Psi State – Georgia Beta Epsilon Chapter Minutes

Fannin, Towns, and Union Counties

The Executive Committee of Beta Epsilon Chapter, Psi State – Georgia, Delta Kappa Gamma Society International met on Tuesday, July 14, 2020 online via Google Meet. Members attending were Cathy Kirby, Susie Brendle, Haley Dyer, and Donna Howell.

Call to Order and Welcome – Cathy Kirby, President

Cathy called the meeting to order at 6:57 p.m. and welcomed everyone. She showed lovely personalized water bottles she had made for the officers and gave instructions for picking up the bottles.

Business

Meeting Dates for 2020-2021

Tentative meeting dates for the year were discussed and the following calendar tentatively adopted.

- Thursday, September 17, 2020 an evening meeting. Cathy will send out a survey to members to see if
 members prefer and in-person or virtual meeting for the meeting and induction of new members. She has
 two members ready to be inducted and will hopefully have two more before the September meeting. If an inperson meeting is preferred, a location will be determined.
- Saturday, December 5, 2020 a late morning meeting. This is usually our holiday brunch and silent auction. If
 in-person meetings are possible at that time, the Civic Center in Blairsville or Sharp Memorial Fellowship Hall
 in Young Harris are possible locations. If virtual is still necessary, Cathy will investigate possible other options.
- Game Day is still very much an unknown for 2021, but some type of fundraiser is possible starting in April 2021. There was discussion of a possible online/virtual auction as a fundraiser with an option for donations in lieu of bidding on items. Cathy will be investigating possibilities for this. And it is possible that by Spring 2021, a live game day may be possible. Some type of fundraising is necessary to fund our scholarships.
- Thursday, June 17, 2021 an evening meeting, probably in Blue Ridge if live meetings are possible at that time.

New Website

Cathy has started working on a web page for Beta Epsilon on Weebly – the same platform used by DKG. She has created pages and will be sharing them with officers for feedback. Donna will continue to update the old web page until the new page is ready to go live.

Newsletter

Cathy is working on a chapter newsletter and will be sending it to members as soon as it is ready.

Chapter Yearbook

Cathy would like to provide an updated chapter yearbook as most members seem to like having it for reference. Donna volunteered to help with typing up or whatever is needed. The membership spreadsheet will be shared with members so that they may update their information on the spreadsheet to help with creating the yearbook. This will probably be shared via Google Docs so it can be easily accessed by all members and be readily available.

Other

Before the September meeting, Cathy will be sending out an interest survey for sign-ups for committees, information on updating personal information for the member yearbook, interest in live vs virtual meetings, and other items.

Adjournment

As there was no further business, Cathy adjourned the meeting at 7:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Donna Howell, Beta Epsilon Secretary