

BRANCH MISSION STATEMENT:

The Riverside Branch of the American Association of University Women, a friend to education, sponsors programs and activities that support the intellectual and personal development of its members and of the community, with particular emphasis on women and girls.

BRANCH MEETINGS:

- Fall Tea** – Sunday, October 4, 2009, 2:00 PM
Program: Story of Riverside Family Sabbatical In Ethiopia
- October Meeting** – Monday, October 26, 2009, 6:30 PM
Program: Alternatives For Funding Education *Featuring:* Ralph Martire
- Holiday Tea** – December 6, 2009, 2:00 PM
Program: Lillian Rose Reasor, Harpist Extraordinaire
- Annual Chili Supper** – Monday, February 22, 2010, 6:00 PM
Program: The Theater of Nature: Birds
- Annual Meeting** – Monday, April 19, 2010, 7:00 PM
Program: Putting it All Together: The Creative Woman’s Dilemma
- Spring Tea** – Sunday, May 23, 2010, 2:00 PM
Program: ‘Friend to Education’ Awards

INTEREST GROUPS:

- Happenings** – Meets throughout the year for a variety of outings, e.g. tours, dining, and theatre trips, etc.
- In-Betweens** – Meets two to three times per year on topics of interest to the community.
- Lampighter Network** – Meets for an informal breakfast on selected Saturdays throughout the year.
- Literature Group** – Meets on the second Tuesday of each month throughout the year.

PHILANTHROPY:

The branch sponsors local awards in support of education including:
 Women’s History Month posters (4th graders) & essays (7th graders)
 Ann Willard Scholarship(s) (12th-grade girls)
 Returning-to-Learning Grant (any age woman)
 The branch also raises funds for AAUW’s Educational Foundation (EF) and Legal Advocacy Fund (LAF).

FUNDRAISING ACTIVITIES:

- Annual Sale of Aunt Diana’s Fudge – September, October & November 2009
- Jewel/Osco Shop N’ Share Days – October & December 2009 and March 2010
- Annual Chili Supper – Tickets available in January through February 22, 2010
- Newsletter Ads – Available for purchase September 2009 to March 2010

**FOR GENERAL BRANCH INFORMATION OR NEWSLETTER ADS,
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