



INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR KEY WOMEN EDUCATORS
DELTA KAPPA GAMMA™

The Beta Epsilon **BEAT**

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Area IX Burbank, CA

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Mission: The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International promotes professional and personal growth of women educators and excellence in education.
Vision Statement: Key Women Educators Impacting Education Worldwide.
DKG California: Educational – Professional – Making an Impact

PRESIDENT'S Message

Happy February! I hope everyone is enjoying 2019. especially those who just attended our 70th Birthday Celebration! What an outstanding day we had, with a tour of the winery, wine tastings and great food. A huge THANK YOU to all our board members for planning and organizing our successful event. This involved a lot of work. Your board is the BEST!

In March the DKG area IX Spring Festival will be on March 16th at Knollwood Country Club from 10 to 1:00. The theme is 'Laughter is the Best Medicine', featuring speaker Zachary Steel, Professor at USC School of Dramatic Arts.

Monday, March 25, is our Bunco event at Jan Hacker's home, from 5:30-8:00. Thank you, Jan, as this is a major fundraiser So invite co-workers, friends, and family to join us for games, snacks, light dinner and prizes. They deserve a fun night out too!

In keeping with the Purposes of DKG, I'm reminded of Purpose 1: to unite women educators of the world in genuine spiritual fellowship. This includes giving to others the very things you need: support, encouragement and hope.

Giving travels in a circle and returns to renew the spirit. Looking forward to sharing fellowship and giving opportunities with you in 2019!

Yours in DKG, Debbie



Our circle of sisters at the 70th Birthday



70th Celebration Group

MEMBERSHIP

This year of 2019 is off to an ambitious beginning. The January 28th meeting was informative on Victorian Clothing with

Natalie Meyer sharing her reproductions. What great models some of our gals were! It was a combined meeting.



Epsilon's Outstanding Member of the Year was announced-Caren Collier! Caren has worked on updating the look of our Chapter Newsletter, creating our Web page and getting us on social media, besides doing her other jobs as Corresponding Secretary for Beta Epsilon. Congratulations to a well deserving member!

Our event of the year was our 70th Birthday Celebration on February 2nd at the San Antonio Winery. Winery tours, tasting, a great luncheon and program with fun in between were enjoyed by 39 in attendance. Gift card prizes were won with the ringing of the school bell. The three longest chapter members-Dorie Beaumont, Helen vonSeggern and Claire Brenheiser were in attendance. What a privilege to have Area IX Director Joyce Edelsen and other former members: Bea Wojtila, Barbara Eisner and Sharon Snell along with three sisters from visiting chapters. The rainy day did not dampen our celebrating with President Debbie Fleiner, as the Mistress of Ceremonies, and a variety of speakers providing history, sharing memories and special award presentations. We ended with the Recommitment Ceremony of lighting our candles, singing and pledging to continue Beta Epsilon's endeavors as a chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma Society International. 2



Helen with Debbie

On March 16th we will gather for the Area IX Spring Festival. Plan to pay for the luncheon early, to be seated together. For Festival form visit

www.dkgca.org/upload/springfestival

Won't we be proud when our Outstanding Member is presented!

And who would miss the annual BUNCO Evening? Don't pay the assessment for nothing (\$15)-show up and join in all the food and fun for the evening (\$20) at Jan Hacker's home, Monday, March 25 at 5:30 pm. Call your Rose Buddies and join in the lively fundraiser.

Judy Dellinger



BUNCO NIGHT

Monday, March 25, 2019 at 5:30 pm, at the home of Jan Hacker, 1141 N. Cordova St., Burbank.

Cost: \$20 Bunco & Dinner or
\$15 Assessment

Invite family and friends to join us. Bonnie Becken will be our MC for the evening games and prizes. Our Hostesses are: Debbie(chair), Nancy Martin, Zarik

Hacopian.
Please RSVP to Jan, if attending, so we have an estimated number count for food.

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EXCURSIONS

Our next excursion is on Wednesday, February 20th. We are visiting the Culinary Arts Institute at LA Mission College for a tour, then lunch. Lunch is \$17.50 for a three-course meal prepared and served by Culinary Arts students. Gratuity goes toward scholarships. You may pay at the luncheon. Tour starts at 10:20, lunch at 11:30. Signed up are: Judy, Debbie, Pam, Doreen, Linda B., Lisa, Kathy, Linda W., Tanda, and myself. Please email or call to confirm you are attending. If interested, email/call as I need to confirm with the College. soteachkids@sbcglobal.net

LA Zoo is our destination on Tuesday, April 2nd. Docent led tour is at 10:00 am. Lunch can be here or at Autry Museum, across the street. Zoo Admission for non-members is \$18 seniors (62+) \$21 for others. Signed up are: Bonnie B., Tanda, Martha, Doreen, Linda W., Caren, Lisa, Debbie, Kathy J., Pam and I. Again, email/call to confirm you are going, or if interested in joining us. Looking forward to good times out!

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MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Spring Festival: Sat. March 16
BUNCO: Monday, March 25th

Culinary Arts: Wed., Feb.20th
LA Zoo: Tues., April 2nd

THANK YOU! THANK YOU!!

To Diana Wong, opening her home and hosting us for our Annual Holiday Party. Also, to those who participated in helping at the TYRO Dance: Diana, Sandy B, Doug B, Suzanne O, Martha, Debbie, Bonnie B.

Thank You to Suzanne M. for being our Courtesy Secretary. Let her know if you hear of a member needing our support or congratulations, as she sends cute cards!

Photobooks on display at 70th



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BIRTHDAYS

February

Joanne Bailey 1

Tanda Tindell 9

March

Linda Gregorczyk 2

Sharon Snell 14

Claire Breneiser 20



Dorie Beaumont with Helen vonSeggern at 70th



Our tables at the 70th Birthday

FINANCE

Congratulations on earning \$197.23 at our CPK Fundraiser and having a good nibble. Our next Fundraiser is Bunco Night. We will be collecting an Assessment of \$15, and if attending please add \$5 for refreshments, making a total of \$20. If not attending, make out your check for \$15 to Beta Epsilon. Spring Festival is March 16th. Send checks before Feb.12th, to sit together, and call to let me know. You may mail it in yourself, if after this date, but the price goes up. Please follow directions on the Festival Form.

Thank you,
Tanda Tindell

Group at the Norton Simon Museum



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