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Xi State...Growing Possibilities

Letters from Lana

Hello Ladies,

I am excited to say we will be initiating Hayley Brantley on Monday and our Xi State President Elaine Alexander will be in attendance. Also bring your ideas for the birthday brunch "Teach like a Pineapple" table decorations. If you make an sample table decoration to show, how wonderful that would be.

Let's all remember Sherrie and keep her in our prayers as she will have surgery in April.

See you Monday.

See you soon.

-Lana

US Forum Connection

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Important Dates

Scheduled Meeting - March 5
UCHS Library
4:30 pm

Program: Initiation

Breakout Proposals - **March 1**

Achievement Award Proposal - **March 15**

Order of the Rose Nomination - **March 15**

Personnel Committee Application - **March 15**

Chapter Officer Training Registration - **April 1**

Chapter Excellence - **April 1**

Xi State Convention - **June 7-9**

International Convention, Austin, TX - **July 18-21**

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Xi State: www.xistate.org

And **ΔΚΓ**: www.deltakappagamma.net

March Meeting

Hostesses: Donna Campbell & Pat Baker

Inductee: Hayley Brantley

From Union County High School

This is Hayley's second year teaching physical science and biology at Union County High School. She graduated from the University of Tennessee in May 2015 with a bachelor's degree in animal science and a minor in biological sciences. She then became a zookeeper at Zoo Knoxville for primates for a little over a year. She is currently in graduate school at UTK working on her master's degree for secondary science education. We are so excited to welcome Hayley into DKG!

Dues

Active Dues - \$85
Reserve Dues - \$58

New Officer Training

The Knoxville training day will be April 14th at Trinity UMC. Full day is 9AM-3PM, Half day is 9AM-11AM. Lunch is provided. Chapter President & Membership are full day; Program, Treasurer, Communications, & Rules are half day. There is a \$10 fee/person that we pay. We will fill out registration forms at our Monday meeting.

Legislative Update

NEW PUBLICATION “*SHE PERSISTED*”

There is a new publication from Newsweek which is listed on Amazon as a book. It deals with women groundbreakers from Deborah Sampson (1782), Sacagawea (1804), Elizabeth Bennett (1813) and Harriet Tubman (1849) to Senator Larissa Waters, Yoshiko Shinohara and Senator Elizabeth Warren (2017) and includes Saudi Arabia allowing women to drive (2017). *She Persisted* also looks at movements such as the Women’s March, “Me Too” and “The Resistance.”

March is Women’s History Month. This would be a good resource to use as we celebrate women in history and women educators worldwide!



Birthdays

Donna Christopher 4/17
Pam Richardson 4/26

Attendance Drawing

Each time you attend a meeting, you can enter to win our attendance prize. We will do a drawing in May at our Birthday Brunch celebration.

Xi State Convention

Don’t forget to fill out your registration forms to attend the Xi State Convention in Sewanee, TN this June 7-9. We have reserved a house this year for all of us to stay together. This is always a fun time of year. We get to see our friends from across the state and bond as a chapter. Your form can be filled out online at:
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1LDn5rpybYbavdQsJOQNlvy6-sRdXJeaekEelOCLB7rA/viewform?ts=5a5ffc97&edit_requested=true.

January Meeting Highlights

Our January meeting was wonderful! We started out with African cuisine provided by Pat and Donna. Then, Pam did an outstanding program about education in Africa and our DKG Schools for Africa program. Afterward, she showed us how to make paper beads - which we all thought was great fun! We hope to have a get-together soon and have a bead party. For more information on Schools for Africa, visit the DKG website:

http://www.dkg.org/DKGMember/Schools_for_Africa_SD.aspx

Beta Pi Website

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If you have pictures for the website, email them to collins.sherrie@gmail.com