

Delta Kappa Gamma Society International Beta Gamma Chapter PA State Organization

2023-24 Winter Newsletter from your Presidents



MEETINGS



| Monday, September 11, 2023 | 5:30 meet at Hoss's in East York | Electronic game night presented by Brittany. You must bring your phone or I-pad. Discussion on our summer activities. |
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| Monday, October 2, 2023 | 5:30 meet at Hoss's in East York | Corinne will do a presentation on canning. |
| Monday, November 6, 2023 | 5:30 meet at Hoss's in East York | We will work on our invitations for the silent auction. Bring addresses and any ideas for personal notes you'd like to include in the invitations. |
| Monday, December 4, 2023 | 5:30 meet at Hoss's in East York | It will be our Christmas party. Please bring items for our silent auction. All proceeds from the auction will be donated to our scholarship fund. |
| Monday, March, 4, 2024 | 5:30 meet at Hoss's in East York | Business meeting |
| Monday, April 8, 2024 | 5:30 Meet at Miller Plant Farm | Doing an activity at Miller Plant Farm |
| Saturday, April 20, 2024 | 8:45 am meet at Normandie Ridge | 4 Chapter Brunch – Royce Boyd Alpha Alpha State President will be the special guest. More details to follow |
| Monday, May 6, 2024 | 5:30 meet at Yorkshire Church | Paint night |
| Friday, June 14 & Saturday, June 15, 2024 | Meet at Linda Martin's House for our yard sale fundraiser | If you want to help with the yard sale meet at Linda's house. This is one of our fundraisers |
| Wednesday, June 19- Friday, June 21, 2024 | Pittsburgh Marriott North in the Cranberry Woods Business Park in Cranberry Township near Warrendale, PA | Alpha Alpha State Convention |

Our December meeting which included a Christmas party and our silent auction to collect money for our scholarship fund was a successful fun evening.









As soon as more details are obtained for the meetings with minimal information, an email with details

will be sent to members, however at this time, you can mark your calendar with the dates for most of our meetings this year.

Fundraising

We experienced success with the Hoss' gift card fund raiser, the flower fundraiser, the yard sale and the silent auction. Remember to save some items for this summer's yard sale. You can drop items off at Linda's house. In addition, don't forget to take your slightly used books to BAM books and see if you can earn any money for our chapter. Due to a decrease in sales, we will no longer participate in the Flower Power sale.

Scholarships

Our scholarship committee met and the scholarship applications were distributed to all the schools in York County. Once again, we will be selecting a deserving graduating senior majoring in education to receive our \$500 scholarship. The committee received 13 applications by the March 1st deadline and will meet to choose the recipient.

General Announcements

Members, please email or call Joan if you know of any member who is sick or who has lost a loved one so that she may send them a card.

Our basket theme for convention this year is breakfast. Please continue to bring in any breakfast items so we can prepare a basket for convention. Thanks to Joan for taking time to organize all the items in our basket to present at convention.

Please continue to collect toiletry items to donate to the Lehman Center. Thanks to Judy for collecting the items and delivering them to the Lehman Center. They appreciate our donations.

New members welcome. If you know anyone that would be a great fit in our organization, please invite them to meetings and/or encourage them to join us. Below is a small paragraph that might be useful.

Are you an educator interested in joining an organization that will value your commitment to education, allow you to make new friends, provide the opportunity to network, give options of attending conventions at the local, state, and national levels, encourage you to apply for scholarships, participate in community projects, and much more, then the Beta Gamma chapter wants you. Please consider joining us.