



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

[deltalambdachapter.weebly.com](http://deltalambdachapter.weebly.com)

# Rose Report

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

**February - March 2016**

*Leading women educators impacting education worldwide.*

Editors: Ellen Maupin & Ann Ostenso  
[ellenmaupin@yahoo.com](mailto:ellenmaupin@yahoo.com) & [mulberry9@comcast.net](mailto:mulberry9@comcast.net)

## 2015-2016 Calendar of Events

Voting Meeting and Dinner  
5:30 pm, Thursday, March 3  
From Scratch Restaurant, Carmel

Explore the World of Travel  
1:30 pm, Saturday, April 9  
Corral de Tierra Villas

Chi State Convention  
April 29 - May 1  
DoubleTree by Hilton Fresno  
Convention Center  
Fresno

End of Year Luncheon  
10:30 am, Saturday, June 4  
Bayonet/Blackhorse Golf Clubhouse

## Nominations for New Members

are due no later than  
**February 19.**

Please send them to  
Gayle Paul or  
Suzanne Siegelman.

We will vote at the  
March Meeting

## President's Message

The 2016 California State **80<sup>th</sup> CONVENTION** - Do It Your Way !

It's Convention time...the DKG California State kind. As with other conventions, CHOICES reign supreme. Take a minute and make your choices for attending on April 29 - May 1 in Fresno.

1. Attend:

a) Saturday b) Friday & Saturday c) Saturday & Sunday d) Friday-Sunday

2. DoubleTree by Hilton Fresno Convention Center

a) Single Room b) Shared Room c) A Friend's house close by  
Night Stay - a) Friday night b) Saturday night c) Friday and Saturday night

3. Transportation: 3 Hours by car

a) Car Pool b) Drive yourself c) Fly

4. Funding: \*Apply for Mary Marchi Professional Development Funds\*  
Form Attached Below / Due March 1<sup>st</sup>/ Funds are divided among all applicants.

5. Information:

a) Registration = \$65.00 Go to [chistateca.org](http://chistateca.org), then Click on the gold key in the box, then click on Convention Registration, and fill it in.

b) Meals: Sat Lunch = \$30, Sat Dinner = \$47, Sun Breakfast = \$30  
Options for other meals available.

c) The DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel: about \$114 + tax for 1 room/2 queens

Check out the Doubletree by Hilton Website at:

[www.doubletreefresno.com](http://www.doubletreefresno.com) or call: 559-268-1000

6. Programs and Seminars: Information coming in the next Chi State News \*Soon to be called – California Connections

7. Contact me for more convincing or information - 373-6062.

**Fresno, Here We Come!**

**Gail**

# Meet Delta Lambda's Leaders

## Betty Ann Campbell

I was born in Southern California in the city of Redlands, an orange growing area nestled against the San Bernardino Mountains, about ninety miles east of Los Angeles. I enjoyed frequent family trips to the beach, mountains, and desert. My favorite was the beach where my brothers and I rode waves, first on rafts and later bodysurfing with our dad while our mom watched nervously from the sand. At home, we had fun with our collie exploring all over the town, around the groves, and down in the canyon nearby. Growing up there was incredible.

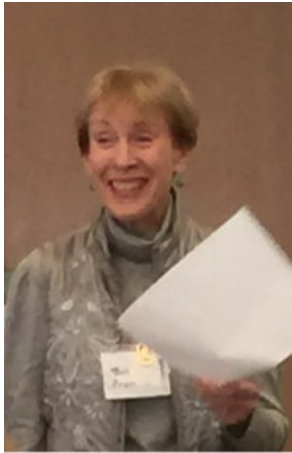
First year of college I was off to the University of Oregon with my best girlfriend. We had some great adventures. Then my younger brother was ready for college, which put all three of us in college at the same time. To cut expenses, I transferred to the University of Redlands and lived at home. After a short time, we moved into the dorm which we greatly appreciated. I joined a sorority, majored in literature, and took a fabulous interim class called Theater in London. We spent a month traveling and seeing excellent plays. I also did my student teaching there in a second-third combination and a sixth grade. During the summers, I worked as a dental assistant for my dad. After graduating, I married my high school sweetheart.

Then we headed to Atlanta in a VW camper bus, pulling a U Haul trailer. It seemed to be uphill all the way! He was in Med-school and I taught first grade. Next was his internship in San Antonio, where I continued teaching first grade until our daughter, Lorien was born. We stayed there for his residency, and following that, we moved back to Redlands, where he set up his practice. Back near the mountains, I became an avid skier. When Lorien began kindergarten, I returned to teaching. My sixth grade teacher was my principal. During this period I was divorced and then moved to Pacific Grove.

By this time, southern Cal had lost its charm, and I was loving it here. Started teaching at Foothill, first grade. During that time, I married Gordie! Then I joined the kinder team. Just when we were in high gear, Fort Ord closed! After being fired, I was rehired at the last minute to teach the fourth grade math-science Magnet at Ord Terrace. Quite a shock! With help from my team teacher Sandy Utegaard, it turned out to be a gratifying experience. The week-long camp at Marin Headlands was a highlight of the program. We had a feeling the Magnet's days were numbered so we transferred. I went back to the kinder at Foothill, but it was short on students, so I had to find something else. I was happy to replace Maribeth Clark as the science specialist for Foothill and Monte Vista. Unfortunately that program was cut after a year, and Wendy Knight and I moved to Larkin to team in kindergarten. However I was bumped to first grade by a brand new teacher who spoke Spanish and was needed because many Spanish speaking students were being bussed in to Larkin. We reopened with a wonderful staff and the school blossomed. After four glorious years, Larkin closed due to budgetary concerns. My last assignment was La Mesa where I taught first grade and kindergarten. It was very enjoyable, especially with my granddaughter, Tiera, there for two years. I retired with 30 years of experience.

The years since retirement have been good to me. Gordie and I have bicycled hundreds of miles with friends in our area, the wine country, Vancouver Island, and Oregon. We enjoy spending time in San Francisco going to the theater, traveling, gardening, and being with our grandchildren. The new grandchild, Arya is just seven months old. We are having fun with the sixteen year old and the baby! I volunteered at Robert Down as an art docent with Tiera's class and helped in the classroom. I've enjoyed Jazzercise, book clubs, painting classes, and DKG. I'm fortunate to be partnered with Ginny Hall for RIF at Marina Vista. Through all the years I met wonderful people wherever I went.

# A Joyous Holiday Meeting



President Gail Boger opened the meeting at the First Presbyterian Church of Monterey.



Thank you to the wonderful committee who put together our outstanding, festive Christmas brunch. Food, decorations, ambiance, speaker...all of it was just top notch and put us in to the holiday spirit with enthusiasm. Thanks go to Mary Marchi, Leslie Geyer, Pat Gotch, Jackie Munoz, Sally Shafer-Harr, Dorothy Becker, Barbara Sovereign, Norma Voth, and Betty Aynaga. Cleanup was fast and efficient, and Suzanne Siegelman got all of the donations for the Gathering for Women into her car. Our group was extremely generous, and the recipients were very grateful.



Linda Fosler informed us about the great need for and the important work of CASA, the Court Appointed Special Advocates Program. We learned of the troubling statistics and also various ways to help.



The Holiday Meeting Committee: Barbara Sovereign, Mary Marchi, Norma Voth, Jackie Munoz, Leslie Geyer, Dorothy Becker, Nancy Durein, Sally Shafer-Harr, Betty Aynaga, Pat Gotch supplied a yummy brunch and lovely decorations.



Standing are some of the working teachers in Delta Lambda: Erica Arquilla, Stella Kumagai, Kimberly Jimenez, Michele Neuhaus, Rose Kershing, and Mary Bankston.



# R I F N e w s

On December 8<sup>th</sup>, Stephenie Meroney and Marsha Leadingham had a busy day. In the morning Barbara Sovereign, Norma Voth, Stephenie and Marsha met with Linda King, the manager of Macy's. We presented her with a beautiful poinsettia plant as a thank you for the store's support for the Be Book Smart campaign that benefited our RIF program. Stephenie and Marsha then had a delightful lunch with the River School Library Squad. The librarian, Annie Jasper, presented us with books from their Scholastic Book Fair that the club donated to RIF. We had yummy baked potatoes and Marsha brought cookies to share with the students. It was such a fun day!



Norma Voth, Barbara Sovereign, past RIF leaders; Linda King, manager at Macy's; Marsha Leadingham and Stephenie Meroney, current RIF leaders.



Annie Jasper, librarian at River School with donated books for RIF and

## RIF Coordinators 2015-2016

Please contact a coordinator if you would like to read for RIF.

*Highland School*  
Camille Liscinsky 643-9331  
Nancy Durein 373-0564

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

*Martin Luther King School*  
Pat Gotch 375-986  
Patty Cox, 250-7589  
Wendy Banks, 624-0317

*Marina Vista School*  
Ginny Hall 375-0315  
Betty Ann Campbell 375  
0953

*Ord Terrace School*  
Donna Bessant 625-7714  
Norma Voth 372-2607

*Crumpton School*  
Kathy Knight  
649-3582  
Bonnie Yoshinobu 384-2039



Marsha's cookies for the Library Squad

## Members Help with Foothill Pioneer Days



Fifth Grade teacher, Sally Shafer-Harr asked Delta Lambda members to assist with teaching crafts for the annual Fifth Grade Pioneer Days that she and Sue Banesheski put on each year to give students a taste of what life was like then. As she directed students to different activities, Member Lynn Galvan's husband, Robert, volunteered to help make beeswax candles.



Karen Crummev helps with writing with old fashioned pen and ink and Gail Boger teaches students to knit a friendship bracelet.

## Thank You from the History Day contestants from Los Arboles.



## February/March Birthdays

Christine Warde	2/4
Andrea Sayas	2/5
Marilyn McMasters	2/6
Kimberly Jimenez	2/7
Kathey Felt	2/11
Anna Panetta	2/16
Ellen Maupin	2/21
Christy Campanaro	2/22
Alice Stoll	2/26
Linda Bynoe	2/27
Kristin Searle	3/2
Camille Liscinsky	3/2
Pat Gotch	3/4
Nancy Henderson	3/10
Suzanne Siegleman	3/12
Norma Voth	3/13
Mickey Miyamoto	3/16
Laura Thorpe-Southerland	3/23
Jo Dee Krebs	3/25
Marijane Flagg	3/26
Ginny Towle	3/31

## Member News

We offer sympathy Katie Kelly on the loss of her husband, Jack, to cancer on February 2 after a long, valiant fight.

We wish a speedy recovery to members Barbara Sovereign and Maureen Baroni-Boogay, both who have had falls that put them in the hospital with broken bones.

We also wish a continued recovery to Mary Marchi after her brush with ill health.

If you have an item for "Member News", please email: Ellen Maupin, [ellenmaupin@yahoo.com](mailto:ellenmaupin@yahoo.com) or



# Delta Lambda's Annual Birthday Bash



The Birthday Gala Committee: Kathryn Knauf, Kate Wood, Bette Hinton, Therrien, Bonnie Yoshinobu, Marilyn McMasters, Christine Ward, Bettv Ann Cambell, Susan Holm, Chair Sherrv Petitt, Kathv Caves, Jennifer Hinton, Charlene Lowerv.



Mickey Miyamoto, Dorothy Becker, Phil Smith, and JoDee Krebs



Linda Foy, visiting from the East Coast with Carol Johnson



Nancy Henderson, Linda Brandewei, Vanessa Bredthauer, Marsha Leadingham, Guest Annie Jasper, and Stephenie Meroney



Lynn Galvan, Cynthia Cardinale, Kathy Felt, and Kimberly Jimenez



Vanessa Bredthauer and Pat Gotch



Kate Wood and Cristy Campanaro



Judy Therrien, Kristin Searle with the doll bed, and Leslie Geyer



Gail Boger and Ginny Hall



Committee Chair Sherry Petitt and Kate Wood



Donna Bessant, Gayle Paul, Ann Ostenso, and Camille Liscinsky



The check-out folks: Susan Holm, Christine Warde, Bette Hinton and Marilyn Higbie



Women teachers to the calling,  
Firmly rally, never falling,  
Duty ne're upon us palling,  
Staunch, courageous, we!  
Loyalty and trust e'er heeding,

Mindful of our sisters needing  
Aid and guidance from those leading,  
Helpful may we be!  
To Delta Kappa Gamma  
Faith we pledge forever!

Hand in hand, our loyal band,  
Forward, moving ever!  
Onward! 'tis our sisters need us,  
Courage, Faith and Honor lead us!  
Wrongs in truth and justice heed us!



# Thanks to the Hard-working Birthday Party Committee



Bette Hinton, Marilyn Higbie, Charlene Lowery, Gail Boger and Suzanne Siegelman



Jennifer Hinton and Kathryn Knauf



Jennifer Hinton, Susan Holm, Claudia Coury, Bonnie Yoshinubo, and Christine Warde



Charlene Lowery and Gail Boger

The Birthday Party Committee makes light work of a big job with many hands, filling out the many bidding forms. Then they take a break and snack and talk at Chair Sherry Pettitt's home. She graciously provides her garage as the collection place each year and then the committee come to her home the Saturday before the Birthday Celebration to organize the Silent Auction.



Kate Wood and Kathy Caves

# DKG Joint Chapter Meeting on January 6 in Aptos.

Some of our Delta Lambda sisters attended the Joint Chapter Meeting. The event included a lovely brunch at Seacliff Inn, and a silent auction by Zeta Chi to benefit their Phillipines Project.

The speaker, Barbara Quinn MS, RDN, CDE, spoke about her new book, Quinn- Essential Nutrition: The Uncomplicated Science of Eating. It is referred to as "your trustworthy manual for sane and healthful eating in the real world." She presented lots of useful, common sense thoughts on what we should include in our every day diet.



Gayle Paul and Suzanne Siegelman



Toni Cooke and Dorothy Becker



Barbara Quinn, Guest Speaker



Gloria Baracco & Sue Noyes from the California State Leadership Team



Marilyn Higbie & Alice Stoll



Diane Butler and Kristin Searle

The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International  
Chi State Area V

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

THE MARY MARCHI PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT FUND APPLICATION

The Mary Marchi Professional Development Fund for Area V was established on June 10, 1995 to honor Mary's service as Chi State President for the 95-96 biennium. Applicants may request monies for Delta Kappa Gamma sponsored Area Conferences, State Conventions, Southwest Regional Conventions, International Conventions, Chi State Leadership Study Sessions, Legislative Study Sessions or other Delta Kappa Gamma activities as approved by the Area Presidents at an Area V Leadership meeting. In addition to the Area Leadership budgeting monies, each Chapter is encouraged to voluntarily contribute annually to this development fund.

The stipends from this Development Fund are paid on a reimbursement basis. Reimbursement follows successful completion of the Delta Kappa Gamma sponsored event attended. Awards will be announced by March 15th with a letter stating the amount granted to each recipient. The recipients must submit proof of attendance (receipts with the request for payment form) to the Area Director. The Area Treasurer will issue a check.

Applicant \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Purpose of Request \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Amount Requested \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter Name \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter President Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Submit this application to your Chapter President. The application will be submitted to the Area V Director.

**ALL APPLICATIONS MUST REACH THE AREA DIRECTOR  
BY MARCH 1<sup>st</sup> OF EACH CALENDAR YEAR.**