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Dear Branch Presidents:

Thanks so much for your leadership! AAUW really “happens” at the local level and it is your efforts that are so important to advance “education and equity for all women and girls.”

As you know, AAUW NC has been trying to refocus on things that matter most to the branches. This is just a reminder that you are an important part of that change, and I’m asking for a few minutes of your time to review the following:

North Carolina

***Mini-Grant Deadline: December 12***

This fall, AAUW NC awarded mini-grants to Brevard and Greensboro for community action projects. The next deadline is December 12, and we encourage your branch to apply. See the enclosed brochure and application for more information.

***2005-06 Recognition Program***

Before the craziness of the holidays hits, please take a few minutes to jot down your branch’s accomplishments this calendar year. We’ll be asking again for a report that will help educate the AAUW NC board on the strengths and challenges of the branches. In particular, what are your branch’s goals and what strategies have you found most successful in meeting those goals?

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***AAUW NC 100 Club***

The 100 Club, started in 2004, has been important to the financial health of AAUW NC and you are encouraged to consider a donation (as an individual, a group or the branch). Financial contributions can be used to honor an individual. In addition, those who join through a “contribution of time” – 100 hours to AAUW at any level – are extremely important. Again, please do jot down your personal efforts for AAUW and plan to submit your membership application!

All of these programs are designed to recognize and document the efforts of the branches. Please do consider participating to help strengthen AAUW NC and maintain the cycle so the state can help strengthen the branches. If you have comments or suggestions, do send them on!

<http://www.aauwnc.org>

Sincerely,

Nancy Shoemaker