

DELTA KAPPA GAMMA

Promoting professional and personal growth for members and excellence in education

Zeta Zeta Chapter

May 15, 2007

Kit Greerty's Home, Martinez

A potluck dinner was enjoyed before the business meeting.

1. **CALL TO ORDER AND INSPIRATION:** Roseann Krane
 - a. The meeting was called to order at 6:50 p.m.
 - b. A Delta Kappa round was sung – led by Barbara Stumph
 - c. A Frost poem was read
 - d. Picasso is being shown at MOMO
 - i. BofA is underwriting 70 museums (if you have BofA cards, you get a discount)
2. **MINUTES:** Marilyn Steichen
 - a. The minutes were accepted as corrected. (A spelling error was corrected.)
3. **TREASURER'S REPORT:** Sydney Allison
 - a. The checking account has a balance of: \$1533.95
 - b. The Scholarship Fund with Checking has a balance of: \$1699.99
 - c. There are 3 CDs with the following balances: \$103 761.54, \$11 884.84
And \$3 797.56
 - d. Scholarships to teachers for continuing education are available
 - e. The financial records are up for audit
4. **DELTA KAPPA GAMMA BUSINESS**
 - a. **Convention Report**
 - i. Dianna Sawin is the new Area III Director
 - ii. Kit King received recognition of Professional Services
 1. She received a Life award grant
 - iii. Carol Rowley received Service Award for Community – Public Service (she is running for San Ramon City Council)
 - iv. Dianna Sawin received Zeta Zeta service award for recognition of service to Chapter
 - v. The Chapter received the “Order of the Rose” – a chapter award for gaining 5 new members during the past year
 - vi. The Chapter has been encouraged to mount a membership drive by gaining 8 new members in the coming year
 - b. **DKG – who are we?**
 - i. World Fellowships – there are fellowships and grants available to do work in 15 different countries
 - ii. LIFE – provides grants
 1. Kit has received this grant

2. DKG has received this grant for books for “backpacks project”
 3. Historian – Gail Faber is asking for help with “keeping the Chapter’s history” or for someone to take over
- c. Committee Reports
- i. Program –
 1. September – Fashion Show
 2. October 20 – Saturday – Area III meeting at Crow Canyon
 3. November 13 – Tuesday = B. Bornet on Cultural Interchange
 4. January 14 – Monday (Marilyn Steichen – Blue Star Moms or EF Fellow Speaker) one in January, the other in February
 5. February 19 – Tuesday
 6. March 10 – Monday – Travel – maybe J. Cunnings
 7. April 15 – Tuesday – Co - meeting with other Chapters – D. Sawin
 8. May – Installation and initiation
 - ii. Meetings for 2007-2008
 1. Next years meetings will be at Scott’s
 - a. In 2007-2008, the cost of dinner will be \$30
 - b. In 2008-2009, the cost of dinner will be \$32
 - iii. Legislation – Jeanne Gelwicks
 1. Members wrote postcards to legislators concerning the 75 million cut the Governor wants to make in the purchasing power of retired teachers
 - iv. Delta Kappa Gamma Upcoming Events – Diana Sawin
 1. Area III Fall Conference, October 20, 2007 at Crow Canyon Country Club
 2. 2008 Chi State Convention, May 2-4 at San Francisco Airport Marriott
 3. 2009 Chi State Convention, May 1-3 at Hyatt Regency Hotel in Orange County
 4. International Events –
 - a. Southwest Regional Conference, July 11-14, 2007 in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
 - b. 2008 International Convention, July 22-27, 2008 in Chicago, Illinois
 - c. Southwest Regional Conference, 2009 in Reno, Nevada
 - v. Initiation – Joe Anne Doyle,
 1. The following were welcomed to the chapter following their initiation:
 - a. Linda Swatek
 - b. Moore
 - c. Kellner

d. Ferron

d. Presentation – Kit Greerty

Kit related her experiences during her trip to Lourdes.

The meeting was adjourned at 8 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Marilyn Steichen, Secretary