



Beta Alpha Bits

Beta Alpha Chapter, Greenville

Eta State, North Carolina, Region II

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President's Message

Sisters, I hope you were pleased with the first meeting of our chapter this year. I have had many positive comments on the changes and I thank you for your support. We have lots of events coming up and the list is located in this issue. The first event is the BT Tea at St. James Church, October 25, 3:30 – 5:30. If you have not already brought your teacher supplies, please drop them off at Wahl-Coates (unless you are planning to attend). I hope we have a good response. The three chapters have worked hard on this. I attended the President's Conference at Elon and learned a lot. The most important thing I learned was that I'm not the only president who is going "what have I gotten into"? See you at St. James and if not then, at the next meeting on November 1 at 6:30. Don't forget your BT during the holidays. They would appreciate a card, email, visit, cookies anything.

Sincerely,

Cheryl Adams

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P.S. Don't forget your dues need to be in by October 31! Our treasurer reports and forms are due to the state and IRS by 11/1/2012.

Beginning Teachers Tea

The Tri-Chapters of Pitt County will be sponsoring a tea for the Beginning Teachers on Thursday, October 25 at St. James United Methodist Church from 3:30-5:30 PM. At 4:15, Pitt County's 2012-2013 Teacher of the Year, Elizabeth Ulffers, will speak. Please RSVP to Cheryl Adams if you plan to attend by October 23. Also, if you did not bring your school supplies for our beginning teachers to the last chapter meeting, and would like to contribute, please bring them with you to the tea. If you are unable to attend the tea and still would like to contribute, you may drop the supplies off at Wahl-Coates School with Chena Cayton before 10/25/2012.

Save the Date!

October 25, 2012

ILT Tea sponsored by the Tri-Chapters of Pitt County
St. James United Methodist Church

November 1, 2012

Chapter Meeting
GK Café

November 27, 2012

Annual Tri-Chapter Christmas meeting
Rock Springs Center

April 26-28, 2013

Eta State Convention
University Hilton, Charlotte, NC

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

2012-2013 Chapter Meetings

November 1, 2012

Location: GK Café, East 10th Street, 6:30
Program: Sticking with BTs by Julie Tucker
Project: Books for the Family Violence Center

December, 2012

Tri-Chapter Christmas Dinner

The Jockey Club, Rock Springs Center

February 2, 2013

Location: Warehouse Restaurant, Winterville, 10:00
Program: Personal Growth – Chair Yoga & Light Exercise
Project: Stuffed Animals and Teddy Bears for Cops

May 2, 2013

Location: Four Seasons Room, Cypress Glen, 6:30
Program: Schools for Africa by Pat Dunn
Project: Toys for Guardian Ad Litem

Don't forget...

...to make contact with your Beginning Teacher(s)!



Pictured at the Eta State Executive Board Meeting are (standing from left) Cheryl Adams, Penny Dawson and Diane Lynch. Seated from left are Sharon O'Neill, Joy Carter, and Mona Quick.

Tri-Chapter Meeting

The annual Tri-Chapters of Pitt County meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 27 at The Jockey Club at Rock Spring Center on Highway 43 North. The evening will begin at 6:00 PM and the cost is \$25.00 per person. Our honored guests that evening will be Linda Little, Eta State President; Penny Dawson, Region 2 Director; and Gwen Simmons, Eta State Parliamentarian.

Please RSVP to Cheryl Adams by November 1 so that she can provide a head count to the host chapter, Delta Xi, for their planning purposes.

IMPORTANT: Let's think about carpooling so more can attend!

Eta State Executive Board meets at Elon...

Beta Alpha President Cheryl Adams attended the called Eta State Executive Board meeting held Sept. 22 at Elon University.

The Amended 2012-2013 budget was approved. The Board approved the funding of one additional doctoral scholarship of \$4,000 and one master's level scholarship of \$1,000. The Board also approved the selection of the Hotel Hilton in Greenville as the site of the 2014 Eta State Convention.

Among other business and announcements was the report from Editor Sue Roberts that the Communications and Publicity Committee has developed a proposed method of distribution and a timeline for transitioning to all electronic distribution of Eta State News.

Dr. Joyce Brigman, 2013 Convention Chairman, invited members to the University Hilton in Charlotte for the 2013 convention.

Beth Winstead, Eta State Webmaster, handled the technology for the meeting; and Anne Briley, Chairman of the Membership Committee, reported for the committee, and served as chairman of the minutes review committee.

Comments? Suggestions? News?
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