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Important Dates

State Executive Board Meetina

Emmanuel United Methodist Church, Noblesville, IN September 12

4th Annual Fall Arts Retreat

Shiloh Park Retreat Center Marion. IN November 6-7

State Conference

Sycamore Banquet Center, Terre Haute, IN April 23, 2016

2016 DKG International Convention

Nashville. TN July 5-9, 2016

FALL ARTS RETREAT 2015 November 6 & 7.

Barb Buroker, Chairman, Personal Growth and Professional Affairs Committee What a great mini-break from the day-to-day concerns of the new school year! Come join us for Fun, Activities and Relaxation.

Shiloh Park Retreat & Conference Center 1734 South 350 East, Marion, IN 46953-9455

The registration form can be found on the Alpha Epsilon State website. Overnight accommodations at Shiloh Park Recreation & Conference Center include costs for all meals (Friday dinner, Saturday breakfast and lunch) and crafts, and range from \$95-\$155 per person. Dress is casual throughout the weekend.

- •Guest House 8 motel rooms: up to 4 people in each room.
- •Bluffton Four-Plex 4 motel rooms: up to 4 people in each room.
- •Winchester Cottage 5 rooms housing up to 12 people in all.

If you need help, further information, a registration form or anything else, contact:

Carol Winterholter, FAR 2015 Registrar:

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Immediate Past President Lois Vogel was selected to give the Thought for the Day at the Thursday morning session at the NER. Baltimore. Photograph courtesy of Photographs by Jim, Floresville, TX



Nancy Hoff, Beta, works on one of the crafts on the agenda at FAR 2013.



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From the President

Jo Ann Manes, Indiana State President Greetings, Ladies! I am honored that you have selected me as your state president. By attending the international training for state presidents prior to the Northeast Regional Conference in July, I met other northeast state presidents and gained a great deal from the sessions conducted by Lyn Schmid, international president and Sandra Smith Bull, executive director. All in all, eighteen Indiana members plus three husbands, a friend, and a sister were in attendance.



This biennium, with new officers and committee chairmen, continues with the desire to support chapters, to keep lines of communication open, and to help your chapters thrive and grow. At the upcoming September 12th Executive Board meeting, chapter presidents will have the opportunity to meet with the new officers, committee chairmen, and each other. Each chapter president will get new contact and committee information to take back to her chapter. Please be sure that your chapter president or a designee will be there!

The 4th Annual Fall Arts Retreat (FAR) will be held November 6–7 at Shiloh Park Retreat in Marion. The committee has put together a program of activities encompassing many areas of the arts. Those attending develop a feeling of genuine spiritual fellowship. Information on rooms and the reservation form are on the state website. Registration started July 1 and ends October 6. It will be a great weekend of fun and fellowship.

As one who enjoys traveling, I've traveled many paths in my life. When deciding upon my theme, I looked at the paths we have all traveled and the footprints made along the way. We leave our footprints on everyone we meet. We leave impressions upon students, parents, and colleagues in our professional life. In our personal life, as daughters, mothers, wives, grandmothers, or aunts, we make impressions upon our families and friends. Whether small or mighty these impressions can help, support, console, change, teach, show kindness and have an influence upon others.

What impact can we as DKG members make in our community and schools? When planning for your chapter meetings and pursuing local projects, what impressions are you leaving? I hope as the year goes along, I will hear about your chapter activities. Wishing you much success as we strive forward!



New state presidents in training in Baltimore at the NER. Can you find President Jo Ann Manes among the rest? Photographs by Jim, Floresville, TX

Membership Is Our Future

Evelyn Campbell, Membership Chair

How can members "Make Impressions for the Future"? New members are the future of our Society. They are able to impress on a chapter the enthusiasm and energy of new educators. Look for those impressions when attending meetings, conferences, classes and workshops. They may also be found at public libraries, recreation programs, museums, and social and community events. Be on the lookout for those professional educators who are potential Delta Kappa Gamma members.

When these outstanding women are identified, they can be invited to a meeting and may be informed about our society. Share the projects and opportunities for professional and personal growth. Share the scholarship information. Share the fellowship of your membership, new and old. Ask these key women educators to join your chapter. Channel the enthusiasm of new members – for they are our future!

Strategically Speaking...

Faye Peter, Strategic Action Planning Chair

The Strategic Action Planning Committee has been busy preparing for this biennium. At our committee meeting goals were set, and a discussion of ways to encourage, assist, and monitor Strategic Action Plans for the state and chapters followed. Emails have been sent to the state personnel and committee chairmen alerting them of our availability to offer support. A questionnaire has been sent to the chapter Strategic Action Plan chairmen to update our committee on the progress of their chapters. Two chapters have completed the Strategic Action Plan, and several others have been making great strides toward completion. At the September meeting, our committee plans to share the progress of state committees and chapters. The Strategic Action Plan is a wonderful way to allow AE State and chapters to be a shining light for other states.



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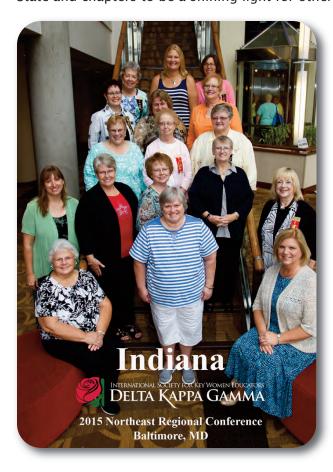
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President Jo Ann Manes with Immediate Past President Lois Vogel at the NER in Baltimore. Photographs by Jim, Floresville, TX (above & left)

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Treasury Notes

Leslie Hamman, State Treasurer Thank you to all whose Form 15 has been turned in!

File IRS 990N epostcard

- Use the DKG.org website link to the IRS 990 website.
- Remember to forward the confirmation email.
- Include your chapter name on the subject line or in the email.



Dues Notice

- Treasurers received the updated Form 18 member lists in August.
- Please check and update member contact information.
- Form 18A plus Reinstatement, Initiate, and Change of Address (change of personal info) forms are available on the DKG website at dkg.org.

Dues Deadlines

- Chapter October 31st
- State/International November 15th to State Treasurer



Like a Rose...

Michelle Ball, Non-Dues Revenue Chair The 2015–2017 Non-Dues Revenue Committee and "The Rose Store" will make its first appearance at the September 12, 2015 Alpha Epsilon State Executive Board Meeting in Noblesville.

Inventory includes:

- Charms from the 2014 DKG International Convention in Indianapolis (in a small gift box with a red pouch)
 - Indiana limestone paperweights (with a small red rose sticker)
- DKG/ Alpha Epsilon State Magnetic plaques (for pins) with red ribbons and with black ribbons
 - DKG/ Alpha Epsilon State 75th Anniversary pins
- DKG red clipboards, sticky notes, book lights (with battery), wristwatches and red rose pins
 - CLOTHING:
 - 2 DKG red sweatshirts XL
 - 5 DKG red sweatshirts XXL
 - 2 DKG black polo shirts S
 - 32 DKG red visors
 - Black memo books w/ pen, handmade red rose pins and pedometers

The 2016 appearances of "The Rose Store" will be

- at the AES State Conference in Terre Haute, April 23;
- -at the CCOT (Committee Chairs and Chapter Officers) Training Sessions (NORTH: Thursday, June 16 and SOUTH: Saturday, June 25);
- -at the Alpha Epsilon State Executive Board Meeting, September 10 in Noblesville.

The Non-Dues Revenue Committee and "The Rose Store" is chaired by Michelle Ball, with committee members Marjorie Miller and Barbara Buroker.

Beginnings from the EEC

Jo Jones, EEC Chairman

Truman Capote wrote in *Breakfast at Tiffany's*, "Aprils have never meant much to me, autumns seem that season of beginning, spring." As teachers we may also have this feeling of what beginning is. As the new EEC chairman, I definitely have this feeling. Fresh from Baltimore where I went through training, I am now ready to begin my duties as the Educational Excellence Committee Chairman.



I shall begin with calling for help from many of you. The 2016 state conference will be held in Terre Haute on April 23 at the Sycamore Banquet Center. In order to make the conference great, we need great presenters for the break-out sessions. We also need informational, attractive posters to be displayed. In this issue of the Hoosier Newsette, you will find an application form to present a session or to display a poster. Because of limited space, only abbreviated forms of the applications have been printed. You can find the application in its entirety on the state website (www.deltakappagamma.org/IN), from your local president, or from me (immsjjj@comcast.net, 812-689-4752, or 927 S. Shook St., Osgood, IN 47037). Help me begin my new biennium with help from you. I know you all are talented in some way. Share with us.

Did you know that...

One of your new officers is a published author? Get the whole story at the Executive Board meeting September 12!

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LEADERSHIP MANAGEMENT SEMINAR

Deb Carroll, Beta Tau



Have you ever wished you could attend a conference that was worthwhile and reached out to you where you are? In other words, one that appreciated your wisdom and experience.

The Leadership Management Seminar in Austin, TX does exactly that. I had the privilege of being chosen to attend in 2012, and I am now serving on the International Committee. I'm excited to say we have changed some of the requirements, opening it up to more women. I would love to see a woman (or 2 or 3) from Indiana attend next year; in 2014, Indiana sent no one-and you know Indiana has some TERRIFIC DKG WOMEN!

The cost to you is \$500 for the two weeks. (Perhaps your chapter could help you with this expense. International pays for your materials, your room, your meals and all transportation – your flight, etc.) You will have the chance to meet and grow close to approximately 30 other women educators from across the world.

All arrive on Sunday night and get to know each other. Then, on Monday morning, you will start right out with some dynamic speakers. Each day, you will be delighted to learn more about our organization, yourself and the others attending with you. You really become a family with the other women. The seminar lasts two weeks, ending in a graduation ceremony at DKG headquarters. You will get to know many of the personnel who work there also. It really helped me to better understand the 'whole big picture' of our Society.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me-Deb Carrell, 317.773.2610 (9-11 am or evenings is best) or dcpurdue@sbcglobal.net.

Deadline to apply is December 1, 2015.

To start your application today, go to www.dkg.org/category/committee/golden-gift-fund. You will also need the form completed by your chapter president and a professional reference. No money is needed until you are informed you are chosen.

DKG/AE STATE CONFERENCE: April 23, 2016 in Terre Haute, Indiana POSTER DISPLAY FORM

Subject of poster			_
Committee / Person	responsible		_
Contact person's nar	me		_
Address (please inclu	ude zip code)		_
Phone (H)	(C)	Email	_
	7 S. Shook St., Osgood, IN 47	7037-9335 or email to immsjjj@comcast.net.	
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	-	CE: April 23, 2016 in Terre Haute, Indiana ER INFORMATION FORM	
Subject of Program_			-
Name of Presenter (if a DKG member, include ch	napter)	-
Your address (please	e include zip code)		_
Telephone (H)		(C)	_
E-mail Address			_
Equipment needed _			_

On a separate sheet, please give a brief summary of your program. Briefly outline the content and presentation method. Please list your goals for the program. Also, include a brief paragraph about yourself that can be used to introduce you in the program, newsletter, and at the conference.

Send to Jo Jones, 927 S. Shook St., Osgood, IN 47037-9335 or email to immsjjj@comcast.net.

DEADLINE: OCTOBER 31, 2015

Chapter Chatter



Alpha Chapter awarded a \$500 Grant-in-Aid Scholarship to Kareston Hall in May. Kareston will use the award to further her math education. Pictured are Kareston (I) and Sandy Courtney, assistant treasurer (r).

Congratulations to Beta member Nancy Goldfarb for earning her Ph.D. in Philanthropic Studies from Indiana University. This was her second doctorate degree and evidence of her love of learning and

teaching. Nancy is on the English faculty at Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis.



Francis Walden was honored for fifty years of membership in The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International. Francis taught at Fleener School, Kirksville, and Lakeview Elementary. Alpha Chapter President Shirley Mingee presented the certificate at the May 2015 picnic.





First Books, represented by Akola Kirshnan, received a monetary award from Alpha Chapter. Pictured are DKG members Joanne Weddle; DKG assistant treasurer, Sandy Courtney; and Akola Kirshnan.

Did you know that...



Connie McClure, member of Alpha Alpha, was one of 30 art teachers from around the world who participated in illustrating a book, *If Picasso Had A Christmas Tree*, written by Eric Gibbons?

Check it out! www.firehousepublications.com



(I-r) Leslie Hamman, Jo Ann Manes, Betty Wagner, Bev Ellert, Sherry Crisp-Ridge, and Carol Gear pictured during a visit from then-First VP Manes to a Gamma Lambda meeting in April 2015.

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Mu

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Tau

Nancy Eleanor Schumann August 1, 2015 Columbus

Alpha Lambda

Roberta Elizabeth Silva December, 2014 Fort Branch

Alpha Psi

Marilyn Hart May 9, 2015 Fort Wayne

Beta Sigma

Louise Elisha May 7, 2015 Schererville

Gamma Lambda

Sally K Peterson August 6, 2015 Fort Wayne



Report of the Death of a Member (Form 6) should be prepared by the chapter president immediately upon the death of a member. Copies are to be sent to International (mem@dkg.org); State Treasurer (hammanleslie@yahoo.com); and to the State Membership Chairman (eccampbell1@frontier.com).

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Can you spot the Kappa members dancing with other first-timers at the NER? Photographs by Jim, Floresville, TX