

Branching Out

AAUW Ballwin–Chesterfield (MO) Branch

National and State Award-Winning Branch

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****Ballwin-Chesterfield board/branch meetings are cancelled when the Parkway or Rockwood districts have an inclement weather closing.****

Presidents' Corner



Marcia Block

I spent some of my time during the recent snowfall perusing the AAUW website. I was amazed at the variety and depth of information I found. It made me think of a quote from Charles Schulz, creator of the *Peanuts* comic strip. "Life is like a ten-speed bike. Most of us have gears we never use." I know that applies to me and maybe to some of you. If it's not too late, I'd like to challenge all of us to make a resolution to use more gears in furthering our mission of gender equity.



Jean Elliott

Get informed, join, take action, donate—these are all gears we can start using. The AAUW website has the latest research, interesting articles, and information on ways to help women and girls achieve economic security, better educational opportunities, and access to more leadership roles. Locally, join a committee,

such as STEM, which will be busy with activities in March or April, or Public Policy, which pursues grass roots efforts to break down barriers for women. Sponsor a Dollars for Scholars activity to raise funds for college tuition for non-traditional women. Decide to accept a leadership position. You will find it rewarding and not nearly as scary as you might think.

Celebrate yourself. Share your talents with the branch in a new way this year. GEAR UP! And never underestimate your worth.

~Jean Elliott,
Co-president

The next board meeting will be February 7 at 9:30 a.m. All elected and appointed officers should attend. Contact Jean Elliott (elliotts01@sbcglobal.net) if you cannot attend.

February Branch Meeting

Thursday, February 14

Trinity Lutheran Church

**14088 Clayton Road at Woods Mill Rd.
Chesterfield, MO 63017**

8:45 a.m.—Social Time & Signups

9:30 a.m.—Business Meeting

10:30—Program 11:30 a.m.—Adjourn

Thomasina Clarke

Mary Thomas Speaks Her Life

Ms. Clarke is an acclaimed actress, director, educator, singer and videographer/editor in St. Louis. Her performance tells the story of Mary Thomas, a 40-year old African woman who, in 1848, was stolen from her family and brought to America at the age of eight to live the life of a slave.

Travel back in time as Mary tells us about life in her village before capture, what she endured crossing "the great water," and being forced into slavery upon reaching this continent. She talks about her all-consuming, ever-aching desire to own this "thing" called freedom, and the opportunities and obstacles to acquire it. As an audience, we learn that Mary becomes a professional seamstress, and how making clothes introduced and connected her to women who created change in the world. Mary will also sing and explain the meaning of the songs that helped fortify her to take those first steps toward freedom.

Hospitality

Coordinating Hostess: Lorna Anderson

Hostesses: Marcia Block, Janice Buckhold, Elaine Frost, Becky Kaley, Joyce Katz, Eileen Lesevoy, Cay Noble, Linda Seibert, Sage Taber, Mary Kay Wolfe

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- The *Branching Out* newsletter is published ten times annually. The deadline for submissions to the March newsletter is February 12, unless otherwise specified by the department co-editor. Send news items to Sandy Brody (sandybrody163@gmail.com). Send DFS notices to Joan Davis (jmdavis@pstcc.edu) and send Interest Group information to Jean Light (jh1234@charter.net).
- The branch website is Ballwinchesterfield-mo.aauw.net/. Web Manager Joyce Katz posts announcements on Facebook at Ballwin-Chesterfield Branch of AAUW. "Like" the page to receive updates.
- Contact Membership Vice-Presidents Mersine Kallaos (mkallaos@prodigy.net) and Angela Janik (amjanik53@gmail.com) for membership information.
- To submit an item to Care Notes, contact Joan Reed (j6a8r1@aol.com) or Joyce Katz (joycekatz44@gmail.com).
- For phone numbers and mailing addresses of branch members, check the branch *Directory*.

AAUW Ballwin-Chesterfield Board

ELECTED OFFICERS

Co-Presidents: Marcia Block & Jean Elliott

VP Program: Sage Taber & Mary Jermak

VP Membership: Mersine Kallaos & Angela Janik

Finance Officer: Pat Shores

Secretary/Archivist: Sue Lancaster

Ex-Officio Immediate Past President: Sandra Murdock

ELECTED DIRECTORS

Educational Opportunities Fund: Marian Bauer & Judy Stagoski

Legal Advocacy Fund: Doris Nistler & Julie Triplett

Public Policy: Eve LaJeunesse & Karen Francis

APPOINTED DIRECTORS

Branch Fundraising: Marcia Block & Jane Miller

Web Manager: Joyce Katz

Directory: Joan Hewitt & Ann Patrice O'Shaughnessy

Dollars for Scholars: Susie Teicher & Marilyn Fletcher

Governance: Marsha Weppelman

Hospitality: Pat White & Linda Roberson

Newsletter Editors: Sandy Brody, Joan Davis, & Jean Light

Special Events

Fall Brunch: Susan Fenwick, Barb McQuitty, & Linda Roberson

Spring Luncheon: Carol Anthony & Jane Hemer

STEM: Carol Greenaway & Barb McQuitty

Standing committee chairs are listed in the *Directory*.

AAUW ¡Adelante!

4th Thursday, February 28, 1:30 p.m.

Barnes and Noble, 1600 Clarkson Rd., Chesterfield

Lorna Anderson will review *Fly Girls: How Five Daring Women Defied All Odds and Made Aviation History* by Keith O'Brien. For further information, please contact Julie Triplett (julietrip2428@gmail.com).

Meet and Eat Group/IBC Lunch

3rd Tuesday February 19 11:45 a.m.

The Frisco Barroom, 8110 Big Bend Blvd., Webster Groves, MO For further information or to RSVP, please contact Kay Meyer (kicmeyer51@gmail.com).

2018 It's a Party! Income and Expense

The Ballwin-Chesterfield Winter Party was an exceptional event and a successful fund raiser for the Operating Fund. Here are the financial highlights:

Reservations	\$ 3,825.00
Lunch Resale	\$ 26.00
Callier Tip	\$ 25.00
Donations	\$ 590.90
Let's Make A Deal	\$ 4,678.00
Square Charges	\$ 553.34
Bingo	\$ 152.00
Boutique	\$ 1,518.00
Dead or Alive	\$ 18.00
Interest Groups	\$ 295.00
Lotto Board	\$ 270.00
Poinsettia	\$ 80.00
Pot O Gold	\$ 189.00
President's Raffle	\$ 625.00
Wine/Mimosa	\$ 435.00
Total Income	\$ 13,280.24
Minus Total Expense	\$ 2,483.52
B-C Profit	\$ 10,796.72

~Patricia Shores, Finance Officer

Upcoming Events

IBC Spring Fling Luncheon

Saturday, March 23, 2019

The Highlands Golf and Tennis Club

5163 Clayton Road in Forest Park

Registration begins at 10:30 a.m.

AAUW St. Charles is in charge of the luncheon fundraiser, a treasure chest raffle. Ballwin-Chesterfield will participate by filling three treasure chest boxes for the fundraiser. This program includes lunch, students sharing NCCWSL experiences, and the Barbara Lackritz Award.

Equity Action Day

April 16

Contact Karen Francis (karenbitzfrancis@yahoo.com)

AAUW Mo Annual Meeting

May 4 Columbia, MO

Spring Directory Supplement

Planning has begun for the March Directory Supplement. It will contain contact information for members who joined since the publication of the December Supplement. It will also contain updates for existing members since the last supplement was published.

The deadline for sending updates is Friday, March 15. If you do not have a photo in the Directory, please email one to Ann Patrice at the email address listed below. All other updates should be sent to Ann Patrice O'Shaughnessy (annpatriceo@gmail.com) and Joan Hewitt (joanhewitt@sbcglobal.net).

~Joan Hewitt & Ann Patrice O'Shaughnessy,
Co-directors, Directory

2019 International Relations Series

AAUW B-C joins with the Tuesday Women's Association of the Ethical Society on the second Tuesday of each month, from January through April, to present four free lectures to the community on aspects of international relations. Gather at 10 a.m. for coffee and social time. Attendees are invited to bring a bag lunch and stay afterwards to further discuss the topic. The International Relations Lecture Series project has a new website, which can be found at <https://lectureseries.org/>.

February 12 10:45 a.m.
The Ethical Society, 9001 Clayton Road 63117

Fake News, Social Media and the Impact on Freedom of the Press

Speaker: Kevin Horrigan

Kevin Horrigan, a long time St. Louis journalist, recently retired as deputy editorial page editor and Sunday op-ed columnist for the *St Louis Post-Dispatch*, where he spent most of his professional career. During his 40+ year career as a journalist, he served as reporter, editor, opinion writer, and columnist. In 1983 Mr. Horrigan joined the *St. Louis Sun*, after which he launched his 10-year career as a radio talk show host at KMOX and KTRS. He returned to the *Post-Dispatch* in 2000 as an editorial writer and columnist. Many of us are familiar with his keen observations and savvy wit and still miss his weekly contributions on subjects both national and international.

The public is cordially invited to hear this informative and entertaining 45 or 50-minute lecture which will be followed by a question and answer period. There is no fee, but all contributions are greatly appreciated.

In case of inclement weather, you may call 314-991-0955 ext. 224. The Ethical Society has a heated driveway.

Program Committee Meeting

The Program Committee will have its annual meeting immediately after the February 14 branch meeting. Any member interested in being on the committee, or who has an idea for a speaker for next year, is welcome to attend. You may also contact Sage Taber (sagemo@aol.com) or Mary Jermak (marygiermak@att.net) with your suggestions. Thank you.

Named Gift Honoree Nominations

The Named Gift Honoree Committee invites Ballwin-Chesterfield members to submit nominations for Named Gift Honorees to be recognized in May. Members should start considering who they would like to nominate from our branch. One or more members may be selected as the Outstanding Branch Member in addition to Named Gift Honorees.

Deserving 2019 Named Gift Honoree nominees shall be considered on the basis of their service, leadership, and significant commitment to the AAUW mission and the branch. One individual may be chosen for each \$500 the AAUW Ballwin-Chesterfield Affiliate (branch) has contributed to the AAUW Fund.

Nominations must be received by the branch meeting on March 14. There are so many wonderful members qualified for this honor; we hope you will nominate someone. Nomination forms for 2019 are available on the branch website. The members chosen by the branch will be recognized at the May 9 Spring Luncheon.

Please submit nominations to Branch Honoree Committee Chair Sandra Murdock (sesandram@aol.com), or you may postal mail the applications to Sandra at the address listed in the Directory.



EOF

At the January meeting Ballwin-Chesterfield members had the opportunity to meet and greet one of our scholarship awardees. Stephanie Niesen, a senior at UMSL, attended the meeting and spoke to the membership about her studies and plans. Stephanie is pursuing a Bachelor's degree in Mechanical Engineering. She was most happy to meet many of the members who shared their experiences with her.

We have four other women whom we support with scholarships; two from Maryville and two from UMSL. Your constant support of Dollars for Scholars provides the funds for these important scholarships. Thank you for attending and sponsoring these events.

~Marian Bauer and Judy Stagoski,
Co-directors, EOF

LAF

January was Human Trafficking Awareness Month. During this month you heard and saw information about this issue in the media. The St. Louis Law Enforcement Trafficking Task Force prepared a public service announcement (PSA) which made us more aware of the extent of the problem in our area, and several of the local television and radio stations devoted programs to this subject.

According to Polaris, a human trafficking advocacy organization, Missouri currently has the 17th most human trafficking cases reported in the country. Statistics are often misleading since it is hard to be accurate where the issue is often hidden and victims fail to report the problem themselves.

Some factors leading to sex trafficking in the St. Louis area are location, social media, poverty, dysfunctional homes, and juveniles recruiting other juveniles. Labor trafficking includes industries such as landscaping, healthcare, nail salons and beauty services, construction, agriculture, and domestic services. Law enforcement agencies face a great many challenges in controlling trafficking issues and say that more resources would be helpful.

AAUW states that human trafficking disproportionately affects women and girls. It states that 71 percent of trafficking victims are women and girls, and that 72 percent of female victims are trafficked for sexual exploitation. What can we do to help? We can work to get stronger legislation passed at both the national and state levels. We can be observant. Notice what is going on around you and report your suspicions to the National Human Trafficking Resource Center at 888-373-7888, where you can leave an anonymous tip.

~submitted by Carol Derington,
LAF Committee

AAUW Fellowships and Grants

For the 2018–19 academic year, 250 women and community projects serving women and girls will receive \$3.9 million from AAUW. This level of funding for women's education and projects has a tremendous impact on women and their communities by expanding women's potential and supporting their future promise.

By easing the pressure of financing academic and community work, AAUW's awards help women tackle the growing burden of student debt and focus their efforts on the task at hand: developing the skills and experience they need to excel in their fields and lead innovative community projects to empower women and girls. <https://www.aauw.org/article/fellowships-and-grant-awardees/>

Public Policy

The recent launch of Work Smart Online is poised to accelerate toward its ambitious goal of training 10 million women in salary negotiation by 2022. AAUW is encouraging all members to take the course and share with family members and friends.

AAUW's Work Smart curriculum is based on the best research on how to navigate the complexity of job offers and promotions. Through presentations and interactive exercises, participants learn to research fair and equitable salaries and benefits in their fields (and geographic areas) and to tout the unique skills and experience they bring to the table. Participants also learn the precise words and tactics to use when negotiating, all of which help build the needed confidence to negotiate a fair salary or promotion.

Why is negotiation so important? AAUW's research on the gender pay gap shows that, one year out of college, women are already paid significantly less than men. Women who work full time take home 80 cents for every dollar a full-time male worker is paid. Over a lifetime, lost potential earnings continue to add up. Women who negotiate increase their potential to earn higher salaries and better benefit packages. By negotiating fair and equitable salaries, women will be better able to pay off loans, increase income, and even save for retirement. Please consider taking Work Smart Online.

~Eve LaJeunesse and Karen Francis,
Co-directors, Public Policy



Check your email beginning at 8:15 a.m. the day of the event for updates or cancellation.
DFS events raise funds for scholarships, give members opportunities to meet in small groups for enriching and educational experiences, and introduce AAUW to non-members.

Proceeds from Dollars for Scholars events support scholarships for local nontraditional women students.

Contact Marilyn Fletcher (marilynletcher597@gmail.com) and Susan Teicher (svteicher@gmail.com)
Dollars for Scholars, Co-directors

Make Dollars for Scholars checks payable to AAUW Ballwin-Chesterfield and indicate event name on memo line. Be sure to bring enough checks to each meeting, so that you can sign up for several events and not miss out on any of the fun!

A Message from Marilyn Fletcher and Susan Teicher

Dear Members,

Remember we always need help planning events. We have several ideas you might consider sponsoring. Bring your books, puzzles, CDs and DVDs to our monthly branch meetings to help us raise money for our scholarship fund.

Used Book Sale

Donate Your Used Books!! Bring donations from January–April!!

By supporting the Used Book Sale, you can help fulfill the branch's New Year's Resolutions. Clean out your books, CD's, DVD's and puzzles and bring them to branch meetings. Then buy a few new books from the interesting selection that is always available. Any items remaining go to local used book sellers. All money collected goes to Dollars for Scholars which helps fund scholarships for local women.



Have friends who are readers? Invite them to drop by, browse the book sale, and then stay for the meeting. It's great way to find new reading material and promote AAUW!

Questions? Contact Mary Kay Wolfe (mkwolfe@hotmail.com).

Soldier's Memorial

Thursday, February 21 12:30–2 p.m. Meet at Trinity at 11:45 a.m. to carpool.

Join us for a tour of this famous, newly renovated St. Louis museum.

Sponsors: Marge Andersen (margaretandersen@yahoo.com) and Darlene Harris (veronicadarleneh@gmail.com)

Cost: \$10



The Improv Shop—Think Outside the Box

Monday, March 11 9:30–11:30 a.m. (inclement weather alternative March 18)
Carpool from the lower lot of Trinity at 9 a.m. and drive to The Improv Shop, 3960 Chouteau, St. Louis 63110

This will be a fun, interactive, instructor-led 2-hour workshop where we can unleash our hidden acting talents. The workshop will expand our abilities for collaboration in groups and partnerships.

After the workshop we will return to West County for lunch (on your own) at The Hearth Room, 265 Lamp and Lantern Village in Town and Country.

Sponsor: Janet Sloey (jegs115@gmail.com)

Cost: \$35



Genealogy Workshop

Cost: \$10

Thursday, March 21 9:30–11 a.m. Daniel Boone Public Library, 300 Clarkson Rd. Ellisville, MO 63011

Genealogist Larry Frank will help you “Work Through Brick Walls” as you research your family tree. This event is open to all members of our branch.

Sponsor: Roz Marx (rozsie3@gmail.com)

Paperdolls Fashion Show

Cost: \$10

March 24 5–7 p.m. Paperdolls, 14418 Clayton Rd. 63011

Come enjoy an evening of hors d'oeuvres, champagne, and fashions. A portion of this evening's sales will go to DFS.

Sponsors: Mary LaRuffa (marylaruffa0@gmail.com) and Barb Tackitt (harvibarb@charter.net).

Powell Hall Tour

Cost: \$10

April 9 Carpool from Trinity at 9:45 a.m. for a 10:30 tour of Powell Hall

Powell Hall has been the home of the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra for the last 50 years. We will learn some of the building's history, see the backstage areas, and even get to be on the stage looking up into the gorgeous dome. Then we will have lunch at one of the restaurants in the area.

Sponsor: Linda Seibert (lindaibseibert63@gmail.com).

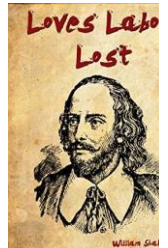
Love's Labor Lost

Cost: \$15

April 21 2–4 p.m. Loretto-Hilton Theater, 130 Edgar Rd., Webster Groves 63119

We will have a wonderful time laughing at the four Royal men who have sworn off women for three years! It IS Easter Sunday, but if you are interested in having a good time please let Jayne know that you will join the group. (Optional happy hour/early dinner afterwards at the Big Sky in Webster—YUM!) Bring friends, too, as we have center orchestra seats for only \$5 plus a \$10 donation to Dollars for Scholars—total cost \$15. Donna Ross says, "It is the best theater bargain in town."

Sponsor: Jayne Kasten (kastenc@sbcglobal.net).

**Duets, Duos, Discourse & Delights**

Limit: 20

Cost: \$15

April 25 10 a.m.–noon

Hosted by Mary McFarland at her villa

This event is **SOLD OUT**, but you may add your name to a waiting list, and you will be contacted if an opening occurs.

Join us for a one and two-piano musicale with Debbie Schwartz and our own Mary McFarland. Their music and commentary, accompanied by a light champagne brunch, will include a mix of classical, jazz, and standards performed on two grand pianos. All proceeds go to women's scholarships.

For more information, contact Mary Kay Wolfe (mkwolfe@hotmail.com) or Bette Bude (bettebude@outlook.com).

**Jazz Coffee Concert**

Cost: \$46

May 22 10 a.m.–noon Jazz at the Bistro

“Billie and Blue Eyes” is a tribute to Billie Holiday and Frank Sinatra, performed by John Pizzarelli and Catherine Russell. Excellent seating is already reserved for AAUW members and guests.

Contact sponsor Roz Marx (rozsie3@gmail.com) for more information and/or to sign up.

Branch Interest Groups are primarily social and bring members with similar interests together. Try one!
 Contact an Interest Group Chair today. Interest Group Chairs are listed in the front of your *Directory*.

Book Groups ~ Welcome All Readers

Please RSVP to the hostess by the Friday before the meeting.

Download the 2018–19 book lists from the **Interest Groups** page on the branch website.

Literature I 3rd Thursday, 9:30 a.m.

February 21: Hostess, Mary Jermak

A discussion of *Little Fires Everywhere* by Celeste Ng will be led by Chris Magilligan.

Contact Alice Crippen (jccripp@sbcglobal.net).

Literature II 4th Monday, 10 a.m.

February 25: Hostess, Susie Teicher

A discussion of *Alternate Side* by Anna Quindlen will be led by Beth Ann Murphy.

Contact Joyce Katz (joycekatz44@gmail.com) or Erlaine Eltomi (erlaine.eltomi@att.net).

Reading Reality 2nd Tuesday, 1 p.m.

February 12: Hostess, Linda Roberson

A discussion of *Sisters-in-Law* by Linda Hirschman will be led by Angie Janik.

This group reads non-fiction selections. For more information, contact Marcia Block (mhblock@sbcglobal.net) or Mary Kay Wolfe (mkwolfe@hotmail.com).

Play Readers

3rd Monday, 12:30 p.m.

February 18: Hostess, Yvonne Morrison

For more information about this group, contact Julie Triplett (julietrip2428@gmail.com).

Movie Group

4th Thursday, 10 a.m.

February 28: Hostess, Marcia Block

New members are welcomed.

For more information about this group, contact Liz Maher (lizlbm@sbcglobal.net)

Expressions

1st Tuesday, 1 p.m.

February 5

Holy Cross Lutheran Church, 13014 Olive Blvd.
 Creve Coeur, MO 63141

Create an advanced kumihimo bracelet taught by branch member, Pat White. Pat has ordered kits and they are available for purchase for \$12. Additional supplies needed: a round kumihimo loom, bobbins, and your beads threaded onto your bracelet cord before you get to class.



For more information contact Jayne Kasten (kastenc@sbcglobal.net) or Nance Roth (nance.roth@att.net.yahoo.com) or Carol Derington (carol.derington@sbcglobal.net).

Munching Matters, Lunch With Food For Thought

Walnut Grill 11 a.m.—1 p.m. on Clayton Rd. just west of Clarkson Road.

There is no charge to attend, but lunch will be on your own.

Liz Maher will be the speaker for the **Wednesday, February 13** Munching Matters. She will be talking about living with a heart transplant.

Our next event is March 13.

You **MUST** register to attend with Julie Triplett (julietrip2428@gmail.com).

Karen Francis and Julie Triplett, Coordinators.

Genealogy Group

February 28: 1-3 p.m. (note date & time change)

Pat White on Snubbed, Saved, and Sharing -Women and DNA at Grand Glaize County Library, 1010 Meramec Station Road, Manchester, 63021 Mtg Room 2. RSVP to rozsie3@gmail.com.

For more information and upcoming events, please contact Roz Marx (rozsie3@gmail.com) or Pam Kulp (kulpp10@gmail.com).

Bridge Calendar

To participate, contact Bridge Chairs who are listed in the *Directory*.

Basic Bridge and Beyond

3rd Thursday 10 a.m. Hearth Room

February 21: Susan Zerjav

Bridge Buddies 2nd & 4th Wednesdays, 11 a.m.

The Shack at 14810 Clayton Rd.

Lunch and Bridge

February 13 & 27: Charmaigne Scott

Bridge Friends 3rd Thursday, 10 a.m.

Hearth Room: Lunch and Bridge

February 21: Judy Green

Bridge I 1st Wednesday, 10:30 a.m.

Hearth Room

February 6: Contact Janet Ludewig

Bridge II 3rd Tuesday, 10:30 a.m.

Walnut Grill

February 19: Nancy Remley

Bridge III 4th Wednesday 10 a.m.

Hearth Room

February 27: Contact Kay Kreder

Bridge V 2nd Tuesday, 10 a.m.

Kaldi's at Schnucks Woods Mill

February 12: Judy Green

Bridge VI 3rd Monday, 10 a.m.

Hearth Room

February 18: Chris Magilligan

Duplicate Bridge I 1st Tuesday, 9:50 a.m.

February 5: Diane Correll

Duplicate Bridge II 4th Tuesday, 10 a.m.

Walnut Grill

February 26: Jean Wagner

Duplicate Bridge III 4th Tuesday, 10:15 a.m.

Hearth Room

February 26: Jane Hemer

Out to Lunch

3rd Wednesday, 11:30 a.m.

February 20: Hostess, Liz Maher

Spiro's Greek Restaurant

1054 N. Woods Mill Rd

Chesterfield, MO

Spiro's strives for "quality food at a fair price accompanied with a superb quality of friendly service."

To RSVP, please phone or contact one of the members at the email address below. There is no carpool this month.

For more information, contact Linda Seibert (lindajseibert63@gmail.com), Jane Edwards (paral1@aol.com), or Liz Maher (lizlbm@sbcglobal.net).

Activities Calendar

February



05 Expressions 10 a.m.

07 Board Meeting 9:30 a.m.

12 Deadline for March newsletter submissions

International Relations 10:45 a.m.

Reading Reality 1 p.m.

13 Munching Matters 11 a.m.

14 Branch Meeting 9:30 a.m.

\$\$ Book Sale

Program Committee Meeting

18 Play Readers 12:30 p.m.

19 Meet and Eat Group/IBC 11:45 a.m.

20 Out to Lunch 11:30 a.m.

21 Literature I 9:30 a.m.

\$\$ Soldiers' Memorial 12:30 p.m.

25 Literature II 10 a.m.

28 Movie Group 10 a.m.

Genealogy 1 p.m.

¡Adelante! 1:30 p.m.

Coming in March

07 Board Meeting 9:30 a.m.

12 Deadline for April newsletter submissions

14 Branch Meeting 8:45 a.m.

Named Gift Nominations due

15 Directory updates due

23 IBC Spring Fling Luncheon 10:30 a.m.