



## Los Alamos Branch AAUW Summer 2011

**Fall Brunch**  
**Saturday, September 10, 2011**  
**11:00 a.m.**  
**Bethlehem Lutheran Church**

**National Election:** All members can vote in the AAUW national election. If you choose to e-mail your ballot, the deadline is 6/17/11. [aauw.org](http://aauw.org). Your membership number and Pin number can be found on the ballots that were mailed via the US Post Office from national.

### Branch News

Angela Coop, Beverly Cooper, Susan Oldham and Rozelle Wright were presented with an AAUW Funds award at the Spring Tea. Our branch is extremely grateful for all their contributions to the successful functioning of our organization.

If you wish to help with the **Lets Read Math** programs this summer the dates are June 29 at the White Rock Library and July 18 at Mesa Public Library. To help contact Natalie or Helena Whyte.

### Newsletter Naming Contest:

Put on your thinking caps – creativity rewarded. Our branch newsletter deserves a name. Submit your suggestion(s) by August 15<sup>th</sup> to Denise at [georgeje@acm.org](mailto:georgeje@acm.org). The council will select three submissions as finalists and the membership will be asked to vote on their preference among the three. The prize will be a free year of branch membership. The winner will be announced at the fall brunch.

### July1 is the deadline for paying dues:

Rozelle Wright, our treasurer thanks all of you who have paid your dues – you may skip to the next sections. For those who need reminding:

DUES:

national	\$49
state	\$12
branch	\$10

For most of us, dues are \$71.

If you are an AAUW member at large, or a life member, or a member of a non-New Mexico branch, your dues are \$22.

Honorary life members pay no dues.

If you are a member of another NM AAUW branch and wish to be a dual member, your dues are \$10.

Checks should be made out to AAUW Los Alamos. Mail it to:

Treasurer, Los Alamos AAUW  
P O Box 272  
Los Alamos, NM 87544

*\$46 Of THE NATIONAL AAUW DUES ARE DEDUCTIBLE AS CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTIONS FOR FEDERAL TAX PURPOSES.*

### Study Groups:

Here are some more dates for your calendar  
August 16, 7:30 p.m. Book group planning meeting at Rozelle Wright's.

September 12, 7:30 Book group meeting, summer book is Major Pettigrew's Last Stand by Helen Simonson. The reviewer is Angela Coop.

September 19, Non-fiction book group, The Great Divorce, b.y Ilyon Woo. The reviewer is Rozelle Wright.

## THE RECIPE CORNER – by Dorothy Shaner

### Strawberries with Strawberries

This recipe is from a 1970s NYT Sunday Magazine article by Craig Claiborne and Pierre Franey. It was oriented around a low-fat/calorie meal.

You can make any amount, but this amount serves 4 generously.

4 cups of the nicest strawberries you can find  
1/3 cup of sugar (verifine or caster sugar is best)

Measure out 2 cups of the berries, using the “least nice” ones – perhaps not totally ripe or with soft spots. Hull these, halve or quarter depending on size and combine in Cuisinart with 1/3 cup of sugar to make a thick sauce.

Refrigerate separately the berry sauce and the other two cups of berries, not yet hulled.

A couple of hours before serving, hull remaining berries and combine with sauce. Re-chill.

Serve with mint in a pretty glass bowl.

The leftover sauce keeps and you can add more berries to it for family.

Let me know if you like this. If so, I have another (more caloric) strawberry recipe.

### Branch Calendar

June	29	Lets Read Math, White Rock.
July	18	Lets Read Math, Mesa Public
August	16	Book Group planning meeting
Sept	10	Fall Brunch
Sept	12	Book Group
Sept	19	Non-fiction book group

**Coordinating Council for 2010-2011**(on July 1 Judy Prono will take over AAUW Funds and Rozelle Wright will take over Membership in addition to Treasurer. Alahna Weller and Helena Whyte will be leaving the council. )

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