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# THE AZ RECORD



Renew - Reach Out - Recognize



## IMPORTANT DATES

### President's Message

#### Recognizing the Past, Embracing the Future

Have you already Registered for the Arizona State Organization Convention? I hope so, we have an awesome lineup of speakers and breakout sessions setup for working and retired educators. We will be recognizing the longevity of some members and the lives of members who passed away this year. We will also be learning what the future holds for the Society through the constitutional amendments and a report from International. Let us all gather together to celebrate this wonderful sisterhood in which we are a part.

The hotel pool has a waterslide and I challenge all those that are able to join me in making a splash as we slide into the future.

*Susan*

**June 3, 2022:**

#### **Chapter Officer Training**

Presidents 8:30 am - 3:00 pm  
Vice Presidents, Secretaries, &  
Treasurers 11:30 am - 3:00 pm  
Luncheon Speaker

**June 3-5, 2022:**

#### **State Convention**

Sheraton Phoenix  
Crescent Hotel  
2620 W Dunlap Ave  
Phoenix, AZ

**July 12-16:**

#### **DKG International Convention**

New Orleans, LA

## Speakers, Entertainment, Breakouts

The keynote speakers for the 2022 Arizona Convention are Southwest Regional Director Janis Barr, AZ State Senator Lela Alston, and Asylum-Seekers and Families Volunteer Specialist Eliana Carrera. On Friday night we will be entertained by members of the Juice Box Dance Academy and the Sun City Poms. Saturday offers 11 breakout presentations of the following:

- The Writer's Pencil
- Playing with Paper
- London Bridge Dedication - Memories to Share
- What's at dkg.org?
- Psychology of Color
- "In Our Voice" Living with Mental Illness
- Expose Injustice, Ignite Rebellion (2X)
- What's New at the Zoo?
- 1% Better
- Do you know what's coming?

## Alpha Rho Chapter Visit

Has your chapter installed your 2022-24 officers? Alpha Rho did last week, I was there as a witness. Before the meeting we enjoyed entertainment by Darby Downs' children and members of the YACB Academy of Dance. Then, during the business meeting new chapter officers were installed, in person and virtually. Next, was dinner from a local Mexican food truck, yummy. Finally, Alpha Rho participated in the DKG Recommitment Ceremony.

### Important Deadlines

- **May 5 Arizona State Convention Registration**
- **May 6 -15 Late Registration with extra fee**
- **May 15 Hotel Reservations**
- **All copies needed for state convention sent to Janet Vickers May 18 or earlier**
- **June 12 International Convention Registration**

## Chapter Officer Training

The State Leadership Committee and State Officers will provide informative training sessions that will meet the needs of officers new to the position as well as seasoned officers. Training includes activities, speakers, videos, handouts, and Q&A time. It is a in person event only, there will not be a virtual option. All 2022-24 chapter officers should attend the Friday sessions.



Officer Installation



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## Alpha Chapter Visit

Each Spring the members of Alpha ask each Marana District principal for the names of their outstanding Early Career Educators. These teachers are then invited to attend Alpha Chapter's Early Career Educator Event. This year it was held at De Grazia Elementary School as an open house. The honorees were treated to snacks, drinks, and door prizes. Members of the chapter introduced the women honorees to DKG. Before leaving, each outstanding teacher is given a certificate and a large bag of school supplies geared toward their particular grade and subject area. It is a casual setting for meeting and informing perspective members while providing a community service to deserving teachers. I was honored to be invited to attend the event.



Chapter President Linda Lucas and Nancy Mahon in front of DKG display.



Alpha members mixing with honorees.



Gloria Day and Susan LaVerda draw for door prizes





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 2022 DKG AZ State Convention - June 3, 4, 5, 2022  
 Sheraton Phoenix Crescent Hotel  
 2620 Dunlap Ave. Phoenix, AZ 85021

Hotel Reservations

Phone (800) 325-3535 or use the electronic link:

<https://www.marriott.com/event-reservations/reservation-link.mi?id=1646689453025&key=GRP&app=resvlink>

Say: Delta Kappa Gamma for special rate of \$89-109+ tax. DEADLINE: May 15, 2020

Convention Registration (Please answer all questions)

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First (Badge) \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_, AZ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Current International or State Officer/Committee Title(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Past State President	Y	N	10 Year Member (2012-2022)	Y	N
Chapter President (2020-2022)	Y	N	20 Year Member (2002-2022)	Y	N
Chapter President (2022-2024)	Y	N	25 Year Member (1997-2022)	Y	N
Chorus Participant	Y	N	50 Year Member (1972-2022)	Y	N
Convention First Timer	Y	N	50+Year Member (1964-2022)	Y	N

Event	Cost per Person	Amount Due
<b>REGISTRATION FEE (MUST BE PAID BY ALL ATTENDEES)</b>		
Attending 2 or 3 days		
POSTMARKED ON or BEFORE May 5	\$75	_____
POSTMARKED MAY 6 – MAY 15	\$85	_____
Attending 1 day only Sat. ___ Sun. ___		
POSTMARKED ON or BEFORE May 5	\$50	_____
POSTMARKED MAY 6 – MAY 15	\$60	_____
Friday, Life Experience (State Capitol Museum Tour, 2:00-3:00)	Y N No Charge	
Optional Lunch: La Canasta Capitolio Restaurant, 12:00	Y N Menu Prices	
Dietary restrictions (circle): Diabetic, Gluten Free, Vegetarian, Vegan		
Friday Training Luncheon (Chicken Caesar Salad)	Y N \$25	_____
Presidents' Training: 8:30-3:00 Other Officers' Training until 11:30-3:00 Lunch 11:30 with speaker		
Friday Night Reception - MUST HAVE TICKET	\$10	_____
Saturday Birthday Luncheon Y N \$30 _____		
Check 1: Polynesian Chicken ___ Vegetable Ravioli ___		
Saturday Rose Banquet Y N \$42 _____		
Check 1: Tuscan Chicken ___ Roasted Salmon Fillet ___ Vegetable Stuffed Portabella ___		
Sunday World Fellowship Breakfast Y N \$25 _____		
		TOTAL _____

PHOTO RELEASE: By attendance at this event participants are granting their permission to be filmed, videotaped, audiotaped or photographed by any means and are granting full use of their likeness, voice and words without compensation.

NO SITE REGISTRATION, SALE OF MEAL TICKETS or FULL REFUNDS AFTER MAY 15th

Checks payable to: AZ State Org. of DKG Society

Mail form and check on or before May 5th or late registration by May 15th to

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