

# Mu Chapter August Newsletter

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Dear Mu Members,

Welcome back to another year! You have already received your Welcome Back Brochure via postal mail. I hope you will be able to join us at our first meeting at Dr. Sandra Schlenker's home; it will be wonderful to have our first meeting at a lake home which always has a peaceful and relaxing atmosphere. We want you to come and have a good time just catching up with people on everything that has been going on in their lives.

Prospective Members? – Invite them to our September meeting. Sometimes people do not want to commit until they know what the group is like. Hopefully after they see us, they will say “YES”!

Attached is the Mu Chapter Meetings for the year. Put these dates on your calendar now before your days get filled up with everything else! Of course, you will be getting a Red Program Booklet with all of the info in later on this fall. The information will also be posted on our website at <http://deltakappagamma.org/SD-mu/> We will be continuing our project of Building a School in South Sudan. This summer, I had the privilege of meeting with the Governor of the State and several other dignitaries. They are most grateful for our support.

I am pleased to announce that Continuing Education Credits for Attending Mu Chapter Meetings will again be available this year. Attendance at six out of seven meetings is required for one unit of CEU. Each member must sign in at each meeting. You will be given an Attendance Form that contains a list of the meetings. Please initial the attendance form at each meeting, and return the form to the supervisor of the CEU at the end of the meeting. Rhonda Anderson is acting as the supervisor of the CEU's. Thanks, Rhonda, for doing this for our members.

Please be prepared to pay your dues of \$68 for the year at the September meeting, if at all possible. You will recall that there was a substantial increase of dues last year; all of the \$20 increase went to the national office. We have raised the dues by \$2 this year; this increase will stay in the chapter treasury to pay for our expenses. If you are unable to pay at the September meeting, please do so at

the October meeting; our dues need to be turned into the national office at this time. You may also mail the dues to Jean Eidsness at 2701 Arcadia Road Sioux Falls 57105

Wanted – Photographer – we need someone who loves to take pictures and would be willing to do so at our meetings. Email me if YOU would like to be THE one!!!!

Cathy Anderson's Mom was in McKennan Hospital for 3 weeks. They took her back to Pierre last Saturday, the 15th, and Cathy has been helping to care for her. Cathy will come to meetings when she can. Keep your thoughts and prayers with Cathy.

And last, but certainly not least, is to notify you about an accident that one of our members had. Jean Eidsness, our faithful treasurer and dear friend, is recovering from a serious biking accident which occurred a week ago. She broke her leg in two places and her ankle in three places and had 8 pins and a plate added during the surgery! She is at home and will be unable to put any weight on that leg for 8 weeks. Jean is such a "goer" that this will be difficult for her. I am sure that she would love to hear from you. Keep her in your thoughts and prayers!

Looking forward to seeing you on Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>. Thanks for your quick response on the vote - 32 votes in 24 hours!

Glenyta Hanson

Mu Chapter President