



Eta Alpha Chapter #169 Area 11 The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International Alpha State, Texas State Organization

Booker, Darrouzett, Perryton, Spearman

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

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April Meeting

Monday, April 11, 2022
5:15 to 5:45 pm - meal
5:45-6:05 pm - Program
6:05-? pm- business
New Hope Fellowship

"Game Night"
****Sheryl Dunlavy****

Hostesses: Sherry Boyd, Chair
Kathye Archer, Krista Baird and
Patt Howard

Renee's Reflections

Those of you who are still in the classroom are in a busy time of the year with testing and finishing this year. It seems like this year has flown by as always. I know there have been challenges and victories as well. I am looking forward to our meeting on April 11th. I know Sheryl has a fun game night planned.

Delta Kappa Gamma Purposes

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 or other suitable endeavors in the interest of education and of women educators.
5. To **endow** scholarships to aid outstanding women educators in pursuing graduate study and to **grant** fellowships to non-member educators.
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 effectively in a world society.

I know you are busy, as always, but come and enjoy fellowship with fellow Eta Alpha members.

If you know of any young women who would like to apply for a scholarship, please bring those applications to this meeting. The applicants need to be an education major in their junior or senior year or in graduate school. Also, bring recommendations for new members.

It is not too late to consider going to the state convention, June 16-19 in Lubbock. We would love for you all to go. Convention brings a new understanding of what DKG is all about.

See you all Monday, April 11th.

Officers for this Biennium:

President	Renee Lee
Vice President	Allison Vyoral
Second Vice President	Cecelia Cates
Treasurer	Billie Riggs
Recording Secretary	Dawn Fletcher
Corresponding Secretary	Bev Burger
Parliamentarian	Barbara Johnson

Ladies, please go to these women when you have thoughts, questions or concerns about Eta Alpha.

Delta Kappa Gamma Vision

Leading women educators
Impacting education
Worldwide



Red Rose Building Representatives

Spearman.....Karen Thompson
Booker.....Renee Lee
PHS/JHS.....
Williams/Wright.....Sharon Cummings
Retired.....Lana Yeary



Achievements

If you know of any member who has achievements of any kind please contact Karen Thompson.

2021-2022 Project
Panhandle Crisis Center

August – School Supplies
October – Traveling Art Supplies
November – Angel Tree gifts for
Crisis Center Children



Celebrate our April Birthday

Happy Birthday!

04 Sandra Splawn



Eta Alpha Committee Chairs



Achievement.....	Karen Thompson
Ceremonials/birthday.....	Ruth Schoenhals
Ceremonials/Induction-----	Laurette Wauer
Ceremonials/Founders-----	Barbara Johnson
Chapter Rules & Legislative-----	Gayle Butler
Communication-----	Beverly Burger
Emergency Fund-----	Rita Tregellas
Finance-----	Ada Feaster
Membership and Necrology-----	Cecelia Cates
Music/Arts-----	Donna Sheppard
Nominations-----	Dana Diedrich
Program and Service Projects	
Personal and Professional Enrichment-----	Allison Vyoral
Research and Archives-----	Connie Butler
Scholarship/Grants-in-Aid-----	Patt Howard
Yearbook-----	Cecelia Cates
Executive Committee----	Renee Lee, Cecelia Cates, Dawn Fletcher, Karen Thompson, Allison Vyoral, Billie Riggs, Barbara Johnson, Beverly Burger

Joys and Concerns

Please share your joys and concerns with your Eta Alpha sisters. We are here to care for and support each other.

Barbara Johnson is recovering from back surgery.

Websites

International: www.dkg.org

Texas State Organization:
www.dkgtexas.org

Our chapter:
www.alphastateetaalpha.weebly.com

Eta Alpha Minutes

Minutes February 7, 2022

Renee Lee called the meeting to order. We had a fabulous guest speaker, Mr. Dan Gist, superintendent of Spearman ISD. He spoke on "Parents of the 21st Century." He gave us great ideas to help with parents and children. We enjoyed hearing him speak.

Thank you to our hostesses for a wonderful meal! They were Donna Mann, Sandra Splawn, Jill Ellzey, Gayle Bulter and Sheryl Dunlavy.

Bobette gave our legislation report reminding everyone to please vote in the primary election on March 1st. The school board election is on May 7th. Everyone needs to get out and vote.

Karen Thompson gave out an achievement award to Renee Lee for doing an outstanding job during a chaotic time this year. We appreciate her so much!!

We voted on a change in our chapter rules from Article V1, Section D #2 that stated: Nominations for chapter officers and the new nominations committee members shall be made by a nominations committee of at least three members elected by a majority vote of members presented at the meeting following the February meeting. The chairman of the nominations committee shall be named

by the chapter president from those elected to the committee to: Nominations for chapter officers shall be made by a nominations committee, of at least three members, and presented at the February meeting and voted on by a majority vote of members present at the February meeting. Dawn Fletcher made a motion to change this chapter rule and Bobette Doerrie second it. The vote was unanimous!

The nominations committee presented by Dana Diedrich, Sheryl Dunlavy and Lana Yearly for new officers were voted on:

They are:

President-Dana Diedrich

1st Vice President-Allison Vyroral

2nd Vice President-Sheryl

Dunlavy(Yearbook)

Treasurer-Sherry Boyd

Recording Secretary-Laurette Wauer

Corresponding Secretary-Barbara

Johnson(Newsletter)

Parliamentarian-Bev Burger

Patti Peil made a motion to accept these new officers and Karen Thompson second it. The vote was again unanimous.

Renee Lee made a motion to make a \$100.00 donation to ASTEF in Minta Wilson's name. Bobette Doerrie second it. It was also unanimous.

The Area Workshop will have a \$15.00 registration fee and it will be held in Perryton in August. Most on that workshop later.

The nominations for scholarships must be turned in by April 11th.

Our next meeting will be Monday April 11th! Game Night! What fun! Our hostesses will be Sherry Boyd-Chair, Kathye Archer, Krista Baird and Patt Howard.

In our regular account we have \$8138.50 and in our recruitment account we have a balance of \$4416.77. The meeting was adjourned.

Members present were: Jill Ellzey, Donna Mann, Sheryl Dunlavy, Sandra Splawn, Renee Lee, Bev Burger, Teresa Meyer, Kathye Archer, Barbara Johnson, Billie Riggs, Connie Butler, Dana Diedrich, Dawn Fletcher, Patti Peil, Debbie Kinsey, Allison Vyroral, Ruth Schoenhals, Bobette Doerrie, Sherry Boyd, Angela Hollowell and Karen Thompson.

Let's Go On a Journey!

93rd Texas State Convention

June 14-17, 2022 Lubbock, TX

Area 11 Workshop

August 27, 2022

Will you come along and join the planning/fun/attending of both of these important events?

Contact Renee Lee or Cecelia Cates

NEXT MEETING

May 9, 2022

"Exploring our DKG Roots"

Hostesses:

Ruth Schoenhals, chair

Debbie Kinsey

Janet Blasingame

Sharon Cummings

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