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*The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International  
Lambda Omicron - Texas State - Area VIII - Chapter 27*

Serving women educators in Copperas Cove, Coryell County, Texas

**Lines from Lambda Omicron**

*Our Mission Statement: "Lambda Omicron promotes unity among women educators in a caring society for excellence in professional and personal growth."*

**Mission Statement:**

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

**Meeting Dates  
5:00**

<b>Dec 9 Wednesday</b>	<b>German Imbiss Restaurant</b>
<b>Jan 11 Monday</b>	<b>CCISD Board Room</b>

**2020 - 2022 OFFICERS**

President: BJ Taylor
1 <sup>st</sup> Vice-President: Angelan Ringland
2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice-President: Evelyn Thompson
Recording Secretary: Michele Cox
Corresponding Secretary: Lois Piper
Treasurer: Carolyn Taylor
Parliamentarian: Elaine Krause
Past President: BJ Taylor



**President's Remarks**



***Notes from BJ***

Dear DKG Sisters,



I hope you all have plans for a wonderful Thanksgiving with family and friends. Be sure to rest and relax so you are able to enjoy the activities. As my father always said "do not diet between Thanksgiving and Christmas, diet between Christmas and Thanksgiving." Don't eat too much.

Our last meeting was a huge success, thank you Angelan and all the members that brought food. We had all sorts of holiday appetizers. What a refreshing way to get together, by eating. Seems there is an eating theme going on here.

There are a number of Area 8 projects going on that I need a volunteer or two to help out with the planning. Please let me know if you are interested in any of these spots.

**I need everyone to send me how many possible new members they have lined up.**

I need a **helper for the Founders Day Luncheon-Waco, 1 May 2021**

I need a **volunteer for the Area 8 Retreat-Rocking R Retreat, Temple, 8-10 October 2021**

Our next meeting (**Wednesday 9 December, 5:00, German Imbiss**) is our Christmas Fundraiser. Invite your friends, possible new members, family. Anyone that likes to shop and spend money.

Bring **auction items**

Bring **Kid's Christmas money**

Legislation/Professional Affairs and Yearbook Committees are in charge of Inspiration

Looking forward to seeing everyone in December.

**BJ Taylor,  
President**



## **November Minutes**

### **Lambda Omicron Agenda**

Attendees: BJ, Kay, Evelyn, Lisa, Ella Dawn, Carolyn, Marianna, Angelan, Donna – Angelan's mom and visitor, Pat, Janet Leith – Pat's visitor and Michele

### **Welcome**

**Ice Breaker**-What dish/dishes do you always what to have for Thanksgiving? Round robin share of our favorites

### **Inspiration-Communications/Courtesy, Personal Growth/Services**

= inspiring that all attendees were here today

### **Congrats**-Evelyn Thompson – WHOOP WHOOP!!

Yearbook Early Bird Award

Exemplary Award

### **Old Business**

Clothes for the Elementary – Cove Charter Academy

Kids Christmas Collection-\$ - Continue collecting – Lois and Rebecca will go shopping – Vanessa Wheat is the POC for the High School

### **New Business**

Lisa presented information about Face-to-face convention conversation with Patty Bell – Will get hotel information after 11/15, it's in Denton. Lisa is presenting there. Volunteers are needed for membership and leadership positions.....questions, see Lisa

**Appetizer Exchange Awards** – Tickets were purchased for voting – Thank you BJ for your generous donation! She purchased tickets for all to vote

Angelan won World's Best Unique Appetizer

Michele won World's Best Creative Appetizer

BJ won the World's Best Looking Appetizer

Bring Items for Silent Auction Fundraiser

Bring friends to help spend money at the auction

Kids Christmas Donations-\$

### **Sing**

*Respectfully submitted,  
Michele Cox, Secretary*

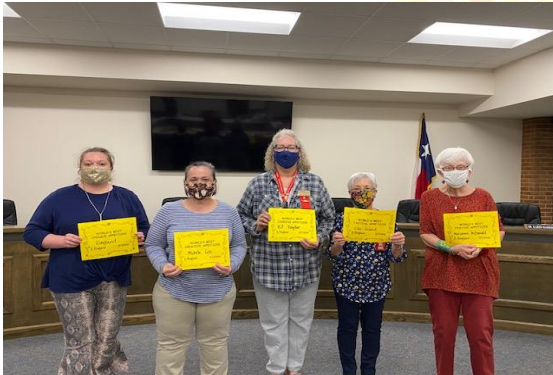


## **Treasurer's Report - November 9, 2020**

<b>Cash Balance: Oct 6, 2020</b>	<b>\$2,455.07</b>
<b>Expenses:</b> none	
<b>Receipt:</b> Pins \$ 40.00 Children's Christmas \$245.00 Appetizer Fund raiser \$55.00	<b>\$ 340.00</b>
<b>Cash Balance</b>	<b>\$2,795.07</b>
<b>Investments:</b>	
<b>Lambda Omicron Savings 10/02/2020</b>	<b>\$6,324.97</b>
<b>Mae Stevens Student Scholarship 10/23/2020</b>	<b>\$7,650.48</b>
<b>Members' Scholarship 09/30/2020</b>	<b>\$5,066.00</b>
<b>Total Worth</b>	<b>\$21,836.52</b>

*Respectfully submitted,  
Carolyn Taylor, Treasurer*

### **NOVEMBER'S APPETIZER EXCHANGE**



#### Items of interest

Don't forget .... [TSO 92<sup>nd</sup> State Convention – Denton](#)  
June 17-19, 2021



**The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International**  
**LAMBDA OMICRON CHAPTER**  
**STANDING COMMITTEES**  
**2020-2021**

<b><i>Society Mission and Purposes</i></b>	<b><i>Society Business</i></b>
<p><b><u>Educational Excellence</u></b>  <b>Angelan Ringland (Chair)</b>            Nancy Arrington            Ella Dawn Eiland            Michele Cox</p>	<p><b><u>Ceremonies Committee</u></b>  <b>Elaine Krause (Chair)</b>            Ella Dawn Eiland            Lou-Enne Sasscer            Erica Green</p>
<p><b><u>Personal Growth /Services</u></b>  <b>Rebecca (Becky) Clark (Chair)</b>            Lois Piper</p>	<p><b><u>Chapter Website</u></b>  <b>Virginia Guerrero (Chair)</b>            Beverly Speckman</p>
<p><b><u>Legislation/Professional Affairs</u></b>  <b>Nancy Arrington (Chair)</b>            Angelan Ringland</p>	<p><b><u>Finance Committee</u></b>  <b>Marianna McDonnell (Chair)</b>            Khalana Carlton            Kathryn Townsend</p>
<p><b><u>Music</u></b>  <b>Ella Dawn Eiland (Chair)</b>            Lou-Enne Sasscer</p>	<p><b><u>Yearbook</u></b>  <b>Evelyn Thompson (Chair)</b>            Pat Bigford</p>
<p><b><u>Research</u></b>  <b>Michele Cox (Chair)</b>            Myrna Hart</p>	<p><b><u>Newsletter</u></b>  <b>Virginia Guerrero (Chair)</b></p>
<p><b><u>Educational Services</u></b>  <b>Scholarship/World Fellowship/ Achievement Awards</b>  <b>Jan Stalder (Chair)</b>            Myrna Hart            Carolyn Taylor            Lisa Yates</p>	<p><b><u>Membership</u></b>  <b>Lois Piper (Chair)</b>            Beverly Speckman</p>
	<p><b><u>Constitution &amp; Bylaws Committee</u></b>  <b>Lisa Yates (Chair)</b>            Angelan Ringland            Khalana Carlton            Kathryn Townsend</p>
	<p><b><u>Nominations Committee</u></b>  <b>Pat Bigford (Chair)</b>            Erica Green            Marianna McDonnell</p>

