

Gamma Eta News

The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International
Texas State Organization, Gamma Eta #79, Area 12
Serving Cottle, Crosby, Dickens, Kent, King and Motley Counties



Terri's Tidbits



School has started, days are getting shorter, and weather is finally starting to cool, therefore, it can only mean one thing – time to meet again for Gamma Eta!! It will be exciting to finally get this year underway and see you for the first time in a long time.

Our first meeting will be October 5, in Latta Hall (Methodist Church) in Crosbyton. We will install officers and then convene a brief business meeting. The hostesses have worked diligently to get everything set up. They have arranged to have us social distance during the meal and the meeting. To make everyone comfortable, we will wear masks while moving about during visitation. We will have a Zoom component to the meeting and will send out information soon.

The Area 12 Workshop Zoom meeting was a success. Judy Evans and her team did an excellent job. Those attending from Gamma Eta were Janie Wigley, Donna Anderson, K-Dee Anderson, Sharon McDougale, Debbi Ball, Jean Williams, Brenda Karr, Cristy McClenny, Tiffany Mitchell, and myself. Of interest, Gamma Eta comprised 1/5 of the total attendees at the Area 12 Workshop. Congratulations to the you all!!

I need each of you to put on your collective thinking caps and contribute ideas for a chapter project. Janie has reminded us that the project should include both teachers and students. We know that the world has changed, and we may need to be creative as we adapt to the new virtual environment.

Love you all,

Terri

Upcoming Meeting

Monday, October 5, 2020
5:30 p.m.
Latta Hall, Crosbyton FUMC
Installation of Officers
by AC Judy Evans
Greeter: Pat Hightower
Icebreaker: Linda Spurgin
Hostess Group: Crosbyton
(Janie, Sharon, Vicki, Linda, Jean)



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Area 12 Virtual Workshop

September 19, 2020

Debbi Ball: ASTEF

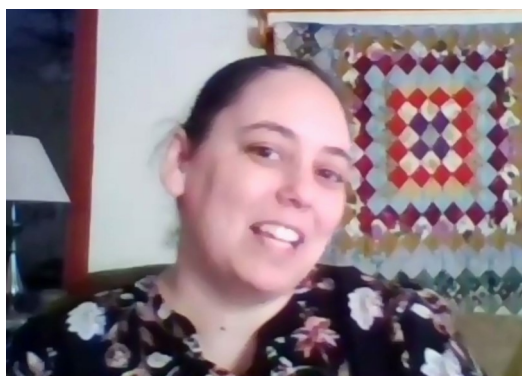
K Dee Anderson, Membership

Terri Egerton, Programs & Service Project

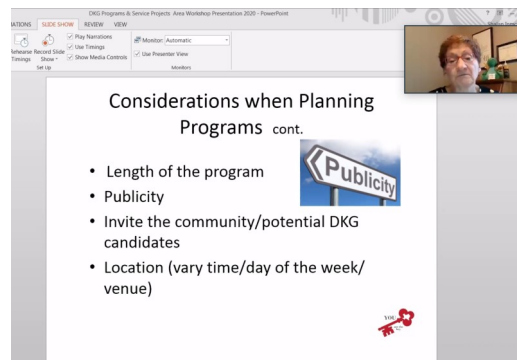
Donna Anderson, Testimony on Scholarship

Sharon McDougale, Communications & Publicity

Janie Wigley, Women in the Arts



Screenshots provided by Connie Rensink



ATTENDANCE AWARDS FOR 2019-2020

Perfect Pin: Pin worn to every meeting attended



Nancy Harrison

Pat Hightower

Stephanie Martinez

Joy O'Steen

Linda Spurgin

Merla Watson

Perfect Attendance

Brenda Karr

Double Perfect: Perfect Attendance and Pin

Debbi Ball

Terri Egerton

Sharon McDougale

Janie Wigley

Jean Williams



Service Projects

International Service Project:

Schools for Africa
Support Early-Career Educators

State Service Project:

TBA

Chapter Service Project:

TBA

2020-2022 Officers

President: Terri Egerton

First Vice President: K Dee Anderson

Second Vice President: Tiffany Harkins

Recording Secretary: Janie Wigley

Corresponding Secretary: Jean Williams

Treasurer: Sharon McDougale

Parliamentarian: Donna Anderson

Future Meetings

Monday, November 2, 2020

5:30 p.m.

Spur FUMC

Program Title: 100th Anniversary of the
19th Amendment

Program Facilitator: Pat Hightower

Hostess Group: Spur

(Merla, Debbi, Pat, Stephanie, Anna, Rhea)

Monday, January 11, 2021

6:00 p.m.

ZOOM Meeting

Program Title: Israel Trip

Program Facilitator: Donna Anderson

October Birthday

October 6: Janie Wigley

October 7: Tiffany Harkins

Janie Wigley, Editor

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WE'RE ON THE WEB!!

<http://www.dkg.org/>

<http://www.dkgtexas.org/>

<http://www.astef.org/>

<http://www.deltakappagamma.org/TX-gammaeta/>
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/449077138462200/>



Gamma Eta Sisters Care

Please remember all our DKG sisters who have been impacted by the wildfires and hurricanes.

Donations can be made to the Emergency Fund at dkg.org. This fund gives \$500.00 to victims in needs from natural disasters. Forms are available on the website.

Upcoming Events:

92nd Texas State Convention

Denton, Texas
June 17 - 19, 2021

International Conferences

Portland, Oregon

July 7-10, 2021

San Antonio, Texas

July 21-24, 2021

Tampere, Finland

July 28-31, 2021

International Convention

New Orleans, Louisiana

July 12-16, 2022

Delta Kappa Gamma Mission

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

Delta Kappa Gamma Vision

Leading women educators impacting education world wide.

Delta Kappa Gamma Theme

DKG: Leading Women Educators Impacting Education Worldwide





Leadership Seminar 2021

The TSO Leadership Seminar will be held February 26-28, 2021 at the Arlington Hilton Hotel. More information and the application for can be found on the Leadership Seminar committee page. The deadline to apply is October 15, 2020. Remember, you are the key to our Society.

Image from dkgtexas.org

Gamma Eta Meetings at a Glance

September 19, 2020

ZOOM Area 12 Workshop

Facilitator: Judy Evans, Area Coordinator

October 5, 2020 5:30 pm

Officer Installation

Latta Hall, Crosbyton FUMC

Hostess Group: Crosbyton

November 2, 2020 5:30 pm

100th Anniversary of the 19th Amendment

Spur FUMC

Hostess Group: Spur

January 11, 2021 6:00 pm

ZOOM Meeting

Israel Trip presented by Donna Anderson

March 1, 2021 6:00 pm

Gamma Eta's 83rd Birthday Celebration

Everyone is an Artist

Matador FUMC

Hostess Group: Matador

April 12, 2021 5:30 pm

Celebrate our DKG Founders

View of our National Parks

LCU Library

Hostess Group: Lubbock

September 13, 2021 5:30 pm

Let's Talk about Tiny Houses

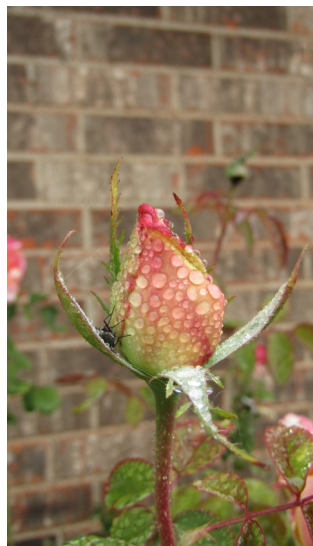
Spur FUMC

Hostess Group: Spur

October 4, 2021 5:30 pm

Making a DKG Resume

LCU Library



"I Spy with My Little Eye"

By Janie Wigley

This photograph was taken on January 31, 2019. Having a brief warm spell my one rose bush had sent out many buds. An unexpected cold snap came bringing with it a cold, freezing drizzle.

I saw that my rose buds and flowers were covered with frozen droplets of rain. Immediately I went for my camera and started shooting. This was my favorite shot of the day; however, I didn't realize until I had it developed that the cold spell had caught a fly creating a small visitor along with the frozen bud.

Unfortunately, the buds and flowers didn't last long, but the beauty of the roses were frozen in time by my photographs.

Look closely and see if you can find the fly!!