

The Arizona World Orchestra

April Vol. 1 Issue 3

AΔK Making an Impact!
Arizona Alpha Delta Kappa 2018-2020



From the Composer's Desk "Conductors and Alpha Delta Kappa!"

We've learned about the importance of music and the benefits music provides, but what about the individuals who lead the music groups? What is the purpose of a conductor? A conductor leads the different music groups with various styles and passion.

A few famous conductors include: Victor Borge, Johann Sebastian Bach, Jane Glover, Richard Strauss and Leonard Bernstein. As a former band and choir member, I always watched and followed my conductor, winning various awards. Have you ever wondered whether music conductors actually influence their orchestras? How does a conductor relate to Alpha Delta Kappa?

The University of Maryland completed a research study to determine if conductors were necessary, even for professional orchestras or groups. The study found "... the more the influence of the conductor to the players, the more aesthetic — aesthetically pleasing the music was overall." Therefore, conductors are essential to the performance of the groups.

Think about the Alpha Delta Kappa Chapters around the world and especially our Arizona Chapters. Whom do you look towards for your guidance or help? If you answered, your chapter president, you are correct. Our chapter presidents lead the chapters by running meetings, requesting help with altruistic projects, submitting reports and being current with information. However, the conductors are never alone, as the state leaders provide training and support. Please remember to help your chapter president whenever asked or maybe volunteer without asking! What a Wonderful World...Arizona Conductors leading the way! Praises to all of our Arizona Chapter Presidents – we salute you!

Betty Ehret, Arizona Alpha Delta Kappa President

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Dates to Remember

April 13

- Arizona World Orchestra, Issue 3 is distributed

April 15

- Regional Mini Scholarship Spring Applications are due for activities taking place between May 15th through November 15th

April 30

- Membership Campaign ends all initiates and reinstatement documentation is due to International Headquarters

June 30

- **H-114 Chapter Highlights Summary is due to International. Submit online visit “ Documents and Forms” then choose “Chapter”.**

July 17—20

- International Convention Hilton, Minneapolis

July 18

- **SAVE THE DATE!** Arizona Alpha Delta Kappa Dinner at 6:30 pm. Come and enjoy a wonderful evening with your Arizona Sisters.
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World Understanding Trivia

Where in the World is Marion Southall?

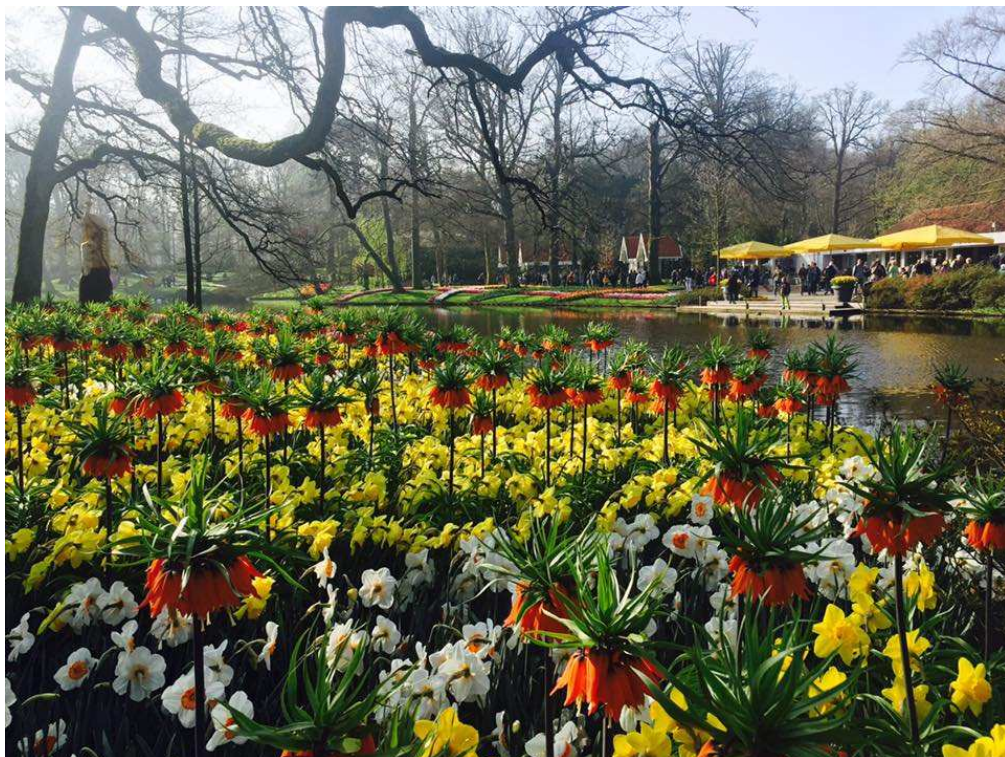
Glorious Spring!

Where is Marion Southall standing in this famous European Botanical Garden. It is called the most beautiful flower park in the world.

Can you name the country and the garden?

December's answer which quite a few sent me, was the Skating Rink in Rockefeller Center in New York City!

Marian Hoff,
World Understanding Chair
Send in your answer to Marian at mh642@cox.net



Special Opportunity Quilt Raffle!

A handmade quilt has been donated to Arizona Alpha Delta Kappa for a raffle. 100 raffle tickets will be sold for \$10 each. The quilt was made by Mennonite ladies and is valued at over \$1,000.00. The size is 90 X 106. Proceeds from raffle will go to Arizona Alpha Delta Kappa's Altruistic Fund, the Teacher Education Fund which benefits Arizona teachers.

To purchase a ticket please fill out the form below and send with a check made out to **Arizona Alpha Delta Kappa** to: Brenda McDowell, State Ways and Means Chair
8855 E Bear Place
Tucson, Arizona 85749



Raffle Ticket for Mennonite Quilt Alpha Delta Kappa Quilt Raffle - \$10.00 each

Number of tickets: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Drawing will be on January 1, 2020 or when 100 tickets have been sold.

All proceeds will benefit Arizona teachers.



Spina Bifida Thanks Arizona AΔK

On December 8th, the Arizona Executive / Expanded Board gathered for a Holiday celebration at the Ruby Tuesday by the Phoenix Airport. As an altruistic tradition, those attending donated gifts for the Spina Bifida of Arizona Association, with Sharri Runnels, the Executive Director in attendance.

Congratulations to all who helped make this donation a great success!

Mrs. Runnels wrote:

"Thank you so deeply for the love you ladies shared with us this Christmas. I was so blessed and enriched to be at the beginning of your luncheon. I hope 2019 brings much love & blessing to you and the sisterhood!"

What a Wonderful World – Arizona Alpha Delta Kappa helping others!



Ruby Tuesday Holiday Fun!

Executive and Expanded Board

Wraps Up and Unwraps the Year!





The Arizona Alpha Delta Kappa Executive/Expanded Board and Alpha Nu gifts made the day at the Annual Spina Bifida Holiday Party December 15th!

Sharri Runnels shared this with us!

**“The children were so excited!
We had 46 gifts which was enough for each child to select a gift of their choice from the table.”**



More Arizona Altruism at Work

The DigDeep Navajo Water Project

The Navajo Water Project is a program of the DIGDEEP Right to Water Project, a nonprofit that plans locally-led water projects that brings clean, running water to American communities in need. The Navajo Water Project seeks to further this mission through the installation of cistern-based Home Water Systems for those 40% of the Navajo people without running hot or cold water or working toilets. You might have seen a special on CBS Sunday Morning News spotlighting the Navajo Water Lady, Darlene Arviso, who travels throughout New Mexico, Arizona and Utah, delivering water to hundreds of families monthly. New Mexico State AΔK President Renee Seelback has traveled and helped Arviso. She noticed at Christmas, some families only had potatoes for their main dinner.

Seelback asked Arizona to help this winter and in the future to help make DigDeep Navajo Water Project an International World Understanding project. So our Arizona sisters gathered and donated the following: \$832 in food, blankets, clothing and monetary donations. Sisters, please consider giving again near Easter or spring time.



Donations from Arizona sisters to help the DigDeep Navajo Water Project!

PROPOSED ARIZONA STATE ALTRUISTIC PROJECT FOR 2020-2022

YES, all chapters need to think about an Altruistic Project for the next biennium. It is not too early for your chapter to start! Your chapter needs to submit a reason why you selected this project: include information about the organization such as a financial report, brochures, or newspaper articles. Just to name a few of past state projects: Ronald McDonald House, Mingus Mt., Sunshine Acres, Food Bank, and Teacher Education Fund.

The deadline for submitting your proposal for a state altruistic project is DECEMBER 31, 2019. Submit to Sandy Marshall azsandy123@cox.net or 10819 W. Santa Fe Drive Sun City, AZ 85351.

Arizona World Symphonies

State Chairs Sing Out



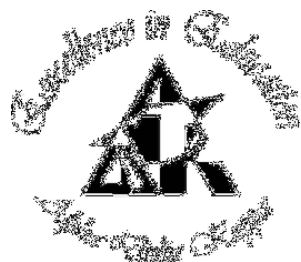
Honoris Causa, Suzanne Maly, AZ State Chair of Honoris Causa

This new award received very positive attention and reception by the Arizona Chapters in its first year of implementation. It is designed to shine a light on our own members in Arizona Chapters.



In early Fall of 2019, each chapter will be invited to nominate a candidate for this award so be thinking of who you may want to honor by the month of August when the forms will be sent out to all Chapter Presidents.

Start thinking of a special member who has exemplified the very essence of sisterhood. This is a surprise award that will be awarded at our State Convention 2020. So if you think of someone in your chapter to nominate, keep it a secret! Nomination Form is on the next page and will be due in October, 2019.



Arizona Excellence in Education Award Helen Valliere, AZ EiE Chair

The Excellence in Education Award (EiE) is given each biennium to one Alpha Delta Kappa sister, who is still actively teaching. Although this award is given during the second year of the biennium it is never too early to start LOOKING within your chapter and to think about nominating someone for this prestigious award. The STATE winner is entered into the

Regional competition and the Regional winner is entered into the International competition, where the winner will receive \$5,000.

Anyone can be nominated - as long as they **are still active** in teaching and will be in 2020-2022, even if they've been nominated before.

The nominating colleague or chapter shall request the application form from the chapter president, state president, State EiE chair, the website or International Headquarters. The completed nomination forms must be mailed or emailed to the State EiE Chair by Nov. 1, 2019. Only applications received with a postmark dated by Nov. 1 will be accepted.



Chaplain's Corner Barbara Sundust, State Chaplain

HAPPY NEW YEAR!!

Time flies and life always seems to have a way of getting very busy. As I was preparing to write a thinking of you card for a friend, I came across this line: "May your days be filled with HOPE, ANTICIPATION, AND UNEXPECTED DELIGHTS." It made me think about how important it is to not let the busyness of life overshadow the blessings of the day.

UNEXPECTED DELIGHTS—the moments in our day when we are caught by surprise by something beautiful, touching, even unexpectedly funny. Those two words encouraged me to stop and reflect on some unexpected delights in my life. They are all around us. Since January 1st I have written these delights in my planner: from bacon surprises (thanks Betty Jo for telling me about free bacon from McDonalds), to tender moments with my husband, to a hail storm on a Friday afternoon. Now I start each day wondering what UNEXPECTED DELIGHTS await me.

May your days be filled with UNEXPECTED DELIGHTS!

Honoris Causa Nomination 2018-2020

The Honoris Causa Committee shall give special recognition to outstanding members for continuous Alpha Delta Kappa work and service, thus inspiring and encouraging members to excel in leadership in Arizona Alpha Delta Kappa.

Deadline: Postmarked no later than 10/31/2019, send one final nomination per chapter

You will need this form and a one page letter of recommendation written by the sister who is submitting the nomination.

Name of Nominee: _____ Address: _____

Phone: () _____ Chapter: _____

Family Information: _____

Professional Background – College/Degrees: _____

Experience as an Educator (# of years):

Elementary _____ Secondary _____ College _____ Admin _____

Member in Professional Organizations: _____

Special Awards/Accomplishments/Activities in Education this biennium (please include dates):

Alpha Delta Kappa Membership Years: _____ Years **Active** Membership _____

Offices held:

Chapter Level _____

State _____

District _____

Regional _____

International _____

Committee Member/Chair Positions held (indicate level) _____

Alpha Delta Kappa projects (such as altruistic) _____

Attendance: Chapter Meetings (Rate 0% - 100%) _____

State Convention yes / no Regional Conference yes / no International Convention yes / no

Proposed by (Chapter Name): _____

Endorsed by:

(Chapter Officer Name other than president or nominator): _____

(Signature) _____ Office Held : _____ Phone: _____

Endorsed by: a Chapter Member (Nominator or other): _____

Date Submitted: _____

Chapter President _____ (Chapter Pres. Signature) _____

Completed Form and a **one-page letter of recommendation**, written by the sister who is submitting the nomination and send, by snail mail or email to : **Suzanne Maly, Chairman, 2918 E Sylvia St. Tucson AZ 85716 email: smaly049@hotmail.com**

DEADLINE: POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN OCTOBER 31, 2019

Honoris Causa Committee:

Chairman: Suzanne M Maly, smaly049@hotmail.com, 520-850-4156

Committee Members:

Central District: Marge Anderson, Az Mu, maagram@gmail.com, 480-839-3542

Colorado River District: Carol Strickland, Fidelis Zeta, cstrickland52@aol.com, 928-726-8626

Northern District: Marilyn Gray, Alpha Lambda, desertmarilyn@hotmail.com, 928-716-5138

Southern District: Jackie Wortman, Az Psi, wort@mindspring.com, 520-885-7209



Arizona Women of Distinction

**Jan Karp, AZ
Women of
Distinction Chair**

Are you thinking about who your chapter would like to nominate? Each Chapter may submit one (1) candidate. This person can not have been an active member of Alpha Delta Kappa.

Who do you think has made extraordinary contributions to your community? Your candidate should exhibit volunteerism, inspire teamwork, possess strong beliefs, values, ethics, character, knowledge and skills, be inspirational, selfless, and trusted. Information and applications will become available in August and must be received by December 1, 2019.

Contact Jan Karp, Chairman, (480) 802-9319, jwkarp@gmail.com for more information.

Our Omega Sisters Who Have Joined the Heavenly Choir



**Golden Sister Ruth Ann Haenney —
formerly of AZ Rho Chapter and
current Fidelis Delta Chapter.**

**Terri Williamson,
AZ Theta lost her battle
with non-Hodgkins
lymphoma March 25th.**

**Our Thoughts and
Prayers go out to their
chapter sisters and
families as they
remember the legacies
they have
left behind.**



LET'S GO LONGEST DAY!!

We are team "ARIZONA ALPHA DELTA KAPPA". We are strong and we are ready to fund raise for the Longest Day Fund Raising campaign. As we begin our plans for fundraising for the Alzheimer's Association, here are a few facts to keep in mind:

1. The Alzheimer's Association reports that nearly 2/3 of Americans suffering from Alzheimer's are women.
2. The disease is the 6th leading cause of death in the United States.
3. There are over 16 million American caregivers for someone with Alzheimer's or another form of dementia.
4. There is an increased likelihood of depression, emotional stress, and financial problems among caregivers for those with the disease.
5. The total cost for health and long term care is about \$277 billion, over \$102 billion paid out of pocket.

The Alzheimer's Association's mission "is to eliminate Alzheimer's disease through the advancement of research; to provide and enhance care and support for all affected; and to reduce the risk of dementia through the promotion of brain health." There are many activities you can use for fundraising from exercise and sports events to game days and hobby sharing. Our fundraising starts now and ends on the longest day, June 21st. As you complete your events you can use the form accompanying this article and write a check to "Alzheimer's Association" OR you can send the checks to: **Molly Nottingham, PO Box 1299, Paonia, CO 81428. Donation form on following page.**

As an Alpha Delta Kappa sister, I am humbled and impressed by the generosity of our sisters. Thank you in advance for your efforts in this worthy cause.

Barbara Sundust, AZ State Chaplain



Donation Form

Donor Information

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____
Billing Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Phone number: _____ Email Address: _____

Donation Information

I would like to make a donation in the amount of:

___\$1000 ___\$500 ___\$250 ___\$120 ___\$60 ___\$35 ___Other Amount: \$_____

Please display my name on the participant's public donor wall as: _____

☐ Please do not display my name on the donor wall.

Payment Method

___ Enclosed is my check payable to the Alzheimer's Association®

-OR-

Please charge my: ___ Visa ___ MasterCard ___ American Express ___ Discover

Credit card number: _____

Expiration date: _____

Signature: _____

Today's date: _____

Participant Information (donation on behalf of)

Event Name: 2019 The Longest Day Event ID: 11896

Participant's Name: Molly Nottingham Participant ID: 12012457

Team Name: Arizona Alpha Delta Kappa Team ID: 536005

Mail this form and contribution to:

The Longest Day

PO Box 6804

Hagerstown, MD 21741-6804

Thank You for your Contribution!

UPDATED 2019 MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN!

January 1 through April 30 marks our 2019 Membership Campaign. Your Chapter Presidents received a notice of this in their President's Packet in August. **Attached** is a copy of this updated document. The second paragraph explains the updated criteria for membership. This is the time when most chapters initiate new members. Encourage them to get all the **needed paperwork and fees** into Headquarters by **April 30** so that they are entered into the drawing for a registration fee to the International Convention in Minnesota.

Alpha Delta Kappa 2019 Membership Campaign

"Strengthen your chapter with new members."

2019 Alpha Delta Kappa Membership Campaign

January 1, 2019 -April 30, 2019

In order for Alpha Delta Kappa to remain a vibrant organization, the challenge is to initiate new members or reinstate former members. Your enthusiasm for Alpha Delta Kappa will attract others who will want to join you in our organization!

The criteria for membership in Alpha Delta Kappa is that the prospective member be an outstanding educator, have a degree in education or be certified, be actively engaged in education and under contract in the field of education. Retired educators who are still interested in education are also eligible. Think of the outstanding women educators. Think of the outstanding women you know that would benefit from all Alpha Delta Kappa has to offer!

New/reinstated members must be initiated/reinstated and all current forms (under Documents and Forms on the website) and fees must be received at Headquarters by April 30, 2018 to be eligible for the membership drawing.

Forms required for new/reinstated members are:

- H-103 Membership Application and Badge form sent to International Headquarters prior to initiation.
- H-133 Report of Initiation sent to International Headquarters immediately following initiation.
- H-154 Petition for Reinstatement

NOTE: Members transferring into your chapter or new chapters **do not** qualify for the campaign.

What Your Chapter Could Win!

The **KAPPAN** will recognize each chapter that initiates/reinstates four or more new members. In addition, all chapters that initiate/reinstate one or more members will be entered into a state/provincial/national (S/P/N) drawing for a stipend toward the **2019 International Convention registration**.

- 1-3 new members initiated/reinstated = one entry in the **\$50** drawing
- 4-6 new members initiated/reinstated = two entries in the **\$75** drawing
- 7+ new members initiated/reinstated = three entries in the **\$100** drawing

The drawings will be held at International Headquarters in June 2019. The winning chapters will be notified.

Please contact your regional membership consultant, S/P/N membership consultant or Vice President of Membership with any questions.



Membership Matters

Twyla Preising State Membership Consultant

Membership – A Family Tradition

The social institution of the family is a very important part of our culture. At the 2018 Arizona Alpha Delta Kappa State Convention, the Executive and Expanded Board members formed a procession into the ballroom to the strains of “We are Family”. As your Immediate Past President, I can assure you that memory warms my heart!

The other day I had an opportunity to see the Disney movie **Coco**. It is the story of a young boy, Miguel, who is growing up and learning about his family. Although complicated, the layers of his family hold a special place in his heart.

As his story unfolds we see the respected members of his family who have departed this world, honored by the placement of their pictures on an altar lit with brilliant candle light. Our Alpha Delta Kappa members who have joined the Omega chapter are respectfully remembered and are often honored through candle light!

Miguel also learns that some members of his family are missing and he works hard to reestablish the vital connections. Alpha Delta Kappa members are

encouraged to look at chapter rolls to find those missing sisters and to reconnect. The reasons that they resigned their membership may have changed and they should be welcomed back into the fellowship.

Miguel begins to understand the rich traditions of his family as he fully embraces his great grandmother, Coco. Our Platinum, Golden, Sapphire and Silver sisters reflect the rich traditions of Alpha Delta Kappa. Has your chapter continued to make them vital members so they may share their knowledge, wisdom and experiences?

Near the end of the movie Miguel welcomes a new baby girl to the family. Alpha Delta Kappa is like Miguel’s family. We respect and honor our past members, we respect the wise elders that are helping to lead, we appreciate our current members and we are reestablishing connections to former members.

Where we have fallen short is bringing in new members. This must be a central focus. Every family must grow! We must share the traditions and shine a beacon to the future for the new members. If this is not done, then the family dwindles and then fades away. A future without Alpha Delta Kappa is an unbearable thought for me.

As the movie **Coco** comes to an end, there was a deeply satisfied feeling for me. It made me view Alpha Delta Kappa with new eyes. I looked around at all the pictures of my family members, sadly many of them are gone. I thought of those current family members who enrich my life in so many ways. Lastly I thought of new babies and growing children. This must be the image of Alpha Delta Kappa.

Our family is made up of Omega sisters who founded the family, we have 20,000+ current family members who carry on the traditions and work of the organization and we must welcome in new members who will contribute energy and will make an impact for tomorrow. Indeed, “We Are Family”!



**Arizona's State Dinner
Alpha Delta Kappa
International
Convention
Minneapolis, MN
Nancy Martinez
AZ State President-Elect**

Sisters, I am so excited about our State's Dinner for sisters and their guests (spouses and others) on Thursday, July 18, 2019.

Keys at the Foshay is the restaurant we'll be dining at, check their website: www.keysfoshay.com. On this site you can view our menu.

They are located in the heart of downtown Minneapolis in the famous Foshay Building. They are known for their award winning breakfast, and hearty home-made food.

The Keys is a short 5 minute walk from the hotel. We will meet in the lobby at 6:00 pm in order to leave at 6:15 pm.

I will be taking reservation starting April 15th, you can email me at Martinez.nanc@gmail.com to secure your spot.

Looking forward to seeing everyone in Minneapolis.

**Arizona Sales Needs
Your Help**



The Alpha Delta Kappa sales table will need your help during the 2019 convention at the Hilton Minneapolis hotel.

Any help you can provide will be greatly appreciated. This benefits our State Altruistic Project — the **Arizona AΔK Education Fund**.

Please consider one or more of the following to assist Suzanne:

Tuesday, July 16 - 12:00 PM to 7:00 PM
Wednesday, July 17 - 5:15 PM to 7:15 PM
Thursday, July 18 - 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM
Friday, July 19 - 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM

Suzanne Maly will coordinate scheduling. Contact her directly at: 520-850-4156 or smaly049@hotmail.com



**NEW!
Sponsorships -
Arizona State
AΔK Convention**

The Arizona Alpha Delta Kappa State Convention Committee invites you to become a sponsor for the AZ State AΔK Convention, May 1 – 3, 2020. This is open to AZ Sisters, chapters, family members, friends, or local businesses who would like to participate as a sponsor for our convention. Sponsorships in the form of promotional items, advertisements and/or donations will help defray convention expenses, bringing the registration costs down. All sponsors will receive acknowledgement in the Convention Program. Please consider this new endeavor. More information will become available in early fall.

**Arizona State Cares
and Concerns**



Our sympathies to Nancy Woodling, AZ Omicron, whose husband just passed away. Our heartfelt best wishes to Cleo Hernandez, AZ Iota, whose husband is recovering from a hospital stay. Our thoughts and prayers go out to any other sisters experiencing family losses or illnesses. Blessings to all.



AΔK's 31st International Convention July 17-20 Minneapolis, Minnesota

Convention Highlights!

- International Convention July 17
Registration information in the Kappan
or at <http://www.alphadeltakappa.org>
- Arizona State Dinner July 18
- 2019 Educational Symposium Friday July 19
Schedule for sessions in the Kappan
or at <http://www.alphadeltakappa.org>
- Memorial Service July 20

Convention Speakers

Jacqueline Loughheed
World Understanding Lecturer
Melissa Young

Keynote Speaker
Liz Huntley

Keynote speaker
Marc Brackett

Evening of Entertainment
Brian Miller Magic

International Convention Altruistic Project
Kids Against Hunger

Hotel Information

Hilton Minneapolis
1001 Marquett Avenue South
Minneapolis, MN 55403
Room Rate :179 single/double occupancy
(excluding taxes)
Reservations at:
[https://book.passkey.com/go/](https://book.passkey.com/go/AlphaDeltaKappa2019)
AlphaDeltaKappa2019
or by calling 1-888-933-5363

Thank you to everyone who has already made their hotel reservations. The discounted group room rate at the Hilton Minneapolis is sold out for the nights of Saturday, 7/13 and Sunday, 7/14. THERE IS STILL PLENTY OF ROOM AVAILABILITY STARTING ON MONDAY, JULY 15 AND OVER THE MAIN DATES OF THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION.

If you would like to extend your stay in Minneapolis, please consider staying over the post conference dates of Sunday, July 21 on.

Please note that the Hilton Minneapolis is the only official housing provider for the 2019 AΔK International Convention.

AΔK has worked diligently with the hotel to establish a room block for attendees. Reserving within this block assists in keeping registration costs as low as possible.

31st International Convention of AΔK

July 17-20, 2019 • Minneapolis, Minnesota • Tentative Schedule

TUESDAY, JULY 16

8:00 AM – 12:00 NOON Executive Board Meeting
 11:00 AM – 11:45 AM Credentials Registrar Meeting
 12:00 NOON – 7:00 PM Credentials Check-in
 12:00 NOON – 7:00 PM On-site Registrations
 12:00 NOON – 7:00 PM Credentials Office
 12:00 NOON – 7:00 PM S/P/N Altruistic Sales
 1:30 PM – 5:00 PM International Chapter Meeting
 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM International Candidate Qualifications Committee Meeting
 4:30 PM – 5:30 PM Local Host Convention
 Committees Meeting
 Convention Action
 Assistant Sgts.-At-Arms
 4:45 PM – 5:45 PM Practice for Choir & Musicians
 5:30 PM – 7:30 PM Proposed Bylaws and Resolutions Meeting for Discussion and Information

WEDNESDAY, JULY 17

7:30 AM – 8:30 AM Candidates' Meeting
 7:30 AM – 8:30 AM Balloting Committee Meeting (Balloting, Credentials & Sergeants-At-Arms)
 8:00 AM – 8:45 AM First Timers' Welcome
 8:00 AM – 8:45 AM 2018-2020 Regional Mentors' Meeting
 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM Credentials Office
 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM Credentials Check-in
 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM On-site Registrations
 9:00 AM – 11:30 AM OPENING SESSION
 Presentation of International Excellence in Education Award
 12:00 NOON – 2:00 PM Regional Luncheons
 2:30 PM – 5:00 PM FIRST BUSINESS SESSION
 Alpha Delta Kappa International Chorus
 Keynote Speaker
 Executive Board Report/Strategic Plan
 First Credentials Committee Report
 International Altruistic Projects Report
 World Understanding Report
 International Candidate Qualifications Committee Report and Presentation of Candidates
 5:15 PM – 7:15 PM S/P/N Altruistic Sales
 5:30 PM – 6:30 PM ICP Meeting
 7:30 PM – 9:30 PM Evening of Entertainment

THURSDAY, JULY 18

8:00 AM – 5:00 PM Credentials Office
 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM Credentials Check-in
 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM On-site Registrations
 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM AΔK Jewelry and Gifts
 8:15 AM – 8:45 AM S/P/N Presidents Pick Up Voting Pads
 9:00 AM – 12:00 NOON SECOND BUSINESS SESSION
 Second Credentials Committee Report
 Balloting Committee Report
 Voting Pad Practice
 Balloting (Altruistic Projects, Candidates)
 International Bylaws Committee Report
 Lunch on Your Own
 12:00 Noon – 1:45 PM Little Wigs & Past S/P/N Presidents' Luncheon
 12:15 PM – 1:45 PM

12:15 PM – 1:45 PM
 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM

4:30 PM – 5:30 PM
 5:00 PM – 7:00 PM

FRIDAY, JULY 19

7:30 AM
 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM
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Alpha Delta Kappa's 2019 Educational Symposium "Shoot for the Stars"

9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
 11:00 AM – 4:00 PM
 11:15 AM – 12:15 PM
 12:15 PM – 1:30 PM
 1:45 PM – 2:45 PM
 3:00 PM – 4:00 PM
 4:15 PM – 5:15 PM
 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM
 4:00 PM – 5:00 PM
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 6:00 PM – 7:00 PM

SATURDAY, JULY 20

8:30 AM – 9:30 AM
 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM
 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM

1:15 PM – 2:00 PM

5:00 PM
 5:00 PM – 6:30 PM
 5:30 PM – 6:45 PM
 6:30 PM
 7:00 PM

SUNDAY, JULY 21

7:30 AM – 8:45 AM
 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM
 10:15 AM – 11:15 AM
 11:15 AM – 12:00 NOON

S/P/N Altruistic Sales
 THIRD BUSINESS SESSION
 International Resolutions Committee Report
 Membership Report
 Foundation Report
 Regional Celebrations
 S/P/N Altruistic Sales

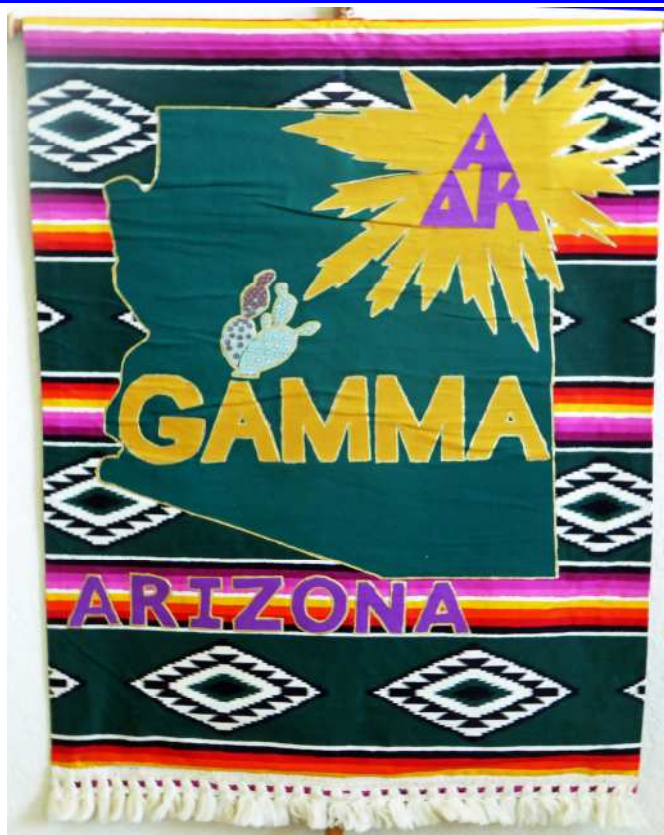
AΔKA Golf Scramble
 AΔK Jewelry and Gifts
 Credentials Office
 Credentials Check-in
 On-site Registrations

Opening
 Keynote Speaker
 International Teacher Education Presentation
 Kids Against Hunger (Hands-on Project)
 Learning Session I
 Lunch on Your Own
 Learning Session II
 Learning Session III
 Learning Session IV
 S/P/N Altruistic Sales
 IMC Seminar
 Memorial Service Rehearsal
 Regional Membership Training
 Meet & Greet (International Executive Board and ITE Scholars)

MEMORIAL SERVICE
 AΔKA Meeting
 FOURTH BUSINESS SESSION
 Introduction of Jacquie Lougheed World Understanding Lecturer
 Final Credentials Report
 Fine Arts Board Report/Presentations
 Alzheimer's Association Report
 Regional Conference Altruistic Projects
 Recognition of International Standing Committees
 Invitation to Austin, Texas, in 2021
 Courtesy Resolution
 International Standing Committees
 Change-over Meeting:
 International Chapter Photos
 International Chorus Practice
 International Chapter Reception
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Composing our AZ Chapter Banner Parade! The Meaning Behind Those Priceless Banners!



Arizona Gamma Phoenix

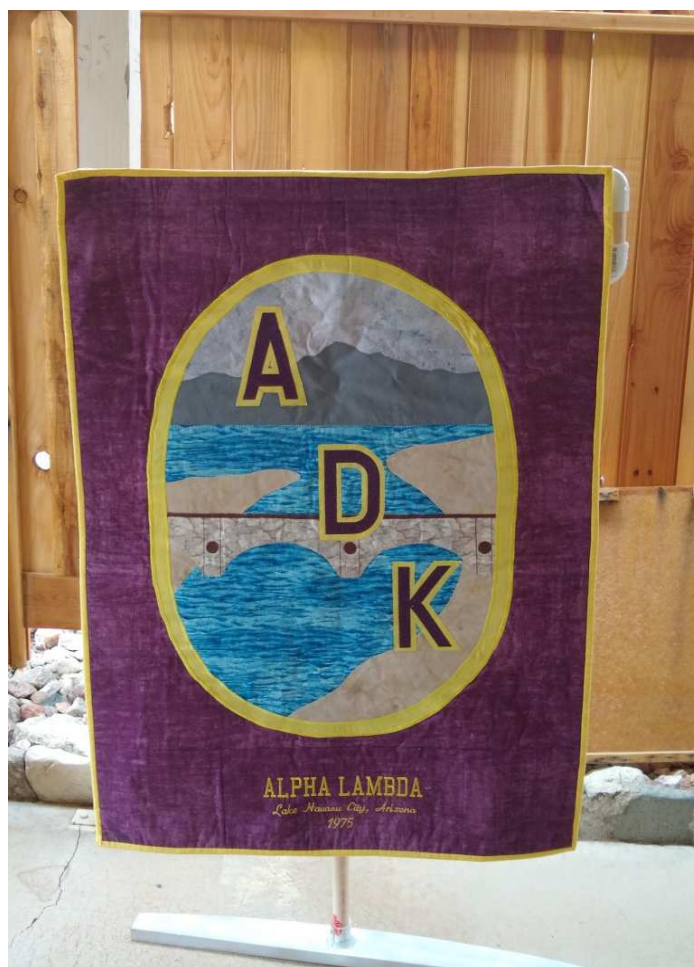
Arizona Gamma's Banner was designed and constructed approximately 25 to 30 years ago by three Gamma Gals who all became charter members of Arizona Fidelis Theta Chapter. They were also involved in the complicated process of certification as fire retardant.

The background fabric calls attention to our Native American heritage in the State of Arizona, while also highlighting the colors associated with Alpha Delta Kappa. The silhouette of our state along with our ever present sunshine and Alpha Delta Kappa's Logo all continue showcasing our colors.

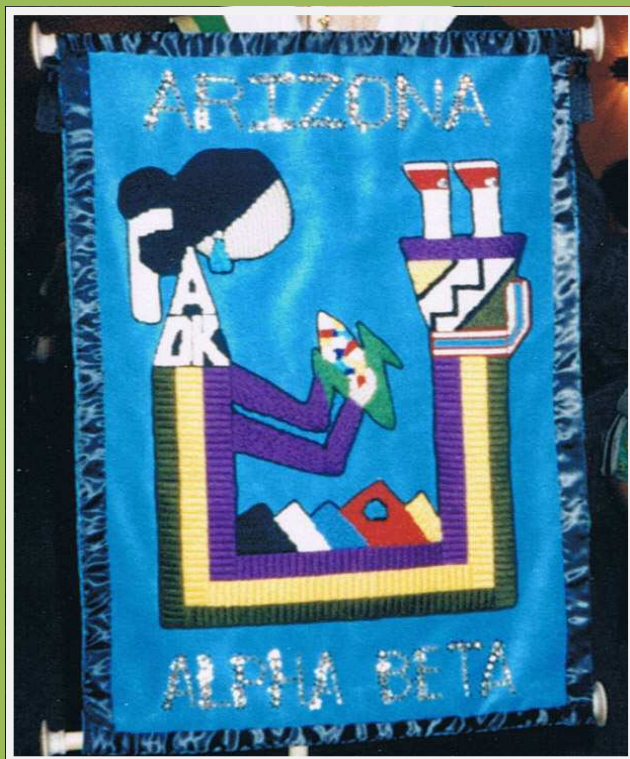
Arizona Alpha Lambda's Banner Lake Havasu City

Our Alpha Lambda banner highlights Lake Havasu City's historical London Bridge that crosses the man made canal through the peninsula jutting into Lake Havasu. The desert and river mountains surround our beautiful city.

Our chapter's name and charter date appear at the bottom.



Arizona Alpha Beta Window Rock



AZ Alpha Beta's banner was designed in 1988 by Thelma Claw (with the assistance of her husband, John Claw—designer of the official seal of the Navajo Nation). It features Alpha Beta's, "Rainbow Woman", a beaded handiwork creation hand-crafted by 11 members taking several weeks to complete and serving to unite the sisters in love and commitment. A poem, by Dr. Virginia Bailey, "Arizona Alpha Beta" further celebrates the bond sisters feel for one another and impact of the banner.

The banner's story is symbolic for this chapter. Fraught with meaning specifically are the neck/bodice area, the rainbow body of olive green, golden yellow, and violet purple, the sashbelt/skirt, the leggings/moccasins, the ear of Indian corn with its four sacred colors, and the four sacred mountains/Window Rock. The detailed symbolic meaning is available to anyone requesting it from chapter historian, Renee' Atcitty or chapter president Judy Kimbrough.



Thelma Claw and Kellamay Kelly present story of AZ Alpha Beta's banner at the SW Regional Conference 1994, Honolulu.



Arizona Omicron Chapter Tucson

Our Omicron Banner was updated in 2007-2008 at the suggestion of member Pat Trias who was serving as Arizona State President (2006-2008). Member Terry Shaw's friend Diane Kovell designed and quilted the banner to our specifications featuring the Mission San Xavier del Bac a symbol of Tucson and our Arizona-Sonoran Desert.

The doves in our banner represent the mission which is also known as the White Dove of the Desert. The Prickly Pear Cactus in front of the mission plays a special part in the restoration and maintenance of San Xavier. As historically constructed in 1783-1797 the Prickly Pear juice is used as a glue along with a mixture of lime and sand to plaster the exterior walls of the mission and its towers.

Our banner was completed in 2008 and was first displayed in Tucson at the Double Tree Hotel at the Arizona State Convention April 25-27, 2008.

How many of these 2018-2020 Goals has your chapter integrated into your activities?

Educational Excellence

- Recognize excellence from our sisters
- Provide leadership training for all members

Altruism

- Promote charitable projects and fund scholarships
- Promote volunteerism using time and talents

World Understanding

- Promote cultural awareness in chapters, schools and communities
- Be aware of global issues

Membership

- Work with chapters to recruit, retain, and reinstate members
- Continue to support the development of new Arizona Chapters
- Continue open communications with all members
- Be aware of members' needs and encourage participation outside chapters at the state, district and international levels

With these goals, may we renew our devotion to AΔK and may our Arizona sisters use our energy to provide many opportunities to impact others around this great state, nation and the world. What a Wonderful World, sisters and friends! Tell us about them —Send in your article to share to Betty Ehret for the next newsletter!

Arizona World Melodies

Arizona Chapters Sing Out



AZ Psi Golden Celebrations

AZ Psi celebrated a chapter milestone on November 16th. They have been a chapter in good standing with Alpha Delta Kappa for 50 years.

Psi Chapter was chartered on November 16, 1968 in Tucson, AZ. They were pledged by AΔK Tucson City Council and installed by the AZ State Board during the terms of Grand President, Jean Mersereau and AZ 7th State President, Bertha Quakenbush.

Julia Gates, Psi chapter president presented Gloria Burke with her Golden Sister Guard/Pin. Not only is Gloria Psi chapter's charter member, she continues to be active in the chapter sharing her musical talents, promoting fraternity education, and helping support the chapter's altruistic projects.



The celebration took place at the 49ers Clubhouse in Tucson, AZ. Past and present international, regional and state officers attended and spoke. All Psi sisters were presented with a gold wooden rose to commemorate the occasion. Great fun was had by all!

Altruism in Action — AZ Psi Chapter

Psi Chapter's Altruistic Project for January was to help homeless women and men in the Tucson area. We volunteered our time and donated money, clothing and personal care items to Sister Jose Women's Center and Casa Maria Men's Center. "Sisters Helping Sisters" is the motto for Sister Jose's Center.



Fidelis Zeta Chapter — Valentine's Day Fun!

Here is a picture of Rochelle Thompson, Ruth Brockington, and Ollie Wiegel from Fidelis Zeta at our monthly meeting on Valentine's Day at Gila Vista Jr. High School.

Our chapter celebrated their birthdays--Rochelle on Feb. 1, Ruth on Feb. 3, and Ollie on Feb. 6. We celebrated with salad, pizza, and of course, "CAKE!"

Two eighth grade students from Gila Vista explained their mentoring program to our group.

