

The Capsule

Georgia State Organization Alpha Delta Chapter

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hello DKG Sisters,

Welcome to the first year of our 2022-2024 Biennium. It is a privilege to represent our Alpha Delta Chapter as your president. I have big shoes to fill following outstanding chapter presidents. I appreciate the support you have already shown me. On behalf of our chapter, I would like to thank exiting president, Teresa Singletary, for her leadership during the COVID epidemic. She led us during a time of constant juggling and rescheduling as the normality we knew was changing.

Our first meeting is scheduled for Monday, September 12, in the media center of Thomas County Middle School (4681 US-84 W Bypass, Thomasville, GA 31792). Refreshments will begin at 4:30 and our general meeting will begin at 5:00. We have a full agenda which includes the installation of officers for this biennium and the induction of new members. We hope each of you can attend.

Speaking of new members...it is never too early to think of your educator friends and colleagues that would be interested in becoming a member of Delta Kappa Gamma and contribute to our chapter.

I cannot wait to see all of you again and hope that your school year is off to a great start.

Annette James
President 2022-2024

Welcome 2022 Inductees!

Britney Stone - Cross Creek Elementary
Tanishia Barnhart - Garrison-Pilcher Elementary
Carson Kimbrell - Scott Elementary School

Alpha Delta Meeting Dates

Monday, September 12 - Thomas County Middle School
Thursday, November 10 - Cairo High School
Tuesday, February 7 - Cross Creek Elementary School
Monday, April 17 - Thomas County BOE PLC

GSO Upcoming Events

September 24, 2022 - Fall Executive Board & Membership Meeting, Macon

September 30, 2022 - deadline to pay dues before being dropped Oct. 1

November 1, 2022 - Electronic deadline for Cornetet professional development applications

May 5-7, 2023 - GSO Convention - Iron Works, Columbus





Minutes - April 19, 2022

The Alpha Delta Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma met at the Thomas County BOE Office. President Teresa Singletary called the meeting to order. Inspiration was given by Robin Shaver, "Is It Worth It?"

Reports: Kathie Craven submitted the treasurer's report. Jan Westberg read the treasurer's report. The balance in our chapter account is \$5,037.37 as of June 1, 2021. At the March meeting, we gave a check for \$200 to World Fellowship.

Membership/Attendance: Jan Westberg called attendance and there were 16 members present. We had two guests for the grant program. We collected 16 children's books.

Program: The program consisted of giving three grants to deserving future educators and current educators to use in their classrooms. The high school student who is entering the college system to begin education classes is Emily Sinclair. The student who finished college and is beginning her teaching career is Emily Dukes. The teacher who has taught less than 5 years to be used for her classroom is Shaniquah Thomas.

Feature: Jan Westberg won a hanging plant.

Next Meeting: Next meeting will be held in September 2022. The Executive Committee is meeting Thursday, April 28, to discuss dates and programs.

Other Business: We had five prospects voted on at the meeting. The votes were tallied and they were all approved. The prospects are: Robin Binion (GP); Brittney Stone (CC); Tanishia Barnhart (Instructional Coach); Susan Milam (CC); Carson Kimbrell (Scott). We still need some positions filled for officers. If you have any suggestions, get them to Teresa before the Executive Board meeting.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned after choral reading of the Delta Kappa Gamma song.

Respectfully submitted,
Joy Clark