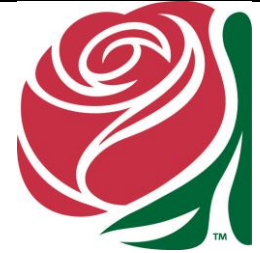


The Rosette



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Vision



*Leading
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Worldwide*

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,

We look forward to our next meeting at the Imagine U Children's Museum in Visalia on October 16.

The museum will be a nice finish to a day of fellowship and construction of Rose Bags for those entering the profession we have dedicated our lives too. Bring classroom materials and names of those new to teaching this year who may benefit from these materials.

Our 50th Anniversary Tea was a complete success. We celebrated with our chapter as well as Charter Member, Bernice Raymond, Janis Barr our state President, Sue Noyes our state Secretary and Janet Lew from the state Procedures and Planning Committee. Tamara

created a beautiful setting and her committee served a delightful tea.

Fall is a time of possibility. The harvest is brought in as leaves change color. You are changing the lives of students, helping them realize their possibilities.

Best Wishes,

Virginia and Dorothy

OUR NEXT CHAPTER MEETING

SUNDAY OCTOBER 16

PLANING MILL GOURMET PIZZA
513 E. CENTER ST. VISALIA
11:30 AM

IMAGINE U CHILDREN'S MUSEUM
210 N. TIPTON ST. VISALIA

RSVP BEFORE OCTOBER 9 TO STACEY CHICOINE

STACEYCDKG@HOTMAIL.COM



Happy Birthday



Rebecca Springer ~ September 25

Jeannine Corder ~ September 26

Virginia Jones ~ October 1

Joan Ishida ~ October 14

A Minute for the Minutes

Eta Zeta Chapter
September 24, 2016
Home of Tamara Bishop-Mitchell

Meeting was called to order 10:20 a.m. for the 50th Anniversary Birthday Tea by Dorothy Wagy. Dorothy Wagy introduced visiting dignitaries. State officers in attendance were Janice Barr, Iota, California State DKG President; Janet Lew, Alpha, California State DKG By-laws member; Sue Noyes, Iota Sigma, California State DKG Corresponding Secretary. Other dignitaries Margaret Crabtree, Sigma, Visalia, Area VII Director; Veronica Thomas, Epsilon XI, Kingsburg, past Director Area VII; Pat Bringetto, President Epsilon XI, Fresno; Lucile King, Epsilon XI, Fresno; Denise Hollister, President Alpha Alpha, Bakersfield; special guest Marti Pearson, RN Retired, Porterville.

Thank you was given to hostess Tamara Bishop-Mitchell who opened her home for this event. The Tea Party Committee was introduced: Judy Korver, Alice Armstrong, Tamara Bishop-Mitchell, Dorothy Wagy and Virginia Jones.

A motion to approve the minutes from the May meeting was moved by Alice Armstrong and seconded by Candy Boulton. Motion to accept the minutes was passed.

Treasurers report showed \$3795.83. A motion was made by Deloris Mahnke and seconded by Alice Armstrong to approve the treasurer's report and the motion was passed

Correspondence from the family of Sheila Bishop was read and a card of thanks from Valley Children's Hospital was shared.

Legislative Committee reports all incoming information from state has been emailed to members.

The unfinished business of Rose Bags for new teachers was tabled. Judy Korver moved and Alice Armstrong seconded to table the Rose Bags distribution until the meeting in October. The motion passed. Members were asked to submit names of new teachers for the 10 Rose Bags.

Bernice Raymond, Eta Zeta Charter Member, told of how Eta Zeta came into being. She told of holding meetings in homes. There were 24 members when Eta Zeta first became a charter. Members were from Porterville, Lindsay, Exeter, Three Rivers, and Visalia. She shared the correspondence from the state showing the charter which she received 50 years ago. Bernice answered several questions from the audience.

Dorothy Wagy and Virginia Jones recognized Eta Zeta long time members with a long stem red rose. Betty Yates a member of 40 years, Treasurer for many years; Roberta Harris a member of 42 years, President 1998-2000; Tamara Bishop-Mitchell a member of 44 years, President 2008-2010; Deloris Mahnke a member of 47 years, President 1984-1986 and Co-President 2006-2008; Barbara Pearson an active/reserve member of 47 years, President 1982-1984 and 1996-1998; Bernice Raymond Charter Member 50 years.

Meeting adjourned at 11:35 for a lovely 50th Birthday Tea.

Respectively Submitted,

Virginia Jones



Eta Zeta's 50th Anniversary Tea



Lovely place settings done by the Anniversary Committee



Our invited guest, Janis Barr, talking with Eta Zeta members

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

2016-2017 Program



October: *Pizza at
 the Planing Mill then
 Imagine U Children's Museum*

Sunday, October 16, 2016, 11:30 at the Planing
 Mill Artisan Pizza, 513 E. Center Street
 Visalia, 713-0818

Adjourn to the Imagine U Interactive Children's
 Museum, 210 N. Tipton St. after lunch

RSVP to Stacey Chicoine by October 9, 2016
stacycdkg@hotmail.com

DKG California Dates to Remember

- ❖ DKG CA Technology Workshop
 October 22, 2016, Costa Mesa
- ❖ Leadership Workshop, January 14-15,
 2017, Old Sacramento Embassy Suites,
 RSVP to Leadership Team DKG CA
 directly, (see Chi State News for more
 information)

Classroom Grants Available

Eta Zeta Members currently in the classroom can apply for up to \$500.00 in funding enhance your classroom environment. Directions and Application for the Eta Zeta Member Classroom Grant can be found on the [Eta Zeta website](#). Applications are due November 1, 2016.



New Teacher Support

New teachers can apply for Eta Zeta's \$250.00 **Early Career Educator Grant**. The application can be found on the [Eta Zeta website](#). If you know

of a new teacher who might be interested in applying, you can print the application for them. Applications are due to Eta Zeta by November 1, 2016.

Penne Ferrell Awards. This grant is for non-DKG members in their first through third year of teaching. The award is intended to finance the cost of books, e-books, or reading apps. These reading materials are intended for a classroom library or to supplement curriculum. The recipient may receive an award for an amount up to, but not exceeding, \$200. Applications are due November 1, 2016.

[Link to Penne Ferrell](#) application or go to the State Website <http://www.chistateca.org/>



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DKG California

<http://www.chistateca.org/>

DKG International

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DKG Education Foundation

<http://www.dkgef.org/>

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