

Eta Mu Chapter, California Organization of Delta Kappa Gamma
Meeting Minutes
January 18, 2017

Programs: Tonight Gina Boyer and Lynette Stime from Enterprise Restart presented a program outlining The Enterprise Success Model that focuses on positively impacting and transforming lives, families and communities in need. Their cliental ranges from the homeless, to the migrant, to offenders in the AB109 early release program. The program gives participants tools for success through personal transformational classes. The Gospel Mission has partnered with Enterprise Restart as well as several community groups. Volunteers are welcomed to be trained in these strategies.

1) CALL TO ORDER

Co-President Pat Elston called the meeting to order at 8:15 P.M.

Sixteen members and two guest speakers attended.

2) SEPTEMBER 17, 2016 MINUTES

The September 17, 2016 minutes were approved on a motion made by Kathleen Heinzinger, seconded by Janice Freeman and passed by a vote of all members present.

3) TREASURER'S REPORT

Treasurer's Report: Adele Little reported a balance of \$2029.28 on hand as of January 18, 2017. The Treasurer's Report was approved on a motion from Lynn Lysko, seconded by Kathleen Heinzinger and passed by the members present.

4) COMMITTEE REPORTS

- a) Membership: Membership VP Kathleen Heinzinger reported on a new way to invite prospective members to join our Chapter. Details can be found at www.DKG.org under the International section. Prospective members can be invited to view the power point entitled "Pride in the Big Picture". Membership would be proposed at a meeting before the invitation for membership was sent to the prospective member.
- b) Janice Freeman reminded members of the next meeting entitled A New Day for Children. Guest speaker is Kathy Wilson. The event will be held at the Patterson Room of SCOE, located on 12th and H Streets

- in Modesto on Tuesday, February 28, from 6-8 pm. All area XVII members will be invited as well as our State representatives.
- c) Website—Bios: A reminder to fill out bios.
 - d) Awards: Kathleen Heinzinger reported that Dr. Susan Neufeld has been nominated for State Awards.
 - e) Scholarship and Grants: Adele also reported that our Grant-in-Aid recipient was chosen from four candidates brought forward from Modesto Junior College by an Executive Committee vote. The nominee is Stefanie Menera. Adele read her letter of application to the group. Stefanie will be invited to a later meeting.
 - f) LIFE Donations: The membership approved a motion by Janice Freeman and seconded by Kathleen Heinzinger to honor deceased member Ardis Bashaw with a memorial gift of twenty-five dollars to the LIFE Fund.
 - g) THAT hours: Great job of posting school involvement to our DKG website.

5. OTHER BUSINESS

Announcements:

- (a) Convention is at LAX on May 5-7. Registration is on-line now. Donations for prizes for baskets at the convention can be made now. Contact Pat for raffle information.
- (b) Yo Quiero Musica: Saturday, February 4, 2017 at 5:30 pm at the State Theater. The fundraiser costs \$25 to attend and benefits Modesto City Schools music program.
- (c) Read Across America: March 2 at Mary Lou Dieterich Elementary School. See Kathleen Heinzinger who will head a group of interested readers. Members meet at 9:00 am. Bring books to read and donate. Those who cannot read are welcome to donate books to the library that other volunteers may read.
- (d) Literacy Network Luncheon: March 3. Adele Little will post event information in the newsletter. Cost is \$30.
- (e) Modesto Gospel Mission: Janice Freeman collected donations from members. Teaching materials are also needed. The Mission is holding the Heart of a Donor Brunch on Monday, February 20 from 9-11am at the Mission on Yosemite.

6. NEW BUSINESS

Thanks to our guests for presenting, Heather Nonaca for hosting the event on this rainy night, Debbie Mar and Linda Chrabas for providing the Soup and Salad meal for the members.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:40 pm.

Minutes are submitted by Linda Chrabas, Eta Mu Secretary