

The Rosette



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Mission Statement: The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International promotes professional and personal growth of women educators and excellence in education.

President's Message

Hi Eta Zeta sisters,

We have the busy month of April ahead of us. Our April meeting will be Monday April 4, 5:30 at Fuggazi's restaurant in Visalia. This would be a great meeting to invite prospective members to. At the meeting we will be putting together and collecting all the Jared boxes. Take a look at the list provided or go to the Jared Box website for more information <http://www.thejaredbox.com>. One thing I noticed on the Website was the idea to add a personalized note or drawing with your name to the box. The children like to have a personalized note and know who put the box together for them. Something you may want to add.

Another exciting April (and May) event is the Chi State Convention in Sacramento. If you haven't registered yet, early registration is available until April 15. Hotel reservations should be made by April 8. All the convention information is on the Chi State Website. Hope to see you there. <http://www.chistateca.org/conventionsacramento.html>

I look forward to seeing everyone and their Jared Boxes on April 4.

In educational sisterhood,

Sue

March 26th Area VII Meeting at Fresno State

If you would like to ride in a carpool to Fresno State please call Stacey Chicoine at 734-8330 or e-mail sciencechicoine@msn.com

For those members who call we can meet at 7:45 am at the Holiday Inn off Highway 198 at the Plaza Park exit and park across from the tennis courts.

Our Next Meeting

Monday, April 4 5:30 p.m.



**Fuggazi's California Bistro,
Downtown Visalia,
127 W. Main St.
559-625-0496**

Jared Boxes for Children's Hospital

Join us for this worthy project to help make Jared Boxes. Bring your items and we will share how we all filled with love for the children. Labels will be provided.

RSVP by Wednesday, March 30th:

Bobbie Harris Cell: 799-0803 or e-mail
bobba@theworks.com

Judy Korver at 783-1121

Jared Box Project Items

This year we are buying and filling our own plastic containers and labels will be provided at the meeting. Ideas are in the chart below.

Under 2	Sassy-Rattles teething rings, sippy cups, soft books, infant toys
2-4	Coloring books and non-toxic crayons, bubbles, stickers, small size assortment of Play-Doh, books, Card Games, "Matchbox " cars, stuffed animals and dolls, soft balls
4-8	Coloring books and non-toxic crayons, bubbles, stickers, small size assortment of Play-Doh, books, Card Games- UNO, Old Maid, Go Fish, "Matchbox " cars, stuffed animals and dolls
8-11	Activity books, craft kits books, playing cards, puzzles and brain teasers, travel-size games, bubbles, soft balls, small toys, notebooks and gel pens
11& up	Activity books, craft kits books, puzzles and brain teasers, travel-size games, bubbles, soft balls, small toys, notebooks and gel pens, handheld electronic games, playing cards, stress ball

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When donating a toy or gift to the Hospital, please follow these guidelines:

- Due to infection control policies toys donated should be new.
- Toys with detachable or removal parts which can be swallowed or inhaled by small children cannot be accepted.
- All toys donated should be sturdy. Toys made of glass or brittle plastic cannot be accepted.
- Only non-toxic paint, glue, or craft supplies can be used.
- Please avoid donating toys with sharp edges or protrusions.
- No toys and/or gifts that may include candles, knives, or latex balloons will be accepted.
- We do not accept toys that depict violence in any way. No guns, swords, "action" or fighting figures will be accepted.