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Alpha Upsilon Today

MARCH PROGRAM

Delta Kappa Gamma Alpha Upsilon had their third meeting on Saturday, March 18, 2017 at Hillcrest Country club in Lower Burrell PA. Thanks to the Social Committee for the beautiful table decorations, and excellent soup and salad luncheon. Maureen Caputo accompanied us on a sing-a-long to "When Irish Eys Are Smiling," as well as our DKG song and grace.

Jackie Schultz and Sharon Levett, **Knot2Shabby Sisters**, showed us their unique creations. Their designs recycle and repurpose discarded items to create decorative and useful things. A

cross made from old bedsprings, and a bulletin board made from an old clipboard and picture frame are among the items they showed. If you have unused items you wish to donate, they are glad to accept them. We can put you in touch.

We will be awarding our scholarship and celebrating Founders Day at our May 6 meeting. The Ways and Means committee will be selling jewelry, purses, baked goods, and other items. Please join us—and bring a potential member as a guest.



GREETINGS TO OUR SHUT IN SISTERS

Some of our sisters are unable to attend meetings. Our Welfare Committee-Linda Henkel and Paula Silowash-sends them cards from all of us at holidays, but I am sure they would like to receive a few more hellos. Send a card to Kathy Varano, Betty Baird, Janice Brown, Peg Mann, and Sally Jo Miller. Here is a current address for Sally Jo.

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CHAPTER ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

Nominations are due by the May 6 meeting to Kathy Varano. The award will be given at the September 2017 meeting. The form is attached.

DATES!!



Board Meeting

King's T 4-18-17 4:15

<u>General Membership Meeting</u>

Saturday, May 6 10:00 Hillcrest

Call Sally to arrange a ride. 724 226-3671.

State Convention

June 9-11 State College

(form attached or enclosed)

Northeast Conference

July 12-14 Ontario

(form attached or enclosed)

DKG bus from Pittsburgh reservation due April 30.

(form attached or enclosed)

If you're a bird, be an early bird and catch a worm for your breakfast plate. If you're a bird, be an early bird, but if you're a worm—sleep late. Shel Silverstein



Ways and Means

Gently used jewelry sales were brisk!
The May meeting will feature jewelry and purses. If you have item to donate, contact Barb Summers

724.339.8914 724.448.6022

pasunshine7@hotmail.com

At the May meeting, we are collecting CASH \$ for the AU raffle basket for the convention.

Go to <u>dkgpaau.weebly.com</u> to read and print this newsletter, access the state and international websites, check on dates for book club, read meeting minutes, etc. Webmaster Jennifer Kosior can add items—send suggestions.

CONVENTION

Our own Barb Gasperini is nominated for state president this year! Please plan to attend, so we can proudly welcome her to this leadership role. If you are unable to attend the full conference, plan to come to the Saturday dinner to celebrate Barbara.

The convention registration forms are attached. We will be contributing a cash basket for the raffle.



Linda Koharchik, Kathy Firestone, Sally Coyne, Kathy Varano. Judy Schaffer, Marsha Ewing, Betty Grossheim, Barb Gasperini, Carolyn Sutton, (Roseanne Currence, missing.)

There are three \$100 Alpha Upsilon Chapter Enrichment Grants available. Take a class! Go on a daytrip! Help fund a project! Do ancestry research! Applications are attached and due to Tricia Cavanaugh by April 14, 2017.