

Key Women Educators Impacting Education Worldwide

Meeting Schedule

NOTE: Meetings are on Tuesdays at the Orozco Center Room 303 or on Zoom.

September 29, 2020

Video - Nadia Lopez, 2018 International Convention

October 20, 2020

Caretaking Tips - Monique Jackson and Becky Garner

November 17, 2020

Birthday Celebration - Savannah Cafe and Bakery (Webster)

December 10, 2020 (Thursday)

Merry Christmas Celebration - Home of DiAnn Richardson

February 23, 2021

Green Is Good for You - Diane Moose

April 27, 2021

TBA

May 2021 TBD

Founders' Celebration

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A Word from Ana



Hello all,
Happy Valentine's Day! Thank you for all of your participation and support during this unprecedented year.

I hope that our fall meetings and events added to your repertoire of knowledge. I encourage you to join us during our February 23rd meeting with Diane Moose for our "Green is

Good for You" discussion to add even more to your knowledge toolkit. I look forward to seeing you all there!

February in Texas is always a unique phenomenon. Weather forecasts across the area predict low temperatures in the teens during the next few days. Many of us will hunker down with our families and pets to protect ourselves from the hazardous icy conditions outside. Yet just like the groundhog that emerges from his little hole each February, we will emerge from our winter slumps ready to face 2021. So be on the lookout for those little weeds making their way through the melting snow (or most likely ice). As you do, know that we too will make our way through February and the ongoing COVID pandemic. Hang in there! We will all make it through. As always, please feel free to reach out if you have any questions or concerns.



February 23, 2021 Meeting



Once again, for safety reasons, our meeting will be a Zoom meeting. If you have not yet entered into the world of Zoom meetings, try it, you might like it. Yours truly is in several Zoom meetings per week and is grateful for the opportunity to be able to (at least) **see** my friends and colleagues. Ana will send out the Zoom link again shortly before the meeting. If you need help starting to use Zoom, feel free to contact Ana or Diane. They will be glad to help.

Our program is to be **Green Is Good For You** presented by Diane Moose. This topic is not about recycling but rather about the beneficial effects of nature on our bodies.

Join in on our fun and fellowship!



YOU are the key

It Is Time To Pay Our Dues

It rolls around once every year...dues paying time. Our annual DKG dues should be paid by **June 1, 2021**. We are reminding you early so that you can be arranging your budgets accordingly.



So, just where do your dues go? Here is the breakdown for Active member dues (\$82.00)

\$40.00- This amount goes to DKG International and is used to pay salaries for employees, pay utility bills, pay for printing, and a myriad of other things including scholarships.

\$20.00 - This amount goes to our Texas State Organization. Again, there are employees to pay, building maintenance and utilities, etc.

\$22.00 - This amount remains with our chapter. Some of it is used to pay for postage and website domain fees, some is used for courtesy needs, and some is used for donations to state scholarship funds.

The rest is used to fund our grant-In-Aid.

Many members donate an additional amount for our \$500.00 Grant-In-Aid that we award each year.

DKG is an honor organization...it is a privilege to be a member. We do much good for education in general and women educators in particular. Even if you are a member who cannot attend meetings regularly, You are appreciated and the dues you pay are used for good things.

December Christmas Celebration

Because of the pandemic, we were few in number for our Christmas gathering this year; however, we still had a wonderful (and safe!) time. We practiced social distancing (except to take a group photo) and wore our masks when were not eating. Hopefully we will be able to meet in person again soon



Many thanks to DiAnn Richardson, our gracious hostess. Her festively decorated home is a pleasure to meet in.



Becky, Diane, DiAnn, Jane in the back. Our president, Ana Gonzalez in the front.



From the TSO Website

STAR 2022 Registration is now open. (STAR stands for Spectacular Texas Art Retreat.) At this event, members have the opportunity to learn a variety of crafts, to participate in acting, and to just have a good time hanging out. Registration for the STAR event is now open and can be accessed at [this link](#). Mark your calendar for January 15-17, 2022 at Camp Allen. The registration link is also located on the [Women in Arts Committee](#) page.

From the DKG International Website

View a brief video message from International President Becky Sadowski.



[Video Link](#)

Our Mission

The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International and Zeta Omega Chapter, Texas State Organization of The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International promote professional and personal growth of women educators and excellence in education.