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President's Message



April 1st has come and gone and I didn't get to prank one person!!! I guess the weather this year has kinda pranked us all!

Did everyone get all their reports in, on time? Do we get to count every Chapter's hours and monies this year? I think we're pretty close to 100% reporting! Which is AWESOME!

I hope everyone had a great time at the Spring Board Meeting. It was truly one to remember. I want to again, thank Nancy Trebella our State Easterseals Director, Margaret Ames our Educational Director and Holly Sturgon our Special Speaker on Saturday, for making this meeting EXTRA special! I also want to thank each and everyone of you who brought your TOGA self! Without everyone being on board and wearing the "garb" of the event, it wouldn't have been as successful as it was, so THANK YOU!!

Please be sure to check out the PHOTO ALBUM, this month. We got some great pictures, thanks to several of you and especially, Dixie Daly of Sigma Rho! She did a great job getting many of the photos in this issue!! I can't wait to hear the totals of the Mountain of Towels we put together for Easterseals! I think we can be very proud of ourselves on that!

Getting geared up and ready for State Convention, now! A lot of planning and hard work goes into putting a Convention together and I can't thank Beta Epsilon enough. It will be a great Convention! Have you gotten your registrations in, yet? Booked your rooms? Now is the time, Ladies!

To all the Elected State Officers, everything has been taken care of for your registrations. You're good to go! Appointed Officers, you will still need to get your registrations and payments in to Stephanie Bearden.

THANK YOU THANK YOU THANK YOU goes to Sandy Alexander for stepping up and volunteering to pick up our IC Rep for Convention on Friday! That really takes a worry off of me! GREAT BIG, FAIRY HUG FOR YOU, SANDY!



Will see you all in Fort Morgan, in May!!

Leslie Stevens, President
Colorado Council of ESA

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Officer's Reports



Disaster Fund

LAST CALL!!! Be sure and get your chance to win the “Feeding Frenzy” counted cross stitch at State Convention. I will have the board there for you to choose your favorite square. All proceeds are to benefit the ESA Disaster Fund. I have included a photo of the finished project. It was made with love and hope for those of our sisters that might need assistance.

I want to thank everyone who has donated so far but I will collect through State Convention as all donations must be postmarked by June 1st. Thanks to the generosity of individual members, chapters and councils, we’re making a very strong showing.

Keep in mind that the purpose of the ESA International Disaster Fund is to assist an ESA member whose home and/or personal belongings are destroyed or damaged extensively by one of nature’s causes- fire, flood, tornado, etc. Assistance may also be given when a member incurs heavy financial responsibility due to a debilitating illness or accident which involves the ESA member or their immediate family who reside in their home and for whom they are legally responsible.

I want to thank those who have donated to the Disaster Fund. To date, I’ve turned in donations totaling \$5,055 from:

- 8 individuals
- 15 Chapters
- 4 Councils
- Lamplighters
- Raffle

Hugs,
Kathy Garrison

Jr. Past President
Disaster Fund
Chairman
2018-2019



President ~ Elect

Thanks to each of the Candidates for stepping up and taking on a new challenge. Sadly, our wonderful sister, Anita, passed away shortly after the Spring Board meeting. Graciously, **Pam McGee** has agreed to now run for the position of **Vice President** leaving the office of Recording Secretary open. Fortunately, we have received notice that there will be a nomination from the floor at Convention from **Susie Morris for Recording Secretary**. Thank YOU, Pam and Susie!

~ Loydette Knight

COLORADO STATE COUNCIL EPSILON SIGMA ALPHA 2019 – 2020 CANDIDATES

For the Office of President

Loydette Knight



Loydette became a member in 1968 and is a member of ESA Foundation.

She was President of her previous chapter (5 times) and held all elected and appointed offices. She has served as Treasurer for her current chapter.

She served Area Councils as Parliamentarian, Recording Secretary, Treasurer, Vice President and President.

Loydette has served on the State Council as Membership Chair, JR/SR St. Jude Coordinator, Treasurer, Recording Secretary, Vice President and President Elect.

She is a Life Active member and has earned her 5th of Degree Pallas Athene.

She has attended 31 State Conventions and 4 IC Conventions.

Her dues are paid and her chapter is in good standing.

For the Office of President ~ Elect

Vickie Chavers ~ Bruso



Vickie became a member in 1991 and is a member of ESA Foundation.

Vickie has served her chapter as President (4 times), Vice President, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer, Parliamentarian and Chaplain.

Vickie has served on the State Council as Parliamentarian, Treasurer, Vice President and all appointed offices with the exception of Foundation Councilor.

Vickie has her 1st Pearl and 4th Degree Pallas Athene.

She has been chapter Woman of the Year (3 times), and her Area Council Woman of the Year twice.

Vickie has attended many State Conventions and 1 IC Convention.

Her dues are paid and her chapter is in good standing.

For the Office of Vice President

Pam McGee



Pam became a member in 1991 and is a member of ESA Foundation.

Pam has served her chapter as President (3 times) and I have heard through the grapevine that Pam has served on the State Council at least once.
(Parliamentarian, Treasurer, Recording Secretary)

Pam has earned her 4th Degree Pallas Athene.

Her dues are paid and her chapter is in good standing.

For the Office of Corresponding Secretary

Jody Karr



Jody became a member in 1986 and is a member of the ESA Foundation.

Jody has served her chapter as President (4 times) and has held all chapter offices.

She has held all offices except Corresponding Secretary in her Area Council.

Jody is a Colorado Past State President and had held all offices with the exception of Corresponding Secretary.

Jody is a Life Active Member and has her 1st Pearl.

She has been Woman of the Year in her chapter and Area Council.

She has Attended 31 State Conventions and 28 IC conventions.

Her dues are paid and her chapter is in good standing.

For the Office of Recording Secretary

Susie Morris



Candidates qualifications will be presented at the 2019 State Convention

For the Office of Treasurer

Karen Addison



Karen became a member in 2013. She is a member of ESA Foundation.

Chapter offices held by Karen are President and Recording Secretary. She has served on the Colo. State Council as Philanthropic Chair and Recording Secretary.

Karen has attended 5 State Conventions and 1 IC Convention.

Karen Charted a new Chapter in 2018, Zeta Nu #5068 in Colorado Springs.

Her dues are paid and her chapter is in good standing.

(According to the By Laws, Article 9, Section 4, new chapters are granted honorary member ship in the State Council for the term of their charter year.)

For the Office of Parliamentarian

Chloe McClantoc



Chloe became a member in 2009.

She is a member of ESA Foundation.

Chloe has served her chapter as President (twice), Vice-President, Corresponding Secretary, Recording Secretary, Philanthropic Chair and 3 years as Co-Chair for her Chapter's Chocolate Party.

Chloe is a member of Denver Epsilon Council and has held the offices of Corresponding Secretary, Ways and Means Chair and Treasurer.

On the State level she has served as Treasurer, Publicity Chair - 2 years, Educational Director, Philanthropic Chair and St. Jude Jr. and Sr. Coordinator.

She is a Games Manager for the St. Jude Dream Homes.

She has been Woman of the year in her Chapter and Area Council.

Chloe has earned her 1st Pearl and 4th Degree Pallas Athene.

She has attended 21 State Conventions (11 as DESA/ELAN) and 3 IC Conventions.

She has been a Girl Scout Councilor for 4 years.

Her dues are paid and her chapter is in good standing.

Chapter & Council Reports

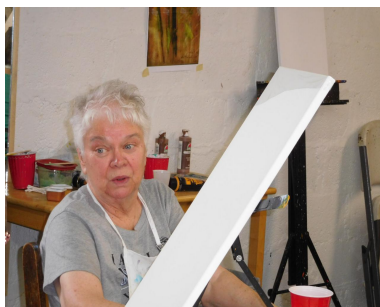


Beta Zeta #3149 ~ Canon City

BETA ZETA "PAINTING PARTY" SOCIAL AT CHICKEN HOUSE GALLERY with MARY SHELL



The smiles say it all! Beta Zeta sisters had a great time at the Painting Party on March 28. Our hostess, local artist Mary Shell, served dinner with Lasagna, salad and a yummy dessert. A little wine was had to jump start our creative juices. Look at the picture we chose: our beloved Jonquill!



Mary Shell will be doing "Speed Painting" during our fall fundraiser which is October 5, 2019. She does a wonderful painting in just a few minutes which we will auction for top dollar! So mark your calendars, Colorado sisters!

Carol Dunn

Kappa Iota #5442 ~ Golden

"Spring has sprung, The grass has ris, Wonder where the birdies is!" Marie Gill, Eta Beta Chapter

We hope you all had as good a time at the Spring Board Meeting as we did!! The Toga Party was a resounding success! I believe we have impressed the Easter Seals people with your generosity. It was so great satisfying Nancy Trebella's request that Colorado members visit the Camp. The camp and all it's facilities for campers and the great staff they have impressed me!!

Georgia DeLong has been interviewed for an article about her experiences and memories of being a camper for their newsletter! We'll pass it along when it is published!

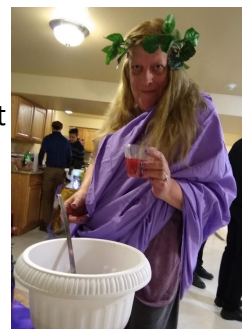
We have distributed our monies for the year and completed all the award entries. We are amazed at how much our chapter of 6 were able to accomplish this year what with supporting State President Leslie's endeavors! When everyone does a little, it all adds up!

We are looking forward to seeing you all at State Convention in Fort Morgan! It will be a fun and rewarding time, the Beta Epsilon gals always make convention extra special!!

Most of my pictures didn't turn out well but here's Leslie with a toast to all of you for all you do! Thank you!

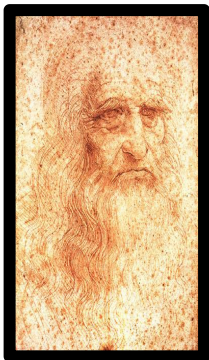
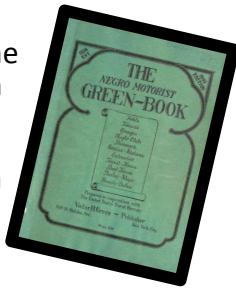
Sending "Links of Love
& Friendship"

Kappa Iota Chapter



Epsilon Epsilon #1896 ~ Denver

In February we attended the Movie "The Green Book" in honor of Black History Month. It was a great addition to the information we have on Lincoln Hills in Gilpin county. This was the summer retreat that was developed so that African Americans could enjoy the beauty of the Rocky Mountains that we love.



March found us immersing ourselves in the art and inventions of Leonardo Da Vinci. The exhibit at the Denver Museum of Nature and Science was ten years in the making and was awe inspiring. I wonder if people were aware that he invented some machines that were hundreds of years ahead of their time.

He invented the screw drive that evolved into the helicopter. He also invented many military machines some used for war. But his art was so overpowering it brought you into it. We had a group of eleven and we all enjoyed lunch afterward.



JoAnn Singley, Joan & Kurt Schlaefer, Vickie & Ken Bruso, Dave & Kathy Garrison, Shelby, Jan Hagan and her guests

Happy Easter!

The Scribe

Theta Eta #2830 ~ Denver

Spring has sprung and Daylight Savings Time has begun! That means it is the season to wrap up the philanthropic projects, write annual reports, and donate money to our various charities.

One group in our chapter delivered 24 hours of food to the Action Center's Homeless Shelter in early February. Two Chapter members delivered prom dresses and accessories to the Arvada High School Prom Shop. We have collected 77,000 coupons for military troops. The goal is to have 100,000 coupons by April 17, 2017. Nut sales are also an ongoing project. A few chapter members are selling Papa Murphy discount cards to raise funds for next year.

March is always a busy month, as that is when we spend our money! This year we donated money to the following places: Glennon Heights Celebration of Teaching Scholarship Fund; DCEF Scholarship Fund; St Jude's Hospital; ESA Disaster Fund; and Eagle's Nest Camp. In addition we delivered checks from Rob Reger's ride to Denver Rescue Mission; Action Center; Easter Seal; Kullstrand Elementary School and Eiber Elementary School. We also took toiletry bags, wash cloths and blankets to the Denver Rescue Mission. We are collecting used shoes for the yearly Soles for Souls project.

Hats Off to all who participated to make this another successful year thus far!!

Five Chapter members attended Spring Board in Ft. Morgan. Four chapter members will work a shift at the Action center's, Beautiful Junk Sale on March 24th at the Jefferson County Fairgrounds:

Judy Kendzora presented an education at our March meeting. It was entitled: "How well do you know the Constitution?" Most of us didn't do very well.

Respectfully submitted,
Mare West
Carolyn Rush



FIFTY YEARS AND COUNTING !

Zeta Chi will celebrate their
50th Anniversary
as members of
Epsilon Sigma Alpha at the

Northern Colorado Council
Founder's Day
on Friday, May 3, 2019.

Karolyn Kufeld, President of Zeta Chi, is a Charter Member with over 60 years of service in ESA.



She will be sharing her memories of 50 years since our Chapter was chartered.

Would love to have many of you share in our special day.



The first person, to send me an email with the correct answers to the following, will receive a special prize at State Convention in Ft. Morgan. All answers can be found in this year's issues of the Golden Lamp or in the State Yearbook!

- 1.) At the beginning of the year, the State President gave members of Colorado ESA 3 (three) challenges. What were they?
- 2.) There are two members of Colorado ESA who are Officers on the International Council. Who are they and what positions do they hold on the IC Board?
- 3.) How many Fairies are in this issue (APRIL) of the Golden Lamp? (Look Closely)
- 4.) What is a Hufflewink?
- 5.) What ESA event is held in July and where will it be held in 2019?
- 6.) Who was our I.C. Rep at the State Convention in Vail, in 2018?
- 7.) What were the 3 (three) Olympic Games held at the Spring Leadership Meeting this year?
- 8.) At the Spring Leadership Meeting, who was the special presenter and what was her occupation?
- 9.) Who are the Lamplighters? What do they do?
- 10.) How many Officers are there on the State Board? (Elected and Appointed)



Denver Alpha Council

Denver Alpha Council Founder's Day Celebration



Rolling Along with ESA!

**May 4, 2019
11 am ~ 2 pm
Cost: \$19.00**

Englewood Elk's Club
3690 S. Jason St.
Englewood, CO

Please send one check per chapter,
payable to Alpha Gamma, with number
of attendees and menu selections by
April 20, 2019 to:

Shirley Conway
6262 S. Ash Circle West
Centennial, CO 80121
(303) 770-1464 OR
Jasac123@earthlink.net with any
questions

Menus:

Chef Salad **OR** Stuffed Tomato
with Chicken Salad.

Dessert provided by Alpha Phi

"Twenty years from now, you will be
more disappointed by the things you
didn't do than by the ones you did do.
So, throw off the bowlines. Sail away
from the safe harbor. Catch the trade
winds in your sails. Explore. Dream.
Discover" Mark Twain

Denver Epsilon Council

We are thrilled to announce that
Denver Epsilon Council has put in a
bid to host the 2020 State
Convention in Denver.

More details will follow in future
issues.

We are happy to be able to support
our Vickie Chavers-Bruso when
she is installed as our 2020-2021
Colorado State President.

At our February meeting we
collected hygiene products for
Family Tree.

Our Next meeting is April 9th at the
IHOP in Arvada.

We will be confirming details for our
Founders Day Luncheon. We
hope to see many of you there!

April 20, 2019

Mickey's Top Sirloin, 70th and
Broadway.

Time 11:00 am – 2:00 pm.

Cost is \$26.00.

RSVP to Rita Martin,
1224 Steele St., Denver, CO 80206

We will be meeting this summer
to ,hopefully, begin planning for the
2020 State Convention.

Kathy Garrison, President
Denver Epsilon Council



*Join the Zeta Chi
Chapter, #3878, Ft.
Collins in their
celebration of 50 years
in Epsilon Sigma Alpha
at the Northern
Colorado Council's
Founder's Day.*

Date Friday, May 3,
2019.

Time Gather at 6 pm,
eat at 6:30 pm

Cost \$16.00

Menu Dickey's BBQ.
Includes: chicken breast,
pulled pork, coleslaw,
green beans, baked
potato casserole, rolls and
beverages.

Deadline Friday, April 26,
2019. RSVP to Cindy
Starck,
csstarck46@gmail.com or
970-229-0785.

Program Installation of
Northern Colorado
Council's officers, awards
and a celebration of Zeta
Chi's 50 years.



State Events



Volunteer Management System

At Spring Board, the new signup for ALSAC sponsored events for St. Jude was presented. The web-based Volunteer Management System (VMS) was rolled out to the state St. Jude Coordinators in January. We will not be using Signup Genius or Volunteer Signup that we used in the past. The Colorado Springs St. Jude Dream Home Giveaway has been selected to test the system for ESA.

After Spring Board, we followed up with an email to everyone with sign up tips and the "VMS how to sign up handout." Let us know if you did not receive the email. VMS tracks the hours you've worked at an event; you'll need to include your travel time on your philanthropic report. ALSAC will provide reports to the Dream Home Co-Chairs prior to an event to ensure we have proper staffing. VMS is now open to the general public to sign up to volunteer at the events; ESA will still be able to sign up. This is a recruitment tool for ESA.

Below are the links to sign up to volunteer at the Colorado Springs Sellathons and Open Houses. Colorado Springs very much appreciates sign ups from other Chapters for the Open Houses. The Open Houses begin Saturday, May 4, thru Sunday, June 9:

- Sellathon Phone Bank: https://sjo.samaritan.com/custom/515/#/opp_details/2006
- Open House Floater: https://sjo.samaritan.com/custom/515/#/opp_details/1928
- Open House Greeter: https://sjo.samaritan.com/custom/515/#/opp_details/1987
- Open House Ticket Processor: https://sjo.samaritan.com/custom/515/#/opp_details/2005
- ESA Games Manager: https://sjo.samaritan.com/custom/515/#/opp_details/2182

To sign up:

- Click on the link, select a date you can volunteer.
- On the right-hand side of page, click on "Sign Up", then "New Volunteer" which prompts a profile page to appear.
- Complete the requested information. Under Group/Organization, select ESA. Your date of birth is a required field to verify you meet the minimum age of 18.
- Click on the waiver agreement and submit application.
- A confirmation email will be sent to you for each event you've signed up for.
- Note: After signing up the first time, your profile is established; you're ready to sign up to volunteer at other events.

If you have a chapter member who does not have access to a computer, please sign them up or contact Jenny or Mary:

Jenny Liebowitz, 719-339-0415
Mary Humphrey, 303-981-1315

You each are a "Gift" to ESA.





Colorado ESA Council
73rd State Convention

**“IT’S A MYSTERY!
WHO, WHAT, WHY?”**

Hosted by Beta Epsilon #357, Fort Morgan

Chairwomen: Gertie Chapin - (970)645-2316; Cindy Powers - (970)876-7203

Dates: May 17, 18 & 19, 2019

Place: **Country Steak Out Restaurant & Event Center**

19592 8th Avenue, Fort Morgan

****LODGING - BEST WESTERN PLUS, OVERLAND INN**

1410 Bartoq Road, Fort Morgan

ROOM RATE: \$114.99 until **April 24, 2019.**

RESERVATIONS: (970) 370 - 2322

Best Western membership 10% discount; Reservations must be cancelled at 72 hours.

FULL BREAKFAST PROVIDED by Best Western

Registration **\$140.00** until **May 1st:** \$145.00 after May 1st:

NO Partial Registrations - Saturday Night Banquet ONLY -

Registration Form - ONE form per member (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

NAME: _____ PHONE: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CHAPTER NAME & NUMBER _____ CITY _____

Please check all that apply: _____ Voting Delegate _____ MAL _____ ELAN
_____ State Officer _____ 1st Time Attendee _____ Lamplighter

****SPECIAL DIET:** _____

Please make checks payable to: **BETA EPSILON #357**; Send registration forms to:

Stephanie Bearden

23200 MCR 28.5

Snyder, CO 80750

Colorado Springs St Jude Dream Home Update #5

The Dream Home is coming along. Tickets are selling!! Grand Opening and Open House starts May 5th.

You can find the info on the St. Jude website.

ESA Dream Home Team

Colorado Springs Weekly Update | Tickets Sold: 2,062 | April 2

Key Campaign Dates

Banning Lewis Ranch
8723 Tranquil Knoll Lane
Colorado Springs, CO



Early Bird Deadline

April 12, 2019

Sneak Peek/Floor Signing

May 3, 2019

Grand Opening

May 4, 2019

Bonus Prize Deadline

May 31, 2019

Giveaway

June 14, 2019



Followup and a request

Dianna Walters - I.C. Easterseals Coordinator

Hi State Presidents,

Well, some of you have completed your year and others are doing final touches for your upcoming State Convention. I do hope all of you have enjoyed your year and created many memories.

Have a couple of quick things. If you do not have an Easterseals Coordinator, please remember the State Easterseals report is due to me on May 15th. You can email or snail mail it.

Next - I am switching my hat..... I am the St. Jude Sr Coordinator for Arizona and wanted to share some exciting news from Arizona. I would love to have all of you share this information with your chapters and your St. Jude Coordinators.

On **Saturday, April 27th** we are having a **"Happy Hour Handbag Auction"**. The exciting part is that they are **live streaming it** and everyone across this great country can participate. All the funds raised will go to St. Jude.

Here is what you have to do. Go to Facebook and like us "AZ COUNCIL ESA". Once you like us, then follow us. On the 27th go to the feed at 6:30 Pacific time, 5:30 Mountain time, 4:30 Central Time and 3:30 Eastern Time and join in the fun. I do believe this is a first, but it could just be the beginning of many more to come.

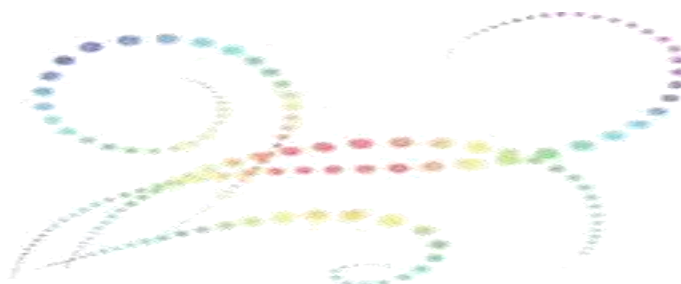
If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me or **Shari Stapleton-Smith, AZ 2nd VP at 831-227-3880**. Please share this with your state. It could be the beginning of something great for ESA and St. Jude. Maybe suggest that the chapters have a social and tune in for some fun and you could be the lucky winner of a handbag full of goodies and gift cards.

Ok - going back to my other hat..... Thanks for all that you and your chapters have done for Easterseals and the Clients that depend on the great work that the Easterseals Affiliates do across the states.

I hope to see many of you in Memphis at the Easterseals Workshop on Thursday. Check your agenda for location.

Thanks again as ESA and Easterseals "take on disabilities together".

Hugs
Deana



I.C. News



Hi everyone!

I know you are all working on your end of the year items and your State Conventions. As we look toward these final milestones, we also want to think about doing something nice for our fearless leader and friend, Kim Kummer. Kim has ask for the following:

Like many people, Kim feels she has enough stuff in her life and rather than add more material items, she would like to help someone less fortunate. As you may or may not know, kid causes are very dear to her heart. She has worked for several years on a large CASA fundraiser in her hometown. So, in her honor, the Kansas Lamplighters (Past ESA Kansas State Presidents Auxiliary) have funded the initial donation for an ESA Foundation Scholarship in her honor. It is called: KIM KUMMER'S LET YOUR LIFE SPEAK ENDOWMENT. LET YOUR LIFE SPEAK was Kim's theme when she served as the Kansas State Council President in 2010-2011.

This scholarship is intended for the use of a CASA client or former CASA client. CASA stands for Court Appointed Special Advocates. They are volunteers appointed by judges to advocate for abused or neglected children, to make sure they don't get lost in the overburdened legal and social service system.

If you would like to contribute to this scholarship to honor Kim, please send your donation (in any amount) made payable to the ESA FOUNDATION. I have attached the form that MUST accompany your donation. When you make a donation, you will receive an acknowledgement from the ESA Foundation office and they will notify me of your gift. All donors will be recognized on a card presented to Kim at IC Convention.

Because this is something close to Kim's heart, if you can make a donation in her honor, please use the form attached.

As you finish up this year, I want to let you know that I have enjoyed keeping up on what you having been doing in your States! The events and fundraisers and activities I've seen have been amazing! You have truly shared your gifts with ESA! I hope you all have the most fun ever at your State Conventions! Savor every moment!

If you have any last minute questions or if there is ever anything I can do to help you, please let me know.

Hugs to you all!

Carolyn Vasco

If you would like to make a contribution, please contact me at: goldenlamp2014 and I will email you the contribution form.

Leslie Stevens, President

Trivia Challenge



Celebration of Easter

- 1.) WHAT IS THE TRADITIONAL NAME FOR EASTER EGG PAINTING?
- 2.) WHICH ANIMAL IS CONSIDERED AS THE ANCIENT SYMBOL OF FERTILITY FOR EASTER?
- 3.) WHAT COLOR IS ASSOCIATED WITH EASTER?
- 4.) WHO MISTOOK THE RISEN JESUS FOR A GARDENER?
- 5.) HOW LONG IS THE EASTER SEASON?
- 6.) AFTER CHOCOLATE, WHAT IS THE MOST POPULAR CANDY SOLD ON EASTER?
- 7.) 76% OF PEOPLE EAT WHICH PART OF A CHOCOLATE EASTER BUNNY FIRST?
- 8.) WHAT DO AUSTRALIAN'S USE TO SYMBOLIZE EASTER INSTEAD OF A RABBIT?
- 9.) WHY IS EASTER CALLED THE "MOVEABLE FEAST"?
- 10.) HOW IS THE DATE EASTER BEGINS DETERMINED EACH YEAR?



April Snows Bring ???

- 1.) WHO SAID "WHERE FLOWERS BLOOM, SO DOES HOPE"?
- 2.) WHAT FLOWER BULB CAN BE USED TO REPLACE ONIONS IN COOKING?
- 3.) WHAT FLOWER INSPIRED THE WILLIAM WADSWORTH POEM "I WANDER LONLEY AS A CLOUD"?
- 4.) WHICH FLOWERS DID ANNE JARVIS DISTRIBUTE ON THE FIRST OFFICIAL MOTHER'S DAY CELEBRATION?
- 5.) SAFFRON COMES FROM WHAT FLOWER?
- 6.) WHICH ARTHOR WROTE THE BOOK "DAISY HEAD MAISY"? (HIS LAST OFFICIAL BOOK)
- 7.) THE FLEUR - DE - LIS IS WHAT TYPE OF FLOWER?
- 8.) WHAT FLOWER, ACCORDING TO LEGEND, BLOOMED EVERYWHERE LORD BUDDA WALKED?
- 9.) WHAT FLOWER WAS ONCE MORE COSTLY THAN GOLD?
- 10.) WHAT COLOR ROSE, DO MOST **MEN** PREFER?

ANSWERS

Easter: 1. Pysanka; 2. A Hare (Rabbit); 3. RED - Jesus' Blood; 4. Mary Magdalene; 5. 50 days; 6. Jelly Beans; 7. THE EARS; 8. A Bilby - Rabbits aren't well liked in Australia; 9. Because it begins on a different date each year, depending on the phases of the moon; 10. Easter Sunday always falls on the first FULL MOON that falls on or after March 21.

April Snows: 1. Lady Bird Johnson; 2. Tulip; 3. Daffodil; 4. Carnations; 5. Crocus; 6. Dr. Suess; 7. Lily; 8. Lotus; 9. Tulips; 10. Red

Photo Album



Spring Leadership ~ RMV Easterseals Camp



Ahh! Spring time in the Rockies!! Our cozy, snow bound lodge!

We did get lots of sun this weekend after terrible snows!

View from Jake's Place where we ate.



Our weekend kicked off with a **100th Anniversary Celebration** for Easterseals and a Toga Party!



Cake and Greek appetizers were served by ESA



We were very honored to have several of the Easterseals staff come and Celebrate with us! **L to R**; Alexis Marsh - ES Special Events Coordinator; Tony Garcia - RMV Director; "Dave" - RMV Chef; Ross Howell, VP of Corporate Relations and Facilities Management; Roman Krafczyk - Easterseals Colorado CEO and Roman's Wife Tracy Krafczyk in the back. NOT pictured, but a very important part of making our weekend a wonderful experience is Jessica Garcia - RMV Office Manager. **THANK YOU ALL SO MUCH FOR JOINING US ON THIS SPECIAL OCCASION!**



Roman, Tony and Ross addressed our Toga clad ladies and relayed some very interesting and funny stories about Easterseals and RMV.



ESA State Easterseals Chair, Nancy Trebella, Tony Garcia, ESA State President, Leslie Stevens and Roman Krafczyk



Our Mountain of Towels for Easterseals was a great success! Thank you to all our Colorado Sisters for the remarkable amount of items donated this year!



The two minds behind this TOGA crime! Easterseals Chair, Nancy Trebella and State President, Leslie Stevens



RMV provided us with a "Wish List" of items needed at the camp, and you ladies sure did come through!

Let the Games Begin!

TOGA!!

TOGA!!

TOGA!!

Our BRILLIANT Easterseals Director, Nancy Trebella, came up with “Age Appropriate” OLYMPIC GAMES to go with our TOGA Party!

We were divided into teams for **“It’s Greek To Me” Competition**, in which we were given a Greek God/Goddess Name for our teams. Then a series of questions was given about Greek Mythology and even having to write the Greek Alphabet in order! Teams earned points for correct answers and points for winning other competitions throughout the night!! **IT WAS A BLAST!!!**



Sock Match up!

A laundry basket of socks, some with mates, some WITHOUT mates was unceremoniously dumped on the floor. A member from each team sat around the socks and had to make as many matches as they could in 2 minutes!

Chris Dostel, Chloe McClantoc, Leslie Stevens, Kathy Garrison, Cindy Powers and Susie Morris, scrambling for those socks!



Fitted Sheet Folding Competition These were judged for neatness after folding.



From upper left: Patty Erlich & Gertie Chapin; JoAnne Singley & Rita Martin; Shirley Telinde & Georgia DeLong (background); Holly Sturgen & Mary Humphrey; Beth Gibson and Loydette Knight, all tucking and flipping their sheets!

T.O.G.A!!!



Goddesses ~ one and all!



Nancy Cameron ~ The Sacred Keeper of the Drink!



Dixie Daly with Kathy Garrison and Susie Morris



Gamma Omega
beauties Bobbi
Hawkinson and Jessica
Filla



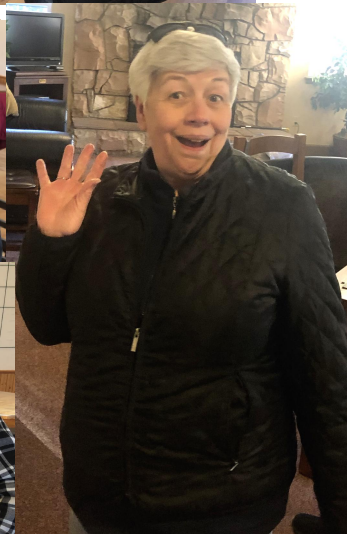
THE MORNING AFTER..... (Business Meeting)

We had a very special speaker on Saturday. Holly Sturgon, Sigma Rho, is a professional H&R Consultant. She showed us that there are different communication styles and how to identify and adjust our communication style for better, more productive interactions.



Holly's
seminar was
very
informative
and VERY
entertaining!

Then on to lunch which is a whole other thing unto itself!!!





Thanking the kitchen staff for all the wonderful meals provided over the weekend. These are volunteers who gave us their weekend, after working all week at other jobs!



Thank you, everyone, for making this a VERY memorable weekend!

In Loving Memory



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