

Eta Mu Zoom Meeting
Crossing Bridges Together!
(California Biennium Theme)
Wednesday, February 11, 2021

Agenda:

1. Judy Trask and Linda Chrabas welcomed members to the Zoom meeting. The business portion of the meeting was called to order at 6:13 p.m.

Business Meeting Actions and Reports

a. A motion to approve the corrected minutes from the January 13, 2021 Zoom meeting (sent via email) was made by Kathleen Heinzinger and seconded by Lynn Lysko. The minutes were unanimously approved as corrected.

b. Treasurer's Report Lynn Lysko presented the latest report, which was briefer than usual since Zoom meetings haven't required any financial output from the chapter. Lynn suggested that since we have this extra money this year, we may want to decide in a future meeting to increase the amount we give in scholarships.

c. Membership Committee Debbie Mar
✓ Reminder—Members are needed for this committee
✓ **Membership Growth Goal** (Non-retirees: 1 person each=6) It was decided that this goal will be put on hold until the stressful Covid teaching restrictions are over.
✓ Heart-to-Heart News Trudi Sigmon's husband Steve has health problems. At this time, Trudi doesn't need meals or other assistance but will let us know if help is needed later. Trudi says she loves and misses her Eta Mu sisters.
Follow-up will be done by Janice Freeman to see whether Mercedes Hart has returned home from her nursing facility.

d. Executive Board Report Judy Trask and Linda Chrabas will meet to make a decision about Chapter Awards that have a March 1st deadline.

e. Program Committee Theresa Foote has made contact to confirm that our May Mystery event is still on. A decision was made by members to change the Potato Fest/Bunco gathering to a Zoom Bingo Bash due to Covid restrictions on gathering in person. Carol Vieira will get more information on Zoom Bingo and get back to the Executive Board.

f. Legislative Report Heather Nonaca posted her most recent legislative information to the Eta Mu Facebook page.

g. Awards and Recognition Committee Awards due on March 1st were discussed. Pat Elston sent an idea to Carol Vieira recently for a student teacher award. The same student teacher may be named for both area and chapter awards.

h. Communications Committee Pat Elston appreciates the articles and other input she receives for the chapter newsletter. She will also add a link to Debbie Mar's cooking video (tonight's program) to the Eta Mu Facebook page.

i. Other Business:
✓ Honor Chapter checklist—members helped Judy Trask fill out the document. She will submit the electronic version to DKG California before the March 1st deadline.
✓ Reminder—THAT hours; teachers helping other teachers during Covid restrictions. Members are posting their hours individually.
✓ The March Potato Fest/Bunco has been cancelled due to Covid restrictions on gathering in person.
✓ Janice Freeman made a motion that a \$50 memorial donation be made in honor of late charter member Nancy Lee. The motion was seconded by Carol Vieira and passed unanimously.

j. Next Meeting: Zoom Bingo Bash on March 16, 2021

k. No Inspiration presentation this time.

l. Singing of the Delta Kappa Gamma Song

m. The business portion of the meeting was adjourned at 6:57.

2. Virtual Chinese Cooking Demonstration by Debbie Mar. Ingredients were shared ahead of time for members who wanted to cook along with Debbie. The video of her cooking demonstration will also be available on the Eta Mu Facebook page for those who want to cook the meal later on.