

Delta Gamma

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President's Corner

School is back in full session. It is hard to believe most of you are about to have a whole six weeks behind you. Hopefully everyone who is still teaching has adjusted well to their new classroom of students and duties for the new year. For the ones of us who are no longer in the classroom, we will be thinking of you and praying each of you will be having your best year so far. Also, know we are here for moral support, advice or just having a listening ear if you need to share. With problems we are facing in today's classrooms, the latter seems to help most often I feel.

I would like to say a special thanks to Mrs. Fannie Watson and the Archives committee for a job well done on the program for last month. We so enjoyed getting to stroll down memory lane with you. Being able to see some of our past members, especially our charter members, being spotlighted brightened my day and warmed my heart. I think our "Angels" will always be watching over us and guiding our way as Key Women Teachers! They set the bar high and we must follow! The Hemphill and San Augustine groups did an outstanding job preparing salads for us. Everything was delicious, and the atmosphere was one of friendship and love.

I hope to see everyone in Joaquin for our next meeting. I hear we are "traveling" to Norway!

We would like to send our condolences to Billy Jean Kay on the passing of her husband, Larry on Saturday, September 15, 2018, in Houston, Texas. Services were held September 18, 2018, at Watson and Sons. Interment followed at Lone Cedar Cemetery. Please continue to pray for both Billie Jean and Bobbie during this time. Bobbie recently lost her husband as well.



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NEWSFLASH!!

October Meeting

Our meeting will be held at Cindy's Place (on the square) in Joaquin on October 8, 2018. Dinner will be \$10.50 + tip. You will have a choice of Quesadillas or Enchiladas. Our program will be done by Mrs. Debbie Leggett, covering her trip to Norway. The invocation will be led by Mrs. Billie Bailey and Mrs. Selisha Cockrell will give our meditation. **Remember to bring a pair/ or pairs of new socks, of any size, for our Sock-tober Fest.**

Please notify your courtesy chair by 9:00 p.m. on the Wednesday before the meeting each month. She will contact the hostess by Thursday morning. Remember, if your name is turned in for attending, it is your responsibility to pay for your meal.

Sister News

Nora Robinson recently visited Jackson Hole, WY with her husband and his family. They went from there on to South Dakota to Mt. Rushmore and a mammoth dig site before returning home.

Our own Wendy Watson will be inducted into the Tenaha Hall of Honor during the 2018 Homecoming festivities Saturday, September 29, 2018.



Delta Gamma Treasurers Report September 2018 Checking Account

Previous Balance.....	\$2204.85
Deposits.....	1340.00
Salad Supper: \$65.00	
Dues: \$150.00	
\$1125.00	
Checks/Debits.....	399.70
State Mtg Expenses: \$319.70	
Chapter Memorial (Clay): \$40.00	
Chapter Memorial (Kay): \$40.00	
Current Balance.....	\$3,145.15
Grant / Aid	
Previous Balance.....	\$218.24
Deposits/transfers from checking.....	245.00
Salad Supper: \$65.00	
Memorials (Clay & Kay): \$180.00	
Current Balance.....	\$463.24



September

9 Tommie Thomas

20 Gail Sholar

October

26 Linda Sholar

27 Bobbie Clay



Area I Highlights

Janice Sutton, our Area 1 Coordinator asked me to share this information with you. If you are interested in continuing your education; this information may be useful to you.

UT Tyler is not that far away!

The Texas State Scholarship Committee is asking.....

Do you live in one of these cities? Thinking about working on a Graduate Degree?

Austin, Tyler, El Paso, Dallas, Permian Basin,
Arlington, San Antonio, and Rio Grande Valley
(Edinburg Campus)

These are cities that have University of Texas
System campuses.

Did you know that the University of Texas has 3 Endowed TSO Scholarships named in honor of our Founders: Annie Webb Blanton, Mamie Sue Bastian, and Eula Lee Carter?

These Scholarship Funds are restricted to eligible students pursuing graduate or doctoral degrees at one of the University of Texas System Schools.

The UT System Board of Regents has granted approval for our applicants to receive scholarships from the University of Texas held endowments for courses of study at ANY of the UT System schools. Any student who is officially enrolled at one of the University of Texas System Schools for coursework toward a degree, whether for classes offered on-site or on-line, would be eligible for support from these scholarships.

Any applicant wanting to apply for one of these scholarships would have to apply for the appropriate scholarship (3, 6, or 9 graduate hours or doctoral studies) to Texas State Scholarship Committee using the current forms and designate that their school of choice to attend was one of the University of Texas System Schools. They would have to be enrolled as a student. If awarded a scholarship, the Scholarship Committee would arrange for the candidate to complete paper work specific to the University of Texas System to attain the funds.

TSO Scholarship Committee July, 2018

Delta Kappa Gamma
September 28, 2018
First Baptist Church Hemphill, Texas

President Wendy Watson welcomed everyone to Hemphill, especially our guest Janelle Gibson, a teacher from Center Elementary School, Mike Bordelon and Joe McNaughten. She then thanked the Hemphill hostesses and San Augustine for helping with the delicious salad supper.

Roll was called by Nora Robinson. We had an attendance of 18 members and 3 guests.

A motion was made by Linda Bordelon and seconded by Colleen Doggett to approve the July workshop minutes. The treasurer's report was approved on a motion from Carolyn Hooker and seconded by Fannie Watson. Both were approved as printed.

Birthdays for August and September were recognized.

President Wendy Watson gave a report of Area 1 workshop in Mabank. Discussions on programs, locations, and projects for the coming year were heard. We voted on 1, 2, 3, 4, and 6 for our Delta Gamma projects for this year. President Wendy Watson also passed out Website and Print Permission forms. This will allow us to publish members pictures on our website and in the local media both locally and a state level.

Tommie Thomas reported calendar year changes concerning dues for next year. Dues for next year will be turned in by June 30th.

President Wendy Watson announced that dues must be paid by the October meeting this year to get the early bird discount of \$10.00 making the dues \$75.00.

Joaquin announced that the October 8th meeting will be at Cindy's Place on Hwy. 84 in Joaquin, Texas.

Fannie Watson and Billie Bailey presented the program on Archives, including a 1995 video of reenactment of the first meeting at the Polley Hotel in Center, Texas.

The meeting closed with singing of the DKG song with/video.

Meditation was given by Vicki Procella. Door prizes were awarded to Carolyn Hooker, Tommie Thomas, and Gail Sholar.

The meeting was then adjourned. The September meeting minutes were recorded by Nora Robinson in the absence of Becky Wiggins.

President Wendy Watson

Recording Secretary Becky Wiggins

