

News for U's

Upsilon Chapter Newsletter

October, 2016 Biennium 36 Issue #2

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Save the Dates!

November 12, 2016	Second Business Meeting - Auction: Grant-In-Aid Fundraiser at Jeannette Public Library (500 Magee Avenue, Jeannette, PA 15644) - See details below.
March/April, 2017 TBA	Third Business Meeting
April 21-23, 2017	PA State Creative Arts Retreat, Ludlow, PA (Check details in <i>The Keystonean</i> - Winter, 2016.)
May, 2017 TBA	Fourth Business meeting
June 9-11, 2017	PA State Convention at Nittany Lion Inn—celebrating Upsilon's 70 th Birthday
July 12-14, 2017	North East Regional Conference (NERC) in Windsor, Ontario

She Said + She Said:

Greetings Sisters,

As the fall leaves are becoming more colorful and beautiful, let's invite a friend to join us at our scholarship auction meeting at Jeannette Library on November 12 to bid on our beautiful selections of goodies from the kitchen, handmade items, and other treasures! Don't forget to bring a quality item or 2 for the auction and your checkbook to help provide Grant-In-Aid to a future teacher.

It's a great time to invite a friend or 2 to share in the fun—the more people bidding, the better to help us reach our \$2000 goal!

Hope to see and your guest there!

Nancy and Patti

P.S. If you haven't submitted your dues yet, please send in your \$70 dues check with your RSVP. Dues are due!



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Meeting Specifics for November 12:

WHERE	Jeannette Public Library (500 Magee Avenue, Jeannette, PA 15644)
WHEN	10:30 - Socializing and viewing auction items 10:45 - Meeting then Lunch then Auction
MENU	The Box-Lunch Menu choices are provided on the RSVP page.
PROGRAM	Grant-in-Aid Auction -an Upsilon tradition—benefitting a future teacher as we have done every year since 1947!
HOSTESSES	Anita Zanke, Chair , Wendy Bigelow, Nancy Fondrk, Patti Marco, Camey Mazanek, Deb Salvatore, Dorothy Snozek
RSVP	To Deb Salvatore (1120 Thompson Street, Jeannette, PA 15644) by Friday, November 4, 2016. Please make check payable to: <i>DKG Upsilon</i> . For your convenience, there's an RSVP form at the end of the Newsletter.

Projects:

Upsilon Projects for 2016-2018 will continue to support **Deb Salvatore's** Pre-School Story Hour at the Jeannette Public Library in partnership with Head Start. We will also support Jeannette Head Start by donating needed items as requested on their website.

Deb used Upsilon's \$100 donation to purchase art supplies for Pre-School Story Hour.

Needs list from Head Start website:

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| • Disposable diapers | • Wipes |
| • Nontoxic washable art supplies | • Dish soap |
| • Bleach/cleaning supplies | • Liquid hand soap |
| • Paper towels | • Toilet paper |
| • Toothpaste | • Children's toothbrushes |
| • Children's clothing (including socks, underwear, boots, gloves, hats) | |



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Album of Distinction 2017:

Did you know that Upsilon has had at least one sister named to the PA State Album of Distinction every year since 2006? Who will represent Upsilon in the 2017 Album of Distinction? Please keep us informed about honors, achievements, and recognitions you have received. We would be happy to do the paper work and submit your name for this honor. Recommendations to State must be submitted by April 1, 2017. Let's keep the streak going!

Opportunities for Personal and Professional Growth:

The Pennsylvania State Scholarship Committee will be distributing \$20,000 in scholarships and enrichment grants at the June 2017 Convention. If you would like to spend someone else's money while you study or travel, be sure to check out the applications online at alphaalphapa.com *The Keystoneian* – Winter, 2016, will provide you additional information. Applications must be completed and postmarked February 1, 2017.

Future Hostess FYI:

Third Meeting – March/April, 2017		Fourth Meeting – May, 2017	
Sharon Komandt, Chair		Candace Aikins, Chair	
Barbara Altmire	Linda Raschiatore	Bonnie Aikins	Jane Klingenberg
Bonnie Bober	Fran Sabo	Ellen Arbuckle	Fran Phillips
Glenna Emanuel	Karen Smith	Rosemarie Dvorchak	Joan Raymond
Pat Hollinger	Linda Smith	Georgiann Flanigan	Cindy Veverka
Debbie Maszgay		Theresa Hickman	Carol Waugaman
		Lorraine Hoffman	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chair and committee members will provide items and/or gift cards to be used for Fundraisers that support Pre-School Story Hour. • Chair will ask committee members to provide a Meeting Reflection, handle Fundraiser items and tickets, and serve as greeters when members come into the meeting area. 			



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Dates from PA State and International:

2017	February 1 - PA State Scholarship/Enrichment Grant Applications due	<p>Enrich your DKG-life by participating.</p> <p>Detailed information for each of these opportunities can be found on the DKG websites: www.dkg.org or www.alphaalphapa.com</p>
	April 1 – PA State Album of Distinction Nominations due	
	April 21-23 - PA State Creative Arts Retreat, Olmstead Manor, Ludlow, PA	
	June 9-11 - PA State Convention, Nittany Lion Inn, State College, PA	
	July 12-14 - International NERC, Windsor, Ontario	

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Glories and Worries:

We want to celebrate with you—promotion, new child/grandchild, community award, new job, recognition of some sort . . . OR if you are in need of prayers for anything . . . Please let us know on the RSVP form so we can share your information at the meeting.



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NAME: _____

- I will attend the Second Business Meeting on November 12. I have designated my luncheon choice and enclosed a check for the appropriate amount.**

_____ **Fuji Apple Salad with Chicken -- \$13**

Chicken raised without antibiotics, arugula, romaine, kale and radicchio blend, vine-ripened tomatoes, red onions, toasted pecan pieces, Gorgonzola and apple chips tossed with sweet white balsamic vinaigrette and served with a French Baguette and a cookie.

_____ **Roasted Turkey, Apple, and Cheddar Sandwich -- \$12**

Roasted turkey raised without antibiotics, Vermont white cheddar, fresh apple and cabbage slaw, arugula and special sauce on Whole Grain Cranberry Walnut Bread and served with potato chips and a cookie.

_____ **Ham & Swiss Sandwich --\$11**

Ham, Swiss, lettuce, vine-ripened tomatoes and red onions with salt and pepper on Whole Grain with mayo and spicy mustard and served with potato chips, a pickle, and a cookie.

NOTE: Beverages will be provided by Hostess Committee.

- I will not attend the Second Business Meeting on November 12 because . . .**

Any **GLORIES** (Celebrations!) or **WORRIES** (Prayers/Concerns) you want us to share at the meeting?



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