# Epsilon Sigma Alpha International Oklahoma State Council 1999-2000



President: Vivian Y. Gibson of Norman

President's Theme: "Love Is Contagious... Pass It On"

57th State Convention Held: April 28, 29, & 30, 2000, Biltmore Hotel, Oklahoma City

State Convention Theme: "ESA 2000...Seasons of Love"

Attendance at State Convention: 188 women, 40 men, 1 DESA, 1 MAL, 15 guests,

### **Guests at State Convention:**

Virginia Clagett, Senior Past IC President Dee Tallman, Nebraska Kay McWain, Arkansas

Oklahoma Membership: 65 Chapters, 963 Members, 181 DESAs, 153 MALs

## SPECIAL NOTES:

Used Email Network extensively to stay in touch with all members

Bylaw amendments: Article IV - Section 12 - Credentials; Article III added

Section 2 -A

Disaster Fund: IC Report: \$4,497.00

Philanthropic: Money: Unknown; Hours: Unknown

Circle of Life: \$123,543.41

Educationals: 20 Gold Link Awards; 4 Gold Seal Entries DIANA Winner: Kay Love, Alpha Pi #4104, Lawton

Leadership Seminar: August 22, 1999, Biltmore Hotel, Oklahoma City.

Speaker: Ray McCafffrey, Ph.D. Attendance: 115

State Project: Parkview School at Muskogee and Oklahoma School for the Deaf

at Sulphur.

Easter Seals: \$10,543.48

ESA Foundation: \$16,736.87 (Excluding Turn Around Fund)

Outstanding Youth: Kayde Tanner, Shawnee

Distinguished Athenian: Lora Thompson, Zeta Gamma #4253, Shawnee

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Teller at International Convention 2000

International Convention Held: July 16-23, 2000, Downtown Marriott, Memphis, TN

IC Convention Theme: "In Tennessee...We're Playing Your Song"

IC President Presiding: Charlotte Garrett

IC President's Theme: "Life Is A Song...Come Sing With Me"

#### **IC Awards Presented To:**

1st Place - DIANA - Omega Pi, Lawton - Kay Love

3rd Place - Greatest Number of Pledges - Sylvia Hall (77)

3<sup>nt</sup> Place - Maie Wells - Aletha Bolt, Educational Director

1st Place - State News Bulletin (5 issues or more) - Oklahoma - Nancy Elliott, Ed.

Honorable Mention - Disaster Fund - Most Money Donated - Ramona Paine

2nd Place - ESA Foundation - Most money donated to Fantasy Ball - Jeanne Meyer

3rd Place - Easter Seals - Most hours per Member (46.64) Gamma Delta #702 Tulsa

1st Place - Association of the Arts - Division V - Ceramics - Vivian Gibson

Easter Seals Certificate of Award for \$10,543,48 - Elinor Baucom

Dixie Palmer Lady Award - Sylvia Hall

Stewardship - Bill Hall

Stewardship - Steve York

The St. Jude Flag carried by Judy Lester, who introduced Danny Thomas to ESA in 1970, and the Easter Seal Flag carried by Mary Frost, Past IC President, were presented for first time.

First year St. Jude Hospital draped a large "Thank You ESA" banner from the top of the building. ESA became the third largest third party contributor to St. Jude (48 million dollars).

Plaque presented to ESA for its generosity to the Bone Marrow Transplant Patient Care Center; ESA coined by ALSAC "Eternal Support Angels."