

Celebration!

- We have a new branch! High Country, under the leadership of Elizabeth Laney and Peggy Pearson, has reached the “15 member” milestone and submitted their paperwork to the Association. Congratulations and Welcome!
- North Carolina was recognized as one of the top 10 states in two EF giving categories for 2005: per capita donations and per cent increase in total amount. Congratulations to Rusty Bradke and all those in the branches who worked so hard for EF!
- Millie Hoffler-Foushee has been appointed to the AAUW Finance Committee. Congratulations to her and thanks for her willingness to assume this very important position.
- An updated and modified version of the Web Tour presented at the AAUW NC 2005 convention was very well received at both the regional meeting in Birmingham and the Conference of State Leaders in DC. You’ll find the tour at <http://wiki.bbvx.org>.
- AAUW NC succeeded in getting a reference to the Leandro decision (discussed at our state convention) into the Agenda that NC Women United members presented to the legislators in June. Watch for more on this from the Advocacy group.
- The Brevard branch’s book sale raised more than \$31,000!
- Sandhills/Southern Pines is celebrating the 20th anniversary of the Ruth Pauley Lecture Series, an important contribution to lifelong learning in the community.