



DELTA KAPPA GAMMA

SOCIETY INTERNATIONAL FOR KEY WOMEN EDUCATORS



ETA CHAPTER



Dear ETA sisters,

Our last meeting was so special because our Grant in Aid recipient, Tasha Chaney, came to personally thank us for our generous contribution to her education. Our committee indeed has chosen wisely. We also had a chance to recognize Dotty Kellerman's birthday. She was surprised and elated. Another wise decision! And we had the opportunity to recognize Donna Stowell's 50th DKG year. And Bonnie Waterer has reached her 25th year.

Remember to keep reading your book(s) for our June meeting. We will celebrate Eta's 75th birthday and Founders' Day. What an amazing accomplishment! 75 years is a long time. If you have any ideas to make our June meeting special and would like to help me, please give me an immediate call.

We took a vote about trying a Garage Sale at my house in September as a major money making project. Each person will price her own items. We will NOT sell clothes and hopefully there will be quality items to sell. Mona will make arrangements for all left over items to be donated to St. Vincent de Paul where she is a volunteer. If you wish to take unsold items back home, feel free but you will need to be here to collect them. We will not be able to go through everything and pull your items aside for you. A valley chapter does this every fall and they usually make around \$1500. So please start your spring cleaning now to find great items and plan on volunteering either Friday or Saturday, Sept. 9th and 10th. We will need help on Thursday to set everything up too. We will also need tables for display. You will be able to bring your items to my house during that week.

I hope to see you in June as we say good-bye for the summer and welcome our new officers July 1.

Sherry Alimi-Kent

MEETING PLANS - JUNE 2016

TIME AND DATE

9:30 a.m.. on Saturday, June 4, 2016

PLACE

Sherry Alimi-Kent's Home
1920 Atlantic Avenue, Prescott, AZ

PROGRAM

Potluck Brunch, Book Talk,
New Member Initiation,
75th Anniversary Celebration

Executive Board Meeting follows

**Everyone brings a potluck item!
NO DESSERTS - we
have 75th Birthday Cupcakes!**

RSVP BY WED. JUNE 1, 2016

and let Sherry Alimi-Kent know if you are coming or not and what dish you are bringing.

Sherry Alimi-Kent at 928-830-2718
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JUNE BIRTHDAYS

Laramie Jarvi, 6-6
Joyce Moore, 6-7
Chris Fonoti, 6-22

DUES "INSTALLMENT PLAN" AVAILABLE

by Norma Bauer

Any member who wishes to spread out the payment of dues instead of paying all at once in September or October may do so. All amounts between now and October 31 will be tracked by the treasurer. As always, dues will be accepted at meetings or mailed to Norma Bauer at 4815 Hornet Drive, Prescott, AZ 86301. The exact total will be determined by the finance committee during budget planning. Currently dues for active members are \$81.

Delta Kappa Gamma, Eta Chapter Minutes
Tuesday, May 3, 2016 at Prescott Country Club Property Owners' Building
Program: Fraud Prevention

ETA Chapter Members Present: Sherry Alimi-Kent, Sherry Baca, Norma Bauer, Pat Buckley, Sandy Caton, Pam Dickerson, Dorothy Eichbaum, Mary Fiebiger, Chris Fonoti, Kris Foster, Mona Gillum, Tashia Irvine, Marilyn Jenkins, Dorothy Kellerman, Janice Lay, Marty Lewis, Joyce Moore, Barbara Scott, Carol Stimple, Donna Stowell, Wally Turner, and Veronica Wilson.

Special Guests Present: Georgia Davidson, Mary Ellen Dotson, and Janet Moore – new potential inductees into DKG. Also present were Tasha Chaney, our Grant-in Aid recipient; Erin Harris, Sherry A's personal trainer; Kathryn Madden, a guest of Pam Dickerson; Terri Alexon (with her husband, Evan) from the Arizona Corporation Commission.

Refreshments were provided by the Finance Committee starting at 4:30 p.m. Meet and greet went until 5:00 with Sherry B. on camera.

Call to Order: This was signaled by singing the "Delta Kappa Gamma Song" at 5:00 p.m. led by Janice and Joyce.

Recitation of DKG Mission Statement with Sherry A leading.

Program:

Introduction of Grant-in-Aid recipient, Tasha Chaney by Kris Foster. Tasha was very eloquent in giving Eta Chapter her heartfelt thanks. She also gave detail about some of her projects for her course work in Early Childhood Education including a design for a special needs playground.

Terri Axelon spoke on Fraud Prevention. Terri's presentation was very timely for many of us. She said information is power. Terri said investments must be registered with the Arizona Corporation Commission. She emphatically said to ask and check before investing. Furthermore, Arizona has very tough laws. We are one of six states who has an investigator to make sure securities comply with state law. Here are some of the common features of scams: creative, always changing; using disaster relief, green energy, bio fuels, and terrorism; use of digital currency. The new distribution is through seminars, email and internet, direct mail, phone messages, and social media. Who is victimized? The predominate victim profile is male investors with college degrees, 55-65 years old, risk takers. Her prevention tactics is to reduce exposure by developing a 'refusal script'. This could be like using statements of: "I don't make any deals without contacting a law enforcement agency." "What is your registration number so I can check this with my financial advisor?" ASK and CHECK!

Business Meeting: Minutes and treasurer's report were accepted.

Communications – Sherry B is asking for yearbook corrections by June 1st. She is also seeking any suggestions to improve our yearbook and suggested a list of birthdays by month. The next meeting is June 4th and it would be good to have these ideas before that time.

Society Mission and Purposes

Education Excellence Committee – Sherry B reported our work days for next year will probably be with Taylor Hicks.

Unfinished Business

State Convention – members attending: Sherry A., Sherry B, Marilyn, Pat, Janice, Joyce, Wally, Ellen, Norma, and Becky. Eta Chapter had the most people attend and the most percentage. Rose Boutique earned \$509 in sales. We also had a 50-Year Member (Donna Stowell), a 25-year member (Bonnie Waterer), and a Spotlight winner (Becky Shields).

June 4th meeting- The program is a 'Book Talk' plus the 75th anniversary of ETA Chapter at Sherry A's home – another good time for guests; social event; and initiation – the next one will be in the fall. Sherry A. is seeking help to plan the celebration on our 'treasured past'. The executive meeting will follow and anyone is welcome to stay. However, this is NOT a regular business meeting. Our books selected are: The Necklace: Thirteen Women and the Experiment that Transformed Their Lives by Cheryl Jarvis, Marie Curie and Her Daughters by Shelley Emling, All the Light You Cannot See by Anthony Doer, and The Nightingale by Kristin Hannah.

DKG May 2016 Minutes, Continued

International Conference is July 2016 in Nashville, Tennessee. Wally will be in attendance.

Southwest Regional Conference is July 2017 in Honolulu, Hawaii.

New Business

1. Community Garage Sale in Cliff Rose on September 9th and 10th. Discussion followed to investigate this as a source to fund our World Fellowship donation and Grant-in-Aid. It was moved by Veronica and seconded by Donna to participate.
2. Thanks to Carol Westfall of Sacred Heart School for making beautiful DKG rose cards. Six pack note cards were given as gifts to Dr. Beverly Helms, former DKG International President and Dr. Joye Sterrett, President of Omicron State from Eta Chapter. There was a 30% (of sales) cost for materials.
3. Voting for three new members – Mary Ellen Dotson (Rose Buddy is Sherry A), Georgia Davidson (Rose Buddy is Sherry B), and Janet Moore (Rose Buddy is Joyce).
4. Use of different procedures for new member initiation: members can fill out recommendations at any meeting. There should be voting before orientation with membership offered after orientation. Initiation can be done at any time during the year.

Announcements

Pam announced that she is going to become a grandmother. Georgia also will be a grandmother – again – for a granddaughter!

Birthday Celebration: Dorothy Kellerman is 90 years young!

The meeting was adjourned at 6:45 p.m. Respectfully submitted, Joyce Moore

ORDER YOUR DKG RIBBON

I bet you have always wanted a magnetic DKG badge with your name and chapter on it for your DKG pin. Here's your chance. They cost \$15. At our May meeting bring a check for \$15 and how you want your name to appear on it and what color of ribbon you need (red or black). The Latin American Committee is turning in the order by June 1. You will have your pin in the fall. Sherry Alimi-Kent is the Chair of the Latin American Committee so you'll get it right away and you will be stylin' DKG style.



Dottie Kellerman celebrates her 90th birthday!



Congratulations to Donna Stowell as she receives her 50-year pin and certificate from Sherry Alimi-Kent.

ETA CHAPTER SUMMARIES
by Dorothy Eichbaum and Sherry Baca

Below are some highlights on our members:

JOYCE MOORE reports that her daughter has spent the last 2 years getting her masters in Clinical Nurse Specialist and Nurse Education. She told them about a month ago that she was getting the Graduate Academic Excellence Award (the equivalent of being valedictorian), would be seated on stage (for both the convocation and the commencement), and would be the graduate speaker at the Honors Convocation. According to Joyce, her daughter was very casual about all of this. Then Joyce found out the away was for the top student in the entire College of Health and Human Services - not just the nursing program. Needless to say, Joyce and family were thrilled. After returning from that event, Joyce is leaving on an Alaska cruise until June 1. She will be back in time for our meeting.

WALLY TURNER is also on a cruise to Alaska. Wonder if she will run into Joyce there?

DOROTHY EICHBAUM will attend the June meeting for a bit but then she is signed up to 'churn butter' at the annual Prescott Folk Arts Fair!

PAM DICKERSON was excited to share that she is going to be a grandmother!

GEORGIA DAVIDSON (one of our soon to be new members) is also excited that she is going to be a grandmother again and this time it will be a little girl.

BONNIE WATERER and her husband just returned from a trip to Europe where they spent 20 days - half of it in Ireland and the other half in Greece. Both were Trafalgar tours. In Ireland they visited many different places. A highlight was a castle where the program called for people to be chosen as queen and king. They were made into royalty and had to do some simple play acting. That was fun. In Greece the tour was concentrated on the islands of Mykonos and Santorini, but they also visited the islands of Delos and Delphi. They saw some beautiful places and learned a lot of Greek history.

PAT BUCKLEY went to California in early May to watch her grandkids while her son and daughter-in-law went to Boston. She is expecting a new grandson around June 27th.

LINDA SPELLMAN reports that her second eye surgery seems to be healing much faster than the first. After only her second day out the only noticeable problem was a red spot under her eye caused by the tape holding the patch. With the first surgery it took a week before she could start to see, but this time it's clearing fast. She says the first surgery was like a miracle - her vision is fantastic in that eye now. And soon she will have balanced vision. Great news!

SHERRY ALIMI-KENT'S roommate from college, Vilma Bojorge de Paguaga, was in Prescott for a weeklong visit with her husband, Dr. Jorge Paguaga. They were graciously squired around Sedona by Wally in her brand new CRV and lunched on delicious pizza. Of course a visit to the Grand Canyon was on Jorge's list so a day trip was planned stopping in Williams at the same restaurant Eta ate in with Tau Chapter, a walk around the rim and lunch at El Tovar. Jerome was another lovely stop during their visit before they returned to Guatemala. Vilma also sat in on orientation so she is ready to join the Guatemalan chapter if they follow up on Sherry's to invite her to membership.

Sherry and Steve also just returned from a road trip to help her sister in Texas get ready for a big garage sale. It went well but of course there were many items left. Sherry drove back alone with her car filled to the brim with stunning art to sell on Ebay for her sister. If you are in the market, ask her to show you some at the June meeting. Steve returned early to attend his son's graduation with honor from ASU. Another trip to Texas is planned for July to visit his son, Austin, in Austin where he landed a job with Dell Computers.

MARY SHENEFIELD has had a difficult winter/spring. She was hospitalized for the treatment of pneumonia and then again recently for an inflammation. She is currently not at The Beatitudes Home but is staying with her son, Eric, at his home. Eric also has had recent surgery so Mother and son are caring for each other. Send them a little prayer dart and wish for improved health for both.

CAROL STIMPLE shares that Sam's barbershop quartet, *Antique Parts*, won the Arizona senior quartet contest on April 16. The foursome was given a traveling trophy that has a gigantic brass cereal bowl on top, and a plaque with our name and year of the award. Considering their collective ages (313 years), they were surprised they scored so well!

Their 47-year-old son Kevin was married last month to Amy, a delightful lady and surgical nurse at YRMC East Campus. Kevin is a project coordinator and surveyor for Dava & Associates (civil engineering firm). Their 'kids' live in Prescott.

VERONICA WILSON is in St. David, AZ for a week helping care for her (long ago) college roommate who is having surgery on May 17th.. Mary Pat Lansing, her friend, is a Delta Kappa Gamma member from Benson and the two have maintained their friendship through all the years since being congenial college roommates. Many of you know Mary Pat from conventions, etc. Mary Pat sometimes plays the piano for convention activities. She is a retired music teacher--but not retired from giving music lessons. We send our best to Mary Pat and her capable care giver.

**CONGRATULATIONS AND WELCOME
TO OUR NEWLY ELECTED MEMBERS**

We will soon initiate our three new members who were elected unanimously: Georgia Davidson (Sherry Baca as Rose Buddy) in the fall, and Mary Ellen Dotson (Sherry Alimi as Rose Buddy) and Janet Moore (Joyce Moore as Rose Buddy) in June. Welcome to each of these great educators. Below are summaries on each new member:

Mary Ellen Dotson lives in Prescott. She sings in the Sanctus Choir at American Lutheran Church with Norma, Helen McD, Sherry A, and Marilyn. She received a Bachelor's degree in Fine Arts as a piano major and a Master's in Education in Reading and ESL. In her career she taught ESL, Music with Reading in the classroom, mentored primary teachers, was coordinator for Reading is Fundamental. Most recently she taught in Dysart Unified School District in Surprise from where she retired. Mary Ellen has 30 years of teaching experience. She has also taught private piano students; she has been a church organist also.

Janet Moore is Joyce Moore's sister. She recently relocated to PV from Seattle to assist with the care of their mother. Janet taught in Highline Public Schools in Seattle in music. She has presented various times to music teachers. Janet was Dean of Methodist- sponsored summer camps for music, art, drama and dance for 12 years. Additionally, she served as an accompanist for a children's community choir, volunteered as a handbell choir director and church choir accompanist, and a private piano teacher. She taught for 30 years.

Georgia Davidson lives in Prescott. She received her BA from the University of Redlands with an English major and psychology minor. She earned her MA from Arizona State University with an elementary education major. She taught 5th grade for 6 years at Washington Elementary School and then moved to Miller Valley School where she taught 5th grade for 14 years. Her last 17 years were at Prescott Mile High Middle School where she taught 6th grade reading, 7th grade literature, 8th grade social studies /language arts and was department chairperson. She coached track, PYBL basketball, and PGSA softball. She was an ASU adjunct professor for the Flinn Health Program and also taught Methods of Mind-Mapping. She served as an AWANA leader at the First Baptist Church. Georgia was awarded the John J. Ross Award for Teacher Excellence in Law-Related Education from the Arizona Bar Foundation, the Yavapai County Grades 4-8 Teacher of the Year in 2006 and was a Japan Fulbright Memorial Fund Scholar – traveling to Japan to study their educational system.



Janet Moore and Joyce Moore with
Georgia Davidson to the right behind them.



Sherry Alimi-Kent and Mary Ellen Dotson

PHOTOS FROM THE MAY MEETING



Barbara Scott and Sandy Caton



Dottie Kellerman and Carol Stimple



Dorothy Eichbaum, Veronica Wilson and Mona Gillum



Marilyn Jenkins and Chris Fonoti

MORE PHOTOS FROM THE MAY MEETING



Mary Fiebiger and Wally Turner



Pam Dickerson, Tashia Irvine, and guest Kathryn Madden who is retired, formerly taught at Granite Mountain and is subbing at Sacred Heart School.



Pat Buckley and Janice Lay



Sherry Baca and Marty Lewis



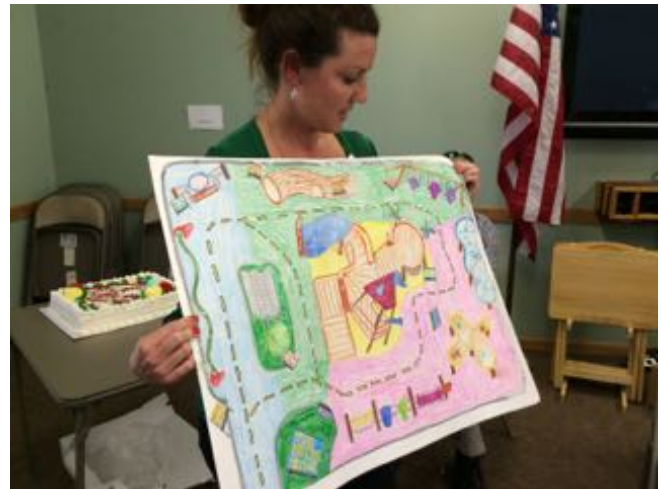


Dear Members of Delta Kappa Gamma Eta Chapter,

Thank you so much for this great honor and assistance! I'm filled with gratitude for the encouragement and help you chose to give me. Thank you also for the invitation to your meeting. I will be there May 3 and look forward to meeting you!

*Sincerely,
Tasha Cheney*

Grant-in-aid recipient Tasha Cheney with Kris Foster.



Tasha Cheney displays one of her projects for her Early Childhood Education Classes - a design of a special needs playground.



Guests Erin Harris and Tasha Cheney





Chris Fonoti talking to our guest speaker from the May meeting: Terri Alexon. Her presentation was on Wise Investing and Fraud Prevention



WISE INVESTING AND FRAUD PREVENTION

Terri Alexon, Investment Education Coordinator for the Arizona Corporation Commission since 2002, spoke to Eta Chapter at the May meeting. Terri has a background in Business and Communication. Her job now is to go statewide and raise awareness on wise investing and fraud prevention. She brought with her several handouts, booklets, pamphlets, and CD's to share with our group including *What Every Investor Should Know*. She works for the securities division which is much more than just stocks and bonds. In her PowerPoint presentation she highlighted just what is a security and discussed the Howey Test for securities. One of her main warnings was that if we are going to invest, be sure we are doing business with a legitimate financial advisor. We can call the Arizona Corporation Commission and check if the person or promoter is legitimate. She also works with the North American Securities and Administration Association (NASA) that also can provide checks on individuals selling securities. Always do a check before you invest.

She also asked questions and gave our prizes for correct answers. Arizona is in the top 10 of states for fraud. Why? Because we have such a high number of seniors. Over \$50 billion is lost to fraud each year.

There are Fraud Risk Factors to be aware of. We need to learn to recognize persuasion techniques used to try to convince us to invest. In summary she said that Prevention is the key.

1. Reduce your exposure to sales pitches
 - a) Use care if invited to free lunches where they try to sell you things
 - b) Avoid high risk investments
 - c) Develop a refusal script "I don't do any financial dealing until I contact a state agency...."
 - d) Screen your calls
2. Look for Persuasion Flags
 - a) Phantom Riches....promises of huge profits
 - b) Source Credibility...citing names of famous people who have invested
 - c) Social Consensus... saying "everyone" is getting into this
 - d) Scarcity...saying this opportunity is for a limited time so you have to act now
 - e) Reciprocity....getting to know you and does some nice things for you so that you will want to reciprocate
3. Ask for and check the registration status of anyone trying to sell you securities

ETA YARD SALE START SAVING ITEMS

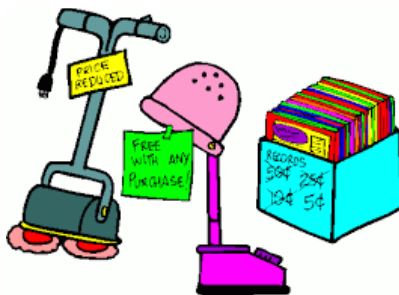
Friday and Saturday
September 9-10, 2016
8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Sherry Alimi-Kent's Home
1920 Atlantic Avenue, Prescott

You can deliver items to her house Sunday through Thursday, Sept. 4-8
Please label them with suggested prices!

No clothing please!

Nice household items in good condition such as kitchen utensils, pots, pans
bakeware, appliances, crystal items, unwanted new gifts, matched
sheets and towel sets, homemade items, tools, coolers, "manly" items, etc.

We will have sign up sheets at the June meeting for 2 hour shifts
on Friday & Saturday and will also need help setting up Thursday afternoon.
We will also need tables (labeled with your name) and plastic bags.



YEARBOOKS

Members, please keep your present ETA yearbooks until you receive the new ones next fall. For those of you who wish to keep the older books for reference- please just keep it. I like reusing anything we can just because I believe it is the right thing to do and because it does save some money. Just return the old book to me when you are through with it.

Thanks, Dorothy Eichbaum

ETA CHAPTER TURNS 75!

by Dorothy Eichbaum

From ETA Chapter's initiation in 1941 we have stayed active and involved. The first few years were involved in war efforts and teaching our military children in occupied countries. Education for all our children has remained a major focus. ETA members continue to support the efforts of our many teachers and presently volunteer work days in an elementary school.



We support national and state projects for Delta Kappa Gamma and education for girls in third world countries. We honor educators who receive awards and recognition as well as those who have passed on to Heaven's classroom. We gain members, we lose members- some to death, others to personal choice. We do continue to strive for interesting programs and camaraderie with each other. Cheers to our future!



ETA CHAPTER PICNIC AT POTATO PATCH IN MAY 1945

Standing left to right: Laura Upton, Dorothy Irish, Bess Scott

Second Row: Lora Chalmers, Lela Roach, Irene Wade, Mrs. Bethea, Edith Keller, Helena Frechtling

Bottom Row: Ida Flood Dodge (Omicron State President 1942-1944) Mildred King, Mary Kramer

Not picture but taking the photograph is Myrl Pope Dickinson, Eta's first historian

HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE HISTORY OF ETA CHAPTER FROM 1941-42
as written by the first historian, Myrl Pope Dickinson

Eta Chapter of DKG was organized in Phoenix, at the State Convention, on April 12, 1941. The chapter members of Eta were chosen by the State Chapter members, because they were known to have done outstanding work in their various fields or teaching, or because their names were presented to the State members by teachers of recognized ability. The charter members were:

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| Miss Emma L. Brosam, Jerome | Miss Lorine V. (McGehee) Abbott, Jerome* |
| Mrs. Ethel (Cureton) Harbauer, Jerome* | Miss Gladys Neil, Jerome |
| Miss Elizabeth B. Ebner, Prescott | Miss Ann Louise Oliver, Clarkdale |
| Miss Jeannette Elivian, Prescott | Miss Tabitha (South) Richards, Prescott* |
| Miss Alta Fogal, Jerome | Mrs. Myrl Pope (Symond) Dickison, Cottonwood* |
| Miss Dorothy Irish, Jerome | Miss Abbie Lee Taylor, Prescott |
| Miss Mary Jeannette Jobling, Prescott | Miss Doris Wade, Clarkdale |
| Miss Mary Kramer, Prescott | Miss Irene Wade, Prescott |

*maiden names in parentheses followed by names taken by married after initiation into Eta

At the organizational meeting, the DKG initiation ceremony was held, beautified by the scarlet scarf, official brass candlesticks and holders, and customary red roses. The ceremony was conducted by An Page Rogers, Dr. Vera E. Gibson, and Mary B. Price. All of the charter members were initiated with the exception of Tabitha South, Myrl Pope Symond, and Abbie Lee Taylor, who were unable to be present and Mary Kramer, who had transferred from Gamma Chapter. Myra Pope Symond and Abbie Lee Taylor were initiated on May 3 at the home of Elizabeth Exner in Prescott. This initiation ceremony was conducted by Mrs. Mary B. Price, then State President of DKG. The official colors and ceremonial equipment were used for this as for all subsequent initiations. Tabitha South was initiated at the home of Mary Kramer, May 6 following, by Mary Kramer and Abbie Lee Taylor. Copies of the Constitution and By-Laws of the DKG Society; DKG Handbook of Policies, Rulings, and Customs; and DKG Found's Day Bulletin were presented to new members, together with certificates of membership in DKG.

Officers elected for the two-year period 1941-1943 were:

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| President - Gladys Neil | Corresponding Secretary - Mildred King |
| 1st Vice President - Doris Wade | Treasurer - Dorothy Irish |
| 2nd Vice President - | Parliamentarian - Mary Kramer |
| Recording Secretary - Jeannette Elivian | |

Committee Chairmen chosen for 1941-1942 were:

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| Auditing - Mary Kramer | Initiation - Ann Oliver |
| Equal Opportunities - Doris Wade | Legislation - Abbie Lee Taylor |
| Progress of DKG - Jeanette Elivian | Letters, Publications, Ethel Cureton Program - Mary Jobling |
| Membership - Emma Brosam | Retirement - Elizabeth Ebner |
| Music - Mary Jobling | Scholarship - Myrl Dickinson |
| Nominating - Dorothy Irish | Social Affairs - Alta Fogal |

Four regular meetings were held during the year: October 4 at Prescott, November 1 at Jerome, March 1 at Clarkdale, and May 10 on Mingus Mountain. October 18 a special join meeting was held with Gamma Chapter at Todd's Lodge in Oak Creek Canyon.

Eta Chapter members who attended the State Convention in Phoenix were Alta Fogal, Dorothy Irish, Mildred King, Mary Kramer, Gladys Neil, Doris Wade and Irene Wade.

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HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE HISTORY OF ETA CHAPTER FROM 1941-42 (continued)**SPECIAL EVENTS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

Ida Flood Dodge, State President, attended the picnic on Mingus Mountain, and helped our chapter clear up perplexing problems.

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| AUDITING | Balance at beginning of year (April 1941) | \$ 0.00 |
| | Receipts | 421.55 |
| | Expenditures | 323.74 |
| | Balance at end of period (November 1942) | \$ 97.81 |

MEMBERSHIP

New members initiated during the year were:

| Active | Associate | Honorary |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|
| Mrs. Mert Abell, Jerome | Mrs. Bess Scott, Jerome | Miss Mata Dexter Prescott |
| Miss Mildred King, Prescott | | |

Irene Wade was away for the school year, having obtained a leave of absence to study at Syracuse University. Lorraine McGehee married and moved to Denver. Her name is now Mrs. Bert Abbott. Myrl Symond married, and is now Mrs. David Dickinson. Membership at close of year: 18 active, 1 associate, 1 honorary.

PROGRESS OF DELTA KAPPA GAMMA

This first year was devoted chiefly to familiarizing Eta Chapter members with the purposes and ideals of DKG, and with its Constitution and By-Laws. Various sections of the Constitution and By-Laws were studied at each meeting; a plan of study for the chapter was discussed; and routine matters such as the type of stationery desired, dates of elections, payment of dues, and auditing of books were decided upon.

Mary Kramer was appointed to keep a Chapter Scrap Book, and Myrl Dickinson to write the Chapter History. Florine Abbott made the scrap for use in ceremonies.

SOCIAL AFFAIRS

The major social events of the year were the meeting with Gamma Chapter in Oak Creek Canyon, and that on Mingus Mountain — which was an out-of-door picnic. All meetings were preceded by dinners. Group singing was a part of every gathering, and games were played following the business session at one meeting.





1962-1964 CHAPTER OFFICERS

Bessie Barnett - 1st VP, Galena Archer - 2nd VP, Celeste McGrew, Jinette Kirk (Omicron State President 1961-63), Vicky Wilson - Recording Secretary, Jean Valentine - President

Not picture but taking the photograph is Myrl Pope Dickinson, Eta's first historian

Omicron State Calendar

July 5-9, 2016

*International Convention
Opryland Resort
Nashville, Tennessee*

October 22, 2016

*Omicron State Fall Workshop
Metro Tech High School
1900 West Thomas Road
Phoenix, AZ*

January 13-15, 2017

*Creative Arts Retreat
Spirit in the Desert Retreat
Center
Carefree, Arizona*

April 21-23, 2017

*Omicron State Convention
Radisson Suites
6555 E. Speedway Blvd.
Tucson, AZ*

July 2017

*Southwest Regional Conference
Honolulu, Hawaii*

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2016-2018

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Mission Statement

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