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National President Linda Colton California Eta

Greetings Sisters,

Welcome to a new sorority year!! And thank you to each and every one of you for all you do to keep Delta Theta Chi strong. We have several impending challenges that the NEC will be working on for the next two years. Let me touch on a few of these, just so you're in the know...

Our biggest challenge is a money issue. Our income, from mainly dues, is barely covering many of our expenses - that's not good. A lot of these expenses are NEC related, so we have been looking at areas we can cut back on. Some of these include, but are not limited to

1. Reducing the number of days spent at meetings prior to a National Convention, and instead, zooming a meeting on the Monday of the week before the convention. This would cut down on a few days of hotel expenses, which as we all know, keep going up every year.
2. We also discussed doing away with the "per diem" costs for the Board members. I think most of us agreed that being on the Board necessitates being at these meetings, so why do we have to get paid for being there.
3. Another item discussed was doing away with the in-person Mid-Year meeting and zooming it instead. That's a hard one for most of us because the comradery that happens during that time is invaluable, but it would eliminate hotel and travel expenses.
4. Because of our lack of funds, we will not be ordering any jewelry from Herff Jones for the time being. Hopefully we will be able to in the future.

I encourage all of you to donate, if you can, to our **National Endowment Fund**, which supports essential operations of the National Office, including upkeep of the equipment, new and awarded jewelry, printing and other administrative expenses. Our scholarship funds are "well endowed" so to speak, so if you care to donate, please consider the Endowment Fund.

If we decide to implement some or all of these "cut backs," it will greatly help our situation. Of course, when dues come in after the first of each year we will be in better shape, and if we fulfill some of the above-mentioned cuts, the rest of each year will see more money in the coffers.

I guess the bottom line is we need more members, and I know some chapters are working very hard to achieve this. Congratulations to those chapters who recently pledged new sisters. None of us want to see the demise of Delta Theta Chi...we've lasted over 100 years already, and I hope we have a future of another hundred years.

I will repeat the "mantra" we hear so often - "Hold High the Torch of Delta Theta Chi," BUT I'm going to add to that. Don't just "hold it high," **PASS IT ON** to a new sister and help our membership grow!!



That will be a legacy you can be proud of!

In Sisterly Love,

Linda Colton
National President

National Vice President Cheryl Neeley

Missouri Delta

Greetings Dear Sisters:

In June at National Convention I announced a Two Year Collaborative Membership Campaign uniting all Chapters and Provinces to host 5 Quarterly Planned Rush Events. November 2025 was chosen to kick start our first collaborative effort, encouraging the use of the National Membership Campaign theme "**Be a Small Part of Something BIG!**" It is now November and time for our first collaborative event. Wishing each of you success with the plans you have made. Thank You for "being a small part of something big!"

Recognizing that Chapters in all Provinces vary in size and ability, I only ask that you try... that you design an action plan that works for your Chapter; create a budget and stay within your means; *be creative and make it fun*; that every Chapter member be actively involved in a way that they can; and that you follow through with your action plan. If you are a small or special Chapter, I would encourage you to reach out to another Chapter in your Province in a similar situation. Support each other and coordinate your efforts — *We Are Stronger Together!*

After your November event I am asking that each Chapter email a completed Summary Chart to me using the two different charts attached to the September letter - one for *Engaging* with potential new members and/or returning candidates from previous Rush events, and one for *Re-Engaging* with former members. All results will be recorded and tallied after each event so we can see how we are progressing. I can't wait to see your Summaries from our first November collaborative event! The end result of all our collaborative efforts will be presented at the 2027 National Convention.

All Sisters across all Provinces play a vital role in the *Mission* and *Shared Purpose* of the 2025-2027 Membership Campaign. It is imperative that we build up our membership base now, or we risk the lights being dimmed for our beloved Sisterhood. Your presence, hands-on active participation, dedication and passion are keys to success with this. Let me repeat this one more time... We need *all hands on deck* for the remaining 18 months to ensure an increase in our Membership growth, thereby securing the future existence and financial stability of Delta Theta Chi Sorority. YOU are the HEART of this organization, let's work together to secure and preserve our 100+ year legacy.

I believe in each and every one of my Sisters and what we are capable of accomplishing in the next year and a half. Thank You for all you have done, and will continue to do, to secure the future of our beloved Sisterhood. Continue to *Hold High the Torch* with pride and *Shine Your Light* for others to see!

Best Wishes to everyone as we begin the Holiday season. There are so many things to be thankful for. May you be blessed with precious time surrounded by family, Sisters, friends and neighbors, and fondly remember the many memories of those who are with us in spirit.



Fraternally and in Sisterly Love,

Cheryl Neeley
DTC National Vice President

National Trustees

Alcyone Province Trustee – Cheryl Zarins, Washington Alpha

I will be honest, I have not thought of using the Education outline in our chapter educational segments until this pleiad was announced. I always read it when it was distributed but did not consider using it as a form of education in our chapter. I have read how other chapters in my Province use it during their meetings, from their distributed minutes, but had not considered it for my chapter.

I have come to realize how the "Women of Intrigue" outline can serve as a valuable resource for our chapter, designed to inspire, educate, and connect members through the stories and achievements of influential women.

I will be discussing this with our Educational Director, in our chapter, to see if she has some thoughts of how this outline and any future outlines can be incorporated into our educational trainings, and how we can use it, and how when introducing our chapter to prospective members or engaging with the wider community, the "Women of Intrigue" outline acts as a compelling visual and narrative tool. It effectively communicates our values and the impact of women's leadership, making it easier to attract like-minded individuals to our chapter.



Cheryl Zarins
Alcyone Province Trustee

Celaeno Province Trustee – Deb Hood, Indiana Gamma

After receiving my National Outline I sat down to see what new items I had never heard about and I was so pleased that I knew very few topics/titles. This made the coming 2 years exciting for both me and my chapter and province.



Celaeno Province will also provide the fall and spring educationals by Searching for Women of Intrigue. Thank you for this new opportunity to learn.

Deb Hood
Celaeno Province Trustee

Electra Province Trustee – Cathie Barber, Kansas Beta

Happy Holiday greetings to all my DTC Sisters! It was fun seeing everyone at National and Electra's Conclave and Celaeno's Open Fall Board. At the time of this writing, I'm looking forward to seeing everyone at Taygeta's Convention. I'm sorry I did not make it to Alcyone's Convention, but I have a new fur-baby and was not sure how she would handle it.

It has been very interesting pulling the Pleiad together this month. I truly appreciate all members of my committee working to get the articles from the various chapters submitted. There were a few that did not submit an article, but hopefully they will in the future. Just remember, this is a quick way for everyone to see what your chapter is up to and possibly get some ideas on what they can do in their chapter!

Also, don't forget to submit pictures to update your province/chapter for the website. Those should go through your province website representative.



I know this is more the domain of the National Vice President, but we should ALL be working on Recruiting, Recruiting, Recruiting! I hope to see lots new faces at our next National Convention which is being hosted by Taygeta Province in June 2027!

Cathie Barber
Electra Province Trustee

Sterope Province Trustee – Karen Kammer, Ohio Mu

I would like to wish all my sisters a Merry Christmas and a very Happy and Healthy New Year.

In keeping with the theme of the Pleiad. What has your chapter or province done since National Convention to include information from the National Outline – "Searching for Women of Intrigue"? Having been the chair of the National Education Committee I know the committee worked hard to give you ideas of "Women of Intrigue". I hope you are finding your outline helpful. There are so many intriguing women in this world including YOU! Think about how intriguing each and every one of you are! What do you bring to Delta Theta Chi? How do you share that intrigue? I hope you use your outline to have some fun and interesting educational meetings!

I am currently the chair of the National Constitution and By-laws Committee. Please read over your manual and propose any changes you may deem worthy.



I hope you enjoy your holidays with your sisters, family and friends.

In Sisterly Love,

Karen Kammer
Sterope Province Trustee

Taygeta Province Trustee – Jeanne Reid, Oklahoma Zeta

The theme for this edition of the National Pleiad is very intriguing. With my thoughts of late focused on ways to keep our sisterhood growing and stable, I find myself looking to the past. I am intrigued with questions of our beginnings. With no computers, cell phones, or even electric typewriters, seven young women started a sorority that expanded to many states and has endured for 105 years. Membership grew to around 1,000. How did they, and many who followed, accomplish what we seem to be missing? Yes, they were young and perhaps more energetic. However, we have wisdom that comes with age and a sisterly bond that should work in our favor. More torches must be lit and more wisdom passed along in honor of our past and to hold on to our future.



I wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a blessed New Year.

In Sisterly Love,
Jeanne Reid

Taygeta Province Trustee

National Executive Secretary-Treasurer – Tammy Cocannouer, Kansas Beta

Hello Sisters,

I want to thank each of you for your kind words of encouragement as I take on the role of your N.E.S.T. Your support and patience as I learn how to best serve both the NEC and you, my sisters, mean so much to me. It's only been a few months, but things are beginning to fall into place.

I'm currently updating forms to ensure all office information is current and accurate. This includes standardizing formatting and, when possible, creating fillable electronic versions in addition to printable copies. Any major revisions will be reviewed by the NEC before being posted to the website or distributed to chapters. A few forms that are nearly complete include:

- National Donation Form
- Updated Pledging Certificate
 - A copy can be made, with the top portion given to the pledge for her records
- New Member Remittance Form
- New Insignia & Supply Order Form

If you haven't already signed up to access the Members Page, I highly encourage you to do so—there's a wealth of helpful information available there.

When emailing the NEC or the N.E.S.T., please begin your subject line with your Chapter name, followed by the topic. Example: *"IN Gamma – Minutes for November"* or *"CA Sigma – Requesting..."*. This will help us quickly identify and reference your message.

Soon, you'll receive a request for updated chapter information, likely with your dues notice. We're working toward a national database that includes key details for each chapter and its members—such as meeting dates, non-meeting months, officer installation timelines, and more. The organization and transition of the National Office to a more computerized data file system is also in progress. My hope is that by this time next year, I'll be able to answer your questions even more accurately and efficiently.

The Membership Dues Notice will be sent Monday, December 1, 2025, along with your membership roster. Please review it carefully for accuracy. Included in this packet will be a short questionnaire about your chapter.

I'd like to close with a bit of humor and warmth I recently saw from [tinybudda.com](https://www.tinybudda.com) on Pinterest.



"Sisters come and go like waves in the ocean, but the true ones stick—like an octopus on your face."
(context license used)

In sisterhood,
Tammy Cocannouer
National Executive Secretary Treasurer



Alcyone Province

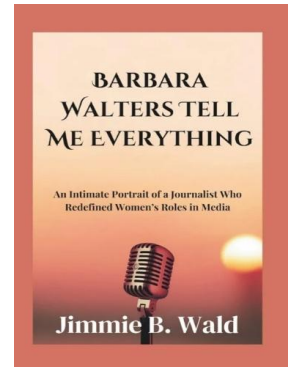
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California Eta – Reporter, Kathy Warden

CA Eta continues to meet monthly where we conduct all necessary business and then various sisters present an educational program during the meeting in addition to our usual shenanigans, chatting and eating. After returning from National Convention in June, Sabrina Hatfield, our Educational Director, went to work and researched “Women of Intrigue” for us to study. In August the suspense was over, and she sent us our topic for the year...a book study on Barbara Walters. We are now reading Barbara Walters Tell Me Everything by Jimmie B. Wald. Sabrina provided us with a powerpoint presentation on the topic as well as discussion questions to be used throughout the year. We jumped right in with a program led by Melody James in October covering the introduction and chapter 1 to whet our appetites. This will be followed each month with sisters taking a couple of chapters at a time and leading the group in a lively and informative discussion. It will be interesting to learn more about this intriguing woman and how her life and career developed through the years.



California Sigma – Reporter, Bobbi Meyer

CA Sigma is starting to come more alive after agreeing to host the 2026 Alcyone Province Convention. Unfortunately, we cannot currently meet in person, but we will be telephoning and texting a LOT in the next year. So, for our report for this issue of the Pleiad, we are going to count ourselves as Women of Intrigue as we do our best to provide an interesting and entertaining Province Convention for our Alcyone members and anyone else who would like to join us. Our NEC-approved dates are October 16, 17 & 18, 2026.

California Omicron – Reporter, Cheryl Ward



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Jane Goodall, born April 3, 1934 - October 1, 2025. She was a British primatologist and anthropologist. She was a kind and compassionate human being who broke barriers for women in science and changed the way scientist studied animals in nature. I find her fascinating and brave, committed, and willing to bear discomfort for the greater good of humanity.

Ruth Bader Ginsberg (RBG) was not only a genius of the mind but—most importantly—a “genius of the heart.” A truly kindhearted, compassionate soul. That is what made her one of our greatest justices. Without empathy for humanity and awareness of the impact of court decisions on millions of Americans’ lives, all the legal brilliance and academic achievements in the world are meaningless and useless. Having worked in the legal field most of my life, I understand how important these legal decisions are and the impacts that they have on Americans.

Marie Curie – Theory of Radioactivity. By the time Polish physicist Marie Curie was just 44 years old, she had laid out a theory of radioactivity (a term that she coined), techniques for isolating radioactive isotopes, and the discovery of two elements, polonium and radium. She was the first person in history to win two Nobel Prizes and the only person to win twice in multiple sciences.

Robyn Walker, author “The Women Who Spied for Britain: Female Secret Agents of the Second World War.”

Espionage is one of the world's oldest professions, and it played an integral role in Allied successes and failures during the Second World War. Equal to men in both their bravery and in the sacrifices they made, the female undercover operatives of the Second World deserve to have their stories told.

CeCe Moore is a prominent American genetic genealogist. She has appeared on many TV shows and worked as a genetic genealogy researcher. She has reportedly helped law enforcement agencies in identifying suspects in over 300 cold cases using DNA and genetic genealogy. In addition to her television work, she is known for pioneering the genetic genealogy methodologies used by adoptees and others of unknown origin for identifying biological family.

Jennifer Anne Doudna is an American biochemist who has pioneered work in CRISPR gene editing and made other fundamental contributions in biochemistry and genetics. She received the 2020 Nobel Prize in Chemistry with Emmanuelle Charpentier "for the development of a method for genome editing." She is a professor in the department of chemistry and the department of molecular and cell biology at the University of California Berkeley. She has been an investigator with the Howard Hughes Medical Institute since 1997.

Eleanor Roosevelt was an advocate for human rights & women's rights. My favorite quote from her is "A woman is like a tea bag. You never know how strong she is until she gets in hot water"

California Iota – Reporter, Joyce Miller

CA Iota has been taking a break so far this year. Our long-time member, Joyce Miller, had a stroke, and we have all been supporting her in her recovery. We plan to meet during the holidays in December to plan our upcoming year. Best wishes to all, and to everyone who contacted Joyce; it was much appreciated.

Washington Alpha – Reporter, Shelley Nelson

Dr. Jane Goodall, DBE Founder, the Jane Goodall Institute & UN Messenger of Peace Jane Goodall was born on April 3, 1934, in London England. At the young age of 26, she started her groundbreaking research.

Jane Goodall is a British primatologist and conservationist best known for her 45-year study of chimpanzees in Gombe Stream National Park, Tanzania, where she discovered that chimpanzees use and make tools, a finding that changed the understanding of human and animal relationships. She founded the [Jane Goodall Institute](#) in 1977 and established the youth program [Roots & Shoots](#) in 1991 to promote conservation and environmental awareness globally. Today, she travels the world as a UN Messenger of Peace, advocating for wildlife and the environment.

- **Early Life and Career:**

Goodall was born in London and had a childhood dream of living with animals in Africa. After working various jobs, she traveled to Africa in 1957, where she was hired by anthropologist [Louis Leakey](#)

- **Groundbreaking Research:**

In 1960, she began her study of chimpanzees at Gombe, Tanzania. Her early observations revealed that chimpanzees not only make and use tools, but also have complex social and emotional lives, which challenged scientific beliefs at the time.

- **Conservation and Advocacy:**

In 1977, she founded the Jane Goodall Institute USA to support research, conservation, and education. She also started the youth program Roots & Shoots in 1991, which is now active in many countries.

- **Global Ambassador:**

Goodall travels extensively, speaking to audiences worldwide about the need to protect chimpanzees, address environmental issues, and find hope for the future. Her activism has made her a global figure for conservation and environmental stewardship

We missed hearing from the women of mystery in the California Alpha chapter this issue. Maybe they were on a secret mission together? Maybe out recruiting new sisters?

Celaeno Province

President Sandy Pixey, Indiana Eta

Celaeno Province President

As I began to write my Fall/Winter National Pleiad submission, I reflected on what I had done as the 2025-2026 IN Eta Educational Director, following the National Educational Outline. Sister Jane Sickman, Indiana Eta's president, collaborated with me on our topic: "Women of Intrigue". A museum exhibit displayed art featuring intriguing local women artists. Jane inherited from a dear friend a painting by one of the artists. Therefore, we focused on Emma Schrock, the "Grandma Moses of Northern Indiana," an Old Order Mennonite folk artist born in 1924 in Wakarusa, IN. Schrock painted over 2,000 vivid scenes of rural Mennonite life – from barn raisings to quilting bees – drawing from memory. Sister Susan Yoder gave a captivating book review on the national outline recommendation, *The Nightingale* historical fiction novel by Kristin Hannah. It chronicles the divergent paths of two sisters in Nazi-occupied France: Vianne, who risks everything to shelter Jewish children and forge escape routes, and Isabelle, the daring "Nightingale" who leads Allied airmen through the Pyrenees as part of the French Resistance. Another program this year from the national outline is *Harriet* (2019), a movie about Harriet Tubman – abolitionist, Underground Railroad conductor, and Union spy – who personally freed over 70 enslaved people and led the Combahee River Raid, liberating 750 more during the Civil War.

As Celaeno President, when our Educational Director Sue Allbaugh shared with me her choice for the 2025 Celaeno Open Fall Board educational, I encouraged and supported her choice. She presented an excellent program about several intriguing women of the Bible.

Indiana Eta also gathered for a memorial for the sister that had reactivated our chapter in 1954. Betty Vaughn, an 80-year member of Delta Theta Chi who died at the age of 101, was my sorority big sister and my mom. She was a very special woman of intrigue in my life who began my interest in sorority. As I was growing up, she would bring home convention and fall board "loot bags". She would craft things with other women in preparation for sorority events. I would see women gathering for meetings held at our home. I remember as a child waxing the end tables, putting candy out, and setting up the chairs. She was very organized with keeping records and photos of sorority memories. She was always interesting when she shared stories about sorority. Years later, I am now serving as Celaeno Province President. While on break at our last spring convention, I called her to tell her I had been officially nominated for province president, and she happily told me she had been expecting my call. I was elected and installed on April 26, 2025, and it was just about a month later that she had passed away on May 24, 2025.

In Sisterhood, Sandy Pixey

Celaeno Province Vice President

As Celaeno's new Vice President for 2025-2026 this is a new experience for me. President Sandy Pixey had a mid-year meeting after a lot of correspondence and communication between all the board members. We have decided one of the goals we will be work on is our manuals. We want to make sure everyone's is current and up to date. Our Open Fall Board will be our first Province meeting since National Convention. The educational being planned will focus on "Searching for Women of Intrigue". As President of IN Gamma also it is our goal for each business meeting to include a topic from the National Outline regarding one of these women to intrigue all of us.

In Sisterhood, Mary Fisher

Celaeno Province Education Director

For the National Pleiad I am excited to share about "Women of Intrigue". The Britanica dictionary states the word "intrigue" as a verb to make someone want to know more about something; to cause someone to become interested.

For our National Educational this year we are tasked with sharing in our chapters some intriguing women. At our recent Province Fall Board I was excited to share some intriguing women from the Bible. I researched a few:

Eve – the mother of all living

Ruth & Naomi – an intriguing relationship between a daughter in law & a mother-in-law

Rehab – an intriguing woman that played an integral part of the Children of Israel making it safely to the Promised Land

Mary, the mother of Jesus – blessed by God, found favor with God. An intriguing young lady of probably 14 – 16 years of age. She was chosen to bring God's one & only son into the world.

Mary & Martha – sisters with intriguing differences in the way they believed they should serve Jesus.

How exciting it is to search for Women of Intrigue. We can learn so much.

In Sisterly Love, Sue Allbaugh

Celaeno Province Treasurer

Searching for women of Intrigue.... What does that even mean?!?! When I asked Google “what is a woman of intrigue?” he said “A woman who arouses curiosity and fascination due to an air of mystery, intelligence and a rich, complex inner life. She is often someone who is deep: she has a complex personality, strong independence and unique perspectives.”

Undeniably this sorority is **full** of those women and lost many more. When vice president Cheryl Neely came to our Open Fall Board Meeting, she told us how the Memorial Table at National Convention was full. Which I can believe because we lost three amazing women from just our chapter. To me these were woman of Intrigue.

This piece is not about searching far and wide for Women of Intrigue. It's about recognizing that we are already surrounded by them. Women like Betty Vaughn, who carried our sorority history with reverence and joy for over 80 years. She was our local DTC historian, our keeper of stories, and she loved this sisterhood with a devotion that shaped generations.

Women like Barb Parker, who earned a double master's degree—including one in mathematics—at a time when women weren't even encouraged to teach it. She was the embodiment of grace and grit, so composed and capable that I couldn't help but think: *#LifeGoals*. She didn't just have it together—she had everything *beyond* together.

And women like Betty Nelson, whose heart was as vast and generous as the Pacific Ocean. She was always polished, always radiant, she brought warmth, camaraderie, and a Christ-like love to every gathering. She touched lives in quiet, profound ways—mine included.

These women are not just memories. They are the blueprint. They remind us that this sorority is not just a “group”, it's a sanctuary, sisterhood. A place where brilliance is nurtured, where love is multiplied, and where every woman is invited to become more of who she already is.

So what are we doing? We're honoring them by living out their legacy. We're opening our arms to the women who need this kind of sisterhood in their lives. I know we need to invite even more—because I believe every woman deserves this kind of connection.

Every chapter has its special sisters. They're the ones who held us up, who made us feel seen, who reminded us who we are, and keep all the “things” tied together. And they're the ones we need to share with prospective new sisters. (our women of “Intrigue”)

If you needed those women to uphold you, chances are—they do too.

Ricki Weaver

Indiana Gamma – Reporter, Deb Hood

What has Indiana Gamma Chapter done with the National Outline since National Convention?

As Educational Director for Indiana Gamma chapter it has been exciting to see these Women of Intrigue in the National Outline!

Indiana Gamma always has an educational at the end of each monthly business meeting. The educational topics are from the National Outline. In September we took the time to review our yearbook and the sisters who would be presenting a future educational. October brought us the life of Linda Marie Ronstadt and her many accomplishments. We will soon learn about Mata Hari, Rachel Carson, Elizabeth Van Lew to just name a few of our plans for this upcoming year. Some of our sisters have requested a change of their assigned topic to other Women of Intrigue of whom has impacted their lives. Harriet Tubman is a woman my sister read about in her childhood and impacted her in a way that she never forgot her. So, Barbara Laker will share the life of Harriet Tubman in January.

We have always taken pride in following our national outline and continue this tradition. Being an educational Sorority, it is important to all of us uncovering information about these most intriguing women and seeing what accomplishments they have achieved or what changes they have made in the world and maybe even our own lives.

Indiana Eta – Reporter, Susan Yoder

Having been a National Trustee in charge of the National Educational Outline I feel it is very important to stick with the theme for Educational in our chapter.

We have each educational's title this year starting with “Searching for Women of Intrigue”. We visited and exhibit at a local museum featuring a prominent Indiana woman artist's work and will have a book review on “The Nightingale”, as well as “Harriet” famous women spies. It promised to be a very enlightening year.

What has IN Kappa been doing since National Convention regarding the new Educational outline? I have to confess, I was reading, just not what was on the list. My reading book subjects are typically police action, example being the Prey books by John Sandford, thrillers from Dean Koontz, etc.

My choice from this list would be The Nightingale or Code Name Helene. I am not a "Call me Woman, Hear Me Roar" type, I believe both men and women can and do perform heroic actions under unimaginable circumstances. And that is what I want to read about.

We missed hearing from the women of mystery in the Indiana Alpha, and Indiana Sigma chapters this issue. Maybe they were on a secret mission together? Maybe out recruiting new sisters?



Electra Province

President Tammy Cocannouer, Kansas Beta



Left to Right: President Tammy Cocannouer (Kansas Beta); Vice President Cathie Barber (Kansas Beta); Educational Director Julia Ourecky (Nebraska Eta); Recording Secretary Trish Schmidt (Kansas Beta); Corresponding Secretary Janelle Clark (Kansas Alpha); Treasurer Vicki Lignitz (Kansas Kappa).

Kansas Alpha – Reporter, Janelle Clark

Since the June 2025 National Convention of Delta Theta Chi, the Electra Province KS Alpha Chapter celebrated in July their 91st Founders Day with sisters from Missouri Delta, Kansas Beta, KS Kappa chapters. Some of these sisters shared intriguing information about their own chapter. The theme KS Alpha chose to speak about was titled “Bloom Where You are Planted.” Karen Swogger shared that one learns to adapt by spreading your wings, reaching out, and learning to be accommodating & flexible despite the adversities you may encounter.

I found intriguing women who are members of Delta Theta Chi Sorority when I attended the 2025 Electra Province ‘Get You Game On’ Conclave’.

However, it was after perusing the National Educational outline, where there is a wealth of information on intriguing women, that I discovered Katherine Johnson was in the movie “Hidden Figures.” Because I really liked that movie it piqued my interest to read about her life. I found her to be someone that can inspire an individual to ‘spread their wings, overcome obstacles, and pursue their dreams.

Kansas Beta – Reporter, Teresa Carter

The Kansas Beta Search for Women of Intrigue

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| ✓ GPS Tracker | ✓ Surveillance Equipment | ✓ Recording device |
| ✓ Hidden Camera | ✓ Notebook with pen | ✓ Bug Detector |
| ✓ Binoculars | ✓ Drone | ✓ DTC 2025-2027 National Educational Outline |

With all their equipment packed neatly in a “to-go bag” the Kansas Beta chapter has set off on an extensive search for **Women of Intrigue**. The assignment was received via a rather suspicious looking short and plump woman who claimed it was flown in specifically for them from the foreign county of San Diego, California. After reading the “job description” the Kansas Beta Chapter decided to accept the assignment. However, like on TV the message did not self-destruct into flames and a puff of smoke, much to the relief of our chapter president and her beautiful wooden dining table.

Per the outline “intrigue” comes from the Latin verb *intricare*, “to entangle”, and is related to intricate. It can be a noun, meaning “underhanded plot” or a verb for the act of plotting”. So, what better way to search for those intriguing women than to learn about women spies of the Revolutionary and Civil Wars. At their October meeting the KS Beta Sisters were introduced to women who were not only intriguing but were daring and brave. These women included Harriet Tubman, Elizabeth Van Lew, Sarah Emma Edmonds, Anna Strong, Nancy Morgan Hart, Agent 355 and more. In February the chapter will watch a movie called Red Joan. This is a historical fiction film on the true life of Melita Norwood, a British civil servant who was one of the KGB’s longest-serving spies. Norwood, who was exposed in 1999, supplied the Soviets with nuclear secrets for over 4 decades. **Intriguing!**



In March 2026 the Kansas Beta’s will turn their search to inside of the British monarchy with a book review presentation by Cindi Cook of “Finding Sarah”. This is the autobiography of Princess Sarah Fergeson, ex-wife, and defender of Prince Andrew, son of Queen Elizabeth II. Although no longer recognized as a royal by her former in-

laws, Sarah has mapped out a rather intriguing life for herself, her ex-husband and her 2 daughters, albeit with a few bumps in the road.

The 2025-2027 outline goes on to list “*Searching for Women of Intrigue in the Music Sector*” Although not listed specifically as an example in the outline, who can be more intriguing in the current day as Taylor Swift. In April 2026 the Kansas Beta chapter will dig deep into the life of Taylor, an intriguing woman who has changed the music industry, not to mention the sports world of late. This search will be under the charge of Tammy Cocannouer.

The Educational outline defines ART as “*Something that is created with imagination and skill and that is beautiful or that expresses important ideas or feeling.*” It was intriguing that the first example listed was women who changed architecture. The Kansas Beta’s have a young sister, Holly Weber, who works in this field. She has been tasked to lead us on this very specialized search in January 2026, with a presentation of “Women who Changed Architecture”

And last but certainly not least, how can a thorough search be complete without exploring the world of science. So, in May 2026 our own mathematician Brenda Thomppson – yes, she has a degree in math- will provide the chapter with search results on Katherine Johnson – Numbers for NASA. Creola Katherine Johnson was a NASA mathematician and “human computer” whose orbital mechanics calculations were crucial to the success of early US spaceflights. Johnson was one of the first Black women to work at NASA, joining an all-Black unit in 1934 at age 34. Her work helped put astronauts into orbit and men on the moon and was instrumental in the Apollo moon landing program and the Space Shuttle program. Her life at NASA was prominently featured in the book and movie Hidden Figures.

To close out the first year of the Kansas Beta search for women of intrigue, Sister Teresa Carter and young DTC guy Logan Carter will present a book review of the book “BRAZEN- Rebel Ladies Who Rocked The World”

There may be a few other intriguing women to search for as the year goes on. The Kansas Betas are always searching to not only learn about these women but invite the intriguing women they meet to come join our chapter fun. And you don’t even need a Private Eye license to come along on the search.

Kansas Kappa – Reporter, Bethany Hofmeier

BETHANY’S PICK THE MIRABEL SISTERS

The Mirabal sisters—Patria, Minerva, María Teresa, and Dedé—were four Dominican women whose courage made them national heroines and global symbols of resistance. Born into a wealthy family in Salcedo, they were well-educated and deeply moral. When dictator Rafael Trujillo came to power, their family lost much of its fortune, and Minerva, the most politically active sister, helped form the 14 June Revolutionary Movement to oppose his rule. Her sisters Patria and María Teresa joined her efforts, while Dedé stayed out of politics. The sisters, known by their underground name Las Mariposas (“The Butterflies”), organized resistance activities, hid weapons, and distributed anti-Trujillo pamphlets despite arrests and torture.



On November 25, 1960, Patria, Minerva, and María Teresa were murdered by Trujillo’s secret police after visiting their imprisoned husbands. Their deaths outraged the nation and contributed to Trujillo’s assassination six months later. Dedé, the sole survivor, raised her sisters’ children and dedicated her life to preserving their memory through the Mirabal Sisters Foundation and Museum. The United Nations honored their legacy by designating November 25 as the International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women. Today, the Mirabal sisters are celebrated in monuments, museums, and schools worldwide as enduring icons of courage, feminism, and the fight for justice.



CANDACE’S PICK JULIA ARCHIBALD HOLMES

Julia Archibald Holmes has always fascinated me, not just because she’s a relative of mine, but because she lived her life with courage and conviction. She truly was a woman of intrigue. In 1858, she became the first woman to climb Pikes Peak, notably wearing bloomers and a shorter skirt, instead of the traditional long skirts of her day. This earned her the scandalous nickname Bloomer Girl. Julia wasn’t just climbing a mountain; she was challenging expectations of what women could do. She went on to become an abolitionist and advocate for women’s rights, sharing her bold ideas and frontier adventures in letters to *The Sibyl*, a women’s rights publication. I love knowing that this spirit of independence and determination runs in my family.

GAIL'S PICK THE NIGHT WITCHES

I watched a show recently that talked about female regiments in World War II, and the one I found most interesting was the Night Witches. The Night Witches were an all-female Soviet air regiment, officially called the 588th Night Bomber Regiment. Formed in 1942, they flew old Polikarpov Po-2 biplanes on daring night raids against German forces. To avoid detection, they cut their engines and glided silently to their targets, earning the nickname *Nachthexen* ("Night Witches") from the Germans. Despite limited equipment, they flew over 30,000 missions and became one of the most decorated Soviet units of the war. These women of intrigue showed incredible bravery and skill, proving that determination and courage can make a huge impact—even in the toughest situations.



VICKI'S PICK KAMALA HARRIS

I have been intrigued by Kamala Harris, the first woman to be elected vice president of the United States, who loved to cook. She is of Jamaican descent on her paternal side and of Indian descent on her maternal side. Her multicultural background has greatly influenced her approach to food, blending flavors and traditions from both her Jamaican and Indian heritage. Harris often speaks about how family recipes and culinary traditions have shaped her identity, making cooking an important part of her life and connection to her roots.

I find Kamala Harris to be very motivational in her life as she fights for all Americans. Her laugh had a joyous ring to my ears but was made to be a joke by some while campaigning. We need more laughter in our lives. Kamala's background in public service is impressive, but I envision her out of the public eye as a woman who knows who she is and what she stands for in life. I recall her comment as I watched her campaigning for her only client she has ever had: the people. Kamala is a woman that I encourage my granddaughters to read about.

Missouri Delta – Reporter, Chris Durbin

The Sisters of MO Delta have been busy since June researching comic books for the Electra Province literature educational program, so not all of the Sisters have had the opportunity to review the 2025-2027 National Education Outline. But, some of our Sisters did take the time to contribute the following:

Eileen Neeley said: "Ever have a song that makes you smile because it reminds you of a fun and happy memory? One of those songs that makes me smile when I hear it is titled *Something to Talk About* by Bonnie Raitt. She is an American female blues rock singer, guitarist, and song writer. She's had several hit listed singles, and some even made top 200. I enjoy a lot of her song, but the one that consistently brings me that happy memory is still *Something To Talk About*. I first heard her music when traveling with my mom on one of our many girls' trips growing up. We would be blaring her music as we sang along together on the road. I used to think her name was Bonnie Rat for the longest time. Even till this day both my mom and I find it humorous remembering that trip and singing her song together while smiling with joy. For me, that makes her an intriguing woman who helped make a beautiful and happy memory in my life that I will always treasure."

Cheryl Neeley reported: "I have chosen Nancy Wake from the recommended books referenced on the National Education Outline entitled *Code Name Helene* because she lived a life defined by courage, intelligence and incredible resilience. She balanced her dual existence as a glamorous socialite and a fearless secret agent, using charm and quick thinking to conceal her daring work with the French Resistance leading sabotage missions, organizing supply drops, and helping countless others fight for freedom. Her heroism did not go unnoticed. After the war, Nancy Wake was awarded multiple honors including the George Medal from Britain, the Medal of Freedom from the United States, and two medals from France – the Croix de Guerre and the Medaille de la Resistance. These accolades reflect her extraordinary bravery and legacy as a *Woman of Intrigue* of the Second World War."

Chris Durbin added: "One of my favorite authors is Isabel Allende, but you won't find her listed on the 2025-2027 National Education Outline. Isabel was born in Lima, Peru. Her father was a Chilean diplomat. Her parents divorced when she was two and Isabel and her mother moved to Chile, to live with and Isabel to be raised by her grandparents. Her grandmother's storytelling was a great influence for Isabel's literacy career, plus the various

countries she lived in due to her mother's second marriage to another diplomat. These travels exposed her to diverse cultures and languages. Isabel became a United States citizen in 1993 and she now lives in Northern California. Her first novel was *The House of the Spirits*, which was a blend of personal and political themes, with elements of magical realism. Her works often explore themes of love, loss and the struggles of women, interweaving personal narratives with historical events. Isabel's writing is characterized by is rich imagery and emotional depth, often reflecting her own experiences and the socio-political landscape of Chile. I have many of her books and love each one. She is my main woman of intrigue."

Nebraska Eta – Reporter, Paula Kohrt

The Nebraska ETA's thought long and hard on which Woman of Intrigue to chose for this article. There have been so many women in history who have broken glass ceilings, carved out new destinies for future women and established themselves as strong, empowered women.

The woman we landed on was Edith Sampson. Edith Sampson was the first black American to be appointed as a United Nations delegate in 1950 and the first to be elected U.S. circuit judge. She was an American lawyer, diplomat and civil rights advocate.

Edith Sampson was one of eight children born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. She left school at 14 due to family financial difficulties and found work cleaning and deboning fish at a market. She later returned to school and graduated from Peabody High School in Pittsburgh. She then went to work for Associated Charities and studied at the New York School of Social work. After she received the highest grade in a criminology course, one of her instructors encouraged her to become an attorney. She graduated from John Marshall Law School in 1925 winning a special dean's commendation for ranking at the top of her jurisprudence class.

Edith opened a law office on the south side of Chicago, serving the local black community. She was a probation officer from 1925-1942. In 1927 she became the first woman to earn a Master of Laws from Loyola University's Graduate Law school. She also passed the Illinois bar exam that year and in 1934 was admitted to practice before the Supreme Court. In 1943, she became one of the first black members of the National Association of Women Lawyers. In 1947 she was appointed an Assistant State's attorney in Cook County.

In 1949, Sampson was part of the Round-the-World Town Meeting which was a program that sent twenty-six prominent Americans on a world tour meeting leaders of foreign countries and participating in public political debates and radio broadcasts. In these meetings, Sampson sought to counter the propaganda in the Soviet Union during the Cold War regarding the treatment of African Americans in the United States. During one meeting in India, she said:

The question is, quite bluntly, "Do Negroes have equal rights in America?" My answer is no, we do not have equal rights in all parts of the United States. But let's remember that 85 years ago Negroes in America were slaves and were 100 per cent illiterate. And the record shows that the Negro has advanced further in this period than any similar group in the entire world. You here get considerable misinformation about American Negroes and hear little or nothing that is constructive.

She also stated that "I would rather be a Negro in America than a citizen in any other land." Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas said that her actions "created more good will and understanding in India than any other single act by any American".

So why Edith? Edith was a person deeply invested in law and justice. She broke glass ceilings in high school, law school, United Nations and across the globe. She was unapologetically herself, with confidence that demonstrated self-assurance without arrogance. She was an individual who future women, of all ethnic groups, could aspire to become.

Edith Sampson was Nebraska ETA's chosen Woman of Intrigue.

We missed hearing from the women of mystery in the Nebraska Zeta chapter this issue. Maybe they were caught on a secret mission together? Maybe out recruiting new sisters?



Sterope Province

President Sharon Osterberger, Ohio Mu

Maryland Alpha – Reporter, Termia Jones

I did receive regrets from Maryland Alpha chapter that they would be unable to submit an article this edition due to being affected by the government shutdown.

Ohio MU – Reporter, Sharon Osterberger

Ohio Mu chapter is using Zoom to include Rebecca Rowan in our monthly meetings. Rebecca recently transferred from California Omicron. We are so happy to have her join Ohio Mu!

Our members have decided to assist Carrie Kammer, Karen Kammer's granddaughter who is student teaching 3rd grade at Bridgewater Elementary School in Hamilton, Ohio. Carrie sent us a list of much needed school supplies that many of the student's parents are unable to purchase. We will deliver the items the end of November.

Our chapter plans to start incorporating the Women of Intrigue into our monthly educational starting in January. There are so many to choose from.

Wishing you a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

Sterope Province President



Taygeta Province

President Jeanne Reid, Oklahoma Zeta

Oklahoma Alpha – Reporter, Susan Yeilding

Oklahoma Alpha members were excited to receive the new National Outline, “Searching for Women of Intrigue”. We reviewed it in meeting and talked about its design, make up, and creators, as well as its purpose. One thing I noted was the informational paragraphs in the last section of the Outline, including descriptions of the women named and the reason for their notoriety.

We made sure every member was sent a copy. At the next meeting, we took a closer look and asked for volunteers for reports and/or book reports based upon the Outline topics. Three sisters chose to present programs on: Jane Goodall, Ruth Bader Ginsburg, and Wally Funk. One sister chose to do a book report on “The Nightingale”, by Kristin Hannah.

To kick-off our study of “infamous women”, Susan Yeilding, our Educational Director, presented a two-part program on Famous Oklahoma Women, which included Jane Ann Jaroe (Miss America), Reba McEntire, Rue McClanahan, Darla Hood (“Our Gang”), Carrie Underwood, Patti Page, Vera Miles, Shannon Miller, Maria Tallchief, and Lucille Mullhull (cowgirl). All amazing women of intrigue. Brief biographies were read, and sisters had to guess who the women were.

The new National Outline is full of suggested topics, and I know OK Alpha will enjoy learning about many of these Infamous Women. Thank you to the National Education Committee contributors and Sterope Province Trustee, Chairman Karen Kammer.

Oklahoma Alpha Members

Oklahoma Beta – Reporter, Amy Seerey

OK Beta has had a busy and exciting summer and fall! We began by exploring the national theme, “Women of Intrigue”, and planning our programs for the year.

Our members enjoyed a field trip to Ponca City to visit our dear member, Barbara Blouin. We shared a lovely lunch, visited, and several of us toured the Marland Mansion. There we discovered an intriguing woman - Lydie Marland - and couldn't resist diving into her fascinating story.

We also attended a local production of “*Oklahoma!*” and spent time at the Oklahoma City Museum of Art, continuing our celebration of women and culture.

Recruitment has been a focus this year, with socials designed to welcome new friends into our chapter. A highlight of our fall was meeting our scholarship recipient, Presley Hendrix, who was an absolute delight. Along the way, we also collected much-needed items for a local women's shelter, helping support women in our community.

With several more programs ahead, we are eager to continue learning and being inspired by the remarkable Women of Intrigue who shape our world.

Oklahoma Delta – Reporter, Shirley West

Oklahoma Delta is planning a busy schedule for the next year. We are excited about the program outlines given to choose from. Also planning to gather items for Youth and Family Services or Hope Outreach Ministries, that give homeless a place to have a hot cup of coffee, something to eat, a hot shower and maybe needed clothing.

Oklahoma Kappa – Reporter, Kery Garon

Oklahoma Kappa has been hard at work the past few months planning an AMAZING fall convention for Taygeta Province.

The OK Kappas are full of women on intrigue. We've got sales reps, nurses, business owners, teachers, lawyers, professionals, homemakers, and so many other types of women in our chapter. Having this diversity in your chapter helps you to see and experience life from so many perspectives. All of us are needed to make it all work.

We look forward to time spent with our DTC sisters in our upcoming fall convention.

President, Oklahoma Kappa

Oklahoma Epsilon – Reporter, Vaughn Cille Weidner

OK Epsilon did not use the National Education Outline “Searching for Women of Intrigue” this year. We decided to go with Women of Mystery (authors) as our theme. At our September meeting, Annette Myers chose Karin Slaughter for her author. Annette said she has won many awards for her crime/mystery novels. In October, Becky Cooper chose Agatha Christie who has been a well-known mystery for many years, as well as movies, TV series, etc. It will be very interesting this year to see what each month brings.

Our chapter has not had a meeting since I received the memo regarding the Pleiad article so I will choose my Woman of Intrigue. She is Jackelyn Kennedy Onassis. To me, she always portrayed an “elegant lady” who was very intriguing with all of the roles she had in her life and all she went through personally. She always seemed to “have it together” which is intriguing to me.

We are looking forward to the Holidays and finally Fall has arrived in Oklahoma. We had our first freeze and the days are in the 60's which is very nice. We wish all of our Sisters a wonderful holiday season. We will be seeing several of you next weekend at the Taygeta Fall Convention here in Oklahoma City.

Oklahoma Zeta – Reporter, Linda Elkins

To begin our year we took a couple opportunities for hands on educational. The first one was at Five Stones Landscaping “Sip and Plant”. We enjoyed wine, music, and hors d'oeuvres. Each of us was given a five gallon pot and a selection of plants to create a fall arrangement with professional assistance. (Linda Elkins with her pot →)

Our second hands-on educational was a private session at “Sling Bungee”. Nine of us attended. Five of us were strapped into the bungees that hung from the ceiling and the fun session began. Four other sisters took photos, videos and enjoyed belly laughs. No one got hurt and we all went to dinner at a local restaurant following the session.



We have reviewed the National Educational Outline and have selected 3 categories and 3 women of intrigue. In music we selected Linda Ronstadt, in sciences we chose Jane Goodall, in arts we went off the grid and selected our sister Teresa Cole-Deguisti. Teresa is a multi-talented artist and has painted a picture several times for us to use as our cover for the annual Year Book, including this years' cover.

We would like to thank all of the Chapters and Sisters who acknowledged the loss of our sweet Sister, Marti Mitchell. Their cards and donations in her name were sincerely appreciated.



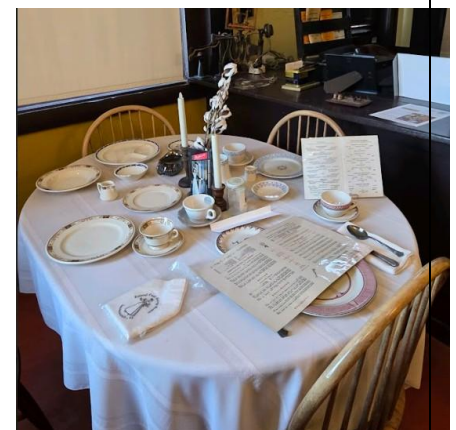
Texas Nu – Reporter, Melissa Arney



Texas Nu has enthusiastically embraced the 2025-2027 National Education Outline, "Searching for Women of Intrigue," by focusing on women of integrity and impact right here in West Texas. Our recent events and future plans honor women who have quietly shaped history and leadership in our community.

Our Kick-Off event began with a short road trip to the Slaton Harvey House, a beautifully restored 1912 eating house, for the program “On Track with Integrity: Harvey House Women.” Fifteen sisters learned about the Harvey Girls, intelligent, unmarried young women hired to bring high-quality dining and a higher standard of "civilization" to the American Southwest frontier along the Santa Fe Railway. Despite strict curfews and rules, their subtle "intrigue" lay in their determination; we learned how several

were even inventors who acquired patents while employed. The Slaton location is one of only six still standing, offering a tangible connection to these pioneering women.



Our chapter is also actively investing in future women of intrigue through our support of Camp Rio Blanco (CRB). This oasis, which recently came under the management of the Camp Rio Blanco Circle of Friends, Inc. (CRBCOF), has for 65 years provided Girl Scouts with outdoor educational opportunities. By supporting CRBCOF's mission, we help girls build confidence, learn new life skills, and form a strong foundation for future leadership.



We are excited to host other future programs highlighting accomplished local women. Marsha Sharp: The former Texas Tech NCAA championship basketball coach who now champions education as the founder of the SHARP ACADEMY, a college prep school for students who learn differently. Dyan Newton: A recognized artist whose impressionistic paintings are celebrated for their vibrant colors that viewers say "radiate happiness."

Texas Beta – Reporter, June Butler/Marilyn Tyler

Texas Beta started the new National year with the loss of our beloved sister, Judy Bassler, on July 11, 2025. She had just attended National Convention in San Diego with her Big Sister, June Butler and Little Sister, Jolene Myers and sister, Carol George. She was our Woman of Intrigue – although often quiet and reserved, she was a rock to our chapter and was always willing to step up to do whatever was needed. It never mattered who or what needed her assistance. She was our long-time Treasurer and was slated to be our new President. She volunteered for many functions supported by our chapter and her company.



During our planning session, our chapter selected several options from the National Outline to research and study, Hedy Lamar, read the book "The Women", Ruth R Benerito, Carly Simon, Virginia Hall, and watch "Hidden Figures" as well as finding expert speakers on gardening, horsemanship, and infamous Texas Cowgirls. These women or subjects were chosen based on the interests of each member so one can see how diverse we are – always a good way to expand our knowledge bases.

Texas Beta – Reporter, Connie Crow

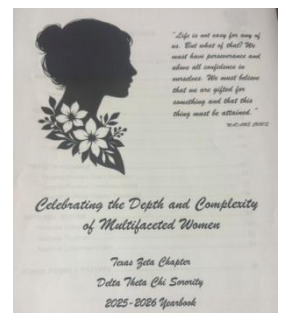
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Our Sister, Jenny Davidson, published our Yearbook for the upcoming 2025-2026 year. She was given a copy of the new National Educational Outline. Besides producing a beautiful yearbook, eight of our ten educationals are based on the National Guidelines. The theme for our year is "Celebrating the Depth and Complexity of Multifaceted Women".

Here are few of the educationals we are looking forward to:

- ❖ 75 Years of Women's Achievements in the Music Industry
- ❖ Women of Lithuanian Architecture
- ❖ British Women Spies
- ❖ Powerful Women of the Bible
- ❖ Women Significantly Impacting the Hairdressing Industry

The educational subjects selected compliments the presenter's passions and background, which brings a personal touch to the educational.



TX Zeta educationals usually are presented following our business meeting. Sisters mix learning with a little sweetness, enjoying both the program and a dessert provided by the presenter. Can you think of a better way to end a meeting?

Delta Theta Chi Book Club

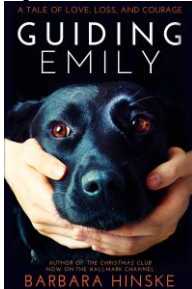
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Cheryl Neeley
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This fantastic opportunity started up again in September. If you have a book you would like to share with your sisters, do not hesitate to join us or contact Cheryl Neeley. We generally meet on the last Wednesday of each month. However, in November and December there are different Wednesdays that the club will meet due to the holiday season. Keep an eye on the Delta Theta Chi website (deltathetachi.org) for possible changes and/or updates.

Here are the books we have discussed in September and October as well as the upcoming books and events up through February 2026:

September 24, 2025:

“Guiding Emily”
by Barbara Hinske



December 17, 2025

A Holiday Event



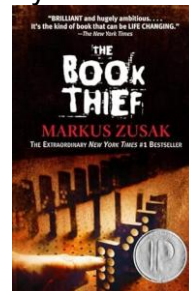
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“Wolf’s Bane”
by Ameer Easterling



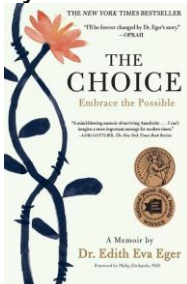
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“The Book Thief”
by Markus Zusak



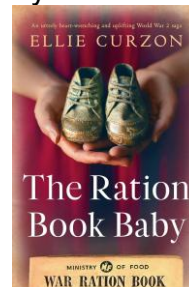
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“The Choice”
by Dr. Edith Eva Eger



February 25, 2026

“The Ration Book Baby”
by Ellie Curzon





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Cindy Hunt	Member, OK Beta	July 19, 2025
Betty Stricker	Member, OK Beta	September 8, 2025
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