Delta Kappa Gamma

Alpha Iota Chapter

Psi State

October 2015

A Holiday Celebration

On December 5th, our chapter meeting, Christmas sing-a-long and silent auction will be an event you don't want to miss! Our local sister chapters, Gamma Alpha (Clayton), Gamma Psi (Clayton/Henry) and Gamma Nu (Fayetteville); our District III Director, Tina Marsh and the Psi State President, Gail Sprinstead have been invited to join us. Please, also invite prospective members to celebrate the holiday season. An invitation is included on the last page of this newsletter. Please note our meeting will begin promptly at 9:30, so that we may greet our guests as they arrive at 10:00. Lunch for guests will be \$10. RSVP by Nov. 31 to Laura Michelle at wood9693@aol.com, so that lunches may be ordered on December 1st.



Chicken Salad Croissant Homemade chicken salad, lettuce, tomato, on a freshly baked croissant

Smoked Turkey Club

Smoked turkey, lettuce, tomato, smoked bacon, smoked gouda cheese, red onions, with sun dried tomato mayo on sour dough bread **Honey Baked VA Ham**

Honey ham, smoked cheddar cheese, lettuce, tomato, red onions, chipolte mustard on pumpernickel rye

February Joint Meeting

Every other year, our February meeting is held in conjunction with our two sister chapters, Gamma Alpha and Gamma Psi. On Saturday, February 6th we will meet at the Jones Memorial United Methodist Church at 5320 Phillips Drive, in Lake City. The church is located south of Forest Parkway and north of Reynolds Nature Preserve. A box lunch will be catered by Blondine and include a choice of 3 different sandwiches, pasta salad and a cookie or brownie. More details to come!

On the Web

Delta Kappa Gamma International – <u>http://dkg.org/</u> Psi State – <u>http://dkgga.weebly.com</u> Alpha Iota – <u>http://alphaiotaga.weebly.com</u>



Service Projects

December 2015

Silent Auction: Get creative! Bring your silent auction items. Proceeds will be used for scholarships and chapter expenses.

February 2016

Dress for Success Clothing Drive: Bring your gently used clothing for women who are getting back into the work force.

April 2016

Youth in the Arts: We will sponsor students for the Arts Clayton Summer Camp.

Psi State Executive Board Meeting

Psi State President, Gail Springstead, led her first Executive Board Meeting on Saturday, September 26th. Deborah Bhanojirow, Vice President, Debra Anderson, Treasurer, and Cheryl Goff, Vice President, represented Alpha Iota at the event, in Macon. Debra attended a meeting for chapter treasurers and Cheryl attended the state communication committee meeting. Deborah attended a very informative session for general membership. We learned about the new recruitment and membership plan, chapter action plans, International projects and the various upcoming events available to all members. Next year, let's get our whole chapter to attend and win the attendance award!

Leadership Seminar II

Debra Anderson, Treasurer, Laura Michelle Wood, President, and Cheryl Goff, Vice President, attended the Leadership Seminar II in Macon, on June 5-7. The Psi State Organization Leadership Development committee organizes the three day training. Leadership Seminar II focused on leadership development as a process with a strong focus on communication skills. Please consider attending Leadership Seminar I this summer, as it is a very beneficial weekend for your personal development.





Upcoming Events

DeltaHolstel March 11-13, 2016 Thomasville, GA

Leadership Seminar I June 3-5, 2016 Macon, GA

ALAGA Arts Retreat & Workshop June 10-12, 2016 Bagley State Park, GA

International Convention July 5-9 2016 Nashville, GA

Executive Board Meeting September 24, 2016 Macon, GA

Psi State Convention April 29-30, 2017 Athens, GA

DeltaHostel

Enjoy a weekend of history, artistic & musical expression, love & sisterly fellowship...from Thomasville's "Rose City," home of plantations, and the "Big Oak Tree" to Colquitt's "Mural City," home of "Swamp Gravy" and mayhaw jelly. Details on the Psi State website.

Your input is needed!

Chapter Meeting Duties http://tinyurl.com/pd6fzk8

Inspiration for Life Cookbook http://tinyurl.com/ptqx4sp



Contact Cheryl Goff for additional recruiting brochures.



The Georgia DKG Sisters at the Southeast Regional Conference in Savannah July 2015

You won't want to miss the Society's International Convention scheduled for July 5, 2016 - July 9, 2016 at the fabulous Gaylord Opryland Resort and Convention Center in Nashville, Tennessee.

ALPHA IOTA INVITES YOU TO A HOLIDAY CELEBRATION

Saturday, Decebmer 5, 2015

10:00 am - 12:30 pm Morrow United Methodist Church 5985 Jonesboro Rd, Morrow, GA 30260

Silent Auction Holiday Sing-Along Lunch

 Proceeds from the silent auction will provide scholarships for future teachers.

•• Lunch- \$10, RSVP before Dec. 1 to wood9693@aol.com