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State President

International Guest Jane Tanner Joins Michigan in Port Huron

Jane is from Central New York, and she received her AB in mathematics from Cornell University, her MS in Education (secondary mathematics) from the State University of New York at Oswego, and has completed many hours of graduate work at the College of Environmental Science and Forestry at UCLA Extension. Jane taught middle and high school mathematics and computer information systems at Onondaga Community College, part of the State University of New York (SUNY). She served as a faculty member there for 36 years, having retired as professor emerita in 2018. Jane has been married to her husband Andy for 18 years. She has two step-children and four grandchildren. In 1969, Jane's aunt became a charter member of NY's Beta Kappa chapter. Growing up, Jane heard a lot about DKG and became a member of that chapter in 1991. She has served this chapter as recording secretary, webmaster, and president as well as chairing a number of committees. Currently she is a member of Chi chapter that meets annually with the Nu chapter from Ontario.



On the New York state level, she has served as Executive Secretary, Treasurer, and President, as well as, treasurer and vice-chair of the state foundation. Currently she is a member of the Gladys L. Mersereau Grants-in-Aid Committee and the State Achievement Award Committee from which she received this award in 2005. Internationally, Jane has been to every Northeast Regional and International Convention since 1995. She has served on the International Research, Golden Gift Fund, and Finance committees, and as chair of the Delta Kappa Gamma Educational Foundation. She is now busy as the Northeast Regional Director and coordinated last summer's Global Awareness International Conference in Mashantucket, CT.

In a recent issue of the *Collegial Exchange* (Vol 85-2), Jane tells how her leadership in DKG propelled her to become active in her national mathematics organization. She is a past president of AMATYC, the American Mathematical Association of Two-Year Colleges.

Jane looks forward to visiting Michigan in April.

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Art Education Program Chair at Kendall College



The National Art Education Association's Art Educator of the Year will share her large-scale community collaborations with the Grand Rapids Public Schools. She will discuss the impact of an art and literacy program on third graders' writing scores. Read her complete story on page 4.

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President's Message



Michigan State DKG

2019-2021 Biennium Theme

CREATING HOPEFUL LEARNING ENVIRONMENTS

Creating Hope

In writing a recipe for Creating Hope, I reflect back upon the work that I did when researching my dissertation. To study the idea of Creating Hopeful Learning Organizations, we used a qualitative method called PhotoVoice, in which the participants used photographs that they made as prompts for group discussions about the essential ingredients they needed to create hope.

The ingredients for creating hope that were most often included in the first discussion session were the following:

- The spark of understanding indicated by the looks in our students' eyes when "they got it."
- The feeling that teachers report when a student tells us how we've inspired them.
- The relationships that we develop with colleagues that lift our spirits.
- The comfort in the feeling that we know we are making a difference in our students' lives.

The things that I have listed above are mainly things that provide hope and validation for the teachers to continue in their profession, and don't accurately reflect what it is that teachers do to inspire hope in their students. When the teachers returned for the next discussion, they began to share and elaborate upon the environments that they created in their classrooms, which included the following:

- Scheduling time so that all students could be successful.
- Using alternative assessments and instructional supports for students with different needs.
- Working collaboratively with students using cooperative learning techniques.
- Respecting the contributions of all students by withholding judgement but purposely providing them with useful feedback about their work and allowing resubmissions.
- Allowing choices to make the learning student-centered.

Those things seemed so simply obvious, but the conversations surrounding them were deep and enriching.

My hope is that as an organization, DKG Michigan can embark upon a similar study of hope among ourselves. At your next chapter or Coordinating Council meeting, bring or take some pictures that remind you of the hopeful environments that you are creating. Have a dialog and make notes of the ingredients in our organization that create hope in the learning environments in which we do our work.

Bring your thoughts to the Spring Convention, and then share them with me or with one of the other "Hope Hostesses," who will be wearing a special "bee" pin (as in, "Bee Hopeful and Helpful!"), identifying themselves at your Saturday evening banquet tables. The key questions that I ask you to consider are,

- What hope do you create within this organization and how do you do it?
- What things in this organization bring you hope?
- What are the necessary ingredients in our DKG Michigan to create hopeful learning environments?

My friends, I have challenged you with some deep-thinking tasks. It is best to accomplish these tasks with your fellow members and touch them to connect in this organization as you consider these questions. I also invite you to be part of Creating Hope in DKG Michigan and in your chapters as we consider what that means for us in Port Huron, April 24-26, 2020.

Dr. Ranae Beyerlein, 2019-2021, Michigan State President

State Convention - Port Huron

**DO NOT MISS THE PRE-CONVENTION SEMINAR
FRIDAY, APRIL 24, 2020**

6:45-7:45 PM

“Iceland: Reykjavik and the Golden Circle with DKG”



Join Joyce Daglow, Gamma and Mary Oram, Gamma and get to know a bit about the beauty of Iceland's waterfalls, geysers, and thousand year old history and culture. Join us as we put you in the center of this country's natural landscapes through an interesting and informative Power Point.

1 SCECH

Join the Michigan State Rosebud Chorus



Join Choir Direct Sharon Thom, Beta Rho as she puts together an outstanding group of women educators and their voices to sing on Saturday night. This is always a delightful activity and anyone can join in! Singing is good for you too! The Music Committee looks forward to your participation!

Submitted by Sharon Thom, Beta Rho, State Chorus Director

**Michigan State DKG Convention
Chapter/Committee Sales Application
Saturday, April 25th at the Thomas Edison
DoubleTree by Hilton**

Chapter/Committee: _____

Topic: (Sales table or type of exhibit) **Note: bring all supplies needed to set up your 6-8 foot sales table*

Person(s) in charge _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

**Cost per table \$15. Make checks payable to Delta Kappa Gamma—Return by April 1, 2020 to:
Nancy Higgins, 11305 Island Lake Road
Dexter, MI 48130, nhigs@aol.com**

Top Ten Reasons to Attend Port Huron State Convention

We are hoping for a record attendance for State Convention on April 24th - 26th, 2020 at the Doubletree by Hilton.

Why should YOU come?

1. The DoubleTree Hotel has their signature warm chocolate chip cookies in the lobby.
2. Join us for fellowship, sisterhood and laughter.
3. Create hopeful learning environments.
4. You will enjoy a variety of workshops and opportunities to earn SCECHs.
5. You may be lucky and win a Funding Our Purposes raffle basket.
6. Come early on Friday and explore Port Huron's charm. Enjoy the views of the Blue Water Bridge and the St. Clair River.
7. Visit Michigan's oldest lighthouse - the Fort Gratiot was built during the War of 1812.
8. Meet and greet the new chapter presidents.
9. Honor your sisters who have passed away this past year at the Ceremony of Remembrance.
10. Enjoy a trolley tour around Port Huron, it is free! and takes place on Saturday at 3 different



Looking for Presiders to Help at DKG Convention



The Professional Affairs Committee can use your help and talents. Presiding a session is fun and easy. You introduce the presenter, pass out any handouts, stamp SCECH forms, and write a brief summary of your impressions of the session for the Wolverine. If you are interested in presiding over a session at the State Convention in Port Huron, MI., please contact me. If you would like to assist with any session, please let me know. I look forward to hearing from many of you.

*Joanna Coselman, Alpha Alpha, Professional Affairs
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State Convention - Port Huron

Dr. Cindy Todd, Keynote Speaker at the 2020 DKG Michigan Convention



Dr. Cindy Todd is the Art Education Program Chair at Kendall College of Art & Design of Ferris State University. She has served as President of the Michigan Art Education Association (MAEA) and Vice-President of National Art Education Association's (NAEA) western region. In 2019, she was a recipient of the prestigious National Art Educator Award. Her past awards include MAEA's 2015 Higher Education Art Educator of the Year Award, the NAEA's Student Chapter Sponsor Award of Excellence, and the Rochester Public School's Secondary Teacher of the Year Award.

Dr. Todd received her bachelor's and master's degrees from Wayne State University, Education Specialist degree from Oakland University, and doctorate from Western Michigan University. Before becoming a college professor, she taught K-12 art in Michigan public schools for over 14 years. Throughout her career, Dr. Todd has been passionate about STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math) education. In 2010, she co-created the Grand Rapids Art Museum educational program - Language Artists - which integrates literacy and the visual arts to help third-graders develop strong reading and writing skills alongside critical thinking and collaboration skills. Since its inception, the program was awarded grants from the National Endowment for the Arts and helped improve GRPS writing proficiency scores by 44% among participating schools. In 2011, Dr. Todd became a key designer on the collaborative team that created the newest public theme school in Grand Rapids - the Public Museum School (GRPMS) which is a product of an ongoing educational collaboration between the Grand Rapids Public Museum, Grand Rapids Public Schools, Kendall College of Art and Design of Ferris State University, Grand Valley State University, the City of Grand Rapids, and Downtown Grand Rapids, Inc. Using her broad expertise in design thinking and innovative pedagogy, Dr. Todd contributed to the development of a design-thinking/place-based curriculum which combines experiential, place-based learning with an emphasis on creative, transdisciplinary problem solving. The school currently serves 360 students in 6th through 10th grades., and will eventually serve up to 12th grade. Following its highly successful launch in 2015, the Public Museum School won one of ten \$10 million grants awarded through the XQ Super School Project in 2016.

Delta Kappa Gamma Society International Michigan State Convention Schedule Thomas Edison DoubleTree by Hilton "Creating Hope"

April 24-26, 2020

Friday, April 24, 2020

- 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM Convention Registration (**Closed** during Executive Board/General Membership meeting)
- 5:30 PM Presidents' Emeritae Dinner
- 5:45 PM - 7:15 PM **Buffet Dinner**
- 6:45 PM - 7:45 PM Pre-convention Session (1 SCECH available)
- 7:30 PM - 7:55 PM First-Timers' Orientation
- 8:00 PM - 10:00 PM Combined Executive Board/General Membership Meeting

All members are expected to attend and guests are invited.

Processional Rehearsal for Chapter Presidents

- 10:00 PM - 11:00 PM Social Time, Coordinating Councils Meet

Saturday, April 25, 2020

- 6:45 AM - 7:45 AM Aqua Fitness Fun
- 7:30 AM - 4:30 PM Convention Registration
- 6:45 AM - 8:15 AM **Breakfast Time**
- 8:00 AM - 3:20 PM Funding Our Purposes Auction, Chapter Sales and Informational Display (**Closed** during the General Membership Meeting)
- 8:50 AM - 10:30 AM General Membership Meeting

All members and guests are invited to attend.

Special Guest, Dr. Cindy Todd, 2019 National Art Educator of the Year, 9:30 AM—10:30 AM

"Impact Through Education" 1 SCECH

- 10:45 AM - 11:45 AM First Workshop Sessions
- 11:55 AM - 12:55 PM Second Workshop Sessions
- 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM **Buffet Lunch Opportunity**
- 2:10 PM - 3:10 - 4:10 3 One Hour Trolley Tours of Port Huron
- 2:10 PM - 3:10 PM Third Workshop Sessions
- 3:20 PM - 4:20 PM Fourth Workshop Sessions
- 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM Corsage Pick-up at Registration
- 6:15 PM Presidents' Procession and Head Table Line-up

- 6:30 PM - 10:00 PM **Presidents' Banquet**

All members and guests are invited to attend.

Alpha Iota State Rosebud Chorus
Distinguished Service Award
Alpha Iota State Woman of Distinction Presentation

Sunday, April 26, 2020

- 7:30 AM - 9:00 AM Convention Registration
 - 8:00 AM - 8:45 AM Celebration of Life and Remembrance
- All members and guests are invited to attend.*

- 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM **Awards Brunch:**
- Founders' Celebration
- Executive Board Reconvened
- Evaluations
- Funding Our Purposes Auction Announcements
- Delta Kappa Gamma Song
- Awards Pick-up
- 12:10 PM Program of Work Committee Meeting

State Committees

Studying or Redrafting a Main Motion What can you do?



During a meeting, while discussing a main motion, it may become clear that the motion needs more work, it may need to be restated so it is more accurate, there may be a need for more information. or it may need further study as to the implications of the motion for the group. To amend the motion during the meeting, may take too much time. The motion can be sent to a committee for further study by the subsidiary motion 'To Commit or Refer to a Committee.'

A motion to commit may send the motion to a standing committee, or to a special committee appointed to study the referred motion. The motion should specify which committee, and if a special committee is recommended, the motion should specify the number of committee members and the method of their selection. The motion should also specify when the committee should report back to the main body.

Any proposed amendments to the main motion that are pending at the time the motion is referred to a committee go to the committee as well.

The motion to commit or refer must be seconded; it is debatable and amendable, but discussion and amendments must refer to the motion to commit, not to the main motion. It takes a majority vote to pass.

Information for this article is from *Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised, 11th edition*, and *Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised In Brief*.

Submitted by Gloria Richards, Nu, Michigan State Parliamentarian

Me an Officer? Me a Committee Member?



During our 2021 State Convention at the Doubletree Hotel Bay City-Riverfront, Bay City, Michigan DKG will elect new officers and members of the Nominations Committee. Officers are: President, First Vice president, Second Vice president, Recording Secretary, and Corresponding Secretary.

Therefore, it is time to begin this nomination process. If you are interested in serving, you can find the application for nomination on the state website www.dkgmichigan.org/Resources/StateForms. The application deadline is November 1, 2020.

If you wish to serve on the next Nominations Committee, the membership includes: one past state president, one past chapter president, one current chapter president, and two members-at-large, one of whom has state level experience. If you have been involved in the state and/or international organizations, you are encouraged to apply to serve on an International DKG committee. Go to dkg.org and look for International Nominations Committee to download an application. Due May 1, 2020. If you have questions or concerns, you may contact any member of the Nominations Committee or email the chair. (Email addresses are on the PAC Roster on the state website.)

Marilyn Hopkins, Mu, Chair Nominations Committee

We Want to Visit with You

One of the most valuable rewards for your chapter could be a visit from a state officer. You may select any officer, and we will do our best to match your request times. Dates can be reserved until June 30, 2021.

We have had 6 visitations so far and met many wonderful sisters. The events that were planned varied and were well attended by their members. Dr. Ranae Beyerlein talked briefly about her goals for the biennium. We have 7 more visitations planned and are willing to add more to our schedule.

Visitation forms are on the website dkgmichigan.org. You can also email me: judifisher@yahoo.com or mail the form to: Judi Fisher, 20180 Rippling Lane, Northville, MI 48167. Phone: 248-808-0477 Call if you have questions.

Submitted by Judi Fisher, Gamma Alpha, State Visitation Chair



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Funding Our Purposes



Our Funding Our Purposes raffle was a great success at the Fall Conference in Muskegon. Many thanks to the volunteers who helped set up, sell tickets and of course to all who brought baskets and items for auctions. Thanks to who purchased tickets to help make it a great success!

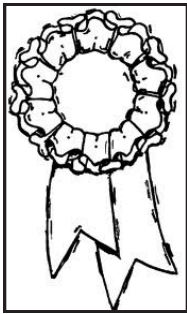
The auction earned \$1390 for World Fellowship. The Member Supporting Member sales earned \$281. At the Spring Convention in Port Huron, April 24-26, 2020 we will hold another auction. Large and small items will be needed from chapters and individuals.

Remember that you must complete a form for the State of Michigan (available online at dkgmichigan.org) to turn in your donation. Each item must be described with a value noted. Proceeds from the auction go to these funds: Scholarships, World Fellowship, and Members Supporting Members. Your contribution to the auction also helps your chapter to earn a point in the #8 criteria for the Award of the Rose.

Thank you for your continuing participation and generosity.

Submitted by Nancy Higgins, Zeta, State Funding Our Purposes Chair

Lifetime Service Award Honors Members



During the last biennium, many chapters in Michigan State have honored longtime members with the Lifetime Service Award. Does your chapter have members who fit the following categories: the woman has been a DKG member for at least fifty years or has reached the age of eighty?

This award seeks to honor members for their important contributions to education and to DKG. These women have been a major part of the success and history of the Society in our state which has impacted education worldwide. Choose to honor these key women educators by sharing the accomplishments of these members; this will help newer members appreciate the past, the projects, and legacy of the chapter and will inspire participation and inspiration in both the Society and in educational activities in the community.

- To honor a woman or women from your chapter, first choose the member (s) to be honored as recipients of the Lifetime Service Award.
- Then, using the form that is available on the state DKG website www.dkgmichigan.org: look under "Resources" and "State Forms", list the individual major educational work and accomplishments and describe the member's involvement and leadership in DKG
- Be sure to include involvement at all levels of DKG: chapter, state, and International.
- Send the completed application to the email address on the form.
- A certificate for presentation will be sent from Alpha Iota State DKG.
- There is no deadline for this award application but please allow time for the certificate to be mailed.
- The honor may be bestowed upon women any time of the year.
- Your chapter may choose the time and place to present this award.
- When the certificate is presented, give special honor to the recipient by sharing her life story in education and DKG.
- Take pictures and send an account of the honor to *The Wolverine*
- Celebrate the women of your chapter. Acknowledge and applaud their accomplishments!

Submitted by Nancy Everett, Alpha Xi, State Immediate Past President

Pins Available for honoring: Michigan Chapter Woman of Distinction.

Red letters are on a gold background.

The dark areas are raised gold.

Available at State meetings or via mail with small shipping charge.

Contact J-Jay Pechta at jpechta.dkg@comcast.net



Key Woman Educator Pin

Pin shows gold laurel leaves with a diamond setting.

An open red rose with green leaves outlined in gold on a black background is in the center.

The DKG letters are in red. Gold letters read...

"KEY WOMEN EDUCATORS."



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History of DKG

The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International was founded May 11, 1929, at the Faculty Women's Club at the University of Texas, Austin, Texas. Alpha Chapter of Alpha State Organization placed a plaque where the Women's Club once stood on campus. Dr. Annie Webb Blanton, member of the faculty of the University of Texas and a former state superintendent of public instruction in Texas, conceived the idea of an organization for women educators. Eleven women educators from Texas, representing various professional positions in education, were initiated by Dr. Blanton. Alpha Chapter was installed on June 3, 1929.

These 12 Founders were Dr. Annie Webb Blanton, Austin, Texas; Miss Mamie Sue Bastian, Houston, Texas; Miss Ruby Cole, San Antonio, Texas; Miss Mabel Grizzard, Waxahachie, Texas; Dr. Anna Hiss, Austin, Texas; Miss Ray King, Fort Worth, Texas; Miss Sue King, Fort Worth, Texas; Dr. Helen Koch, Austin, Texas; Mrs. Ruby Terrill Lomax, Austin, Texas; Dr. Cora M. Martin, Austin, Texas; Mrs. Lalla M. Odom, Austin, Texas; and Miss Lela Lee Williams, Dallas, Texas. (All are deceased.)

The Founders believed that there was need for an organization in which women educators—rural and urban teachers; preschool, elementary, high school, college, and university teachers; librarians; school administrators; supervisors—might be united for efforts toward better professional preparation, recognition of women's work in the teaching profession, and scholarships for those needing aid in improving their professional preparation.

Submitted by Lynne Elsesser, Gamma Alpha, State Historian

Do Not Miss Out On Opportunities for Scholarships and Grants Apply by April 1, 2020



Delta Kappa Gamma has competitive scholarships at both the State and International levels. There are grants for educators working on a graduate degree, retaining, or seeking an additional endorsement in education. The DKG Educational Foundation grants more than \$150,000 each year to support creative projects, seminars, and professional development.

Michigan State DKG offers non-competitive grants to attend the International Convention in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. This year the Jane Goudreault Memorial Grant will offer two grants for partial reimbursement to first timers to attend the International Convention in July. The International Convention Grant is also available, one time only to partially cover the cost of the registration fee for the 2020 Convention. One member from **each chapter** is eligible.

Two \$1,000 scholarships, two \$500 scholarships for retraining or additional endorsements, and one \$800 scholarship for graduate study may be awarded at the Spring Convention. Information and application forms are on the Michigan Website: dkgmichigan.org; see "State forms" under "Resources." Please contact the committee chair for help and questions. You may also check with your chapter president or the website for the guidelines in the State Bylaws and Standing Rules publication. Scholarship applications need to be submitted by **April 1st**. A plan of study and proof of acceptance at a college/university is required.

There are international scholarships available from \$2,000 to \$10,000 for educational enrichment and help in funding additional degrees.

Information and application forms for any of the Michigan State DKG grants can be found online at dkgmichigan.org. *Applications must be postmarked by April 1, 2020.*

Submitted by Mary Oram, Gamma State Scholarship Chair gardenatthelake@comcast.net

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2019-2020 Season of Coordinating Councils



Our Coordinating Councils are actively meeting for the **2019-2020 Season**. Each council is preparing or has held their annual event.

The **Northern Lights Coordinating Council** met at BJ's in Gaylord on 10-26-19. The guest speaker was officer Corey Hebner, MI State Police Liaison Officer from the Gaylord Post. He had a video about Human Trafficking including the warning signs to be aware of in various areas of the community & along highway truck stops. The Chapter Presidents in attendance voted to send \$200.00 to Theresa Flores's S.O.A.P. project.

The **Capital Area Coordinating Council** has planned their celebration and meeting for March 21, 2020 at the Eaton Area Senior Center, 804 Cochran Road, Charlotte at 11:00 a.m.

The **Riverlake Coordinating Council** will meet on April 18, 2020 at noon, at Andiamo's, 7096 E. 14 Mile Rd., Warren, MI for their annual Birthday Celebration. Contact Pat Eppley at 5290 Lake Shore Drive, Fort Gratiot, MI 48059.

All DKG sisters are welcome to attend any Coordinating Council meeting. Local councils like to greet old friends and meet new friends at their council events. We hope to see you there!

We are looking for members who would like to serve on the Coordinating Council Committee. The roles of our Committee members include attending local Coordinating Councils and reporting to the co-chairs.

If you are interested in becoming part of the Coordinating Councils Committee, contact Co-chairs Kay at kaylee99@frontier.com or Bernice at bernicehaglund@gmail.com.

Submitted by Kay Tebo, Gamma Eta and Bernice Haglund, Beta Beta, State Coordinating Councils Co-Chairs

Coming Soon DKG Dues Collection



Just a reminder to all members that DKG dues will again be collected in the spring. This change was made to align the financial timelines and windows of the chapters, the State and International organizations. Your chapter treasurer may start collecting dues as early as April, and she will continue accepting dues throughout May and early June. Please do not delay in paying your dues, as your chapter treasurer needs to complete the posting of the dues in a timely fashion.

The state portion of dues for active members is \$23 per person, and those for reserve and collegiate members is \$11. Your state dues also include a scholarship fee that now stays in the state's coffers to provide scholarships to DKG members. In addition, your chapter most likely charges dues for the chapter's treasury. Your treasurer will inform you of the total amount.

Please know that each member is able to access, after signing in on the website, their profile on the DKG website, under "My DKG" and "My Account". There you are able to make any changes needed to your mailing address, phone number and/or email address. This insures that the state organization and International have correct contact information for members. (There are may other things you can select and opt into on "My Account". Take a look!)

Lastly, if you are away from home for a period of time and have your mail forwarded by the postal service, please make arrangements to receive your DKG mailings that may be sent. If, for example, you are a snowbird and are not at your home address in the winter, when an issue of *The Wolverine* comes out, please provide an alternate mailing address to me (state treasurer) so we can have your copy sent to your alternate address. If you have mail forwarded, magazines and publications are not always sent along, and the state wastes money on printing and mailing an issue that you then do not receive! Thank you! If you have questions contact me at lizvanwestdkg@yahoo.com.

Submitted by Liz VanWestenburg, Gamma Gamma, State Treasurer

Anniversary Pins available for sale. Cost \$9.00 each, shipping extra. To order pins contact J-Jay Pechta at jpechta.dkg@comcast.net



Bright Gold



Antique Copper



Antique Gold



Bright Copper



Bright Silver



Bright Gold



Bright Gold



Bright Gold



Bright Gold



Bright Gold

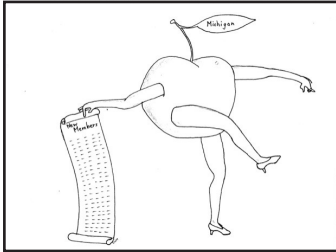


NEW Diamond Shape

Black background with Gold Inlay. A diamond gem for that special member can be awarded by the Chapter or State as a special award. The pin reads International Society for Key Women Educators..

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Cherry-Buckeye Membership Challenge



Please remember the Cherry-Buckeye Membership Challenge. According to my records, we have already inducted ten new members as of February 1st. As we traditionally induct more in the spring, I am looking forward to a big boost before September 1st. Remember to consider non-traditional candidates, if your chapter is comfortable with them. Student memberships are also available. Share your enthusiasm for DKG with friends and instructors. I will be sending chapter presidents communiques to share with their chapter membership chairs as we continue the challenge, and to update our progress. I will continue to establish contact with the buckeye group to get a sense of how they are progressing. Keep up the good work, ladies and remember our theme song, “Be a Cherry!”

Cindy Dietz, Gamma Alpha, Expansion/Membership Chairperson

Nominations Open for State Distinguished Service Award



Please reflect on your chapter’s previous *Friend of Education* honorees and other outstanding service-to-education contributors in your community, and select one to be considered for **The State Distinguished Service Award**.

Chapters make nominations and then a state organization committee determines which of the nominees is most worthy of recognition during the State Convention. This is a competitive state award, not a chapter award. Nominees may be recipients of a chapter *Friend of Education Award* or may be other persons the chapter wishes to recognize at the state level for their community and/or state support of education. If your chapter has nominated previously someone who was not selected, please submit your nominee again.

Please see the information under **Distinguished Service Award** on the state DKG website dkgmichigan.org

Submitted by Sharon Smith, Epsilon, State 2nd Vice President

Chapters Share Your Friend of Education Honorees



The **Friend of Education Award** recognizes persons or groups who have given outstanding support and note-worthy service to education in Michigan. Any chapter may give the award to an individual or community group that the chapter deems worthy of such recognition. This is a reminder to chapters to let us know your Friend of Education honorees.

Chapters have the autonomy in determining who is to receive the award and how the award will be presented. It is totally up to the chapter – to establish criteria, to nominate, to confirm, and to present. Michigan State supports your chapter’s award by providing **The Friend of Education Certificate** with a seal, thus confirming the award at the state level. The chapter determines who, when, how, why, and how many Friend of Education awards will be given.

For **Guidelines** and **Report Form**, please see the information under **Friend of Education** on the state DKG website www.DKGmichigan.org

Submitted by Sharon Smith, Epsilon, Michigan State 2nd Vice President

Visit the Alpha Iota State Website for:

- ▶ Pontiac Convention Forms
- ▶ Scholarship and Grant-in-aid Applications
- ▶ President’s Newsletters
- ▶ Chapter Resource Section

Membership



**A Special Welcome
to Michigan State Inductees**

Alpha Epsilon

Wendy Jenks
Courtney Patrick
Jodie Scheid



Alpha Omega

Julie Fizell
Donna Vozar
Shelley Williams

* **Reinstated**
H—**Honorary**

Carolyn Schalk, Alpha Xi

Carolyn joined DKG in 1967. She served as Treasurer of Alpha Xi Chapter for almost 32 years. She was named chapter Woman of Distinction in 1997. She rarely missed a chapter meeting and she attended some State Conventions. Carolyn was a treasured member of the chapter.

She graduated as valedictorian of her high school class. She attended Montmorency County Normal and later earned her Bachelor's Degree from Central Michigan University. She taught in a one-room school (Green School) for three years grades K-8. She taught first grade at Atlanta Community Schools for 35 years. Carolyn retired in 1985.

November 14, 1928 - September 3, 2019

White Roses in Memoriam

Marie Antoinette Lyons, Alpha Lambda

Marie was initiated in 1976. She served as the hostess of many events and chapter visitations and she was honored as Chapter Woman of Distinction in 2001.

Marie taught Kindergarten and First grade for many years in Lansing Michigan. Marie was among the first African American teachers in the Lansing School District.

Marie was loving and many former students sought out her company for lunch until her passing. Marie was devoted to caring for her mentally challenged brother for many years. She was active in her church, helping with various ministries and community organizations.

October 3, 1933 - October 19, 2019

Elaine Hishok

Elaine was a member of DKG for 26 years. She served as the chapter's membership and nominations committee chairperson.

Elaine taught grades 1-5 in the Van Dyke School District in Warren MI. She was in charge of Student Council and Safety Patrol. She taught for 27 years.

September 20, 1958 - December 5, 2019

Chapter Presidents and Membership Chairs

The Necrology Committee publishes obituaries in *The Wolverine*. A copy of the obituary that is published and a booklet from the Ceremony of Remembrance is sent to the family or friend.

There are many members whose deaths are observed in chapter newsletters but the editor cannot list them in *The Wolverine* until **Form 6** is sent by the chapter to:

Pamela Olech (Alpha Theta)
2339 Prado Vista Lane
Howell, MI 48843-6820



**State Necrology
Chair 2019-2021**

One way to honor sisters who have passed away is to contribute to Delta Kappa Gamma in their name. They will be honored in *The Wolverine* and their legacy will continue to impact Key Women Educators. Contact the state treasurer, Liz VanWestenberg at lizvanwestdkg@yahoo.com.



Membership

White Roses in Memoriam

Frances Robbins, Alpha Tau

Frances was an active member of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society International since October 1970. She held, multiple leadership positions to support women educators. She served as president, Chair of Membership, Finance, Personal Growth and Services, Research, Nominations, and Parliamentarian. In 1980 she received the Alpha Tau Chapter Women of Distinction award. Over her tenure she was on all of the chapter's committees as a member. She also served as the State Recording Secretary and served on the Scholarship Committee.

She was a life-long educator who began in a one-room schoolhouse, graduated from high school as salutatorian, continued her education at Central Michigan and Northern Michigan Universities completing both her bachelors and masters degrees in elementary education. Frances was an educator for forty-seven years. She taught elementary art, music, physical education, kindergarten, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th grades. She was also the Brimley elementary principal from 1970 to 1995. Along with this she was a counselor for a tutoring program. She served one summer as the Interim Superintendent in Brimley. She led numerous initiatives and earned a wide-range of awards and recognitions for her efforts to educate local youth. The Brimley School Board dedicated the School Library in her name in 2013.

October 27, 1928 - December 17, 2019

Evelyn Malcomson, Beta Kappa

Evelyn was a member of the DKG Beta Kappa chapter. Evelyn joined the chapter in 2017. She worked at the yearly chapter yard sale, participated in the yearly December auction and attended meetings regularly.

Evelyn earned a masters degree from Western Michigan University. She taught 6th grade in the Morley Stanwood School District for 35 years before she retired.

Evelyn was an active member of her church. She also served on the Walton Erickson Public Library Board in Morley. She was involved with fundraisers and grant writing for the library.

March 11, 1951 - Dec. 21, 2019

Kathleen "Kay" Koch, Gamma Gamma

Kay joined Gamma Gamma in September 1982. Through the years she served in many roles within the chapter. She was always an active member of committees, participating in many of the projects and activities of the chapter. She was a proud member of DKG.

Kay earned a Bachelor's degree from the University of California at Santa Barbara and two Master's degrees from Eastern Michigan University in Ypsilanti. She taught elementary school for more than 30 years, specializing in special education and reading. She taught in the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools, from which she retired in 2000.

Mrs. Koch was active in the Plymouth-Canton Branch of the American Association of University Women. Kay cared deeply about students and education. She was a devoted teacher and will be remembered by many students, colleagues and parents

December 1, 1939 - December 27, 2019



Membership

White Roses in Memoriam

Lola Mukogawa, Beta Epsilon

Lola was a member of DKG since 1973. Lola worked tirelessly for the chapter. She held the position of Chapter Treasurer since 2003. She was the Friendship Chairperson for the chapter. Lola made all of the baskets for Funding Our Purposes as well as baskets for Riverlake Council's raffle. Lola attended State Conventions in the past.

Lola taught in the VanDyke School District in Warren, at Carson and McKinley Elementary. She taught third grade for over 40 years.

Lola was an active volunteer at her church. She provided snacks for the children during Vacation Bible School. She made school kits to send overseas and bought the supplies for these herself.

August 28, 1944 - September 10, 2019

Janet Gerstler, Pi

Jan joined in 1995 and served DKG:as secretary, vice-president, president, and chairperson for the Scholarship Committee. She was a member of the Great Southwest Coordinating Council. She also served on the Celebration of Life Committee for the State.

Janet first attended Madonna College where she received her Bachelors in Education, and then received her Masters of Science in Education at Indiana University, South Bend. She taught special education for over twenty-three years, at both Eastside and Ballard Schools in Niles. Jan was a remarkable special education teacher. She helped in the development of one of the most successful educational programs in the Niles Community Schools District. The LILY Program for Language Impaired/Learning Impaired students. This program helped so many young learners develop life-long learning skills in reading, writing and math. Jan was a Master teacher and was loved by her students and their parents.

March 14, 1944 - September 22, 2019

Mary Browning, Alpha Rho

Mary was a member of Alpha Rho since August 2017. She was involved in many chapter fundraising projects and contributed to chapter foundation efforts. Mary had become ill about one year into her membership which kept her from participating in many of our activities. She graduated from Penn State University with a degree in Recreation. Mary first taught at Perry Nursery School before starting her family. When Mary went back to work she was a technical typist for the Chemistry Department at U of M.

Mary was a Girl Scout leader. She also worked for prison reform and restorative justice through Friends of Restorative Justice (FORJ) and mental health through Project Transition. Mary helped with adoption groups such as Columbian American Friends and Spalding for children as well as CROP WALK and the Remember Program at Pine Ridge Reservation, Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder, racial and economic justice through Interfaith Council for Peace and Justice (ICPJ) and affordable housing issues. Mary was involved with Civil Rights and as a result she received the Church of the Good Shepard (COGS) 2009 Martin Luther King, Jr Day Award.

May 8, 1937 - November 30, 2019

Membership

White Roses in Memoriam

Bequest of Delta Kappa Gamma Pins

In the event of my death, I respectfully request that my family donate my Delta Kappa Gamma Pins to: _____ Chapter or to the Michigan (Alpha Iota) State Organization

Signed: _____

Date: _____

Please cut this out or make a copy and place with your pins, so that your heirs will know what to do with them.

Honor a future member with your legacy.

*They lived and brought a bit of beauty, love, and faith.
Now their lives will ever be reflected in our hearts.*



Honoring Our Deceased Sisters: 2020 Ceremony of Remembrance



The 2020 Ceremony of Remembrance, honoring deceased Delta Kappa Gamma women, will be held on Sunday, April 26 during the State Convention at the Thomas Edison Inn DoubleTree. Members, including honorary members, for whom Form 6 has been received by February 28, 2020, will be honored in the 2020 ceremony. The ceremony honors and celebrates the lives our departed sisters through music, readings, candle lighting, placing of roses, and by reading the names of these women. If the passing of a sister has touched your chapter, we ask that a representative of your chapter participate in the ceremony by placing a rose and lighting a candle.

Many chapters hold their own ceremony at a chapter meeting and place a white rose for the member similar to what is done at the convention. Some use a poem or reading of their choice and most include a remembrance or tribute to the deceased member in their chapter newsletter.

Chapters may ask the family if they would like to have a White Rose Ceremony at the funeral or memorial service. Chapter members often attend the funeral services individually or as a group and may be invited to talk or to share something about their sister.

A chapter may choose to have a dinner to honor their sister or just reminisce at a chapter function. Whatever way your chapter chooses to honor departed members, it is the remembering of our deceased members that is important. As members of Delta Kappa Gamma, we bond through our shared interests, experiences, and friendships. Honoring our sisters at their passing is a significant and poignant expression of the depth of our compassion for one another.

If your chapter has other ways to honor deceased members, please share those with the Michigan State Ceremony of Remembrance Committee.



*Submitted by Michigan State Ceremony of Remembrance Committee 2019-2021 Chair
Patricia Wittler, Delta, Wit64ler@aol.com*

Chapter News

Alpha Rho and Teachers Helping Teachers

For the fifth year in a row, our chapter has been collecting usable materials that the Ann Arbor teachers no longer need and giving them to teachers in districts who are underfunded and in need of classroom supplies. This year we will work solely with the Hamtramck School District. Here's how it works:

1. The Hamtramck teachers (elementary and secondary) generate a list of items they need for their classroom. They send it to the Superintendent's secretary, and she sends the list to us.
 2. We speak to the participating Ann Arbor schools, between February and March and give them the list generated by the Hamtramck teachers, so they can start collecting items.
 3. We have a "point person" at each school (usually a teacher or secretary), who sets aside an area for collection.
 4. On the Monday after school has been dismissed for the year, we go to the schools, pick up the items, and resort, box and label items for easy identification.
 5. Arrangements have been made for a truck from the Hamtramck Schools to pick the items up the next day-Tuesday.
- This has been a very successful partnership, and we have been able to distribute useful teaching materials, books, printers, pencils, glue sticks, etc., to make a significant impact on education.

Submitted by: Pat Stejskal, Alpha Rho Chapter President



Alpha Rho sisters enjoy a moment of relaxation after loading a truck full of school supplies for Hamtramck Public School Teachers.



Pat Nordberg of Rho Chapter presenting Friend of Education Award to Chuck Yaeger, Board Member of Morton House. Also pictured Denise Reeves, Board Member and Miriam Pede, Rho.



Robyn Emde, Rho (right) presents Chapter Woman of Distinction Award to Laura Richburg, Rho (left), who serves as their chapter yearbook and newsletter editor.

Art is Good for Kids



On October 15, 2019 **Ibba Glaske**, retired St. Joseph Elementary art teacher and a member of Rho, led a program called "Art Is Good for Kids and the World." She divided those present into teams of three who took turns adding details which she directed to draw a cooperative picture of a fish. The meeting ended by teams showing their masterpieces. At 90, she is

one of our "oldest" presenters and also a member of Rho for 55 years. Ibba is pictured with two former students, Barbara Peeples and Robyn Emde, both DKG members

Submitted by Patty Nordberg, Rho

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State Committees

Congratulations to Dr. Elena Ivanova for Winning the Golden Gift!

Michigan State DKG has another Golden Gift recipient as Dr. Elena Ivanova, Beta Chi will be honored with the leadership training this Summer, 2020. Dr. Ivanova is the only Golden Gift Award Winner from Michigan and was selected with 20 other DKG women from 5 different DKG regions. She will travel to Texas for one week of leadership training at the end of July. Previous award winners from Michigan include Nancy Everett, Dr. Betty Brogan, Sally Garrison-Shaw, Sharleen Gonzalez and Eileen Rodak.



The Golden Gift Award was established in 1979 in the 50th anniversary year of DKG. The Golden Gift committee selects the participants. The curriculum offers insight into new ways of exercising leadership, utilizing effective strategies to address the extraordinary demands placed on leaders today, and supporting ethics, values, and high principles. This will enhance and enrich the training for future leaders in our Society and profession. DKG Ignite! is for members already involved in leadership roles and those who are emerging leaders seeking opportunities to grow and develop. The purpose meets the goals of our society which include recognizing women in the field of education, empowering members to take leadership roles and providing networking opportunities for leaders and emerging leaders. Congratulations Elena!

Submitted by Anne Wade, Alpha Lambda, State Editor

AN ATTITUDE OF GRATITUDE

“We can only be said to be alive in those moments when our hearts are conscious of our treasures.” – Thornton Wilder

When life gets hectic and you begin to feel overwhelmed, take a moment to focus on the people and things for which you are grateful. When you are grateful, other things will fall by the wayside. For example, you probably won't be able to feel jealous and grateful at the same time. You might even be thankful for someone else's success or their contribution to you, and brings you to the present moment. One of the most impressive reasons for being grateful is the positive impact on the way you think and feel. Research shows that grateful people have, “higher reported levels of the positive states of alertness, enthusiasm, determination, attentiveness and energy.”

One strategy to nurture an Attitude of Gratitude is to develop a **Gratitude Journal**. Each evening you can list the things for which you are grateful. Start with just five things. You will soon see that your list is much longer than you expected.

So try adopting the above tactics, even just one or two, in order to develop an overall grateful mindset. It takes a bit of work, but having an attitude of gratitude is one of the most impactful habits for a fulfilling and healthy life. The record it creates will become pages and pages of your personal history of abundance. Being thankful gives you perspective on your situation.

Submitted by Joyce Daglow, Gamma Chapter

Alpha Theta Unwinds



January meetings in Michigan can be somewhat of a challenge. Winter weather can make travel problematic. And, a lot of our snowbirds travel south to enjoy milder temperatures. Yet, Alpha Theta manages to keep true to a Wellness Theme in January in past years with some great success.

This year we welcomed a yogi from the local yoga studio. She led us through a session called Hiawatha Yoga, which is wellness based. We listened to soothing tones as she encouraged us to listen to our bodies, and to take the time to stop and BREATHE. Such power in this exercise! Some of us were on the floor with our yoga mats, while others could participate sitting in a chair. It was quite an invigorating experience. The Savasana Stage, or final resting pose, provided a satisfying release.

Our chapter is fortunate to have a diverse membership consisting of retirees and active teachers. A Wellness Theme in January has been a great way for us to reconnect after the hustle and bustle of the holiday season. Through these unique offerings, each of us has had an opportunity to learn and grow.

Submitted by Karen Lessnau-Scott, Alpha Theta President

Women in the Arts Information & Registration

2020 Women in the Arts

Need a break between the hyperactivity of the start of the school year and the chaos of the holidays? The DKG Michigan State Organization has just the event. The Women in the Arts Conference is a weekend you can spend crafting or just relaxing. This year we return to Kettunen Center Friday evening November 13 through Sunday morning November 15. Located in Tustin near Cadillac, Michigan and situated on Center Lake, the scenery is beautiful. Our rooms are hotel-style, double occupancy with private bathrooms and your price includes buffet style meals and 24 hour beverage bars. You can take a craft class from one of our talented DKG members, hike the trails or sprawl in the lounge with a snack. We had record attendance last year so be sure to reserve your spot early. Unfortunately we cannot accept registrations after the due date. See you there!



WOMEN IN THE ARTS

Friday, November 13 – Sunday, November 15, 2020

Arrival 4:00 p.m. or later – 12:00 noon Sunday

Kettunen Center, 14901 4H Drive, Tustin, Michigan 49688

(231) 829-3421

REGISTRATION FORM

Deadline September 9, 2020

Sorry, due to the nature of our lodgings, no late registrations can be accepted

Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Chapter _____

Roommate Preference _____

HOUSING OPTIONS (Requests honored based on date of Registration)

_____ RED OAK WING of Main Building (hotel style rooms, 2 double beds, private bathroom)

\$222 for lodging and 4 meals, \$239 with Friday dinner included

Add \$60 for Single Occupancy (\$282/ \$299 with Friday dinner)

_____ WHITE PINE WING of Main Building (2 single beds per room, private bathroom)

\$195 for lodging and 4 meals, \$214 with Friday dinner included

Add \$60 for Single Occupancy (\$255/ \$274 with Friday dinner)

Total Remitted: _____

Make check payable to: DELTA KAPPA GAMMA

Send to: Kathy O'Neill, 8402 Bellechasse Dr., Davison, MI 48423

Cancellation Date: Sept. 9, 2020 for a full refund

Would you be willing to present an activity? _____

If so, which one? _____

Join your Delta Kappa Gamma sisters at Kettunen Center for our Women in the Arts weekend. Learn a new craft, bring one of your own or just relax.

You do not need to be a DKG member. Guests are welcome.

Price includes 2 nights lodging and 4 or 5 meals.

11/13 Check in at 4:00

Optional dinner at

5:30 for \$17.50

11/14 Breakfast,

Lunch & Dinner

11/15 Breakfast only

In mid October, you'll receive an email listing activities & other info about the weekend.

Please add us to your Address Book so that you receive these emails.

Thanks!

Claire Rettenmund
cerbirder@yahoo.com
(810)938-5667

Kathy O'Neill
koneill0444@charter.net
(810)653-0444

Michigan Artists on International Gallery of Arts

Art Work From Six Michigan Members Accepted

Before you miss your opportunity, check out the gallery soon. There are 6 Michigan members represented in this Fall 2019 Gallery. A member can submit an entry application only twice a year to be in the Gallery. Jan. 15th and Aug. 15th are the opening dates for submissions, and they stay open for one month. Selected works will then be displayed online for about five months. You can also see all the past Gallery selections.

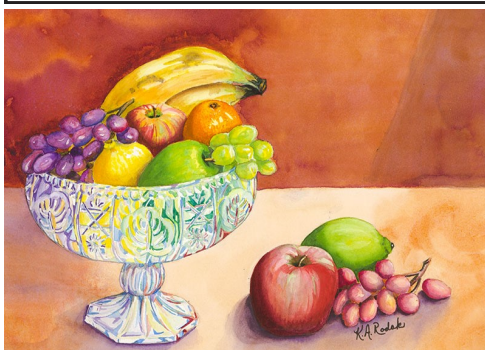
**You can see this *Wolverine* page in color at dkgmichigan.org and choose the 2020 Spring Edition.



Photography: Lighter than Air and A Slight Dispute
by Margaret Meehan, Beta Rho Chapter



Drawing: This Old House
Linda McLean, Beta Chi Chapter



Fruit Bowl
Watercolor Paintings by Kathleen Rodak, Zeta Chapter



Forgotten



Painting: Calming Waters
Linda McLean, Beta Chi Chapter



Pear & Red Fish Soup
Mixed Media: Beth Bynum, Phi Chapter



Crow Magic



Welcome to Fall

Printmaking: Noreen Kennedy, Phi Chapter



Serenity

To locate the Gallery of Arts go to the dkg.org site and choose home in the top right corner. Scroll down until you find the picture frame that reads Fine Arts Gallery. For help and information on entering, contact Kathleen Rodak, at kathleen.rodak@gmail.com or 248-225-5014 (c)

International News

2020 International Convention

Why attend the International Convention in Philadelphia?

You will meet successful educators that are on the same path.

You will meet educators from all over the world.

You will have fun exploring Philly.

The hotel is close to it all: Independence Hall, The Liberty Bell, The Franklin Institute, Betsy Ross House, and the Philadelphia Museum of Art (and the “Rocky” steps) are close to the hotel.

Registration forms and other pertinent information are on dkg.org

Philadelphia Marriott Downtown
1201 Market Street

Book online (recommended) by June 15, 2020 to receive the group rate (\$179/night)
Philadelphia, PA 19107 USA



NEED A ROOMATE?

Are you going to the State or International Convention? Do you need a roommate? If you plan to attend any DKG function and need an overnight roommate, contact Executive Secretary, Jackie Smart. She will try to pair you up with someone else in the same situation.

Phone (248) 476-8659
jackie@mysmartfamily.com



Preconvention Event

Are you arriving early for the 2020 International Convention and want to participate in a unique activity? Plan to attend an educational event at the National Constitution Center, “an interactive museum, national town hall, and civic education headquarters dedicated to the U.S. Constitution and its legacy of freedom.”

The DKG Educational Foundation is sponsoring a full day of activities. You can select this add-on event on the Convention Registration Form. The \$60 cost will include private, personally-guided, small-group tours (30 members each); a show in the round; box lunch; and access to the “hop on hop off” bus for the entire day. The cost will be minimal with no tax deduction available. The program is offered as a service to those attending the DKG International Convention.

Opening Night Event!

There will be a ticketed event
Reading Terminal Market (one of America’s largest and oldest public markets, housed since 1893 in a National Historic Landmark building.)

Open bar and buffet.



International News



DKG International Educational Foundation Is "Giving to Educate the World"

Celebrate by Giving using the Online Contribution Form

- Give to the Educational Foundation to honor your friends, your mentors, your chapter, yourself
- Give to the Educational Foundation to memorialize your loved ones.
- Give to the Educational Foundation to celebrate an achievement, to recognize your champions.
- Give a dollar for each year - Give a dollar or the equivalent of your age on your birthday as a way to pass on the good works to future members.

More information is available on the website. www.dkgef.org

Donations are 100% tax deductible for U.S. citizens

LEAVE A LEGACY!



Your tax deductible (U.S.) contributions that are given to the DKG Educational Foundation "go global" through awards for educational projects and professional development to members and non-members. The money collected will enhance the numbers and kinds of projects funded by the Educational Foundation.

Need Money For Professional Development?



Travel, hotel, meals, substitutes, conference/seminar expenses?

We have a deal for you! Cornet Professional Development Awards

Available to members and non-members

Up to \$2000

Three award cycles:
September 1, February 1, **May 1**

Go to: www.dkgef.org

1. Click on Apply
2. Click on Cornet Professional Development



Schools for Africa is a joint campaign founded by UNICEF, the Nelson Mandela Foundation, and the Hamburg Society to promote education for children in Africa. The campaign will increase access to quality basic

education for children with special focus on girls, orphans and vulnerable children. UNICEF is working with governments, local authorities, communities and other partners.

What Your Money Can Do:

- ◆ Build and rehabilitate 1,000 schools
- ◆ Create schools that offer a safe and protective environment where children can learn and play
 - ◆ Provide access to clean water and separate sanitation facilities in schools
 - ◆ Supply exercise books, pens, proper furniture and other school and sports materials
- ◆ Train 100,000 teachers to provide children with quality education and basic life skills
- ◆ Educate children about proper hygiene and HIV prevention as this knowledge is passed on to siblings, parents, and the community-at-large

Visit www.schoolsforafrica.com or under UNICEF and see a video and slide show.

Apply to serve on an International Committee

Deadline - May 1, 2020

Serve for 2 years, 2020-2022

Society Business Committees appointed by the international president include: Communication and Marketing, Constitution, Expansion, Leadership Development, Membership and Non-Dues Revenues. Society Mission and Purposes Committees appointed by the international president include Educational Excellence, Educators Book Award, Golden Gift Fund, Scholarship, and World Fellowship.

Travel to Austin, TX in Fall, 2020 and Winter, 2021
Expenses covered by International.

Application online

Sign in at dkg.org, at the top choose "Apply/Submit", choose applications 20-22 Committee Appointment. Duties listed in Section VIII of International Constitution which is online on pages 18-27 in the Constitution.



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Did you know that the first letters in
Delta **K**appa **G**amma are the first
letters in the Greek words for
Teacher, Key, and Women?

Dates to Remember

March 28, 2020

President's Advisory Council Meeting
Howell First United Methodist Church, Howell, MI

April 24-26, 2020

Alpha Iota State Convention
Executive Board and General Membership Meeting
Double Tree (Hilton) Thomas Edison Inn
800 Harker St., Port Huron, MI 49060

July 7-11, 2020

DKG International Convention
J W Marriott Downtown
Philadelphia, PA

September 25-26, 2020

Alpha Iota State Fall Conference
Executive Board and General Membership Meeting
Grand Rapids

November 13-15, 2020

Women in the Arts Retreat
Kettunen Center, Tustin, MI