Delta Kappa Gamma

DKG Oregon State Organization

Alpha Chapter Minutes

October 10, 2020

Members in Attendance: , Bonita Fillmore, Brenda Jensen, Darlene Cook-via Zoom, Joanne Skinner, Judy Brimmer, Melissa High, Nancy Gilder-via Zoom

President Bonita Fillmore called the meeting to order at 9:39 AM

July minutes were approved as corrected which added the Treasurer’s report.

August minutes were approved as written.

Judy presented the treasurer’s report: Checking 2844.88 and CD 2707.67. Included in the checking is 1198.90 is for the Judy Smith Clifton Memorial scholarship.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

Judy reported that the BEAR project committee reported they are in the process of making a plan with the restrictions of COVID and need to plan how they will move forward.

Melissa reported that she is in the process of working with Midland store on the possibility to set up a neighborhood library box on their property. If not there, another location will be chosen.

Brenda and Joanne will be meeting to move forward on providing a Judy Smith Clifton memorial grant/scholarship, which will be presented to Henley Middle School (Judy’s lifelong career school).

The budget was presented and discussed. Final approval has been tabled until the next meeting.

**NEW BUSINESS**

Brenda presented the chapter website: [www.alphachapterdeltakappagamma.com](http://www.alphachapterdeltakappagamma.com). She encouraged members to visit it. Come see the pictures on the website. It is in the process of being re-certified through international by the end of the month.

There are upcoming state social events: October 17 at 9:30-11:00 a symposium Displaced Children and Youth. Our own Bethany Osborn will be on the panel. It will be on Zoom. Please send an email to Grace Pitzer at [gcpitzer@comcast.net](mailto:gcpitzer@comcast.net) to register for the symposium.

On October 29th there will be a DKG state-wide pumpkin carving and/or costume contest. We are calling it the October Extravaganza. There will be prizes for the most imaginative pumpkin and most imaginative costume There will be a door prize for just joining the fun. It will be held at 6:00 PM via Zoom. Let Brenda know if you would like to attend. [bcjdkg@gmail.com](mailto:bcjdkg@gmail.com). Bonita and Brenda are planning the festivities.

We need nominations for District 2 for the state finance committee and the nominations committee. This is an excellent way to get involved in state activities. Finance committee involves two to three meetings with the State Treasurer either in person or Zoom dealing with the state budget and spending.

The nomination committee meets usually the second year of the biennium to seek nominees for state offices.

Fund raising ideas were discussed several ideas were presented.

* The possibility of Applebee’s fundraiser will be explored.
* How about an online auction? Do have some really neat ideas or homemade projects you would like to donate?
* Does someone in the chapter or do you know someone who would be willing to donate something for a raffle? Such as a cord of wood or something really nice that they have made?

Any other ideas? Please let Bonita know. [Bfillmore55@q.com](mailto:Bfillmore55@q.com)

Our social/committee meeting will be held on November 11th at 5:00 PM at the Red Rooster.

Why don’t you all come and have dinner and some good conversation together. As always go ahead and bring a guest. The more the merrier. Zoom will be available so even the out of towners will be welcomed to eat their dinner with us.

The Zoom invite will be provided for all members.

President Bonita Fillmore adjourned the meeting at 11:00 AM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Brenda C. Jensen

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Alpha Chapter Secretary