

The Rosette



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Vision



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Mission Statement

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

Presidents' Message

Dear Eta Zeta Sisters,
Welcome rain!

This month we will continue to celebrate our 50th year with the Lilly Lum Annual Dinner and Silent Auction on November 15. This meeting goes particularly well if we invite guests and their pocket books!

We have projects started and workshop opportunities that will be a good use of our funds. As the year progresses we will find more ways to help advance learning in our area.

Many blessings,

Virginia and Dorothy

A Special Invitation from Epsilon Xi

Our members have received an invitation to the November 5th chapter meeting of Epsilon Xi in Reedley.

They will be meeting at 10:30 a.m. at the Reedley Historical Museum at 1752 10th Street, Reedley Ca. and later adjourn for lunch at Uncle Harry's Classic Meals, 1201 G Street, Reedley, Ca.

If you wish to attend, you will need to RSVP either Pat Bringetto (559) 906-00080 or Summer Thomas (559) 908-4009.

OUR NEXT CHAPTER MEETING

TUESDAY NOVEMBER 15

LILLY LUM DINNER AND AUCTION
5:30 PM
DOUBLE L STEAK HOUSE,
410 E. CENTER STREET, VISALIA

RSVP BEFORE NOVEMBER 12 TO DOROTHY WAGY
784-8177

DWAGY@OCSNET.NET

Don't forget an auction item and your checkbook!!



- ❖ Lisa Jipson ~ November 5
- ❖ Stacey Chicoine ~ November 16
- ❖ Carolyn Arthur ~ November 19
- ❖ Candy Boulton ~ November 25
- ❖ Sue DeLong ~ November 30

A Minute for the Minutes

Eta Zeta Chapter
October 16, 2016
Planing Mill Pizza & Imagine U Children's
Interactive Museum

Meeting was called to order by President Dorothy Wagy at 11:41 a.m. Six members were in attendance. Dorothy thanked Stacey Chicoine for organizing the meeting at the Planing Mill Pizza restaurant and a tour of the Imagine U Children's Interactive Museum. Minutes were read by Virginia Jones. One correction was made. Deloris Mahnke moved to approve the minutes and Sue DeLong seconded the motion with the correction made. Motion passed.

Dorothy Wagy shared correspondence she received regarding the 50th Birthday Tea. Thankyou cards were sent by Janet Lew, Alpha California State DKG By-laws member; Sue Noyes, Iota Sigma, California State DKG Corresponding Secretary; Bernice Raymond, Eta Zeta Charter Member; Joan Ishida, Eta Zeta member.

Stacey Chicoine shared \$293.00 has been paid out for the 50th Birthday Tea. The treasury has \$4027.97 at this time. Stacey explained the proposed budget for 2016-2017. It was budgeted that we would spend \$1500 in the year ahead. Alice Armstrong moved to accept the proposed budget and Sue DeLong seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Sue DeLong reported on the success of the books authored by Sylvia Ross at Exeter School. It was discussed if Sylvia Ross could make an

appearance at Exeter School so the students using the books could be introduced to the author.

Virginia Jones gave the Legislative report telling the members present the email forwarded to them from Team Powell would help them in understanding the propositions that will be on the ballot.

Email was shared from Pat Bringetto and Summer Thomas from Epsilon Xi inviting members of Eta Zeta to their November 5, 2016 meeting at the Reedley Historical Museum with Lunch at Uncle Harry's Classic Meals.

Ten Rose Bags which were filled prior to the meeting will be delivered by Stacey Chicoine and Sue DeLong to new teachers.

Incentives were discussed for the Leadership Conference in Sacramento on Jan. 14 and Jan. 15. Stacey made the motion that 2 grants be given to members for the Leadership Conference. Deloris Mahnke seconded the motion and the motion passed.

Discussion of how to make sure Bernice Raymond and Sylvia Ross make it to the DKG California State Convention, May 5 to May 7, 2017 at the Los Angeles Airport Marriott. The offering of Reserve Membership to Barbara Pearson was tabled until a later date. Discussion pursued of how do we want to spend funds. The matter was set aside until after the Early Educator and Membership Grants are submitted. A budget was discussed for Deloris Mahnke as she has taken on the job of reviewing and cleaning out the old Eta Zeta scrapbooks. She was told to keep her receipts for the material she needs to purchase to submit to the treasurer. Dorothy Wagy and Stacey Chicoine will be checking for the missing CD for Membership Orientation. It was discussed if more Rose Bags should be collected and delivered midyear. The matter will be address after the first of the year.

Meeting Adjourned 12:45 p.m.

Respectively
Submitted,
Virginia Jones



Work and play at the October meeting!



2016-2017 Program

November: *Lilly Lum Dinner and Auction*,
Tuesday, November 15, 2016, 5:30 PM, Double L
Steak House, 410 E. Center Street, Visalia
RSVP to Dorothy Wagy by November 12, 2016
784-8177 dwagy@ocsnet.net

December: *Area 7 Christmas Brunch*,
Visalia Country Club, Date and time TBA,
RSVP to host chapter

January: *Leadership Workshop*,
Old Sacramento Embassy Suites, January 14,
2017.
RSVP to Leadership Team DKG CA directly,
information in Chi State News

February: *Culinary Pathways Program*
PUSD, Becky Silva. Details TBA

March: *Area 7 Meeting*, Saturday March 18,
Bakersfield College. Details TBA

April: *Fresno Zoo*
Saturday, April 7, 2017, 9:00 AM
Carpool from Plaza Park

May: *Author in the Out-of-Doors*
Saturday, May 13, 2017, 9:30 AM
Home of Sylvia Ross
Box Lunch and Cheesecake
RSVP to Sylvia Ross, 594-4743
thistles@ocsnet.net

DKG California Date to Remember

Leadership Workshop, January 14-15, 2017,
Old Sacramento Embassy Suites, RSVP to
Leadership Team DKG CA directly, (see Chi
State News for more information)

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following web address or follow the QR Code:

<http://tinyurl.com/kh2snvy>



Society Websites

Chapter
<http://etazeta.org>
Area VII
<http://areaviica.weebly.com/index.html>
DKG California
<http://www.chistateca.org/>
DKG International
<http://www.dkg.org/>
DKG Education Foundation
<http://www.dkgef.org/>

New Teacher Support

Ten Rose Bags were assembled and distributed to new teachers in October.



Four of the bags went to teachers at Wilson Middle School in Exeter. Meet these recipients:

Rosalie Rodriguez teaches 7th Grade Language Arts. She grew up in the valley and graduated from Fresno State. She recently finished student teaching at Valley Oak Middle School in Visalia. She is bilingual and is an asset to Wilson's English learners.

Kristen Brenneman is Rosalie's partner teaching 7th Grade Language Arts. She moved here over the summer from Cleveland, Ohio by herself. She graduated from Ohio University last spring. One of the classes she teaches is the 7th grade honors Language Arts class. She also coached Exeter High School girls' golf team this fall.

Samantha Hilvers teaches 8th grade history. She is also from the area and was a coach this fall. Samantha is coaching Exeter High School's girls' varsity volleyball team which is doing well for which she is very proud.

Mike Powell teaches self-contained 6th grade. He is from the area and was a substitute for several area districts last school year. Mr. Powell is a wonderful role model for our young men. He demonstrates and expects courtesy in his classroom.



More 50th Anniversary Pictures



Submissions and comments should be sent to:

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