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Meeting Dates 5:00		
Grace Lutheran Church		
First Presbyterian Church Copperas Cove		



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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.



President's Remarks

Notes from Angelan...



It was so great to see everyone who came last night! We had a wonderful program by Kay Townsend. Mrs. Townsend has done a wonderful job of creating a website for parents and young children to learn about reading. We enjoyed hearing about her adventures and how it's become a team effort with her and her husband.

We also learned from the fifteen ladies that were there last night, we have over 260 years of experience in education. WOW! What a great resource we could be to new teachers.

Please don't forget to go vote for Prop 9: Time to Shine! Let everyone know that this does not cost taxpayers anything, it's in the budget, just needs to be released.

Angelan Ringland, President

October Minutes

DKG Lambda Omicron Meeting

- I. Inspiration Michele Cox Monica Genta 365 Days of Awesome
- II. Introduction of guest, everyeone introduced themselves. Adding how many years of teaching

Kay Townsend – 30

Angelan Ringland – 15

Donna Ringland -26

BJ Taylor - 32

Sarah Kennney – 8

Michele Cox – 22

Kim French – 23

Pat Bigford – 22

Virginia Guerrero – 20

Ella Dawn - 21

Carolyn Taylor -32

Janet Leitch – 7

Angela Dunlap – 15

= 259 + years

- III. Kinderplace Kay Townsend act of service teaching parents what and how to teach their children. Learning starts in the womb research supported
- IV. Correspondence Lois Piper

Special hearts thank you card

ATSEF – honors for 10 or more years award

- V. Review yearbook and articles
- VI. Look over contact information for errors
- VII. Acrostic poem with members' names
- VIII. Old business Change Marianna McDonnell to Reserve Status Pat made a motion and Michele seconded it. Article 3 section A 2

CPE from Sept. 9 cancelled

Jan 6 SEL – Sarah Kenney – no fee, donation to Scholarship Fund. CPE credit is \$5.00 state fee April 6 – Sensory – Tammy Roen

Voting Proposition 9 – reitred educators (TRS) – Please Vote!

VIIII.New Business - * socks and underwear donations * Kids Christmas – donations Inspirations = food / door prizes (Comm./Courtesy/Personal Growth/ Services Committees

Regional Workshop Survey

Ideas for a booth at the Regional Workshop 6/22

Door Prizes, Sing

Important Dates

Dec 2 – Kendra Scott Fundraiser (\$99. Diamond Sale) 2 – 4 Harker Heights

June 22 – Regional 6, 7, & 8 – Regional Workshop in Round Rock McNeil HS

October Treasurer's Report

Cash Balance on April 12	\$4,829.23
Receipts: Nine members \$702.00, one reserve \$27.00	
Door Prize, (May 1, \$45.00) (October 2, \$45.00), Children's Christmas \$195.00 Expense: \$38.40 Birthday Cake, Grace Lutheran Church \$50.00,	1,014.00
Reimburse member, paid twice \$78.00, TSO \$506.40, International \$1,020.00	1,692.80
Cash Balance	\$4,150.43
Investments:	
Lambda Omicron Savings, 9/27/2023	\$6,345.27
Mae Stevens Student Scholarship 9/24/2023	\$6,933.13
Mae Stevens Member Scholarship 9/29/2023	\$5 <i>,</i> 487.32
TOTAL WORTH	\$22,916.15

Respectively Submitted, Carolyn Taylor Treasurer

MAY

Happy Birthday Delta Kappa Gamma

Initiation of New Members







Ella Dawn Eiland leads the ceremonies.

New Members: Kimberly French Maria Baglan





October's Meeting
Kay Townsend - Kinderplace





The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International LAMBDA OMICRON CHAPTER STANDING COMMITTEES 2023 - 2024



Society Mission and Purposes

Educational Excellence

Kathryn Townsend (Chair)

Nancy Arrington

Ella Dawn Eiland

Michele Cox (Ed.D)

Personal Growth /Services

Rebecca (Becky) Clark (Chair)

Lois Piper

Angela Dunlap

Legislation/Professional Affairs

Nancy Arrington (Chair)

Kathryn Townsend

BJ Taylor

Music

Ella Dawn Eiland (Chair)

Janet Leitch

Research

Dr. Michele Cox (Ed.D.) (Chair)

Myrna Hart

Educational Services

Scholarship/World Fellowship/

Achievement Awards

Jan Stalder (Chair)

Myrna Hart

Carolyn Taylor

Lisa Yates

Society Business

Ceremonies Committee

Ella Dawn Eiland (Chair)

Janet Leitch

Erica Green

Sarah Kenney

Chapter Website

Virginia Guerrero (Chair)

Maria Baglan

Finance Committee

Nancy Arrington (Chair)

Alejandra Uscanga

Donna Ringland

Yearbook

Evelyn Thompson (Chair)

Pat Bigford

Newsletter

Virginia Guerrero (Chair)

Membership

Lois Piper (Chair)

Angela Dunlap

Constitution & Bylaws

Committee

Lisa Yates (Chair)

Kathryn Townsend

Alejandra Uscanga

Communications/Courtesy

Ann Harmon (Chair)

Rebecca (Becky) Clark

Nominations Committee

Pat Bigford (Chair)

Erica Green

Kimberly French

BJ Taylor