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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' News

Hello everyone. I trust that all of you had an enjoyable summer. Joan and I are looking forward to Delta Chi meetings for this upcoming school year. We want to thank all of you that helped with the planning. We have scheduled most of our meetings on the second week of the month alternating between Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Our first meeting this year will be Thursday, September 7 at CCESC with check-in still at 5:45. Our Speaker Kate Carlier Currie, will share with us her project entitled Illustrated Memoir Project for Refugees. You will learn about high school refugees' student journeys. I'm sure you find it moving and inspiring.

Joint Chapter Luncheon and Meeting by Delta Psi will be held on Saturday, October 28 @ 11:30AM. Location will be at Cincinnati Woman's Club with Speaker Thea Tjepkema, entitled "Muses: Women of Music Hall". See invitation for details. For those attending your check and meal choice needs to be to Janet Davidson by September 26.



Our chapter will be making a basket for the Joint Chapter Luncheon raffle. Our theme is nature. If you have items to donate, please bring them to the September meeting.



It is with great sadness that I tell you that Lori Wiederhold's daughter Ali lost her battle with cancer this summer. Ali was a kindergarten teacher at Batavia. They asked for donations to go to Batavia Alumni. If you would like to contribute we will collect contributions at our September meeting.

Warm Regards,
Melody

September Delta Chi Meeting

RSVP Deadline:
August 30, 2023

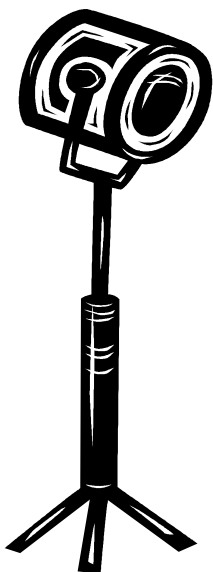
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In the Spotlight–Joint Chapter Luncheon



DELTA KAPPA GAMMA INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY

Joint Chapter Luncheon and Meeting

Saturday, October 28, 2023 at 11:30 a.m.

Cincinnati Woman's Club

330 Lafayette Avenue Cincinnati, Ohio 45220

Delta Psi Chapter proudly presents:

"Muses: Women of Music Hall"

Speaker: **Thea Tjepkema**, is a devoted preservationist, historian, and archivist and serves as a board member for both the *Friends of Music Hall* as well as the *Cincinnati Preservation Association*.

Menu: 2 Choices:

1) Chicken Piccata with angel hair pasta and dilled green beans or 2) Vegan vegetarian option – Fall Harvest Salad with dried cherries, feta, red onions, sunflower seeds, butternut squash and balsamic vinaigrette. **(Please indicate your choice on your check/reservation.)**

Dessert: Dark chocolate raspberry brownie with chocolate mousse

Beverages: Ice Tea, Coffee, and Lemonade

After lunch enjoy the presentation by Thea Tjepkema on "Muses: The Women of Music Hall."

Hear about the many women who have made an enormous impact on Music Hall, either as performers or in other significant roles.

Cost: \$ 30: Please send your check to your Chapter's treasurer by Monday, October 2nd. Indicate on the check your food preference.

Baskets: We ask that each chapter prepare a basket to raffle off at the luncheon. Choose any theme for your chapter basket. Please call or text our chapter co-president, Carol Moore (513-545-6377) with your chapter's theme. All proceeds will go toward **Imagination Library** and **Project Connect**. Baskets can be dropped off at the check-in table on the morning of the Joint Chapter Luncheon between 11:00 and 11:15 am.

Directions: Take the West Mitchell exit from I-75 S. Bare to the right off the exit ramp onto Mitchell Avenue. Turn left onto Kenard Ave (at the 1st traffic light). Take Kenard Ave all the way to the end (you'll pass Kroger on your right.) At the stop light make a left on to Clifton Ave. Clifton Avenue goes up a hill and winds around to the left. At the top of the hill, turn right on to Lafayette Ave. The entrance to the parking lot for the Cincinnati Woman's Club will be about 1 block down Lafayette Avenue on your right. There will be plenty of parking available. *Enter the front of the building, check-in, and you will be directed to the room where the luncheon is located.*

*Image provided by *Friends of Music Hall*

House of Peace

SEPTEMBER HOUSE OF PEACE

Remember to bring the following items to the September meeting:

SCHOOL SUPPLIES

I will shop for you if you are too busy.

Just bring cash, or check made out

to: Janice M. Denny

Thanks to everyone for donating items for House of Peace.

By: Jan Denny



September Birthdays

- 9-2 Judy Varney
- 9-8 Betsy Foreman
- 9-13 Janet Davidson
- 9-15 Cheryl Taylor
- 9-16 Phyllis Neal
- 9-16 Sally Smith

Legislative Report

Current items happening in the state legislature:

Bill passed that eliminates retention under the Third Grade Reading Guarantee unless a parent requests that the student be held back.

Still in committee- a bill that restructures and renames the Ohio Department of Education to "Department of Education and Workforce" and shifts ODE into a cabinet-level agency managed by an appointment from the governor's office. Reduces duties of State Board of Education to appointments, licensure, employee conduct, and territory transfers.

Reported by Martha Kleinfelter

Treasurer's Report—February 14, 2023 to August 13, 2023

RECEIPTS

Roothouse Aquaponics fees	\$250.00
Grant-in-Aid	\$95.00
Donation - Induction Expenses	\$31.00
Donation - Banquet Expenses	\$105.00
Banquet Meals	\$701.00
Donation - House of Peace	\$50.00
Dues - 38 active, 2 reserve members	\$2,864.00

TOTAL RECEIPTS \$4,096.00

DELTA CHI CHAPTER GRANT-IN-AID FUND

Beginning Balance 2/13/2023	\$1,863.70
Donations	\$95.00
Payment to Wilmington College	-\$1,000.00
Interest	\$0.45
Balance as of 8/13/2023	\$959.15
Edward Jones Investment (as of 8/13/2023)	\$14,763.39

DELTA CHI JOINT CHAPTER FUND

Beginning Balance 2/14/2023	\$1,037.66
Interest	\$0.26
Balance as of 8/13/2023	\$1,037.92

EDUCATIONAL EXCELLENCE FUND

Beginning Balance 2/13/2023	\$489.20
Interest	\$0.12
Balance as of 8/13/2023	\$489.32

SEED FUND

Beginning Balance 2/13/2023	\$228.02
Balance as of 8/13/2023	\$228.02

SAVINGS

Balance as of 2/13/2023	\$1,008.89
Interest	\$0.25
Balance as of 2/13/2023	\$1,009.14

DISBURSEMENTS

Roothouse Aquaponics	\$250.00
Phyllis Neal - speaker gifts	\$75.00
Oasis Conference Center - Banquet	\$790.89
Jan Denny for House of Peace	\$50.00
Melody Newman - President's expenses for State Convention	\$492.02
Stacie Ishmael - Membership Development	\$159.00
Wilmington College - Grant-in-Aid for Taylor Smith	\$1,000.00
Ohio State Organization - Dues, scholarship	\$514.00
DKG International	\$1,560.00
ADSOEF	\$40.00

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS \$4,930.91

OTHER ENTAILED FUNDS (WITHIN CHECKING)

MEMBER DEVELOPMENT SCHOLARSHIP	\$840.00
INITIATION EXPENSES	\$55.88
BANQUET EXPENSES	\$227.79
IMAGINATION LIBRARY	\$58.00
Total	\$1,181.67