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## ***CRUISIN' with your President Jacque Edwards***



**January 10, 2011** – Attended Kappa Theta Chapter meeting at the Stables Restaurant. One of the members asked her mother to be the guest speaker to talk about “Quilt Making” for special needs projects.

**January 21, 2011** – Met Kay Brader, State Scrapbook Chair for lunch in Edmond. She brought me some lovely wooden ornaments from Germany and some of the best chocolate ever. I delivered photos for the scrapbook from several members. Thank you Kay.

Sat with Joy Agan following her husband’s heart surgery at the Heart Hospital in Oklahoma City.

**January 25, 2011** – Attended the St. Jude event at the “Melting Pot” in Bricktown. If you have never attended, you missed a great event, not to mention the Fondue’ selections. Words cannot explain. It was a treat to sit with the owners, also Anne Carter and Katie, St. Jude Reps from Norman, Jaden a St. Jude patient and her mother from Stillwater. What a wonderful event and a lot of fun.

**February 7, 2011** – I attended Kappa Theta’s business meeting held at the Stables. Everyone loves to sample the famous ribs. Judged the youth applications also.

**February 13, 2011** – Attended the Memorial Service for Darren, the son of Betty McAllister of Delta Kappa, Norman.

**February 17, 2011** – Kappa Theta held their annual Youth/DIANA awards dinner to honor Youth Michael Conner, and DIANA Betty Dressen. The dinner was very good and Michael read his essay which was excellent. He is a 4 point student and Valedictorian of his class. Betty is a retired nurse and served in Kenya, Africa for six years. What a fun evening.

**February 18, 2011** – Convention planning meeting with the Convention Center in Oklahoma City. Everyone met the new Convention Coordinator and hammered out events for three hours. Connie Johnson and I immediately drove to the Red Lobster for dinner and relaxing. IMAGINE that!!!

**February 19, 2011** – Attended the beautiful Awards Banquet in Shawnee where they honored their Outstanding Youth’s and their DIANA. Their members are very good cooks, so the meal was wonderful. What a fun evening. Everything was decorated in Valentine hearts. Congrats to Zeta Gamma of Shawnee.

**February 24, 2011** – Worked the St. Jude Radiothon from 5:30 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. What a fun day and all for the love of kids at St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital. Twister 101.9 hosted our Radiothon this year in Oklahoma City. This was our first time at the Twister Radio station. They were wonderful. Thank you volunteers for your participation.

**February 25, 2011** – Second day at the St. Jude Radiothon. Arrived at 5:45 a.m. and worked until closing at 6:45 p.m. Was a long day, but we did it! Received donations in the amount of \$102,170. Again, thank you to all the volunteers for responding to the extra phones we needed to cover this year.

**February 26, 2011** – After the Radiothon on Friday evening, Billye Peterson and I met with daughter Shelly Labus at the Elephant Bar Restaurant in Oklahoma City for dinner, then driving to Muskogee for the night. Attended Oklahoma School for the Blind meeting conducted by District III and District V. Met with Austin Goolsby sponsored by Kappa Theta. Delivered a gift from our local Guthrie chapter. The band was outstanding in their performance. “Little Brittany” as she is called, sang two songs and did an excellent job. She is quite the little charmer and very witty. What a special day at OSB. Enjoyed the installation of officers for both Districts III and V. Congratulations to Peggy Hughes, District III Coordinator and Ruth Thompson, District V Coordinator.

**March 5, 2011** – Will be attending the final 2011 Convention planning meeting in Guthrie. What an exciting time for me to have experienced this year and now my convention will soon be here and I will have completed my year as State President.

**March 12, 2011** – Will attend the District IV meeting and Installation of officers in Midwest City. Ellen Clark will be installed as District IV Coordinator.

**March 14, 2011** – Kappa Theta monthly business meeting at the Stables Restaurant. Members will be discussing a skit in the support of Connie Johnson running for the office of State Parliamentarian and serving as pages at the State Convention.

**March 18-19, 2011** March State Council meeting to be held in Stillwater. This will be our first time to go to Stillwater for a meeting. Will go to dinner on Friday evening at “Joseppi’s Italian Restaurant” and attend the Contest meeting following. The Council meeting and other meetings will continue on Saturday.

**March 26, 2011** – Will attend the District II spring meeting where one of Kappa Theta’s local members will be installed as District II Coordinator at the R & R Depot Restaurant, in Guthrie.

**March 27, 2011** – Will attend the Bunco party hosted by Gamma Zeta of Edmond. They are expecting a large attendance. This will be fun and I am looking forward to playing Bunco with ESA sisters.

**April 10, 2011** – Will attend the Installation of Officers meeting for Zeta Gamma in Shawnee. I always look forward to their events.

**April 11, 2011** Kappa Theta will host their final meeting for 2010-2011 and will elect new officers for the upcoming year.

**April 18, 2011** – Will be installing Officers for the Installation of Officers in Edmond for Gamma Zeta. They are a large chapter and its always a pleasure and a joy to attend their meetings and banquets.

**April 28, 29, 30 & May 1** – Will arrive at the Clarion Hotel/Meridian Convention Center for the 68<sup>th</sup> State Convention, that I will have the honor of presiding. We will also see a new slate of officers be installed and a new State President (Gwynn Nell Swanson, of Delta Kappa, Norman).

Now that my year is about to end, I hope you have enjoyed your journey with me as I have enjoyed having you along for the ride. We did a lot of “CRUISIN’ in the 50’s”. Hopefully you have learned new ideas, had some fun reliving our 50’s with music and dancing and kept your “Spirit” positive.

Thank you again Oklahoma Council for your love and support especially during the tragic loss of my husband in the middle of my year as State President. You are **all** GREAT ESA SISTERS!!!

Love ya.....



**1st Vice President  
Gwynn Nell Swanson**

Can't believe this is the last PJ article of the year. I would like to thank my nominating committee for helping me this year. I could not have done it without them. A BIG thank you goes to Robbin Brown, June Miller, Billye Peterson and Deb Hughes. Elsewhere in this issue you will find the Candidates information. Please bring this PJ issue to State Convention so you have the candidates' information with you. I am looking forward to the 2011-2012 year. We have a good board and hope you will enjoy the coming year. If I can be of any help to you, please contact me.  
Gwynn Nell Swanson  
1<sup>st</sup> Vice President/Nominating Chair



**“Approaching the Years with Grace in ESA”**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President/Educational Chairman**  
**Joyce Gibson**

By the time you receive this issue, we will be moments away from the 2011 68<sup>th</sup> Annual Oklahoma State Convention! My how the year flies when you are having fun! I sincerely appreciate the opportunity I have been given to serve as your 2nd Vice President and Educational Director. This has been an enjoyable experience.

I hope the theme **“Approaching the Years with Grace in ESA”** has helped you to learn more for yourselves, as well as helping others get the knowledge they need to maintain “Grace” as the years go by. Remember that “knowledge is power” and we could all use that control of our lives.

It was exciting to read your program reports and see all that you included to make your presentation interesting. I hope that you had as much fun presenting as I did reading.

Please be sure to stop by the display area at convention and look at the Chapter Educational Director’s Gold Seal entries. They have put a lot of heart into these and would love your support.

Please continue to enlighten yourselves with new ways to help you and your loved ones “Approach the Years with Grace”.

Joyce Gibson  
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**Treasurer’s Report**  
**Tina Davenport McKamie**

Spring is almost here and State Convention is rapidly approaching. Where has time gone?

Thank you to all those chapters who timely paid their dues.

State Officers and Board Members, do you have vouchers and receipts to submit for reimbursement? All vouchers and receipts must be submitted before convention. If you have not turned in a voucher and receipts for your expenses, please do so as soon as possible. I will be closing the bank account on April 15, 2010. I will not be able to issue any checks after that.

Thank you for your support of Oklahoma State Council.  
Look forward to seeing you at Convention!

**Project Director  
Charlene Law**

Ladies, I want to thank the chapters and individuals who have made a donation to the Project Fund. The names of those making donations are listed below.

April 1<sup>st</sup>, is the deadline for Service reports and donations to be **postmarked**. I hope we can have more funds available to distribute to Oklahoma School for the Blind and Oklahoma School for the Deaf to meet their requests at the end of the school year.

Delta Epsilon #2091	\$ 50.00
Alpha Rho #4350	\$ 25.00
Zeta Alpha #2292	\$ 50.00
2010 State Convention (In honor of Deb Hughes)	\$ 75.00
Gamma Kappa-Checotah	\$ 125.00
Sigma Chi Inola	\$ 100.00
Beta Mu #606	\$ 50.00
Delta Lambda Muskogee	\$ 50.00
Zeta Gamma #4253	\$ 125.00
Epsilon Kappa #1945	\$ 500.00
Kappa Theta	\$ 50.00
Epsilon Sigma #498	\$ 100.00
Gamma Delta #702	\$ 175.00
Pat Britt	\$ 25.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 1,555.97</b>



**Parliamentarian  
Peggie Sprinkle**

Hello OK ESA sisters - following are 2 Bylaw changes approved for vote by the Executive/General Board on March 19, 2011. These will be voted on by members present at the First General Assembly at the Oklahoma State Convention on April 30, 2011. Please review and bring this copy of the PJ to State Convention.

**ARTICLE V - QUALIFICATIONS OF ELECTED OFFICERS - currently reads:**

**Section 1.** An active chapter may nominate any member for an elected office, except Corresponding Secretary. She must be an active member of her chapter in good standing and have been an ESA member for at least two years. A candidate for elected office must have held the office of Chapter or City Area Council President and give her consent in writing. She must have attended at least one (1) previous State convention. Consent of the candidate and her qualifications shall be sent to the Nominating Committee by March 1.

**CHANGE TO READ:**

**ARTICLE V - QUALIFICATIONS OF ELECTED OFFICERS**

**Section 1.** An active chapter may nominate any member for an elected office, except Corresponding Secretary. She must be an active member of her chapter in good standing and have been an ESA member for at least two years. *A candidate for the elected office of President, First Vice President, Second Vice President, Treasurer and Parliamentarian must have held the office of Chapter or City Area Council President and give her consent in writing. A candidate for the elected office of Recording Secretary, Project Director and Petticoat Journal Editor must give her consent in writing. She must have attended at least one (1) previous State convention.* Consent of the candidate and her qualifications shall be sent to the Nominating Committee by March 1.

**Reason for change:**

It has become harder and harder to fill these elected offices. By allowing the Recording Secretary, Project Director and Petticoat Journal Editor to run for an elected office without having to serve as Chapter President will open the possibility of new members on the board and help fill those positions.

**ARTICLE IX - GENERAL BOARD - currently reads:**

**Section 2. DUTIES OF CHAIRPERSONS** - The standing committees shall be appointed by the President except Budget, Convention, Nominating and Sooner Seniorette President. Chairpersons may not serve more than one (1) consecutive term as chairperson of the same committee nor serve as chairperson of more than one (1) committee at the same time. Chairpersons shall attend Board meetings or submit a written report. Shall submit any contest changes for presentation and vote at the June State Council meeting.

**CHANGE TO READ:**

**ARTICLE IX - GENERAL BOARD**

**Section 2. DUTIES OF CHAIRPERSONS** - The standing committees shall be appointed by the President except Budget, Convention, Nominating and Sooner Seniorette President. *Chairpersons may serve more than one (1) consecutive term as chairperson of the same committee, at the discretion of the current incoming President, but may not serve as chairperson of more than one (1) committee at the same time.* Chairpersons shall attend Board meetings or submit a written report. Shall submit any contest changes for presentation and vote at the June State Council meeting.

**Reason for change:**

With our membership declining, it is getting harder to fill the General Board positions. If a member would like to continue as chairperson for the same committee the following year, it would be up to the incoming President to decide if they should continue for another year. See you at Convention.

**Petticoat Journal Editor  
Mary Adams**

Many thanks to all who contributed to each issue. Your reports keep our membership updated on activities across the state and hopefully make each issue interesting. It has been an honor to serve as your Petticoat Journal editor. See you at convention.

**Jr. Past President / Disaster Fund Chair  
Deb Hughes**

Thank you for making the recipe project, "*Tastefully Defeating Disaster*" a success! You submitted your favorite easy, fun, finger-foods and appetizers and the first printing of the recipe book sold out. Additional orders were taken and presently completing delivery. A small suggestion last fall has resulted in triumph to provide reassurance to our ESA members.

Our Oklahoma chapters and members are awesome in support of our ESA Disaster Fund. You have warmed my heart with your donations and support of our Disaster Fund. I am so proud that together we have achieved this incredible level, which I will reveal at convention. *I have to keep it a surprise!* Here is a listing of donations since last *PJ* issue, with MORE arriving daily. 😊

\$100.00	Jacque Edwards, Kappa Theta #5414, Guthrie
\$ 25.00	Kappa Theta #5414, Guthrie
\$ 50.00	Gamma Kappa #4018, Checotah
\$500.00	Delta Kappa #3538, Norman
\$200.00	Beta Psi #498, Clinton
\$300.00	Delta Chi #1637, Midwest City
\$ 50.00	Alpha Rho #4350, Broken Arrow
\$ 14.00	Epsilon Kappa #1945, Hominy
\$ 75.00	Beta Rho #1270, Midwest City
\$ 50.00	Beta Iota #3283, McAlester
\$400.00	Gamma Delta #0702, Tulsa
\$100.00	Beta Gamma #0391, Tulsa
\$200.00	Nu Delta #5244, Muskogee
\$ 50.00	Beta Zeta #3158, Oklahoma City
\$100.00	Alpha Theta #1038, Muskogee
\$100.00	Cathy Holsted, Theta Tau #4563, Kingfisher
\$500.00	Theta Tau #4563, Kingfisher
\$ 50.00	Kappa Alpha #5393, Tulsa
\$ 50.00	Peggie Sprinkle to honor secret sister, Beta Gamma #0391, Tulsa
\$ 54.70	Dimes for Disaster, Beta Psi #498, Clinton

Let's keep shooting for 100% participation from Oklahoma chapters. I think we can do it. It is **not too late to send your donations**, payable to Disaster Fund, but watch for the deadline postmarked by April 1, 2011.

This ESA year is almost over but the needs continue. It is such a comfort to know that in the time of upheaval and uncertainty the ESA Disaster Fund and the fellowships we share together will be there. Remember your ESA Disaster Fund is there for you.

Deb Hughes  
Jr. Past President/Disaster Fund Chair

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**District II**  
**Nellrita Barrick, Coordinator**



**ESA... “Footprints of Leadership”**

District II has experienced a fine year ... excellent meetings ... informative programs ... good attendance ... wonderful dialogue ... tasty foods ... and outstanding silent auctions for our annual project, our ESA Foundation scholarship. This was accomplished not by me, your coordinator, but by you ... chapters and members. Thanks to all of you!

I hope you readers have enjoyed the individual chapter's reports on 'what's happening' in their group as I reported in the PJs. Thanks to those ESA sisters that gave me feedback for the articles!

Sylvia Ochs, vice coordinator, will be stepping up to coordinator. We are a fortunate district to have such a vivacious woman as our leader in 2011-2012. Her theme will be "Sail Away with ESA" with a sailboat as her logo. We will be prepared for our new voyage as Dr. Billye Peterson and Jacque Edwards conduct the installation ceremony on Saturday, March 26, at the old Railroad Station in downtown Guthrie. Registration is at 9:30 am and meeting at 10:00. Dinning on delicious food will be next door at the popular R & R Restaurant, 409 W Oklahoma.

Smooth waters to all. Happy sailing!

**District III**  
**Rosemary Benning, Coordinator**

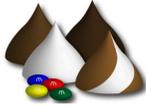


I hope those of you who attending the Oklahoma School for the Blind Tour had a good time. I know I did. I was amazed how great the School Jazz Band sounded, and the little girl that sang sounded wonderful. I want to thank Jane and her staff for the attention for details they showed. The continental breakfast and the lunch were delicious, as always. Thank you again.

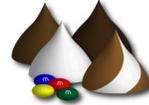
At the District III meeting, the motion was made and seconded to raise the dues to \$20. The motion passed. So, when you make your chapter budgets, be sure to increase the budget to \$20 for the year of 2011.

We also elected our new District officers. They are: Coordinator, Peggy Hughes; Vice-Coordinator, Peggie Sprinkle; Secretary, Byrdie Emanuel; Treasurer, Sandy Sonders. Be sure to give them your full cooperation next year.

I want to thank you for allowing me to be District III Coordinator. The year really did go by fast. I couldn't have done it without all the help I was given. So, thanks to all of you. See you around often I hope.



**District IV Coordinator  
Nancy Baucom**



**DISTRICT IV INSTALLS NEW OFFICERS**

Dist. IV Held their meeting in Midwest City at the Spencer Events Center with Nancy Baucom presiding.

New officers were installed by Sooner Seniorett, Billie Linville of Delta Epsilon as follows: Coordinator: Ellen Clark; Vice Coordinator, Kay Brader; Secretary, Gloria Torres; Treasurer, Judy Montgomery; Parliamentarian, Gwen Beasley; and Corres. Secretary, Maxine Wheelan. Hostess Chapter was Delta Epsilon, Del City.

Coordinator, Ellen Clark's theme is "Stepping out with ESA" with the Butterfly as her logo. The room was decorated with shoes and butterflies.



**Today's Gonna Be A Good Day...Because of ESA  
District V  
Jeanne Meyer**



District V Officers were installed by Margaret Kramer on February 26, 2011 at the Oklahoma School for the Blind.

New officers include:

- Coordinator – Ruth Thompson, Gamma Kappa, Checotah
- Vice Coordinator – Amber Alexander, Beta Iota, McAlester
- Secretary – Trina Low, Delta Mu, Antlers
- Treasurer – Ruth Jo Carnagey, Alpha Theta, Muskogee
- Parliamentarian – Jeanne Meyer, Delta Lambda, Muskogee

## **Chaplains Report Vivian Gibson**

The following cards have been sent since the last PJ. Continue to keep these sisters and their family members in your prayers.

### **Sympathy**

Alpha Epsilon, Enid - Death of member, Jo Little  
Peggy Campbell - Lost Father  
Madell Henderson - Lost brother  
Lavenia Boutwell - Lost brother  
Betty McCallister - Lost Son  
Lisa Willhour - Lost Mother  
Chassidy Satterfield - Lost Father-in-law  
Rosalie Griffith - Loss of Grandson  
Mr. Berry, - Death of Spouse Julie Berry  
Gamma Theta, Texhoma- Death of member, Julie Berry

### **Get Well**

Caitlin Law  
Cuba Gulley  
Madell Henderson  
Jennifer Wostal  
Terry Southerland  
Roberta Metzger  
George Terrell  
Sue Knight  
Donna Shook  
Jenna Conner  
Jacque Edwards  
Sylvia Ochs  
Bonnie Johnson  
Wayne Buck  
Jeanne Meyers - Had a stroke  
Earl Egan  
Jeanne Kindley - Kidney Transplant  
Susan Patterson  
Gwynn Nell Swanson, Delta Kappa, Norman, Surgery  
Barbara McClure - Gamma Pi, Inola, Knee Replacement  
Connie Johnson - Carpal Tunnel Surgery

### **Thinking of you**

Karen Nix - Taking care of ill mother  
Daleene Sumrall - Earth Quake damage and taking care of ill Mom  
Nancy Buck - Taking care of ill husband and ill mother  
Sharon McGuire - Taking care of ill mother  
Linda Linderidge - Taking care of ill mother  
Jennifer Wostal - a little under the weather

**Circle of Life**  
**Amber J. Alexander**

We are coming to the end of another successful year for Circle of Life. I want to thank every member and every chapter who has worked so hard over this past year. I can't wait to see you all at the banquet so we can celebrate this successful year together.

I will be contacting each chapter to designate a representative to carry a sign at the banquet. The sign will indicate how much credit for Circle of Life the chapter received for this year. I would like to have all the representatives assigned by April 16.

If you already have your chapter representative in mind, please email me their name and email (phone # if they don't have email) so I can coordinate with them.

As always, if you have any questions, please feel free to contact me by email at [amberjeanhatco@hotmail.com](mailto:amberjeanhatco@hotmail.com) or by snail mail at PO Box 35 Kiowa, OK 74553.

Thank you!

**Convention**  
**Ramona Paine**

It is almost here, the Oklahoma State Convention. We will be at the Clarion-Meridian Hotel and Convention Center, in Oklahoma City, April 29, 30 and May1, 2011.

Our 50's journey "Rock 'n Roll with ESA begins at 12:00 p.m. when you stop by the Registration area. That will let us know you are here and ready to party, visit, learn, and share your ideas with your other ESA Sisters. If you can't make it by 1:00 p.m., we will still be there with a smile until 7:00 p.m.

Workshops will begin on Friday afternoon. On Friday evening during the Skits and Mixer Party bidding will begin. This auction benefits Easter Seals, ESA Foundation and St. Jude Children's Hospital

There will be "surprise" entertainment at 7:00 p.m. that you won't want to miss. A sock hop and a homecoming dance is planned during the convention

These are just a few of the events happening during the action packed weekend. Listed elsewhere in this issue is a "Tentative Agenda." so take a look at what we have planned for "YOU." Remember to check the convention program upon arrival for the final agenda.

**Credentials**  
**Susan Patterson**

To all Chapter Presidents or their Voting Delegates -

When you check in at the State Convention, be sure to come to the CREDENTIALS table to pick up your ballots for the election. You must sign for them since these are very important documents. Do not lose them, because they cannot be replaced. I will also have documents for you to assign your proxy votes for I.C. Convention if you wish.

See you soon,  
Susan Patterson

**Directory Chairman**  
**Marie Thomas**

Ladies, thank you for purchasing most of the Directories. 109 were printed and I have sold all but 11. I will have these for sale at the State Convention for half price at \$4.00. Myself and Mary Adams, Directory Chairman for 2011-2012 will be taking new orders also in the registration area at State Convention beginning on Friday, April 29, from 12:00 noon until 7:00 p.m. See you at State Convention in Oklahoma City.

**Easter Seals  
Marcie Lucas Ellington**

**IMPORTANT NOTICE \*\*\*\*\***

We will be having an AUCTION on Friday evening of Convention. We need for everybody and chapter to bring something for the AUCTION. We'd love filled baskets and handmade goodies and such. We have some Easter Seals collectible donations already. One is the Precious Moments "Sammy's Circus Set" worth \$200. The profits from the AUCTION are split equally between Easter Seals, ESA Foundation and St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. Please be generous!

**Easter Seals Report**

Since my last report I have processed donations from-  
Alpha Rho Chapter #4350  
Gamma Kappa Chapter #4018  
Kappa Theta Chapter #5414

I have received service reports from  
Zeta Gamma Chapter #4253  
Kappa Theta Chapter #5414.

I'm looking forward to more donations and service reports by April 1st.  
Thanks for all of your generosity this year.

**Membership  
Mary Johnson**



WOW!!!! How time flies when you're having fun! I didn't accomplish a fraction of the things I wanted to this year, but you don't have to chair a committee to share the joy of belonging to ESA with others.

You may recall, each and every one of you served on the membership committee this year and hopefully will continue to do so in the years to come. I had the privilege of chairing the best committee of all and enjoyed every minute of it!

Although my work as the Membership Chairman is done and contest results have been tallied for this year; it's not too soon to start those membership numbers growing for next year.

IC Headquarters announced the ESA 2011 National Spring Recruitment Project:

**ESA's GREAT SEEDLING EXCHANGE  
A sample copy for a Facebook event follows.**

After the dreary, cold winter we endured, this sounds like a great opportunity to experience new life, not only in the growth of seedlings, but in ESA as well.

Remember "WE ARE ESA PROUD!" Hope to see you at the state convention in Oklahoma City!

Love to you all,  
Mary

## **Sample copy for Facebook Event for your Seedling exchange:**

*YOU are invited to participate in our seedling exchange! Members of our local Epsilon Sigma Alpha International (ESA) chapter decided we'd like to do it just for fun this spring and want to include our favorite friends too. It's easy, fun, and a great way to get ready for your garden this summer. ESA is a national service and leadership organization we belong to, no religious or marketing affiliations. We just like to get together for fun and volunteering.*

*How to participate: RSVP on Facebook, and we'll mail you a packet of seeds. Your job is to turn these seeds into 24 seedlings. Don't have a green thumb? No worries! Starting seeds is very easy, especially if you use Jiffy peat pellets. A Jiffy Windowsill Greenhouse, specially designed for starting seeds, is available at most variety and garden stores for about \$4. You literally just add water.*

*On (date/time)\*\*, we will all bring our sprouts to (location/address of exchange event at (time of event)). We will swap seedlings, so that you will leave with up to 24 varieties of plants. You will have herbs, flowers, easy-to-grow vegetables, plants that will thrive in containers and even a pumpkin plant. We'll have food, laughs, and even some surprises. If you can't attend (date of exchange event) but want to participate in the swap that's ok, we'll do the swapping for you and get your other seedlings back to you. Contact Tracy at 970.223.2824 for details.*

*\*\*Note: When creating a Facebook event to send around inviting people, use the date of the first scheduled activity (maybe this is your kick-off party or pot-painting party) as the date you plug into the Facebook format. Then you can mail anyone who wants to participate a sheet with any information about other important dates (like your actual date to exchange the seedlings) along with their seed packet.*

**Philanthropic  
Donna Shook**

Thank you to all the chapters who have sent in reports so far. And to those who will have sent them in the future (by April 1st). I wish each chapter good luck as many chapters have been very busy. I would also say "thank you" for the cards and e-mails I have received since breaking my wrist. This has been a trying experience and still continues to be so. Hope to see all of you at state convention.

Donna Shook

**Scrapbook  
Kay Brader**

Thank you all for participating and making my job as scrapbook chairperson easier and more fun. I appreciate all the photos and other remembrances you have sent in for Jacque's state scrapbook. I have had fun "Cruisin" along with you via what you've sent and done for ESA. Looks like it's been quite a year!

I am looking forward to presenting Jacque's scrapbook to her at Convention so she, too, can live vicariously through all your happenings. I can't wait to see you all in person at the convention to personally thank you for helping make Jacque's scrapbook one full of ESA love, as we all went "Rockin' and a Rollin" and "Cruised through the 50's" with her throughout this year.

To All my ESA Friends  
The World's a whole lot  
Better place  
Because of people like you  
Who give real joy and  
Pleasure  
By the nice things  
That you do.  
Thank all of you for your  
recent  
Thoughtfulness  
During my accident.  
Sue Knight

# 2011-2012 State Officers Nominations



## 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President



### Joyce Gibson



I accept the nomination for the office of 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President. I have been a member of Delta Kappa Chapter #3538 for 11 years. In that time, I have become a Life Active Member of ESA and an ESA Foundation member. I have attended 11 Oklahoma State Conventions and 10 IC Conventions. My accomplishments include Outstanding Pledge, First Pearl, and Jonquil Society for 2 years and 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Pallas Athene. I will achieve my 5<sup>th</sup> Degree Pallas Athene this year.

My qualifications for this office are:

**Chapter:** President (2), Vice President, Treasurer (3), Parliamentarian, Recording Secretary, District IV Liaison, State Liaison, Outstanding Youth (3), Awards, Educational Committee, Convention Chairman (3), Nominating Committee

**District IV:** Coordinator, Vice Coordinator, Junior Past Coordinator, Recording Secretary, Parliamentarian, Treasurer

**State Committees:** Nominating, Convention, Circle of Life, Budget

**State Appointed Board:** Auditor, Outstanding youth, DIANA, Easter Seals, Philanthropic, Corresponding Secretary

**State Elected Board:** Parliamentarian, Recording Secretary, Treasurer, 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President/Educational

**International Committees:** Foundation, Easter Seals, Convention



## 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President



### Tina Davenport-McKamie



It is with great honor that I accept the nomination of 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President for the Oklahoma State Council of ESA. Thank you for allowing me to utilize my talents and strengths for the Oklahoma State Council. I pledged ESA in September 2000 and have received the First Pearl Award along with the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Pallas Athene Awards and the Outstanding Eagle Award. I have pledged five members. I have attended nine Oklahoma State Conventions as well as 2 International Council Conventions. I have also coordinated successful fund-raisers on the state and local levels.

I graduated from Southeastern Oklahoma State University in May 1986 with a Bachelor of Science double major in accounting and computer science programming and again in May 1993 with a Bachelors in Business Education and Mathematics. I have 30 years of accounting and business experience. I have been employed with Jimmy J. Williams & Co., P.C. in McAlester for 14 years as a Senior Accountant and Firm manager. I also taught business and computer applications for 10 years at Kiamichi Technology Center in McAlester.

Carlis and I have been married since December 2003. We both share a love for the outdoors. My Hobbies include a strong passion for horses, riding 4-wheelers through the mountains, fishing and any other outdoor activity as well as sewing, crafts and photography.

My qualifications for this office are:

**State Elected:** State Project Director, Petticoat Journal Editor, Treasurer

**State Appointed:** Corresponding Secretary, Circle of Life Chairman, Give Thanks Walk for St. Jude Chairman (2)

**District:** District Vice-Coordinator, District Secretary

**Chapter:** President (2), Treasurer (5), Parliamentarian (2), By-Laws Chairman, Jonquil Girl (3), Philanthropic Chairman, Ways & Means Chair, Publicity Chair, Yearbook Chair, Scrapbook, Miss McAlester Treasurer

**Chapter Committee Member:** Ways & Means, Yearbook, DIANA, Outstanding Youth, Philanthropic, Christmas Tour of Homes Chair, Miss McAlester Judge's Comm., Miss McAlester Publicity, Ways & Means Chair for Convention 2006



## Recording Secretary



### Billye Peterson



I accept the nomination for the office of Recording Secretary. I have been a member of Gamma Zeta Chapter #3464 for 39 years. In that time, I have become a Life Active Member of ESA and an ESA Foundation Member. I have attended 15 Oklahoma State conventions and 7 International conventions. My accomplishments include Woman of the Year, First Pearl, Jonquil Society for 1 year, and 3rd Degree Pallas Athene. I will achieve my 4<sup>th</sup> Degree this year.

My qualifications for this office are:

**Chapter:** President (2 times), Vice President, Parliamentarian, Recording Secretary, Yearbook (10 years), DIANA, Awards (3 years), Ways & Means (6 years), Nominating Committee

**District II:** Coordinator, Vice-Coordinator, Recording Secretary, Parliamentarian

**State Committees:** Nominating, Convention,

**State Appointed Board:** Outstanding Youth, DIANA, Contest, ESA Million Dollar Bike Ride Chair

**International:** 1<sup>st</sup> Million Dollar Bike Ride Chair for St Jude Children's Research Hospital; Conducted hands-on workshop at San Antonio, TX IC convention

On a personal level, I taught secretarial subjects for 13 years at Rose State College and business communications and report writing for 19 years at the University of Central Oklahoma. I have also been an office manager and secretary for Louis M. Ford LLC for 19 years.



## Treasurer

### Linda Southerland



I am pleased to accept the nomination to run for Oklahoma State Council Treasurer for 2011-2012. If elected, I will keep the treasury in order to the best of my ability.

I worked for Clinton Public Schools for 38 years prior to my retirement in June of 2007 and I understand the need to prepare and adhere to a budget. I prepared estimate of needs for the school district during my years of service at Clinton Schools.

I have been a member of Beta Psi #0498 since February of 1987. I have held all the offices in my chapter, some of them more than once. I ask for your support in my endeavor and thank you in advance.

My qualifications for this office are:

**Chapter:** President (4), Vice President, Treasurer (3), Secretary, Parliamentarian, Yearbook Chair (14)

**District II:** Coordinator, Secretary (2), Treasurer (2), Parliamentarian.

**State Elected:** Petticoat Journal Editor, Parliamentarian, Recording Secretary

**State Appointed:** Auditor, Directory Chairman, Outstanding Youth Chairman, Secret Sister Coordinator



# Parliamentarian



## Charlene Law



I have been a member of Gamma Delta since March 1990. I am a Life Active Member, ESA Foundation Member, have my First Pearl, 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, Degree Pallas Athene and working on my 5<sup>th</sup>. I have pledged 6 members. I have attended 18 State Conventions and 1 IC convention.

I worked for Avis Rent a Car since 1985 and retired in April 2009. I worked in the Corporate Accounts as Account Service Representative. I developed a department Training and Reference manual for use in our department. As a result of my experience in this field I was selected as trainer for new employees to our area. I served as member of the Employee Performance Group in a training and Leadership role and made presentations related to these areas. As a Group Leader in a previous department I attended out of town Travel Trade Shows to promote Avis.

I created and published a monthly department newsletter with information about our department and highlighted an Employee of the month. I served on Care Committee and chaired several committees for fundraising for the Little Lighthouse. While on this committee I created newsletters to update employees of fundraising events sponsored by the Care Committee.

My qualifications for this office are:

**State elected:** Recording Secretary, Petticoat Journal Editor, Project Director

**State Appointed:** Association of the Arts, Directory, DIANA, Chaplain, Outstanding Youth, Philanthropic, Nominating Committee, Convention Committees (3)

**Tulsa Area Council:** President (2), Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Parliamentarian, Directory (2), Scrapbook, Capture for Kids (3), St. Jude Radio-thon

**Tulsa Arts & Craft Inc.:** Vice President, Chapter Representative (5)

**District III:** Coordinator, Vice Coordinator, Secretary, Parliamentarian

**Chapter:** President (3), Vice President (2), Secretary (4), Treasurer, Educational Director (2), Parliamentarian (2), Philanthropic (2), Publicity (2), Scrapbook Chair, Yearbook Chair, Social Chair



# Parliamentarian



## Connie Johnson



I am thrilled to be a part of ESA. I have received my 1<sup>st</sup> Pearl, 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree Pallas Athene and have been a member of ESA for 6 years. I have volunteered at the Radio-thon for several years and look forward to it each year. I have also volunteered at the St. Jude Dream Home and at the Dream Home Giveaway. I have participated in many local ESA fundraisers including “A Taste of Guthrie” and ESA “the Ole Bag” Auction and Miss Guthrie Teen Idol competition. For the past several years at State conventions, I have received several honors and awards including service years, 1<sup>st</sup> in the “What ESA Means to Me” essay and placed 2<sup>nd</sup> in the short stories contest.

I am also a member of the Guthrie Lions Club where I previously served as an officer. Through the Lions Club, I have worked our annual Pancake Feed and Fish Fry which serve to raise money for student scholarships.

My hobbies include hanging out with my family and friends, shopping and going to concerts and movies.

I would be honored to be the Parliamentarian for the Oklahoma State Council for the 2011-2012 year.

My qualifications for this office are:

**State Appointed:** Awards Chair, Administrative Assistant Chair, Jonquil Girl

**Chapter:** President (2), Secretary (2), Parliamentarian, Publicity Chair (2)

**District:** Secretary



## State Project Director



Margaret Kramer



I proudly accept the nomination for the position of ESA Oklahoma State Project Director. I have been a member of Gamma Kappa Chapter 4018 for 10 years. During my active membership I have attended many Oklahoma State Conventions and am an ESA Foundation Member.

My qualifications for this office include:

**Chapter:** President (2), Vice President, Treasurer, Parliamentarian (2), Awards Chair, Educational Chair (4), Nominating Committee (4), Ways & Means Chair (5)

**District V:** Coordinator, Vice Coordinator, Parliamentarian, Nominating Chair (2)

**State Appointed Board:** Outstanding Youth, Auditor

# Petticoat Journal Editor



Rita Hains



I am honored to accept the nomination to run for Oklahoma State Council Petticoat Journal Editor for the 2011-2012 year. I have been a member of ESA since 1996 and am with the Eta Mu Chapter in Owasso. I have attended every state convention with only one exception (for health reasons) since joining. I have worked for The University of Oklahoma for the past 17 years and am currently the Student and Resident Educational Programs Coordinator and Resident Recruiting Coordinator for the OU-Tulsa College of Medicine, Family Medicine Department. The university has honored me with two outstanding employee awards and the medical students have twice honored me with an award for outstanding dedication to the education of students.

My husband, Carl Clayton, and I have been married for 29 years and I have three step-children, three adopted children, and five grandchildren. We were also foster parents for 21 years and fostered over 30 children. My love for community service and helping others drew me to the ESA organization and I have thoroughly enjoyed belonging to such an outstanding organization.

## Positions Held:

### State: (Elected)

Recording Secretary  
Petticoat Journal Editor  
District III Coordinator

### State: (Appointed)

Association of the Arts  
Chaplain  
Circle of Life – Junior  
Circle of Life – Senior  
Directory  
ESA Foundation  
Membership

### District:

Coordinator  
Vice-Coordinator  
Secretary  
Treasurer  
Nominating Committee  
Parliamentarian

### Chapter

President  
Vice President  
Secretary  
Treasurer  
Awards  
Educational  
Social  
Chaplain  
Ways & Means  
Philanthropic



## Other Officers to be Installed 2011 - 2012

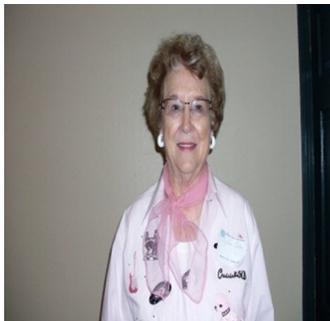


Jacquie Edwards  
Junior Past President/  
Disaster Fund Chair

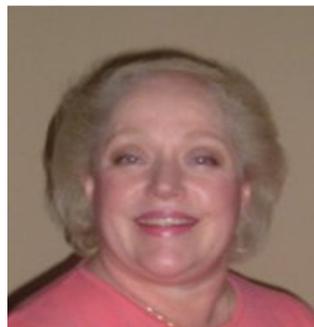


Deb Hughes  
Senior Past President/  
Workshop Coordinator

### District Coordinators



District II  
Sylvia Ochs



District III  
Peggy Hughes



District IV  
Ellen Clark



District V  
Ruth Thompson



**68<sup>th</sup> Annual Oklahoma State Convention**  
**“Rock n’ Roll with ESA”**  
**April 29, April 30, May 1, 2011**

**Tentative Agenda**

*(Please check the convention program upon arrival for final agenda)*

**FRIDAY, APRIL 29, 2011**

12:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Convention Ctr. Lobby	Registration Tables Open
12:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.	Convention Ctr. Lobby	Silent Auction Check-in
12:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.	Convention Ctr. Lobby	Informational & Sales Tables
12:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.	Clarion Hotel Lobby	Hospitality Room “Malt Shop” (open to all)
12:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.	Convention Ctr. Lobby	Association Of The Arts Check-in
1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Salon E	Twist, Hop, Stroll & Malts Workshop - Rita Hains
2:45 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Salon E	Workshop – Nancy Buck
3:45 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.	Salon E	“Leadership” Workshop IC Rep – Judi York
5:00 p.m. – 6:40 p.m.	Salon F & G	Executive/General Board & Sooner Senioresses (By Invitation)
7:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.	Salon B, C, & D (Imperial Ballroom)	“Surprise” Entertainment
7:45 p.m. – 9:45 p.m.	Salon B, C, & D (Imperial Ballroom)	Skits, Silent Auction & Fun
10:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.	Salon B, C, & D (Imperial Ballroom)	Sock Hop (CD’s/Jukebox)
10:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m.	Convention Ctr. Lobby	Registration Tables Open
10:00 p.m. – 12 midnight	Clarion Hotel Lobby	Hospitality – “Malt Shop”

**SATURDAY, April 30, 2011**

8:00 a.m. – 8:40 a.m.	Convention Ctr. Lobby	Registration Tables Open
8:00 a.m. – 8:40 a.m.	Convention Ctr. Lobby	Information & Sales Tables

7:50 a.m. – 8:20 a.m.	President's Suite Clarion Hotel	Welcome/Reception New Pledges/1 <sup>st</sup> Time Conv. Attendees
8:55 a.m.	Salon A (Imperial Ballroom)	Doors Will Close
9:00 a.m.	Salon A (Imperial Ballroom)	1 <sup>st</sup> General Assembly
11:15 a.m. – 5:30p.m.	Clarion Hotel Lobby	Hospitality "Malt Shop" (Open to all)
12:00 noon – 2:30 p.m.	Salon B, C, & D (Imperial Ballroom)	Recognition Luncheon View Association of The Arts
2:30 p.m. – 2:50 p.m.	Pick Up	Assoc. of the Arts
3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Salon E	Memorial Service
3:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. 3:30 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.	Salon E Clarion Lobby Rm 120	"2012" IC Convention "Make n' Donate" Workshop
5:15 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.	Clarion Hotel Lobby	Candidate Reception (By invitation)
5:45 p.m. – 6:15 p.m.	Convention Ctr. Lobby	Installation Rehearsal
6:25 p.m.	Salon A, B, C, & D (Imperial Ballroom)	Doors Close for Installation
6:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Salon A, B, C, & D (Imperial Ballroom)	Installation
7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Salon A, B, C, & D (Imperial Ballroom)	Banquet & Receiving Line
9:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.	Salon A, B, C, & D	"Homecoming Dance" (By DJ – Justin Lawrence)
10:00 p.m. - ?????	Clarion Hotel Lobby	Hospitality – "Malt Shop"

**SUNDAY, MAY 1, 2011**

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Clarion Hotel Lobby	Incoming/Outgoing Board Meeting 2010-2011 Exec & Gen Board 2011-2012 Exec & Gen Board
9:15 a.m.	Salon B, C, & D (Imperial Ballroom)	Doors Will Close
9:20 a.m. – 12:00 Noon	Salon B, C, & D (Imperial Ballroom)	Brunch 2 <sup>nd</sup> General Assembly

## Chapter Chatter

### **Beta Psi #0498 Clinton**

Beta Psi has been "Groovin' to the 50s" and having interesting educational programs on 'Then and Now'.

In January, we had a most interesting journey with the selection, recognition and a salad dinner honoring our DIANA recipient. February 12th was a fun evening with our annual Valentine Party for members and guests. Everyone brought their favorite snack food and we played Dub's Bridge. Mid-February, several of us had a night out as we went to the Southwest Playhouse to see the fantastic production of MAME. In March we drove to Guthrie for a state convention planning meeting. That Ramona Paine-Means is an organizer, plus! Then it was to Stillwater for the state council meeting. How do we accomplish so much in such a short, busy time? It's always great to see and visit with our ESA sisters from across the state.

Time seems to fly by, yet with the snow, ice and all types of congestive health conditions among members, it changes to time dragging. But, having to stay indoors makes for time to get down to business and get our reports done to meet the deadlines.

We're looking forward to the State Convention in Oklahoma City and are delighted to have more Beta Psi gals going than usual.

Hats off to Jacque for doing a super job as our 2010-2011 state president!!!

Nellrita Barrick, publicity chm.

### **Kappa Theta #5414 Guthrie**

Greetings to all of our ESA sisters. I hope everyone is having a wonderful and healthy Spring.

Kappa Theta members met at The Stables Cafe on Monday, January 17th for our business meeting with 5 members present. Member Sylvia Ochs was unfortunately out with the flu.

We met Sunday, January 30th at State President Jacque Edwards house for our St. Jude's Bunco event. We had 16 members and guests in attendance and raised \$245.00 for St. Jude's and had a wonderful time. There were several of us that had never played before and were pleased at how quickly we picked up the game. We were blessed to have some fellow ESA sisters from other chapters attend. Thanks Ladies!

Kappa Theta ladies met February 7th at The Stables Cafe where member Jane Garrard's mother, Helen Dunlap spoke to us about quilting with a group called "Stitches". They make quilts for DHS foster children, Youth Services and Allie's House. The quilts are given to children to comfort them. We were impressed with how talented Mrs. Dunlap is.

Members met at Pizza Hut February 17th for our annual Outstanding Youth and DIANA banquet. We honored Michael Conner as our youth. He is very involved in the community and also runs his own lawn care business. Betty Dressen was chosen as our DIANA. She currently serves as a Nurse for her church and is in charge of a support group for grandparents raising grandchildren as well as having served as a Missionary in Africa along with her husband.

Members Jacque Edwards, Jane Garrard, Connie Johnson, and Libby Zaage volunteered at the St. Jude Radiothon held on February 24th and 25th at The Twister radio station.

State President Jacque Edwards drove to Muskogee on Saturday, February 26th for the Open House at the School for the Blind. She reported a wonderful time.

Kappa Theta ladies are now gearing up for our State Council Meeting to be held March 19th at Stillwater and our District II Meeting which will be held on March 26th at Guthrie as well as State Convention. We hope that you will be able to attend. It will be great to see all of you again.

May you all be blessed with good health and we'll see you soon.

Connie Johnson  
Publicity Chair



**Gamma Pi #5091  
Inola**

Hi everyone. Things have slowed down a little for us right now. In January we helped the Special Needs teacher at school with a bingo to help raise money for some of their students to go to the Special Olympics in May.

February we attended our District III meeting at Muskogee School for the Blind. It was nice getting to see some of our Sisters from other Chapters. We had a very good lunch and enjoyed the program presented by the students' jazz band.

March 5<sup>th</sup> we held our Spring Bingo. We had a great turn out. Things went fast and the crowd really worked us. We had about 150 prizes and there were approximately 100 people playing. The concession stayed busy selling burgers, BQ pork, BQ beef and everything to go with as well as plenty of desserts. We always enjoy having the Bingo. Even if the players don't win they all still seem to have a great time.

This is all for now.

Janie Stevens  
Publicity Chairman

**Beta Iota #4283  
McAlester**

We are winding down our year of "Just Play in ESA" ....and you know Play really means Working in ESA. Our leader (President) Jennifer Stewart has kept us motivated all year. We are gearing up for our Miss McAlester, Jenna Partain, to represent our town at the Miss Oklahoma Pageant in June.....seem early to you? No, it takes a lot of preparation for that big event. Amber, Kirby and June traveled to Muskogee to attend the OSB Tour, bring our sponsored kids gifts, and participate in the District V meeting, bake sale, silent auction. Many of our members sent baked goods even though they could not attend. Amber was elected Vice Coordinator of District V. Yeah, Amber! Back home in McAlester we will have elected new officers in Beta Iota and planned our fun adventure when we "Rock 'n Roll with ESA" at State Convention. We are supporting our own Tina McKamie in her bid for Second Vice President. So we'll see you there. Don't forget your bobby sox and blue jeans!

June Miller

**Delta Kappa #3358  
Norman**

Hello fellow ESA members,

Our Delta Kappa members have been so busy lately we can't keep track of everything we've done. Last fall several of us had fun participating in the support side of the Give Thanks Walk at Penn Square. We were impressed with the number of people who turned out to help raise money for St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. God bless them all.

Then we had the honor to present our DIANA candidate Marie Sanford during our Thanksgiving dinner. She is an absolute jewel and Mary Rohr, our DIANA Chairman, presented her with a silver tray, a red rose arm bouquet and her DIANA plaque. Several of her family members were there to congratulate her, also. The baskets of fruit decorating the tables were donated to The Norman Food Pantry.

We all wish to extend our loving sympathy to Betty McAllister and her family on the unexpected death of her son Darren. His beautiful memorial service was held on February 13, so out of respect we moved our social from February 14 to later in the week. Our social was a Mexican dinner at On The Border. We lost count of how many delicious bowls of guacamole we consumed. It's a good thing that avocados are nutritious. Is the same true for queso?

Our February educational was great as we got to exercise both our minds and our bodies. Our guest speaker was an exercise instructor who showed us many ways to keep our bodies flexible and active. Several of our members assisted with her demonstrations. It was a real hoot.

Last week quite a few of us helped out at the Twister/St. Jude Radiothon. We were overjoyed to make our goal, raising over \$100,000 for St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. In between taking calls from our Partners in Hope, we managed to get in some good visiting and sharing of information.

In a few weeks we are planning to have lunch at The Bossy Squirrel Café on St Patrick's Day, then to stroll down Main Street Norman's Irish Festivities. Anybody for green beer?

We have already started making plans for our dear sister Gwynn Nell Swanson's installation as Oklahoma State President at convention on April 30<sup>th</sup>. We can hardly wait!

Jerry Ellington

**Beta Zeta  
Oklahoma City #3158**

Beta Zeta ended 2010 with our annual Christmas breakfast at the Hometown Buffet. We meet there as soon as it opens, bring a generic \$20.00 gift and play a fun game for the gifts and each member also brings an inexpensive gift for everyone. We have a great breakfast, visit awhile and then go on our way without having to cook, do dishes, or clean house. We cancelled the January meeting due to ice and snow which is not conducive to driving. Billie answered phones along with many other ESA,ers at the St. Jude Radiothon in Oklahoma City in February. Their new sponsor, radio station 101.9 The Twister, raised \$101,900.00 and a little more. Aletha and Billie attended the Oklahoma School for the Blind tour and District 3 meeting after spending the night with Judi York and then driving to Muskogee together. The school's jazz band entertained us and they are really good, most enjoyable. We had a wonderful lunch as always and ended the day happy that ESA has OSB as part of the state project.

Vera had surgery on one of her shoulders and is recuperating at home. We miss her and will be glad to get her back to the chapter. Aletha and Billie will be working again this year for the St. Jude Dream House Giveaway. The house is in a really neat addition in Edmond. We went by to see it recently and it is going to be absolutely beautiful when it's finished. Tickets are now on sale and some lucky person is going to own it for \$100. Althea, Jeanie, and Billie will have attended the last convention planning meeting by the time you read this. See you at convention.

Billie Fritch

**Beta Gamma #3091  
Tulsa**

Hello there in ESA land!

We haven't been as busy as usual. For that matter, we have had to postpone what was planned thanks to a couple of feet of snow! I'll bet many other chapters made a few changes too. We are preparing for a very, very busy time. March 10 and 11 we are working with the chapters of Tulsa Area Council at the KVOO Radiothon for St. Jude Children's research hospital.

Garage Sale that never could finally might. We have planned for and postponed the Beta Gamma Garage Sale since about March last year, that's when our Ways and Means Chair, Judi York came into her chairmanship. Well, it's been- we're too busy or she had to go to some little ol' International Council thing or the weather or ...you get the trend now right? After we work at the Radiothon next Thursday and Friday we will scoot on over to Judi's to set up for the garage sale that- weather permitting-we will finally have on Saturday March 12. (Hope I didn't jinx it by writing this)

Tickets have already gone on sale for this year's Tulsa area St. Jude Dream Home!! Many of us will be working with Beta Gamma's Judi York and Deb Hughes in the Dream Home Office: stuff, seal, stamp and repeat. 9000 times!

Shameless plug:

*Online go to <http://www.stjude.org/Dreamhome> click on the dot that is Tulsa, OK. You may also visit Reasor's, RCB Bank or Fox Cleaners to buy in person. The KJRH Telethon and the drawing for the home and many other fabulous prizes is June 26. Last year we sold out early so BUY NOW!*

The planned start of open house and free tours of the Dream Home is May 21. (Till June 25) This reporter's favorite celebrity-crushes at Epic Custom Homes, <http://epictulsa.com/> are building again this year, and they're usually at the open house to answer questions about the home. So, if you like a nice view (wink), you might want to give Beta Gamma-Peggie Sprinkle a call to let her know you would like to volunteer at the Dream Home. She and Darlene Cushenberry from Kappa Alpha are Dream Home Open House Volunteer Co-Coordinators\*.

\*May not be actual title. ☺

See you next time!

Connie Bartlett

## **Omega Pi #3832 Tulsa**

Since I missed the January issue deadline I will start with November. Omega Pi participated with TAC in the Veterans Day Parade in downtown Tulsa. We had a great float that had a sign on the side that says "ESA Supports our Troops". A few of us walked and a few rode on the float. Those walking passed out little American flags to people on the parade route. The parade was well attended in spite of the rainy weather. We also participated in the St. Jude Give Thanks Walk on November 20<sup>th</sup> at Woodland Hills Mall.

We were the hostesses for the December TAC meeting at Clare House. Then on December the 4<sup>th</sup> we put on our party dresses for our Candlelight Dinner and installation of new officers at Freddie's Steak House. Our own Jenny was installed as treasurer and since she couldn't attend Cindy stood in for her. On December 16<sup>th</sup> we met at Anne Jones' home for our Christmas party. Everyone brought some wonderful food to go along with the ham and our secret sisters were revealed to us as we opened gifts. The evening wasn't just about our gifts as we put together packages for our nursery home's recipients for their Christmas Party. We also brought food for a basket for a lady that was listed in the Tulsa World Neediest Family list. We hope we made a better Christmas for her and her family. We missed our president, Marge Goodno as she had to go to Houston with Citgo for the month of November and part of December. Glad to have her back from Houston and fully retired now.

January started off cold, but we had a great educational at our business meeting. Since our educational theme for the year is "Approaching the Years with Grace in ESA", each member chose a lady of grace and had to tell why we chose her. Some of those chosen were Mary Smith and Helen Taylor who were both past members of ESA, Laura Bush, Grace Kelley and Jenny's grandmother, and Anne Jones' second grandmother. Our social was at our "hostess with the mostess" Marge Goodno for a movie party and excellent food. We watched Saving Grace, an English flick.

Then came the blizzard of February and we didn't meet until February 23rd again at Marge's for our combined business and social meeting. Everyone had a story to tell about how they survived the big snow and their experiences. Some are working on decorations and making plans for Convention in April. Also we are looking forward to warmer weather and an early spring as our ground hog predicted.

Joan Nightingale

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**Epsilon Sigma Alpha International  
Oklahoma State Council  
Executive/General Board Meeting  
March 19, 2011**

The Executive and General Board Meeting was called to order at 9:40 am by President Jacque Edwards, who requested that all cell phones be turned off or set to vibrate.

A reminder was given to everyone about registration and lunch reservations. Attendance will be taken from the registration sheets.

Recognition was given to Dorothy Drumm, guest from Wichita, KS. Jacque asked that all the Sooner Senioresses please stand. 14 Sooner Senioresses were recognized in attendance.

Correspondence and regrets will be read during the Council Meeting and attached to the copy of the minutes.

It was announced that Kappa Theta members decorated for today and door prizes were provided by District V.

The committee to read the minutes of the March 19th minutes is: Judi York, chairman, Mary Johnson and Mary Adams.

The committee to read the minutes of the November State Council Meeting was Billye Peterson, chairman, Aletha Bolt and Robbin Brown. Billye Peterson reported that the minutes are approved as printed and will be placed on file.

A reminder was given by President Jacque that only Executive and General Board members may vote during this morning's meeting.

Treasurer: Tina Davenport-McKamie gave deadlines for reimbursements and reminders to use voucher forms. She would like to out her books and transfer funds to new treasurer as soon as possible.

Parliamentarian: Peggie Sprinkle proposed the following by law changes be presented to the council for approval at convention:

**ARTICLE V - QUALIFICATIONS OF ELECTED OFFICERS - currently reads:**

Section 1. An active chapter may nominate any member for an elected office, except Corresponding Secretary. She must be an active member of her chapter in good standing and have been an ESA member for at least two years. A candidate for elected office must have held the office of Chapter or City Area Council President and give her consent in writing. She must have attended at least one (1) previous State convention. Consent of the candidate and her qualifications shall be sent to the Nominating Committee by March 1.

**CHANGE TO READ: ARTICLE V - QUALIFICATIONS OF ELECTED OFFICERS**

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**Reason for change:**

It has become harder and harder to fill these elected offices. By allowing the Recording Secretary, Project Director and Petticoat Journal Editor to run for an elected office without having to serve as Chapter President will open the possibility of new members on the board and help fill those positions.

**It was moved by Peggie Sprinkle and seconded by Billye Peterson that Article V, Section 1 be accepted as proposed. MOTION CARRIED.**

**Parliamentarian Peggie then read the following:**

**ARTICLE IX - GENERAL BOARD - currently reads:**

**Section 1. COMPOSITION** - The standing committees of this Council shall be: Association of the Arts, Auditor, Awards, Chaplain, Circle of Life, Contest, Convention, Credentials, DIANA, Directory, Easter Seals, ESA Foundation Counselor (2 yr.), Membership, Outstanding Chapter, Outstanding Youth, Philanthropic, Publicity, Scrapbook, and Sooner Seniorette President, International Officer(s), Past International President(s) and past and current E.S.A. Foundation Board Members.

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**Reason for change:**

With our membership declining, it is getting harder to fill this General Board position. ESA Foundation Chairman should be considered for a (1) year term.

**It was moved by Peggie Sprinkle and seconded by Robbin Brown that Article IX, Section 1 be approved as proposed. Discussion followed. President Jacque called for a vote. MOTION FAILED.**

**Parliamentarian Peggie read the following proposed change:**

**ARTICLE IX - GENERAL BOARD - currently reads:**

**Section 2. DUTIES OF CHAIRPERSONS** - The standing committees shall be appointed by the President except Budget, Convention, Nominating and Sooner Seniorette President. Chairpersons may not serve more than one (1) consecutive term as chairperson of the same committee nor serve as chairperson of more than one (1) committee at the same time. Chairpersons shall attend Board meetings or submit a written report. Shall submit any contest changes to for presentation and vote at the June State Council meeting.

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**Reason for change:**

With our membership declining, it is getting harder to fill the General Board positions. If a member would like to continue as chairperson for the same committee the following year, it would be up to the incoming President to decide if they should continue for another year, but not to serve for more than 2 consecutive years.

It was moved by Peggie Sprinkle and seconded by Mary Johnson that Article IX, Section 2, be accepted as proposed. DISCUSSION FOLLOWED. Call for vote. MOTION FAILED.

It was then moved by Robbin Brown and seconded by Joyce Lacey-Kenney that Article IX, Section 2 be amended to read:

**Section 2. DUTIES OF CHAIRPERSONS** - The standing committees shall be appointed by the President except Budget, Convention, Nominating and Sooner Seniorette President. Chairpersons may serve more than one (1) consecutive term as chairperson of the same committee, at the discretion of the current incoming President but may not serve as chairperson of more than one (1) committee at the same time. Chairpersons shall attend Board meetings or submit a written report. Shall submit any contest changes for presentation and vote at the June State Council meeting. MOTION CARRIED.

Peggie stated that the proposed by-law changes will be printed in the April-May issue of the Petticoat Journal and voted on at State Convention.

**State Project Director:** Robbin Brown read a report supplied by Project Director Charlene Law on the status of the State Project Fund. The report showed donations received to date as \$2,757.67. Robbin stated that we are coming up short and she gave a plea for more donations...

**Petticoat Journal Editor:** Mary Adams reported that 63 issues of the PJ were mailed this year. She had a beginning balance of \$757.90 with a current balance of \$834.15. A motion was made by Mary and seconded by Gwynn Nell Swanson that the price of the Petticoat Journal, for first class mail, remain the same at \$15.00 per subscription. MOTION CARRIED. Mary then made the following recommendation: Now that the PJ is on line which eliminates having to wait on a printing company to publish the PJ in the form of a book, I suggest that we extend all future due dates to the 10<sup>th</sup> of the month instead of the 5<sup>th</sup> especially the issue just after Christmas/New Year's Holidays. This is not in the by-laws, but is reflected in the Blue book guidelines.

**Directory Chair:** Marie Thomas reported that 109 directories were printed. To date, 97 have been sold at the price of \$8, 1 sold for \$5 and 11 are available for \$4 (1/2 price). Marie made a motion, seconded by Billye Peterson that the State Directory remain at the cost of \$8. MOTION CARRIED.

**Webmaster:** Aletha Bolt reminded board members to clear their website files and give the password to their successor of that office prior to convention.

**Junior Past President:** Deb Hughes stated that the Blue Books have been updated.

**Association of the Arts:** Peggy Pate reminded everyone of the April 1<sup>st</sup> deadline for the Association of the Arts.

**Outstanding Chapter Chair:** Robin Brown asked that the service report chairs get their reports to her as soon as possible following the April 1<sup>st</sup> deadline.

**Under new business:** Jacque passed handouts to the Executive and General Board members listing some of the duties and what is expected at Convention.

Announcements were made concerning the Silent Auction items, Quilt Raffle, 2011 Convention sales, grocery raffle, 50/50 jar, convention registration, and convention ads. Cathy Holsted reminded those present that 2012 convention dress articles are still for sale. She passed around sheets to sign up for duties at the 2012 convention. Lots of workers are needed.

Meeting adjourned at 10:27 am.

Linda Southerland  
State Recording Secretary  
2010-2011

**Epsilon Sigma Alpha International  
Oklahoma State Council  
State Council Meeting  
March 19, 2011**

The Oklahoma State Council Meeting was called to order at 10:46 am by State President Jacque Edwards. She requested that all cell phones be silenced and welcomed everyone to Stillwater for the last State Council meeting for 2010-2011.

The President requested that everyone stand and join in the Opening Ritual.

A mini educational covering the history of the Pledge of Allegiance was given by chaplain Vivian Gibson prior to leading those present in the Flag Salute. Chaplain Vivian Gibson then gave the devotional for the day.

Hostesses for the day are Kappa Theta, Guthrie and the door prizes are supplied by District V.

Welcome was given to Dorothy Drumm, guest from Wichita, KS.

President Jacque made the following introductions:

ESA Membership Corporation President, Past IC President & Sooner Seniorette, Rosalie Griffith; Past IC President, Past Foundation Counselor, 2012 IC Convention Chair & Sooner Seniorette, Cathy Holsted; IC Parliamentarian & Sooner Seniorette, Judi York; IC Audit Committee Member & Sooner Seniorette, Deb Hughes; Past ESA Foundation Chairman & Sooner Seniorette, Lola Jaegers; and Past ESA Foundation Director & Sooner Seniorette, Vivian Gibson.

She then asked the Sooner Senioresses to stand. There were 19 Sooner Senioresses present.

President Jacque introduced her 2010-2011 Executive and General Board and asked them to stand.

Jacque again reminded everyone to be sure to register and pay for their lunch as roll will be taken from the registration

The committee to read the minutes of the March 19, 2011 meeting will be Judi York, Chairman, Mary Johnson and Mary Adams.

The committee to read the minutes of the November 13th meeting was Billye Peterson, Chairman, Aletha Bolt and Robbin Brown. Billye reported that the minutes are approved as printed and will be placed on file.

Corresponding Secretary, Shelly Labus, read a list of regrets to the Council meeting as follows:

Rosemary Benning	Louise Maloy	Lora Thompson
Wanda Lucas	Priscilla Drummond	Amber Alexander
Mary Toole	Sherry Green	Nadine Moyer
Jeanne Meyer	Janette Murray	Charlene Law
Hali Hughes		

She then read a Thank You letter from Nancy Buck for all the love and support she has been shown during this time of illness with her husband, Wayne and her mother.

1<sup>st</sup> Vice President/Nominating Committee: Gwynn Nell Swanson presented the nominations for 2010-2011 slate of officers. Gwynn Nell introduced her new slate by the nominees favorite candy bar. The slate are as follows:

PJ Editor	Rita Hains
Project Director	Margaret Kramer
Parliamentarian	Connie Johnson-Charlene Law
Treasurer	Linda Southerland
Recording Secretary	Billye Peterson
Corresponding Secretary	Sue Knight
2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice President	Tina Davenport-McKamie
1 <sup>st</sup> Vice President	Joyce Gibson
President	Gwynn Nell Swanson

2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President/Educational Chairman: Joyce Gibson gave a mini educational on "Utilize Emergency Care". She listed the difference between an emergency and a non-emergency and what you should do in each instance.

Treasurer, Tina Davenport-McKamie, presented the Treasurer's Report as of March 19, 2011

Balance forward	\$ 5,254.62
Income	\$ 1,847.53
Disbursements	\$ 1,259.07
Balance on hand	\$ 5843.08
Speakers Fund Balance (CD)	\$1,207.33
IC Campaign Fund Balance	\$ 219.36
DOER's Balance	\$ 172.25
Certificate of Deposit	\$4,000.00

Tina announced that there were 57 in attendance at today's meeting.

**Parliamentarian:** Peggie Sprinkle announced that there are proposed by-law changes that will be published in the April/May issue of the Petticoat Journal and reminded everyone to bring that issue of the PJ to State Convention.

**State Project Director:** Robbin Brown read a report supplied by Project Director Charlene Law on the status of the State Project Fund. The report showed donations received to date as \$2,757.67. Robbin stated that we are coming up short and she gave a plea for more donations...

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**Jr. Past President/Disaster Fund Chair:** Deb Hughes reported that donations have been submitted in the amount of \$3,499 but claims submitted and approved total \$3,684. This shows that claims have exceeded donations this year. She is selling a mini cookbook for \$5. Hopefully that will generate some more income.

Gwynn Nell Swanson and Joyce Gibson gave a report on the Leadership conference in Denver Co. They both enjoyed the experience and thank the council for approving that they attend.

While waiting for lunch to arrive, Jacque called on her music entertainment chair. Nancy Buck divided the room into 3 sections and then played charades using songs from the 1950's. It was very entertaining and everyone got into the spirit of it.

**Auditor:** Margaret Kramer reported that she did a pre-audit on the books of the State Treasurer, State Project Fund, Petticoat Journal, Directory and 2011 Convention and found all books to be in good order.

**Awards:** Judy Cravens reminded everyone to get in the years of service and the pallas athene degrees so those persons can be recognized at convention. She also reminded everyone of the "What ESA Means To Me" entries. Deadline is April 1<sup>st</sup>.

**Credentials:** Sue Patterson had no report.

**Chaplain Vivian Gibson** gave a report on those members in need of prayers and reminded everyone remember everyone on the chaplain list. She then gave the blessing prior to lunch and the meeting recessed to eat and work on the hands on project for this meeting. We will be painting wooden cars. Kappa Theta Guthrie will finish the base painting and all the cars will be completed at the Make n' Donate Workshop on Saturday afternoon at the OK State Convention in April. Members will receive philanthropic hours for this project.

After lunch the meeting continued with additional information from our Chaplain Vivian Gibson.

President Jacque then asked that Ramona Paine give a report on the 2010-2011 convention. Following her report, a convention skit was presented by Billye Peterson, "Rock Around the Clock" assisted by Connie Johnson, Libby Zaage, Joyce Lacey-Kenney, Linda Southerland and Kathy Shurigar. Reminders were given concerning Registration to Mary Ann Jones by April 15<sup>th</sup>, Convention ads to Lola Jaegers by April 1<sup>st</sup> and room reservations by April 1<sup>st</sup>. Rosalie Griffith gave an update on the Flag Ceremony at convention and how it will be conducted.

**Directory Chair:** Marie Thomas reported that 109 directories were printed. To date, 97 have been sold at the price of \$8, 1 sold for \$5 and 11 are available for \$4 (1/2 price). Marie made a motion that the State Directory remain at the cost of \$8. Coming from a committee, no second is required. MOTION CARRIED.

**Easter Seal Chairman:** Marcie Lucas Ellington reported the chapters who have donated as of this time. Total monies from donations and fundraisers total \$2,784.20 to date. She reminded chapters of the deadline for service reports and she is checking daily for the reports.

**ESA Foundation Counselor:** Rita Hains announced that she received 287 scholarship applications. This number is down from previous years most likely because of the snow storms and the deadline date of February 1<sup>st</sup>.

**Contest Chair:** Billye Peterson reminded everyone of contest deadlines. Outstanding Youth and DIANA contests have already been received and are being judged. Other contests deadline is April 1<sup>st</sup>.

**Membership Chairman:** Mary Johnson reported that we have 32 new pledges this year but we still need to work on membership. If everyone present today brought in one new member, we would be on our way to a great increase. She passed out a printout about the great seedling exchange. Let's celebrate spring and "spring into membership growth". Remember, "WE ARE ESA PROUD".

President Jacque passed the Spirit Awards bucket. Last chance to pay if you feel you have been mean spirited. She then presented the spirit award to Mary Johnson, Rita Hains, Gwynn Nell Swanson, Joyce Gibson, Joyce Whitewing-Slate and Patsy Timmons. It was decided that the money from the bucket be donated to the State Project Fund. There was \$72.98 in the bucket and Tina donated \$2.02 for a grand total of \$75 going to the project fund.

**Scrapbook Chair:** Kay Brader expressed thanks for all who have sent pictures from their chapters for the scrapbook.

**Sooner Senioresses president:** Sue Knight reported that the Sooner Senioresses are still working.

**Webmaster:** Aletha Bolt apologized for the problem with the website, but stated she is working on it and it should be fixed soon.

**District II Coordinator:** Nellrita Barrick passed out an invitation to the March 26<sup>th</sup> District II Meeting and Installation of Officers at the R & R Depot in Guthrie with registration beginning at 9:30 a.m.

**IC Representative:** Judi York stated she is really looking forward to being the IC Representative for the Oklahoma Convention.

Judi York and Billye Peterson gave a short report on the Dream Homes in Oklahoma.

Cathy Holsted reminded everyone of the many, many duties covering hosting a convention and reminded everyone to sign up to help with the 2012 IC Convention.

President Jacque announced that the door prizes were furnished by District V and the door prizes were passed out. Drawings were held and prizes awarded. She reminded everyone this was her last Council meeting and that she hopes everyone enjoyed "Cruisin in the 50's" with her and her board.

Gwynn Nell Swanson announced that she will continue with the new program that Jacque started to participate in Secret Sister or choose to sponsor OSD, OSB or Easter Seals. She needs to know who wants to participate in what so let her know so it can be ready for convention.

The meeting was adjourned with the closing ritual at 2:17 pm.

Linda Southerland  
State Recording Secretary  
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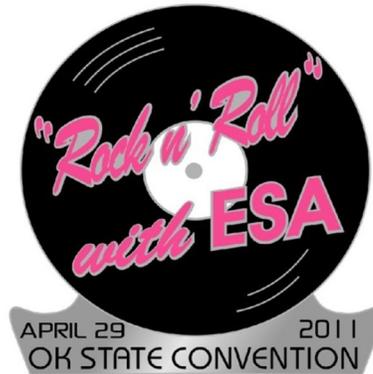
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