### The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International California Area V Delta Lambda Chapter

https://deltalambdachapter.weebly.com/



# **Rose Report**

#### December 2020

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

Leading women educators impacting education worldwide.

DKG California - Educational - Professional - Making an Impact

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#### Presidents' Message

#### Dear DKG Sisters,

Can you believe another month has passed? We have all had to make difficult decisions about getting together with family and friends. We are heading into the holidays and facing even more choices of how to spend the holidays.

Our next meeting will give us a chance to get together to share time with friends, since we have allowed time for members to connect with one another during the meeting. We hope some of you will invite potential new members. We also will be honoring some of our sisters with longevity

We wish you all a happy and healthy Thanksgiving. Most of all, we really look forward to seeing everyone at the Zoom meeting December 5th at 10 AM.

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# DKG Meeting Schedule 2020-2021

December 5, Saturday, Holiday Meeting 10AM DECEMBER 29, BOARD MEETING, 2PM January 23, Saturday, Birthday Meeting FEBRUARY 9, BOARD MEETING, 2PM February 21. Sunday, RIF fundraiser March 7, Saturday, Voting Meeting and Program April 10, Saturday, General Meeting possible Virtual Field Trip APRIL 13, BOARD MEETING, 2PM April 30-May 1, State Convention Los Angeles June 5, Saturday, Final Meeting

#### **RIF News**

Marsha Leadingham & Stephenie Meroney

Our biggest RIF News is that Kathy Morgan has volunteered to co-chair the RIF distributions with Karen Crummey at Foothill. Thank you so much, Kathy. It is always so much more fun to have a RIF buddy when organizing distribution days. We will be ordering books (we're thinking positively) at the beginning of the year. We have permission to store the books at Ord Terrace thanks to their principal, Joe Sampson. Keep your fingers crossed that we can have RIF in the spring.

#### RIF Coordinators 2020-2021

Please contact a coordinator if you want to read for RIF.



Kathy Poulson 408-605-4579 Nancy Durein 373-0564

**Del Rey Woods School** Alice Stoll 659-3273 Mickey Tachibana 333-0226

Martin Luther King School

Gayle Paul 484-0222

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Ord Terrace School Stephenie Meroney 625-2192

Marsha Leadingham 394-0513

Crumpton

Kathy Knight 649-3582 Sally Eastham 372-6919

Olson School Shelia Deis 917-8169 Kerry Conner 656-9662

**Foothill School** Karen Crummey 624-4154 Kathy Morgan 373-6728

#### **December & January Birthdays**



Karen Crummey	12/03
Catherine Hendrick	12/07
Valerie Rivera	12/12
Joy Chandler	12/22
Nancy Howe	12/22
Ginny Hall	12/27
Gloria Souza	1/03
Wendy Banks	1/05
Claudia Coury	1/05
Kathryn Lawrence	1/08
Betty Ann Campbell	1/16
Kathy Morgan	1/24
Stella Kumagai	1/31
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#### **Membership**

Camille Liscinsky & Linda McClain

#### Honoring Our Members with Pins

Delta Lambda is happy and proud to recognize nine long-term, active members. They have



contributed to the growth and success of our chapter. We traditionally honor such members with a pin, presented at our December General Meeting.

This year, Linda and Camille will be happy to deliver a pin to:

#### 30 year Members:

Gail Boger Vanessa Bredthauer Kristin Searle Bonnie Van Meter

#### 20 Year Members:

Nancy Durein Marilyn Higbie Kathy Morgan

#### 10 Year Members:

Erika Arquilla Carole Johnson

#### **New Member Nominations**

Nominations for new members will close in February, 2021, with voting in March.

The nomination form is at the end of the Rose Report. We will make it available frequently between now and February.

Completed forms may be mailed to or delivered to:

Camille Liscinsky
717 Redwood Lane
Pacific Grove 93950 or camm22@gmail.com

Thanks! Be safe. Be well.

Camille Liscinsky Linda McClain

#### T.H.A.T. Hours

#### > <u>How to Enter "THAT" Hours:</u>

- > 1. Go to DKG California http://www.dkgca.org/
- > 2. You will see "DKG California Home", click on "Forms By ABC"
- > 3. Scroll down and click on "THAT or T.H.A.T. (Teachers Helping Another Teacher) Hours"
- > 4. Complete the Form:
- > Chapter name is "Delta Lambda"
- > We are Area 5
- > 5. Click "Submit" when completed.

## **Thankful Thoughts**

If you are interested in reading or adding to the <u>Thankful</u> <u>Thoughts</u> of our members, you can still see and write at the following link:



https://padlet.com/cfindley/168hzh7ztbd7aq8u

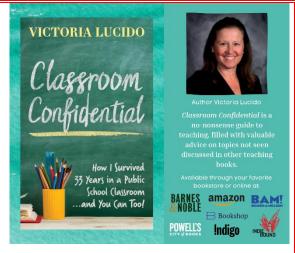
## Leadership Retreat, Virtual

Leadership Retreat, Virtual, will take place on the weekend of January 15 – 16, 2021. Join the Leadership Development Committee for "Connecting Through Mindful Leadership." Friday evening will be a casual get together to reconnect with friends and a preview of the following day's presentation. A special guest presenter is lined up for a presentation! For registration information, visit <a href="http://www.dkgca.org/">http://www.dkgca.org/</a>



#### **Creative Corner**

A Veteran Teacher's Classroom Tips to Avoid Burnout and Thrive NEW YORK -- September 22, 2020 -- Morgan James' new release, Classroom Confidential: How I Survived 33 Years in a Public School Classroom...and You Can Too! by Victoria Lucido, is a wisdom-packed manual for new and struggling teachers. Classroom Confidential provides much-needed support to the often overworked, underappreciated educators who are shaping the nation's youth and future. Surveys have found that nearly 30% of all teachers leave the profession within their first five years of teaching. This can be attributed to the many hurdles educators face, from lack of funding and support, to stress of classroom management, to the struggle of finding work-life balance. Award-winning teacher Victoria Lucido not only outlasted this statistic, but she thrived for more than three decades as a teacher. She shares her secrets to success in Classroom Confidential. Victoria Lucido tells it like it is, giving educators the inside scoop on what they really need to know in order to make it as a teacher. She offers tips on classroom management, lesson planning, professionalism, fitting in with coworkers, and parentteacher dynamics. Tens of thousands of new teachers enter the field every year. Classroom Confidential: How I Survived 33 Years in a Public School Classroom...and You Can Too! will provide ...new teachers each year with the tools they need to be confident and prepared to enjoy a long, happy career as an educator!





# Portals: A Retrospective Jennifer Colby

Dr. Jennifer Colby CSUMB Liberal Studies Faculty presents 40 years of paintings and installations November 6 through December 17, 2020 at the

Pacific Grove Arts Center

https://pgartcenter.org/Exhibits.html



Around Midnight

Artist—scholar Jennifer Colby, Ph. D, presents a 40-year retrospective of paintings and art installations, exploring color and collage to create portals into time, place and culture. The artist uses layers of acrylic paint, embedded imagery, bold colors and textural elements to entice viewer's examination of the personal and the political. Over the decades, Dr. Colby's award-winning work has addressed themes of social justice, immigration, ecology, spirituality and community building, primarily through giving voice to women's stories.



Marta

Rise Up



The Monterey Museum of Art Miniatures community fundraising exhibition is now available to view online. Art is donated by MMA members—from amateurs to highly regarded professional artists. For more information on how to acquire this or other miniature artwork go to

http://montereyart.org/current-exhibitions/virtual-miniatures-2020/

This painting, by Betty Aynaga, was submitted to the MMA miniatures exhibit, on view through December 20.

BETTY AYNAGA

Bonjour, Chien! Watercolor



### Meeting Recap

by Cathy Findley

Our DKG meeting of November 7 was jam-packed with lots of information presented by knowledgeable and creative Delta Lambda members. Demonstrations of distance learning activities were presented by:





Wendy Milligan sharing a Google Doc assignment - and she made us do it too.



Anne Congelton showed us her home set up and displayed several of the apps she uses with First Grade.





Jen Ortiz shared a fun PearDeck interactive slide.





Val Rivera played a FlipGrid assignment from one of her students and shared one of her lessons from Native American Heritage Month.





Faith Ringgold – Quilter and Painter born 1930

Jazz Story series 1993

Jazz Story series 1997

Linda Bynoe discussed the book that she has been researching filled with the stories and art of powerful Black Feminist Artists.

From the Harlem Renaissance through the Baby Boom Era; Blac. Feminist Artists as Revolutionaries



Rochelle Davis gave us a welcome Seventh Inning yoga stretch.



### November 7th Meeting Recap Continued

#### Results of our poll:

- About 1 out of 3 members at the meeting were NOT wearing shoes.
- We were evenly split on getting together in a small (up to 10) outdoor masked gathering.
- I wonder what the next meeting will reveal?



































Holiday Meeting December 5, 2020

10AM

Come one, come all to our end of year 'Zoom Party'!

There will be some opportunities for small-ish group socializing, some games, celebrating the 10, 20 and 30 year anniversaries of several of our members, and, of course, a mask giveaway.

Wanting to invite friends or prospective members? -This would be a good meeting. Just share the meeting info.

**Please bring:** a family picture (ancestor, family outing, yearbook photo) AND, object, relic or remembrance from one of your travels



You do not need to register in advance for this meeting, just follow the instructions in the red box - use computer, laptop, iPad, notebook, cell phone or rotary phone to connect.

**Interested in learning** how to do a screen share for this meeting or for the future? The meeting will be open at 9:30 for directions and practice. Here's what you need to know!

Topic: dkg december Time: Dec 5, 2020 10:00 AM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87979366006?pwd=Z3JrZWQrc3lncGRaUEpyYzM0b3ZTdz09

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# **Recommendation for Membership**

# Please complete and return this form to the Delta Lambda Membership chairperson (see below\*) no later than Friday, February 19, 2021.

Type of membership:	Chapter Active	Chapter Honorary	
Name of person recommende	ed		
Mailing Address			
Phone Number		Email	
Title Current Position		Employer	
Total years as an educator	Field		
Professional accomplishment departmental leadership role other side if necessary.	•	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	•
Community Activities:			
Member(s) recommending th	ne above.		
Signature(s)			Date
*Return to Camille Liscinsky	717 Redwood Lane P	acific Grove, CA 93950 or	camm22@gmail.com