

Hocking Alpha Xi News!



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Alpha Delta State
Delta Kappa Gamma Society International

Mission Statement

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



President's Welcome to 2012-2013

Purposes of The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International

1. To unite women educators of the world in a genuine spiritual fellowship;
2. To honor women who have given or who evidence a potential for distinctive service in any field of education;
3. To advance the professional interest and position of women in education;
4. To initiate, endorse and support desirable legislation and to cooperate with other organizations of educational women educators;
5. To endow scholarships to aid outstanding women educators in pursuing graduate study and to grant fellowships to women educators from other countries;
6. To stimulate the personal and professional growth of members and to encourage their participation in appropriate programs of action;
7. To inform the members of current economic, social, political, and educational issues so that they may participate effectively in a world society.

I am so excited to begin our 2012-2013 year. After reading all the May survey results, it was clear that the members' enthusiasm and ideas were going to help form a great year for our chapter.

The executive committee made up of committee chairpersons and officers, met in late June to plan our year. Programs, events, and fundraisers are based on ideas generated in the newsletters as well as the lively meeting discussions.

Five members attended the quilt workshop in Nelsonville in July. Members have already shared that

they would like to have this workshop again next summer.

I am truly looking forward to our meetings and programs. I will be adding PowerPoint presentations each month to keep all of us

informed.
Always feel free to contact me at
740-385-3520
sudietz@lhsd.k12.oh.us
sudietz@gmail.com.

Let's get this party started,

Susan



How Can You Help the Reservation Committee?

The goal of the Reservations Committee is to inform members of upcoming Alpha Xi meetings including any pertinent information regarding the meeting, and to make needed reservations to the food provider. We need your help to meet the following goals:

- Contact every member – Some notification lists have changed, so if you do not receive meeting information by email or a phone call, please contact Sandy Mauck at 380-

8980 or mauck@roadrunner.com

- Hear back from every member - A reservation number is needed to the food provider by the Friday prior to the meeting date. Please let you caller know yes OR no so that an accurate number can be reached. I know everyone receives many emails, especially through the schools, so by responding either way your caller knows the email was not "lost".

Thanks for making our job easier





We Will Welcome Our New Members

On Monday,
September 17

- ◆ Barbara Sunderlin
- ◆ Renee Bartholomew
- ◆ Lynne Risch
- ▲ Amanda Polina



Personal Development Opportunity

Saturday, October 13

Chapter Scrapbook Work Session
Susan Dietz's Home
10 AM to 2 PM
Soup lunch will be provided.



Our Yearbook Is Almost Ready

If your information has changed since you completed your survey OR if you haven't completed the survey and it has changed since last year, contact Susan Dietz by September 10.
sudietz@gmail.com

Raffles Are Waiting to Be Won by Sandy Mauck

Thank you to all who have offered to donate raffle items. What a great response!!! Each month should be exciting and different with even multiple raffle items some months. So come prepared to buy a ticket(s). Everyone is a winner since a raffle ticket also buys you a piece of candy.

Tickets will cost one for one dollar or six for five dollars OR one can of food for one ticket or five cans of food for six. Cans will be given to Smith Chapel each month.

Special Raffle Event:

October raffle money will go towards sponsoring a family for Thanksgiving.



WHERE DO MY DUES GO?

September is the month to bring your checkbook or cash so we can get our dues paid in a timely fashion. This is how your dues are used.

	Chapter Dues	Chapter Scholarship	International Dues	State Dues	International Scholarship	State Scholarship
Active	\$55.00	\$7.00	\$0.60	\$40.00	\$7.00	\$0.20
Reserve	\$30.00	\$6.00	\$0.60	\$20.00	\$3.00	\$0.20

The bottom line is every penny of your dues helps a woman educator.

Homework Before the September Meeting

- ❖ Remember to bring your checkbook to pay your dues.
- ❖ Executive Committee: Be prepared for a brief meeting.
- ❖ Committee Chairpersons: Get any motions to Susan in advance so they can be included in the PowerPoint.
- ❖ Get ready to welcome our new members and start a year of fellowship.
- ❖ If you indicated on your survey that you needed a new nametag, bring your four dollars (\$4.00).