



## Please pass the word

Who would be interested in this new branch?

- Busy women who may be involved in other organizations but who want AAUW's information and want to show their commitment to equity and education for women and girls.
- Those far from a branch who would like to use AAUW's name in a project, without the overhead of starting a branch.

A membership in this branch is a great gift idea! Think of those who live the AAUW mission but who would not join a community-based branch. Is now the time to introduce them to AAUW?



While men are welcome as members of branches, this "at-large" membership may fit their lives better and keep them in the conversation that will affect their wives, daughters, mothers, and friends.

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## Announcing the AAUW Tar Heel Branch

A new, flexible way to join the community of  
100,000 members nationwide and  
1500 members in North Carolina  
to  
**advance equity for women and girls**

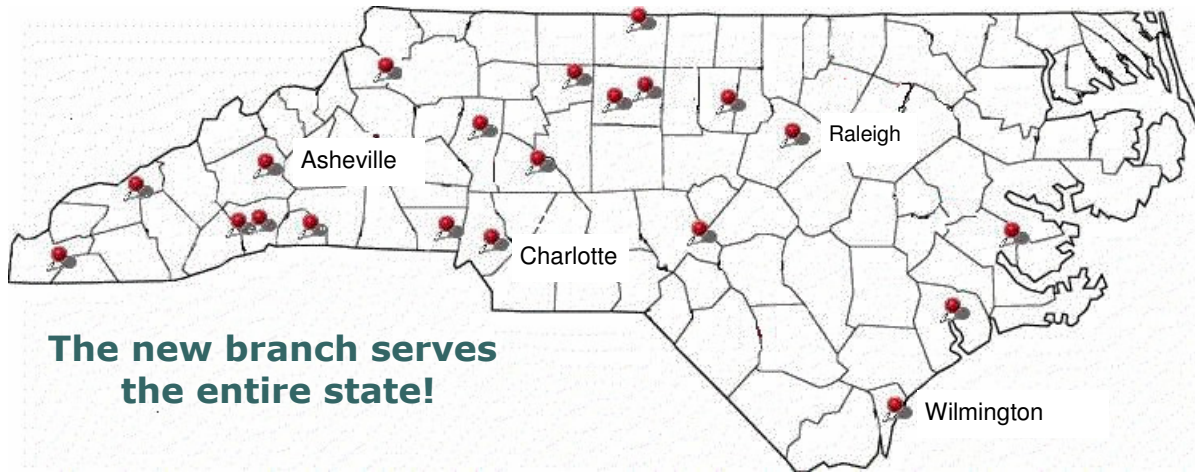
**Learn more...**



## Current branch locations

For more details on all branches, see [www.aauwnc.org/branches/](http://www.aauwnc.org/branches/)

Join Now!



**The new branch serves the entire state!**

## Announcing a new branch

AAUW of North Carolina has established a new branch to serve the entire state. If you live near one of the communities noted on the map, please do check out the branch in your area. However, if you're based in one of the areas in between the current branches, or you have decided that participation in a community-based branch is not right for you at this time of your life, consider affiliating with the AAUW Tar Heel branch, a **branch without borders**.

## What's new?

The branch will have a very simple structure and will piggyback on the state structure for some of its functions.

You can expect no more than one formal meeting a year, with ways to participate without actually attending the meeting.

Dues will be kept low, approximately the cost of joining the state organization.

With a commitment similar to an at-large member of the national organization, members will have the additional satisfaction of supporting AAUW in North Carolina.

## What are the benefits?

In addition to the national benefits, you

### Get connected to the state organization

- Get advocacy information about what's going on in Raleigh, not just DC.
- Support or apply for AAUW NC mini-grants for community projects.
- Support coalition partners such as NC Women United, NC Voters for Clean Elections, and the NC Coalition on Aging.
- Get all AAUW NC publications and information about state projects and the efforts of the community-based branches.
- Get access to the member section of the AAUW NC web site with directories of AAUW leaders across the state.

### Get connected to AAUW members near you

- You'll have access to the branch roster and can find others near you who may wish to have an occasional event, project or fundraiser using AAUW's name. For example, take an issue to your local school board or march in the local MLK parade.
- Community branches will be able to contact you about their special events and issues.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Highest Degree/Field/Institution/Year awarded (or expected) \_\_\_\_\_

AAUW member ID (current/recently lapsed member) \_\_\_\_\_

### Dues Schedule (1/1/09—3/15/09)

Dues/fees are based on the annual amounts charged for individual members of AAUW (\$49) and AAUW North Carolina (\$11).

Please check one	Dues
<input type="checkbox"/> Current AAUW NC Member*	\$0
<input type="checkbox"/> Current AAUW member-at-large or branch member outside NC**	\$5.50
<input type="checkbox"/> New AAUW member (now to 6/30/09, half-year dues)	\$30.00
<input type="checkbox"/> New AAUW member (now to 6/30/10, 18 month dues—best value)	\$65.50

Students—write [info@tarheel.aauwnc.org](mailto:info@tarheel.aauwnc.org) to check on eligibility for the new free e-student affiliate program.

Make check payable to "AAUW Tar Heel Branch" and send to:

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See online signup at <http://tarheel.aauwnc.org>

\*Dues/fees paid to an AAUW NC branch for 08-09.

\*\* At-large or branch membership expiring in 2009. Will set expiration date to 6/30/09.