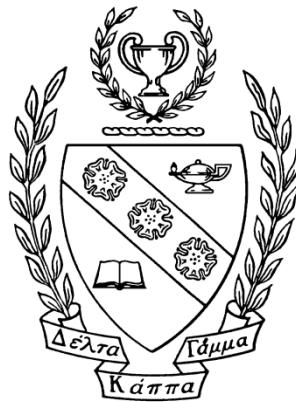
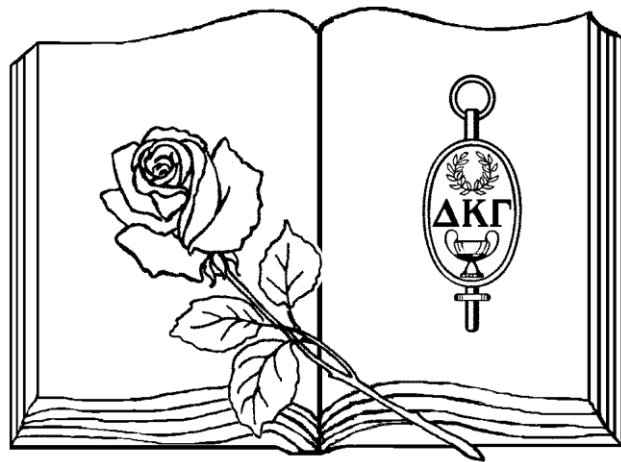


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Delta Kappa Gamma Society
International
Founded May 11, 1929*



*GA State
District II
Alpha Kappa Chapter
Decatur, DeKalb County, Georgia
Formed March 26, 1954
Mary Anne Barlow,
President 2018-2020*



International Theme:
Leading Women Educators
Impacting Education Worldwide

2017-2019



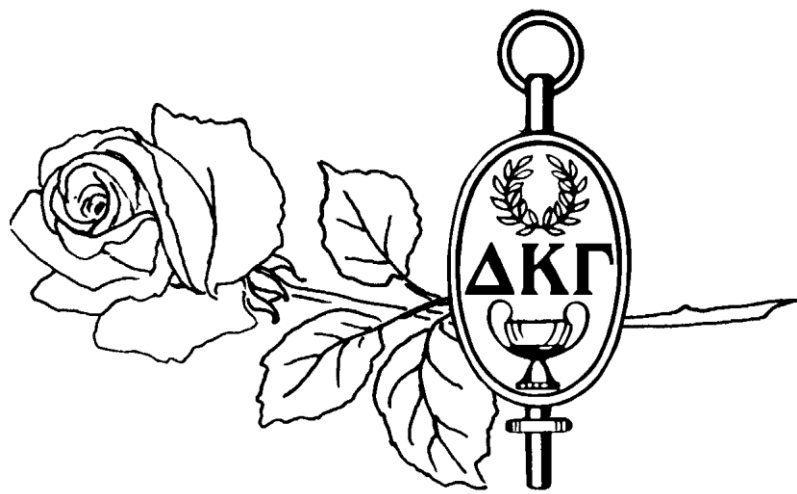
The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International

Purposes

- To Unite women educators of the world in a genuine spiritual fellowship
- To Honor women who have given or who evidence a potential for distinctive service in any field of education
- To Advance the professional interest and position of women in education
- To Initiate, Endorse, and Support desirable legislation or other suitable endeavors in the interests of education and of women educators
- To Endow scholarships to aid outstanding women educators in pursuing graduate study and to grant fellowships to non-member women educators.
- To Stimulate the personal and professional growth of members and to encourage their participation in appropriate programs of action
- To Inform the members of current economic, social, political, and educational issues so that they may participate effectively in a world society

Mission Statement

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



GA State Theme 2017-2019

*Leading Women Educators
Leading Women Educators
You are the Key*



The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International

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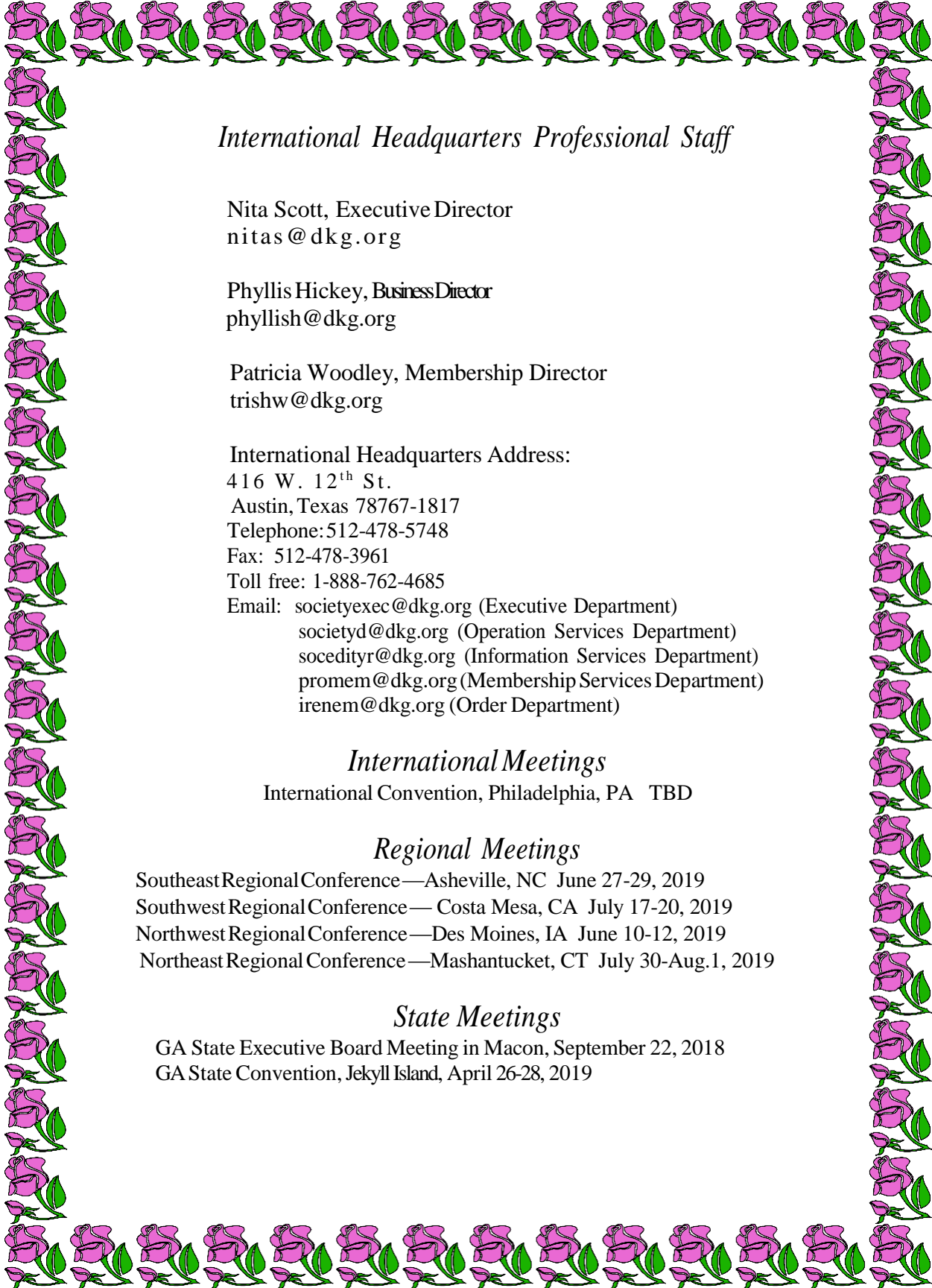
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International Meetings

International Convention, Philadelphia, PA TBD

Regional Meetings

Southeast Regional Conference—Asheville, NC June 27-29, 2019
Southwest Regional Conference—Costa Mesa, CA July 17-20, 2019
Northwest Regional Conference—Des Moines, IA June 10-12, 2019
Northeast Regional Conference—Mashantucket, CT July 30-Aug.1, 2019

State Meetings

GA State Executive Board Meeting in Macon, September 22, 2018
GA State Convention, Jekyll Island, April 26-28, 2019

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<u>Expansion Chapter Support</u>	Gina Luck
<u>Finance</u>	Ann Banaszak
<u>History</u>	Merry Willis
<u>Leadership Development</u>	Patia Rountree
<u>Membership</u>	Alice Bass
<u>Nominations</u>	Becky Avera
<u>Scrapbook</u>	Marta Patino Douce
<u>State Convention</u>	Judy Scarboro Donna Riordan Patti Newman

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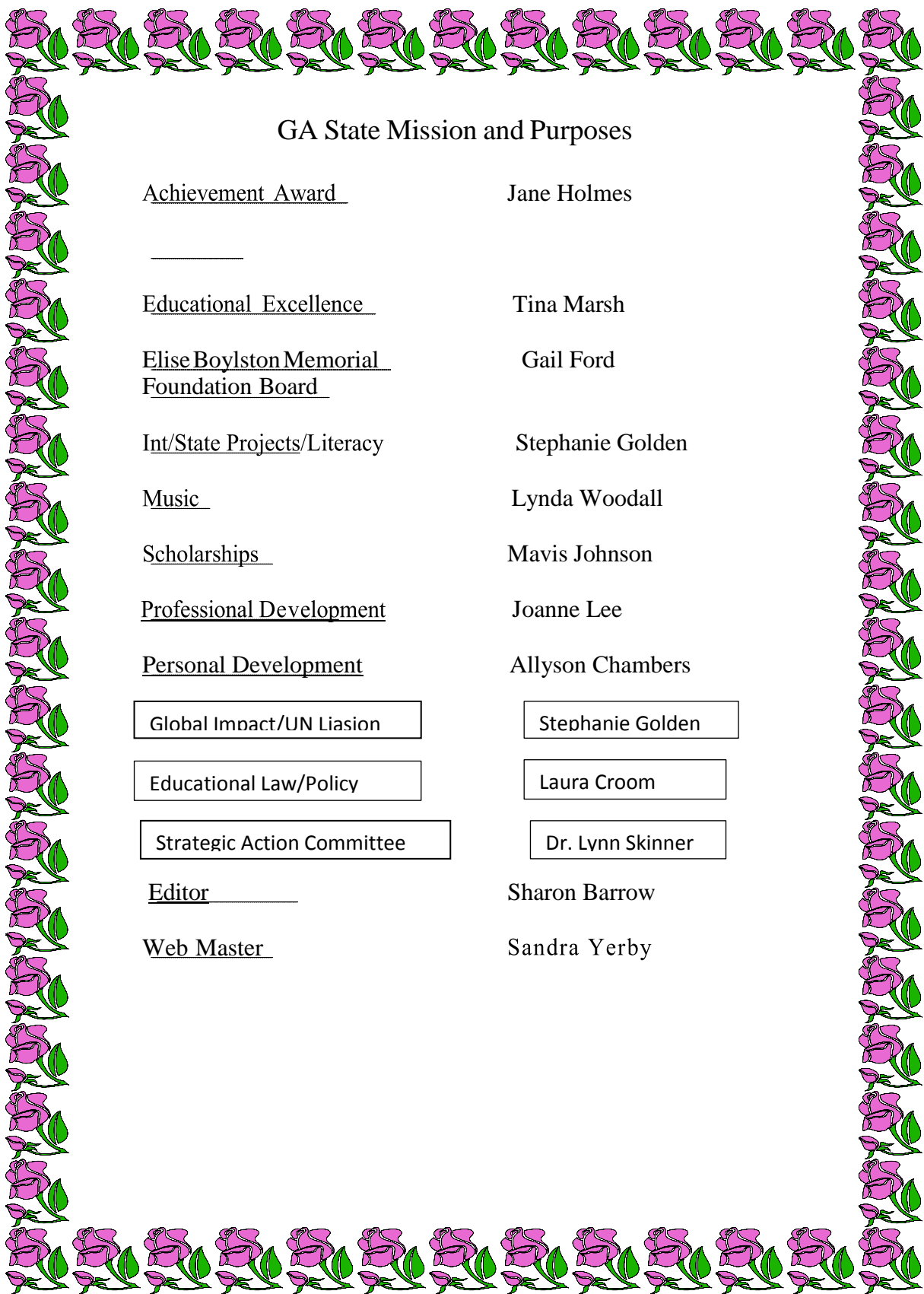
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Technology

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Educational Excellence Tina Marsh

Elise Boylston Memorial Foundation Board Gail Ford

Int/State Projects/Literacy Stephanie Golden

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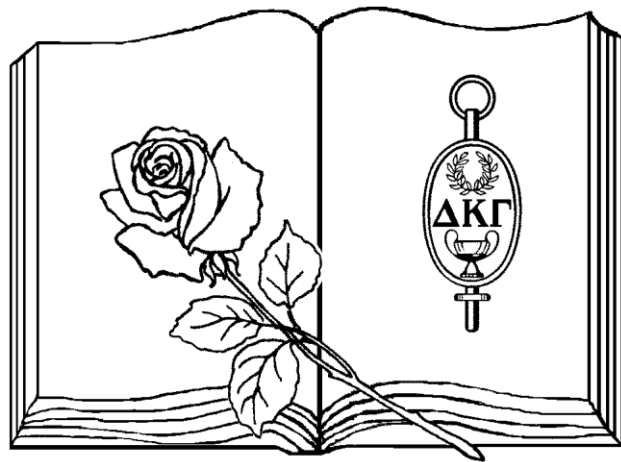
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Miss May Taylor	Mrs. Eva L. Thornton

GA State Past Presidents

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Miss Melville Doughty	1938-1940
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Mrs. Annette Highsmith	1946-1948
Miss Eva Gardner	1948-1950
Miss Maribel Richardson	1950-1951
Miss Leone Bates	1952-1953
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Mrs. Lillian Wren	1957-1959
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Mrs. Esalee J. Burdette	1963-1965
Miss Annie Frances Flanigan	1965-1967
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Dr. Hanna Fowler	2005-2007
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Mrs. Peggy McCall	2011-2013
Mrs. Gail Ford	2013-2015
Ms. Gail Springstead	2015-2017





*Alpha Kappa
Each One Reach One*

*Alpha Kappa Chapter Theme
2018-2020*



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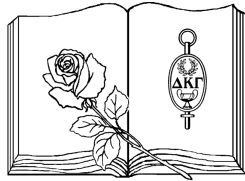
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<u>Communications /Publicity</u>	Joyce Reynolds & Betsy Barb
<u>Membership:</u>	Jennifer Sprouse, Jennifer Westrick, Carolyn Davison
<u>Music:</u>	Carolyn Davison
<u>Nominating:</u>	TBD
<u>Personal Growth:</u>	TBD
<u>Photographer:</u>	Robin Olson, Members
<u>Research:</u>	Ginny Robinson
<u>Scholarships:</u>	Janet Goldin, Peggy Haller, Melinda Morin, Betsy Barb
<u>Scrapbook:</u>	Robin Olson
<u>Technology:</u>	Carol's Works, liaison Betsy Barb
<u>Yearbook:</u>	Betsy Barb



Alpha Kappa Chapter Charter Members

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Mrs. Dorothy Calder
Mrs. Louise Davis
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Mrs. Virginia Calhoon*
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Mrs. Mary L. Van Valkenburg
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Mrs. Maybelle Walker*

The Alpha Kappa Chapter, with twelve initiates, was formed by the Lambda Chapter on March 26, 1954, at the Candler Hotel in Decatur, Georgia, with four transferees from Lambda Chapter.

* Former members of Lambda Chapter who transferred in when the Alpha Kappa Chapter was organized

** Transferee from the Epsilon Chapter at the first meeting in September 1954



*Alpha Kappa Chapter
Past Presidents*

Mrs. Maybelle Walker	1954-1956
Mrs. Virginia Calhoon	1956-1958
Mrs. Helen Anchors	1958-1960
Mrs. Mary Freeman	1960-1962
Mrs. Louise King	1962-1964
Mrs. Grace Wynn Hanson	1964-1966
Mrs. Polly Christie	1966-1968
Mrs. Betty Waters	1968-1970
Mrs. Laura Hughes	1970-1972
Mrs. Dorothy Lockhardt	1972-1974
Ms. Cathryn Cook	1974-1976
Mrs. Rosa Caudle	1976-1978
Ms. D. Estelle Harrell	1978-1982
Mrs. Lois A. Miller	1982-1984
Mrs. Beth Heckman	1984-1986
Mrs. Nancy Pelletier	1986-1988
Mrs. Gisela Griffin	1988-1990
Dr. Marlene Caplan	1990-1992
Mrs. Helen B. Chilton	1992-1994
Dr. Billie F. Smith	1994-1996
Dr. Dorothy L. Brown	1996-1998
Mrs. Lois A. Miller	1998-2000
Mrs. Sylvia G. Chandler	2000-2002
Ms. Patti Ireland	2002-2006
Ms. Mary Anne Barlow	2006-2010
Mrs. Betsy Barb	2010-2014
Ms. Ginny Robinson	2014-2018



Alpha Kappa Chapter Meetings 2018-2020

5:55 p.m.—Fourth Monday Night

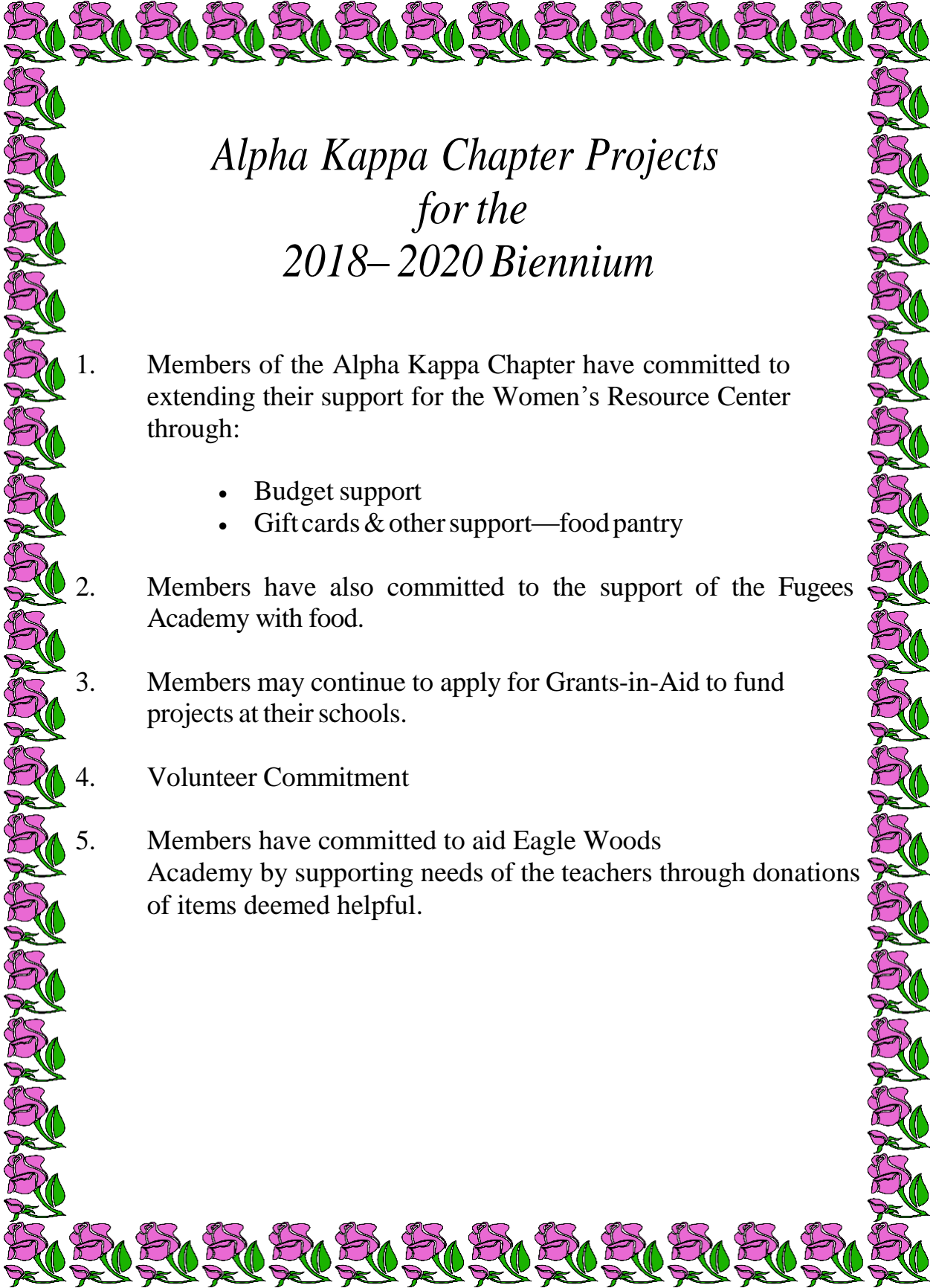
September 24, 2018	Magnolia Grill
October 22, 2018	Magnolia Grill
January 22, 2019	TBD
February 25, 2019	TBD
March 25, 2019	TBD
April 22, 2019	TBD
September 23, 2019	TBD
October 28, 2019	TBD
January 27, 2020	TBD
February 24, 2020	TBD
March 23, 2020	TBD
April 27, 2020	TBD





*Alpha Kappa Chapter
Programs 2018—2020*

September 24, 2018	You Did What????
October 22, 2018	Scottish Rite Hospital speaker Peyton Price
January 22, 2019	Women's Resource Center to End Domestic Violence
February 25, 2019	
March 2019	Service project as a group at a location TBD
April 22, 2019	Scholarship Winner; Peggy Haller's Clowning Program
September 23, 2019	
October 28, 2019	Margery Roberts Scholarship Auction
January 27, 2020	
February 24, 2020	
March 23, 2020	
April 27, 2020	Installation of Officers



*Alpha Kappa Chapter Projects
for the
2018–2020 Biennium*

1. Members of the Alpha Kappa Chapter have committed to extending their support for the Women’s Resource Center through:
 - Budget support
 - Gift cards & other support—food pantry
2. Members have also committed to the support of the Fugees Academy with food.
3. Members may continue to apply for Grants-in-Aid to fund projects at their schools.
4. Volunteer Commitment
5. Members have committed to aid Eagle Woods Academy by supporting needs of the teachers through donations of items deemed helpful.



The Delta Kappa Gamma Song

Women teachers, to the calling,
Firmly rally, never falling,
Duty ne'er 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!
Firmly shall we stand!
Guardians of the faith yet sleeping,
For our sisters watch e'er keeping,
Deeds of others now we're reaping,
We for others stand!
To us pioneers have given;
We return their gifts to Heaven;
Work for others is the leaven
That inspires our band!
Oh, Delta Kappa Gamma
In thy fold we gather;
Unity and Liberty
Shall be our watchwords ever!
Education e'er we'll further
Each is bound to each as brother
With this faith in one another
We shall win, for aye!

Words by Annie Webb Blanton and Cora M. Martin
Music by Lillian Mohr Fox



Policies and Procedures

Attendance

Active members are encouraged by Chapter Rules to attend at least three (3) meetings each year of the biennium.

Dinner reservations for chapter meetings are made to the Telephone Committee by the Friday morning (10:00 a.m.) prior to the meeting.

They must be paid for unless they are cancelled by Monday at 10:00 a.m. prior to the meeting on Monday night. The cost for dinner is TBD. The above statement is for when applicable. Cancellations are made to the Telephone Committee Chair, Joyce Reynolds, 404-321-4945, joycerey13@gmail.com.

Gifts

Gifts from the Chapter to Members:

- Hospitalization for illness or surgery - flowers or appropriate gift up to \$50.00
- Extended illness at home—flowers or appropriate gift up to \$50.00
- Death—flowers or donation up to \$50.00
- Marriage—appropriate gift up to \$50.00
- ◆ Birth of child—appropriate gift up to \$50.00

Gifts from the Chapter to Family Members:

- Death of a member or immediate family (parents, husband, children) - flowers or contribution, up to \$50.00

Gift for Illness or Bereavement : Cards

- In instances such as marriages, births of children, illnesses, or bereavement of individual members, please notify the Chapter President, Mary Anne Barlow (404-376-9793 or maryanne53142@gmail.com), who will notify the Corresponding Secretary and the Telephone Committee Chairs to notify the membership without internet access.