



COME SHARE THE HOLIDAYS WITH US

Please join us for *"The Beauty of the Holidays"*

Event: Holiday Brunch (pastries, coffee and juice) and Charitable Donation*

Date and Time: Saturday, December 1st at 10:30 a.m.

Hostess: **Mary Cray** (816-322-1650) ■ 16900 Stonehaven Drive, Loch Lloyd, Missouri

Directions: Take 135th Street east until it turns into Hwy MO-150E. Take this to Holmes Road MO D Ramp. Turn right onto Holmes road. Take a right onto Suffolk Lane. Turn left onto South Country Club Drive. Take a right onto East Loch Lloyd Parkway, then a slight left onto Highland Ridge. Finally, take a slight right onto South Stonehaven Drive to 16900.

Cost: No charge

Reservations: Please RSVP to **Jennifer Burrus** ■ 913-648-2584 ■ jparker444@yahoo.com
(please include "DG RSVP" in the subject line of email correspondence)

*Alphapointe and CCVI gift donation wish lists can be found in this newsletter.

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POINSETTIA SALE — MAKING A LIST, CHECKING IT TWICE!



The most wonderful time of year is upon us and our to-do lists are getting longer! Let Delta Gamma make your decorating and gifting a lot easier with beautiful poinsettias. These gorgeous plants are perfect for decorating your home or workplace.

Take one to a friend or neighbor; give a poinsettia to a customer or co-worker; take one to your mother-in-law, your sister, your bunko hostess...you get the idea! These lovely plants can solve a multitude of the season's small dilemmas, and you will be supporting your local alumnae chapter's Ways and Means project with every plant you purchase. Business orders are welcome; orders of 25 or more can be delivered directly to your home or business.

Every order counts, so fill out your order form on page 3, and send it in right away. Cross it off your to-do list, and relax! You may pick up your plants on Tuesday, December 4. Any questions? Call **Susan Kastner** at (913) 338-0453 or **Paula Como** at (913) 897-0883.

For those living in the Northland, a new pick-up point is being added this year — the clubhouse at Barrewoods Apartments from 10 AM to 1 PM on Tuesday, December 4. Contact **Barb Boersma** at (816) 734-0809 (home) or at (952) 212-8044 (cell).

Barrewoods is located at 2900 NE Barry Road near the east end of Barry Road close to 152 and Indiana Avenue.



DELTA GAMMA BULLETIN BOARD

A Note from Our President

We have experienced a wonderful start to the 2007-2008 DG calendar of events! At our September general meeting, it was great to see so many new faces as well as many familiar ones. I would like to encourage long-time and new members alike who did not attend the September meeting to take a look at our upcoming general meetings, as well as our diverse number of interest group activities, and choose one to attend in the near future. It's never too late to get involved! Invite a DG neighbor or a fellow DG sister who you have not visited with recently, and get rid of that feeling of being a "Rusty Anchor."

I also wish to encourage you to attend the December Holiday Brunch on Saturday, December 1st. In the past, there has been a charge for this event; however, this year, your alumnae chapter is providing the food and drink so that you can enjoy socializing with your fellow DGs without worrying about the cost of the event. You are invited to remember the needs of CCVI or Alphapointe from the donation list on this page.

Another way you can get involved in our alumnae chapter is to order poinsettias through our annual DG Poinsettia Sale. The order form is included in this newsletter. Supporting this great fundraiser not only provides you with gorgeous poinsettias, it permits us to continue the essential programming and communication needed to be a viable alumnae chapter. This, in turn, allows us to provide the essential philanthropic work to "Do Good."

ITB — *Janise Kuechler Naughton*



Local Dues News

Many thanks go out to the 110 Delta Gammas who continue to support our chapter by paying their dues for the 2007-2008 year! A special thanks to those in the bronze, pink and blue categories who contribute more than the minimum as well as the 50+ year members who are no longer required to pay dues. If you have already paid your 2007-2008 dues, thank you so much! If you have not paid, please do so at your earliest convenience. Please contact **Jan Wissman** at 913-642-9573 or at jaww905@aol.com if you have any questions regarding dues. Dues checks, payable to Delta Gamma, can be mailed to: **Jan Wissman**, 10305 Howe Drive, Leawood, KS 66206-2514.

Local Dues Amounts: Bronze - \$81 or more; Pink - \$52 to \$80; Blue - \$17 to \$51; Regular - \$16; First-year - free

Alphapointe Donation Wish List

Gift cards in small denominations to grocery, discount or pet stores (examples: Price Chopper, Target, Petco); any clothing with a Royals or Chiefs logo; caps or stocking caps/hats; sweatshirts (size L-XXXL); scarves or gloves (size M-XL); educational items or games; Braille or raised-dot games such as Bingo, Scrabble, Dominoes, Chess or Checkers.

CCVI Donation Wish List

Classroom art supplies, including construction paper, Crayola modeling clay, glue sticks, Play-Doh, dry erase markers in assorted colors, batteries (all sizes), Kleenex, colored copier paper, sanitizing wipes, paper plates, vibrating back massagers, plastic spoons and forks, cardstock, grass seed, bird seed, beans, rice, cornstarch and mashed potato flakes.



Greater Kansas City Delta Gamma Alumnae Poinsettia Sale 2007

Our poinsettias have earned a reputation for being simply spectacular!



BY ADVANCE ORDER ONLY:

Poinsettia orders must be received by Wednesday, November 14, 2007.

PICK UP YOUR ORDER on Tuesday, December 4, 2007 from 11:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

(We will deliver orders of 25 or more plants; there are discounts for large orders.)

SIZE	COLORS	QUANTITY	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL PRICE
6.5" pot 1 plant: 5-7 blooms \$10.00 each (1 to 9 plants) \$8.50 each (10 or more plants)	Red			
	White			
	Pink			
	Maroon			
	Winter Rose (red, crinkled-look)			
8" pot 3 plants: 12-18 blooms \$22.00 each (1 to 9 plants) \$18.00 each (10 or more plants)	Red			
	White			
	Pink			
	Maroon			
10" pot 4 plants: 20+ blooms \$30.00 each (1 to 9 plants) \$25.00 each (10 or more plants)	Red			
	White			
	Pink			
	Jingle Bell (red with white)			
The price of each poinsettia includes a foil wrapped pot and a protective all-weather sleeve. TOTAL DUE \$				

*Don't want a poinsettia for yourself??? **DONATE** one to CCVI!*

My check for \$_____, payable to Delta Gamma, is enclosed.

Name: _____ **Email Address*:** _____

Street: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip Code:** _____

Telephone: (____) _____ **Email address will be used for order confirmation and pick-up reminder ONLY!*

I will pick up my order at (please check one):

- ☐ Normandy Place Clubhouse (128th and Roe, Overland Park, KS)
- ☐ Children's Center for the Visually Impaired - **East Entrance** (3101 Main, Kansas City, MO)
- ☐ Barrewoods Apartments Clubhouse (2900 NE Barry, Kansas City, MO)
- ☐ **NO PICKUP** - Please donate the plant(s) I have ordered to CCVI.
- ☐ **NO PICKUP** - Please deliver my order of 25 or more to the address provided above.

Please mail this form with your payment to: Paula Como, 3948 W. 131st Terrace, Leawood, KS 66209.

Questions? Call **Susan Kastner** at 913-338-0453 or **Paula Como** at 913-897-0883.

*Proceeds from this sale help us to better serve
the Greater Kansas City Alumnae and our philanthropic projects.*

DELTA GAMMA BULLETIN BOARD

The Greater Kansas City Delta Gamma Alumnae Foundation recently sent the following memorials to CCVI:

In Memoriam

Thelma Allen Nichols (AK 1925)
Passed away August 30, 2007

Jeanne Greendahl (A Lam 1939)
Passed away September 8, 2007

Sisters in Our Thoughts

C. Quinton Bowles
Passed away August 22, 2007
Daughter: **Lisa Bowles Borgstadt** (Mu 1997)

Clark S. Ullom
Passed away September 15, 2007
Wife: **Genie Mollett Ullom** (AK 1948)

New Columnnae

Lauren Jones and **Jaimie Johnson** will be taking over the columnnae position. To contact Lauren, email her at: Lajones84@gmail.com; to contact Jaimie, email her at: jaimieling@gmail.com



If you're a creative DG who knows basic web design (html/flash) and would like to help keep our chapter's website updated, we'd love to hear from you! The work can be done from the comfort of your home. For more information, contact **JANISE NAUGHTON** at 913.663.4890 or yardqueen24x7@aol.com.



Thanks for helping

THE FOLLOWING DGs HELPED WITH THIS SUMMER'S VISION CONFERENCE IN OVERLAND PARK:

JEAN BROWNE
SANDRA CLAY
MARTI MILLER
MARY NIEMEIER
EMILY TODD
GAIL WARD
KRISTIN WING

— WELCOME TO THE WORLD —

ELLIE MARIE
Born on June 2, 2007
Chris and **Kristi Simmons Pittman** (G Ups 1996)

TREVOR LEE
Born on April 23, 2007
Gil and **April Janson Garlington** (AK 1995)

Congratulations!



Eric Affolter and Maggie Lee (BK 2000) were married August 25, 2007
Marty Mulcahy and Laura Accurso (BK 1997) were married on September 15, 2007
Mark Olsen and Michelle Heider (BK 1990) were married on October 6, 2007
Dennis Dolan and Jenn Johnson (BK 1998) were married on October 20, 2007



THANK YOU to our Summer Callers!

The following DGs helped verify addresses and contact information this summer: **Joan Brown, Ruth Butler, Elaine Claiborne, Liz Daniels, Susan Durbian,**

Pam Gyllenborg, Jodie Johnson, Dorothy Mulford, Carole Pugsley, and Christine Say. Please call Jan Roach at 913-649-1981 with address corrections.

INTEREST GROUP EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

Trekkies

The Trekkies Committee has planned a group of special destinations to visit during the fall months and into the spring. We encourage all DGs to join us for these fun outings! We always stop for a delectable lunch at a nearby eatery. Put these dates on your calendar, and call or email **Annette Thomas** to make a reservation:

913-649-5417

arthistorythomas@kc.rr.com

Thursday, November 15, 2007

Truman Library

We'll enjoy the *Treasures of the Presidents* exhibit at the library as well as a visit to the Truman home in Independence.

NO GATHERING IN DECEMBER

Thursday, January 17, 2008

Board of Trade

Located on the Plaza, this tour will focus on a dynamic Kansas City institution that affects all our lives.

Thursday, February 21, 2008

Harvesters

You've heard of this philanthropy for years and the enormous service they do in providing food for the less fortunate.

Thursday, March 13, 2008

Red Star Studios and Ceramic

Gallery followed by lunch at the **Bluebird Café**. Annette Thomas to host.

NO GATHERING IN APRIL

Afternoon Bookies

MON., NOVEMBER 19

Jean Browne

913-642-7812

8025 Roe, Prairie Village
The Shadow of the Wind
by Carlos Ruiz Zafon

NO GATHERING IN
DECEMBER

*Unless noted, all gatherings
begin at 2:45 PM.

*Please contact hostess if you
plan to attend.

Evening Bookies

MON., NOVEMBER 26

Mary Niemeier

816-361-6434

6148 Cherry ST, KCMO
Acceptance
by Susan Coll

NO GATHERING IN
DECEMBER

*Unless noted, all gatherings
begin at 7:00 PM.

*Please contact hostess if you
plan to attend.

Who to contact for...

Addresses, births, deaths, weddings

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wmandjoanbrown@sbcglobal.net

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ajor3_kc.rr.com

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iori@aol.com

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iparker444@yahoo.com

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Katieohlde@kc.rr.com

Silverstreakers—Dorothy Mulford

913-341-3710

Socialites—Liz Brown

kulizzyb@gmail.com

Trekkies—Annette Thomas

arthistorythomas@kc.rr.com

Whine Group—Heather Apple

applekc@yahoo.com

Dues—Jan Wissman

jaww905@aol.com

Collegian Sponsorship

This summer, through the efforts of many, **Jane Bush** was able to provide recommendations for 131 girls from 17 Kansas area high schools to pledge Delta Gamma. **Kathy Dusenbery** provided many recommendations for Missouri as well. Alumni help is invaluable in this process; we can always use more. If you have a high-school-aged student or know high school faculty or neighbors with high school-age children, you can help.

Please contact **Jane Bush** for Kansas area high schools or **Kathy Dusenbery** for Missouri area high schools with your information if you can help. For Missouri, we need help from Delta Gamma alums in the Independence, Blue Springs, and Lee's Summit areas. Most of the work occurs in August. Remember, someone once wrote a rec for you!

Jane Bush

JaneBush@aol.com

Kathy Dusenbery

Kad@kc.rr.com

young alums! socialites

Join us the last Thursday of every month for happy hour cocktails! **Liz Brown** (BK 2000) has recently become the new contact person for the Socialites group, and she is trying to incorporate hip new venues in the Kansas City area into the group's calendar of activities. To share ideas for happy hour locations or to be added to the group's email list, contact Liz by email or phone:

KULizzyB@gmail.com • 785-979-5108

Silver Streakers...is an interest

group for DGs who have been members for 50+ years. If you would like more information about the group, please contact **Dorothy Mulford** at 913-341-3710.



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A Taste of Kansas City II
Menus to Entertain

Recipes Wanted!

- Seasonal: Using produce available during limited growing season
- Special events: Birthdays, Celebrations, Tailgating
- The dish you always take to a potluck or serve on family special occasions
- Recipes for a crowd: 25 to 50 people
- Local ethnic standards
- Retro parties
- Cooking tips appreciated.

Send ideas to: Susan Belger (susan.belger@ccvi.org)
Address questions to: Sally Cobb (816.444.3167) **OR** Mary Jo Truog (816.363.6360)