOUTHWEST SECTION AND “STRUT ‘YO STUFF” TO

Dances like the Charleston, Black Bottom, Lindy Hop, Jitterbug, Jelly Roll, Cake Walk, Shimmy, Foxtrot, Waltz and Tango

Put your branch creativity to work as you

PREFORM AT THE WORLD FAMOUS COTTON CLUB!



Bessie Smith



The sky is the limit

Combine DRAMA, PROSE and COMEDY AS you sing and dance to songs like “Sweet Georgia Brown” “Diahna”, “Bye Bye Blackbird”, “Honeysuckle Rose”, “Ain’t Misbehavin’”, “The Man I Love”, “Blue Skies”, “What Is This Thing Called Love?”

SEE YOU ON STAGE!

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COMMITTEE CHOICE

PLEASE CHOOSE ONE COMMITTEE

EVALUATIONS_____

RECOMMENDATIONS_____

RESOLUTIONS_____

TIME AND PLACE_____

FINANCE_____

WORKSHOPS

EACH MEMBER WILL ATTEND TWO WORKSHOPS. THE FIRST WORKSHOP WILL BE FOR ALL ATTENDEES. PLEASE CHOOSE ONE WORKSHOP FROM THE LIST BELOW FOR YOUR SECOND WORKSHOP. THEY WILL RUN CONCURRENTLY.

FIRST TIME ATTENDEE_____

PARLIAMENTARY PROCEDURES_____

NAUW PROTOCOL_____

SAFEGUARD YOUR COMPUTER ON SOCIAL MEDIA_____