



Eta Mu Newsletter

Mission Statement

The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International promotes professional and personal growth of women educators and excellence in education.



UPCOMING EVENTS

Apr. 29-May 1
Chi State
Convention
May 14 Joint
Installation of
Officers
May 21
Celebrating...



Birthdays

April 1
Virginia Irons
April 13
Janice Freeman
April 27
Carol Vieira

Left Item:

Adele Little would like to return a kitchen towel left at her house on the evening of the January Soup and Salad Supper to its rightful owner. You can contact her at 523-1275 or 604-6671.



When: Tuesday, April 16 at 5:00 P.M.

Where: Stanislaus Literacy Center, 1032 11th Street, Modesto

Contact Person: Adele Little 523-1275 or 604-6671

Here's an opportunity for learning and conviviality! Join your Eta Mu sisters on April 19th at the LearningQuest-Stanislaus Literacy Centers facility at 1032 11th Street (corner of 11th and K Streets). We will convene at 5:00 p.m. for a wine and cheese reception followed by a presentation and tour of the classrooms and learning lab.

LearningQuest offers individualized reading tutoring and classes in English as a Second Language, family literacy, Adult Basic Education, and GED/high school diploma equivalency. In addition to the services offered at its downtown facility, LearningQuest provides school, library, jail, and church-based programs.

After the presentation and tour, we will adjourn to Fuzio's Universal Bistro (one block west) for a no-host dinner. Reservations have been made for 6:30 p.m. Meal choices include appetizers, soups, salads, pizzas, burgers, pastas, and specialty entrees. Most selections are in the \$10-\$15 range. Street parking is available on 11th and K Streets. Parking in the City's 10th Street Parking Garage (across the street) is an option.

RSVP for the meeting and/or dinner. Members with email addresses will receive an Evite; others may respond to Adele at 523-1275.



New Officers To Be Installed In May

Officers for the 2016-2018 were elected and will be installed next month. The officers for the next biennium are Co-Presidents, Pat Elston and Lynn Lysko; First Vice-President, Janice Freeman; Second Vice-President, Kathleen Heinzinger; Recording Secretary, Linda Chrabas. Adele Little accepted the appointment for the office of Treasurer and Carol Vieira for Parliamentarian.

New officers will be installed on May 14, 2016, at 11:00 AM at Concetta Restaurant in Modesto. Area XVII Director, Barbara Nash will officiate at the installation. A luncheon will be served after the initiation of officers. Reservations and checks will be handled by Eta Mu, table decorations by Epsilon Nu, and flowers for the officers by Alpha Epsilon. The cost for the luncheon of \$22.00 will be due by May 3, 2016.

Please send your checks made out to Eta Mu to Adele Little, 2805 Veneman Avenue, Modesto, CA 95356. The \$22 will include lunch, tip and tax, as well as the room fee. We look forward to seeing members there to support the incoming officers and to connect with members of Epsilon Nu and Alpha Epsilon.

Member News

Carol Wharton has been giving art lessons to **Debbie Mar's** students at Everett Elementary School. Students are creating a watercolor painting into a collage of flowers in a vase over a period of 3 lessons in 3 weeks. The students are excited to have a work of art to give their mothers on Mother's Day. Debbie says, "Thank you, Carol, for sharing one of your many talents!"

Mary Lou Dieterich had a wonderful trip to Rome and Israel. She says, "It was one of the most desired trips and everything was awesome. It was truly a life time dream come true. However I did also come home with pneumonia and was hospitalized for a week. I am home, but still re-cooperating. I have no voice, so have not been able to even have visitors. Hopefully I will be better soon!! Thanks for the lovely orchid! God Bless."

Chi State Convention



Registration for the Chi State Convention, Double Tree By Hilton, Fresno, is due by Sunday, April 10, 2016. This year registration is to be completed online and the registration form and check to be mailed. Please contact Kathleen Heinzinger if you need help with the registration. Her number is 572-3420.

Other Chapters' Events

WOMEN WHO SUCCEED GREAT HEALTHY AND RESPONSIBLE RELATIONSHIPS STOP AND
THE ENDING THE CULTURE OF VIOLENCE COMMITTEE - CELEBRATING THE CONVERSATION
SUNSHINE SERIES PRESENTS
A FUNDRAISER FOR THE HAVEN WOMEN'S CENTER OF STANISLAUS COUNTY

THE SIRENS

A PLAY BY JARRAH CLOUD

CAUTION: THIS IS NOT A LOVE STORY

**May 5 and 6, 2016
at 7:30pm**

Gallo Center for the Arts - Foster Family Theater

Tickets starting at \$10.00
available at <http://tickets.galloarts.org>

**ALL PROCEEDS GO TO THE HAVEN WOMEN'S CENTER
OF STANISLAUS COUNTY**



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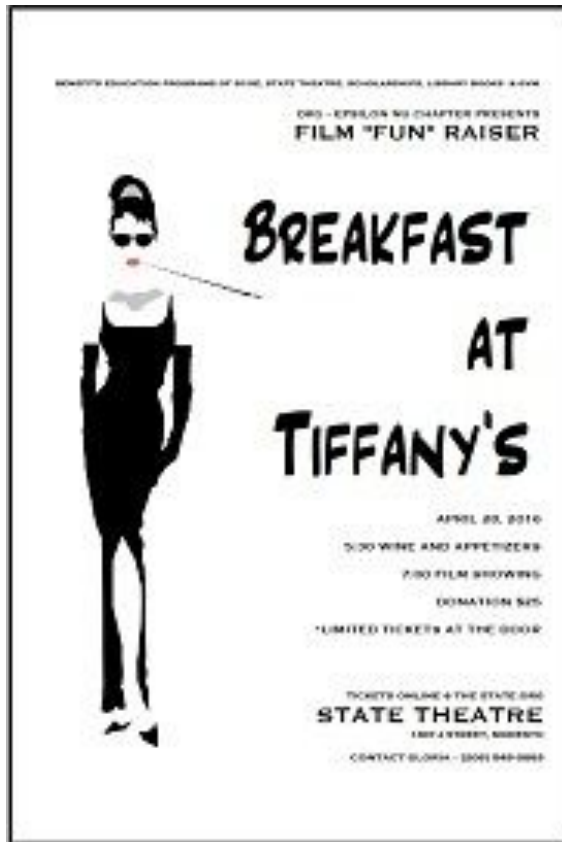
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Epsilon Nu, along with AAUW, is sponsoring "The Sirens" to benefit Haven Women's Center of Stanislaus County.

Tickets may be purchased at Gallo Center for the Arts or at <http://tickets.galloarts.org>.

GARAGE SALE

Alpha Epsilon Chapter is having a Garage Sale on Friday and Saturday, April 15 and 16, and would appreciate your donations. Call Vicki, 996-1700 or Kathleen, 380-2000 and they will pick up your items. You may also shop the Garage Sale from 8AM-2PM either day. They appreciate your generosity.



Epsilon Nu Chapter is presenting the movie Breakfast at Tiffany's at the State Theater on April 28 to benefit education programs of SCOE, State Theater, Scholarships, Library books and Great Valley Museum.

Contact Gloria at 209-545-0883 to purchase tickets for a \$25 donation. You can also go online and purchase your tickets:

<http://thestate.org/calendar/event/658>