

# THE NEW OREGON TRAIL

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**Vision:** *Leading women educators, impacting education worldwide.*



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## JOIN US IN BEND FOR FUN, GREAT FOOD, INFO FROM INT'L OFFICE, AND WEBSITE TRAINING

**WHEN?** April 20 - 22, 2018 (Friday - Sunday)

**WHERE?** Mt. Bachelor Village Resort, Bend, Oregon

**WHO?** Keynoters to share ideas



Rachel Rich



Dr. Judy Mertz

### WHY?

- Learning skills at workshops
- Meeting new friends
- Greeting old friends
- Catching up on what is happening in DKG
- Discussing the latest mailing from Int'l HQ -- the *Special Amendments Edition*
- Celebrating new chapter officers
- Remembering former members in Chapter Eternal
- Taking the Pour Tour
- Contributing to DKG Fund for good causes
- Developing your chapter website

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### CONFERENCE WEBSITE

Click to read committee reports, messages, and more!

[dkgoregonconvention.weebly.com](http://dkgoregonconvention.weebly.com)

### CONFERENCE DEADLINES

**Resort lodging registration**  
...with DKG special rates  
**March 20**

**Conference registration**  
**March 30**



*Kelly McIntyre, 2017 - 19 President  
Oregon State Organization*

## FORWARD MOVING EVER



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March Madness is upon us. That's not just about basketball! Have you noticed the weather? Is it winter or is it spring? Will spring get here before spring break? Sometimes I think it's a race. For those still in the classroom, spring break is almost here. You can usually feel it coming by watching the students. Just before each long break, they start to ramp up. They get excited about not having to go to school and that's okay, because you're excited too! We all need that time to rest and recharge, knowing that when we go back it's downhill until school is out for the summer. But wait – there is one more hill. It's called state assessments. Then it's truly all downhill.

For those not in the classroom, please support those that still are with encouraging words, little treats for energy, or maybe a glass of wine after work. We do enjoy the times we can share together and the relationships we build with fellow teachers. This is easier to do within the chapter, but what about at the state level? How can we build relationships there? The answer is at state conference and by joining state committees.

The Oregon State Conference will be in Bend this year from April 20-22. This is a great time to reconnect with members you haven't seen since Fall Conference or State Convention last year. It's also a time to meet new friends. At each meeting I attend, I try to remember the names of three more members. As I have a hard time with names, this is a challenge for me—but one I

look forward to. There are so many amazing women educators in Oregon. I want to know as many as possible.

I've found that working with someone helps me remember their name. That said, state committees are seeking new members. None of the committee work is difficult nor do they take a huge time commitment. Each committee has a term for service, so you do not have to be a member for years. If you have an interest in sharing your skill with a state committee, let me know, or contact the committee chair. We will be thrilled to have you. Call today.

I look forward to seeing as many of you as possible in Bend. I hope your name is one I learn. I'm also looking forward to spring break. Until then, may the sun shine on you and bring you joy, happiness, and good health. And may you be forward moving ever in DKG.



*Kelly*

## WONDERFUL WORKSHOPS TO INFORM, EXCITE, AND ENGAGE

### Session I: 10:00-10:50 a.m.

#### **Early Childhood Trauma & Resiliency**

Kayla Rotunno, Development Director, MountainStar Family Relief Nursery

Leading pediatrician Dr. Nadine Burke-Harris' TED Talk entitled "How Childhood Trauma Affects Health Across A Lifetime" is a must-see. We will view it together and presenter, Kayla Rotunno of MountainStar Family Relief Nursery, will expand on what we learned and draw connections to local efforts to build healthy communities. How can we best protect local children? More than 30 Relief Nurseries across Oregon have a solution, which you'll learn about as we explore how to prevent childhood trauma and build strong children and families.

#### **Suggestions About Engaging the Disengaged Student**

Vickie Jackson, Iota

Our students are acting out because life around them is constantly changing. This workshop will give suggestions about working with disengaged students in your classroom. You are the person that they spend time with, so you need to notice "signs" of behavior and try something new to engage them. Always be consistent and routine in your classroom. This is the place that will give them stability and learning for the future. If the "basic" needs of a child are met, then they are ready to learn. Join the discussion and go away with tips that you can use in your classroom!

#### **Classroom for Sale**

Rachel Rich\*, Founding Member, Community Alliance for Public Education

Classrooms are the latest targets of venture capitalists who want to monetize every moment of teaching and learning. That means more standardized tests, more computer learning, and exploitation of student data. Already, students are experiencing gadget burnout and frustration. They receive less personal help and have fewer opportunities for self-expression, human interaction, and hands-on learning.

Come find out what recent surveys say students, parents, and teachers really want from education. We'll examine some successful models, and you will learn how to advocate for real learning in your community.

\*As a founding member of the Community Alliance for Public Education, Rachel Rich helped write foreign language benchmarks, standardized tests, and piloted some of the first computer adaptive testing software. A friend of technology, she nevertheless sees its pitfalls in learning and privacy.

### Session II: 11:00-11:50 a.m.

#### **Day with Dementia, and Bridging the Gap Between Young and Old**

Tracie Flores and Rachael Pitts-Shire, Executive Directors, Countryside Living

Caring for individuals suffering from memory loss can be a challenge. Dementia/Alzheimer's is ultimately a lonely condition, and you can never truly know what it's like for your loved one. Let us take a moment of your time to help you better understand what the person with the diagnosis is going through. Just simply

understanding what is lost and how to put it back together is most of the battle. Tracie Flores will help you understand the diagnosis with an interactive approach allowing long-lasting knowledge that you can pass on.

A friendly face, a non-judgmental smile, a song sung off key, a silly dance, and a hug from the heart—that is what intergenerational child care offers in our Memory Care Facilities. Our kids and their grand pals are a display of true, unconditional love to be shared all over the world. Rachael Pitts-Shire will be sharing with you the benefits of bridging the gap between young and old.

### **A Call to Action in Today's Political Climate**

#### **Discussions From the National Legislative Seminar and the CTAUN Conference at the United Nations**

Dana Murphy, Beta Beta

This spring we had three participants attend the U.S. Forum of DKG, “Women Poised for Legislative Action” in Washington, DC. We also had a member attend the conference at the United Nations in New York, “Stepping Up to Protect the World’s Children.”

This is our opportunity to share our exciting experiences and learned strategies that support the three major goals of our Educational Excellence Committee (EEC):

1. Empowering women through leadership opportunities;
2. Engaging educators in purposeful programs and projects: and
3. Creating global involvement.

As we know, children are our future. May none be left out because we failed to act. Our voices can make a difference!

### **Oregon Outdoor Schools**

Charlie Anderson, Camp Tamarack Owner/Director

Outdoor School has been a staple for some Oregon school districts but only a dream for others. In 2016, Oregon voters passed Measure 99, stating that all Oregon 5th or 6th Graders should be participating in an outdoor school program. An Outdoor School (ODS) Advisory Committee was formed, and the process for Oregon ESDs and school districts to apply for outdoor school funding was established. The first year of applications and funding is coming to an end while the application for funds is being prepared for the 2018-19 school year. Charlie Anderson is the owner and director of Camp Tamarack, a frequent site for Central Oregon outdoor schools. He is also a member of the ODS Advisory Committee and will share what he has experienced in this first year of Oregon Outdoor Schools.

**Session III: 2:30-3:20 p.m.**

### **Cruising for Lifelong Learning**

Donna Rhinevault, Beta Beta

Imagine leaving the classroom behind and cruising in a ship over the blue waters of rivers and seas, being pampered and relaxed, enjoying the sights, being in different lands in each port, and learning about new places and cultures. If this sounds wonderful to you, please join us for an informative presentation about cruising to learn all you need to get you sailing in all parts of the world.

## **Know the Facts About DKG Awards and Scholarships**

Oregon State Organization's Award and Scholarship Committees

Join the State's Award Committee and the Scholarship Committee as they present a joint workshop to explain the benefits/ opportunities of their committees to individuals and chapters.

## **C-GEO Giant Map & Atlas Team**

Shirley Lomax, Alpha Epsilon, and Karen Adams, Sigma

Participants in this workshop will learn how to set up a free Student Atlas of Oregon Workshop in their schools. They will preview workshop components, illustrating how the atlas can be used to actively teach multiple subjects to promote geographic literacy.

This will be an interactive workshop. Participants will explore geographical features of the state of Oregon, using a giant map, so get ready to take off your shoes and "hop on" as we explore our fantastic state.

### **Session IV: 3:30-4:20 p.m.**

## **State Book Club**

Kelly McIntyre, Psi

We are reading *The Nightingale* by Kristin Hannah, which is set in France during post-World War I in 1919. In love, we find out who we want to be. In war, we find out who we are. In this epic novel, two sisters find themselves estranged when they disagree about the imminent threat of occupation. Separated by principles and temperament, each must find her own way forward as she faces moral questions and life-or-death choices. Not only is it an emotionally inspiring story with well-drawn characters whom you grow to care about deeply, but it is also historically informative. This is a book of 400 pages you will not want to put down, so plan accordingly. If you don't believe me, ask anyone who has read it.

## **Kaleidoscope Play & Learn**

Tawnya Campbell, Omega, Title I Intervention Specialist, Evergreen Elementary

Kaleidoscope Play and Learn at Evergreen Elementary is a play-and-learn group supporting three- to five-year-olds for kindergarten readiness. The program also educates caregivers on how to support their children's development at home using everyday household items. You will learn how to work closely with kindergarten teams to know what aspects of development and social/emotional behavior to address during play group to better prepare your incoming kindergarteners.

## **Bridging the Generation Gap**

Karen Shelton, Iota

Looking for ideas to bridge the gap and engage new members in your chapter? Our focus will be on utilizing the strengths of members from multiple generations to effectively establish meaningful dialogue and provide energized, all-inclusive chapters with a variety of ages. Bring your tips for building strong, viable, multi-generational chapters to share.

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## CHAPTER CHATTER COMMUNICATE & CONNECT

### District 1

**Zeta (Union County): HELPING OUR SCHOOLS:** Zeta focused on helping our local schools this year. We helped Central Elementary move into their beautiful new building. We have been donating items to the Angel Fund, a program for homeless or unaccompanied youth. We helped put together bags, so every Angel Fund student went home with a Christmas Bag that included food, hygiene products, and something personal.

**Iota (Umatilla & Morrow Cos.): MEMBERS & PRESENTERS:**

We are excited to have initiated two new members! If you happen to see **Brooke or Lia** at the State Conference, be sure to welcome them to DKG. I keep telling them what an amazing group of women we have and that they will make so many great friends. Two workshop sessions will be presented by Iota members, so stop on by. We are eager to see you all in Bend next month!

### District 2

**Omega (Josephine Co.): OMEGA HOSTS DHS & SOU SPEAKERS:** In February, Omega learned much about the work done by DHS in southern Oregon. Our goal was to discover how to meet challenges these students face in classrooms and to brainstorm ways to help them succeed. The evening was a rousing success, with lots learned and suggestions that may help teachers and students.

Kim Boyum, Ongoing Supervisor, and Bob Hendrick, Foster Home Recruiter and Certifier, shared information about roles DHS plays in lives of foster children and their families. New laws

assist in helping students remain in their school of origin. Help exists even after a child turns 18. The biggest problem is the lack of certified foster homes, even though the process to become certified is quite simple. The key from foster students' own statements is, *"Please treat me just like everyone else."*

In March, Susan Faller from the SOU School of Education brought us up to date on training and expectations for new educators. All except our newer members were surprised by the new requirements and especially by demands that take away from actual teaching time.

### District 3

**Lambda (Lane Co.): SKIPPING STONES, DOMESTIC VIOLENCE & NEW SEATING:** In January, Lambda heard Arun Narayan Toke speak about Skipping Stones, a multicultural literary magazine he has published for 30 years. The non-profit children's magazine encourages cooperation, creativity, and celebration of cultural and linguistic diversity. Skipping Stones provides a place for writers and artists of all ages and backgrounds to communicate creatively and openly about their dreams and opinions. Students from all parts of the world submit poetry, nonfiction and bilingual writing. Submissions are screened by reviewers, both adults and students ages 8 to 17. **Jodi Emmons** spoke with Arun about possibly donating some books to the elementary school where she volunteers. A few days later he donated a box of books, including some in Spanish/English, Chinese, Swahili, and other languages.

In February, we learned about Kids

FIRST (Forensic Investigation Response and Support Team) of Eugene. Children who have witnessed domestic violence and/or been personally abused are referred by DHA and law enforcement. The primary goal is to make children feel safe, comfortable, and supported while the staff provide services in a welcoming environment. Services include recorded interviews, medical exams, assisting victims, providing referrals, grand jury hearings, domestic violence witness intervention, and educational support groups.

Pleasant Hill Elementary was the site of our March meeting. We experienced the “flexible seating” being used in third grade classrooms. Jessica Wolpe, one of the teachers, shared how she has set up her classroom with a variety of seating options for students. These include such things as yoga balls, beanbag chairs, “mushroom” stools, rocking chairs, tables at various heights (so students can stand or sit), and even a teepee for one who might want privacy when working. When she instructs the entire class, they sit on a rug facing her. Then they can move to chosen seating to work on assignments or activities. Having used the flexible seating, she feels there is a definite advantage over the traditional desk seating of other years.



*Guadalupe Jones tries a yoga-ball “chair.”*

**Sigma (Bend, Redmond, Central Oregon):** After **Carol Bicart**, the former president, passed away in October 2017, **Karen Adams** stepped up as the new president for Sigma.

#### District 4

**Alpha Omicron (St. Helens):** **MOVING FORWARD!** Dictionary Project, B.E.A.R. Project, Operation Christmas Child, Welcoming New Teachers, \$50 Teacher Grants, Art Literacy in the Classroom, and DKG Awareness Tea (to promote membership) -- Alpha Omicron has had a great time staying busy this year. We have welcomed four new members to our chapter and another will be initiated in April. We are proud to say that we are “Forward Moving Ever!”

#### District 5

**Alpha Epsilon (Salem & Polk Co.):** **KINDNESS RULES!** Alpha Epsilon celebrated February with the program “Acts of Kindness” led by member **Debra Freels**. Deb led a heartfelt discussion on what types of kindness members had shared with others, acts they had seen done to others, and acts that were bestowed upon them. Then she presented us with painted rocks



on which we were to write inspiring sayings. At the end of the program, we were all invited to take home several rocks to give to people who we thought needed a little love or to lay them out somewhere for people to find.

**Alpha Nu (Hillsboro, Beaverton & Washington Co.):** **ALWAYS A TEACHER:** Member **Grace Pitzer**



(pictured above) is looking forward to connecting with fellow state members at the State Conference in Bend when she returns from her winter in Arizona. Once a teacher always a teacher, Grace has found a way to share her love of teaching and technology. As a member of the Green Valley Camera Club, she has taught 12 classes this winter: 5 iPhone photography classes; 2 sessions of “Photos on a Mac”; 3 iMovie classes, creating movies on iPhone and iPad; and 2 classes of Weebly Web Design. The Computer Club invited her to be a guest speaker to present Weebly Website Builder. As the “Mac Teacher,” Grace’s teaching talents were appreciated, and she enjoyed a busy winter doing what she loves.

**Beta Beta (Tigard/Tualatin/Sherwood):** **BETA BETA SAYS, “IT’S A BANNER YEAR!”** The Beta Beta Education Foundation raises funds for distribution by our four “Giving” committees. Recent fundraisers had wonderful results. Our fall auction raised the most money to date for the event, including \$2,500 in non-profit donations raised by our Business Partners Committee through business and community contributions using our 501(c)(3) number. In December, a member hosted a holiday open house that netted \$2,000 in contributions. Other members also held events that profited our Foundation.

March is Beta Beta Education Foundation month when we celebrate the works of our committees and

accomplish our required business meeting. Through hard work of our members and the generous spirit of those who produce and attend our events, Beta Beta is having a banner year!

BB has given away \$1995.16 in Music and Arts this year. Eight teachers applied for the grants last fall, and we were able to award each applicant the \$250 or less that they asked for. It's fun to give away money for a wonderful cause. Music and arts in the elementary schools would otherwise not be funded and likely not offered without our mini grants. More details and more photos are on BB's Facebook page. We will do a follow up when we get pictures of students enjoying their opportunities! Kathryn Le Pore, Tualatin Elementary, will use her mini-grant for an after-school pottery class.



Left to right: **Barbara Mills** gives music teacher Rosalie Brown Lundh and her principal Jarvis Gomes their \$250 mini-grant for Deer Creek Elementary's didgeridoo concert this spring.



See next column, please.

Wade Silverman from Durham Elementary shows the Agogo bells for his 5<sup>th</sup> grade samba band.

### District 6

**Chi (Clackamas): STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES**—Chi Chapter met at the home of **Jean Fairbairn**. Members held a field trip to the North Clackamas School District Family Services building and learned about the programs available to any child enrolled in the district. After a light dinner served by **Pat Howard**, the election of officers was held, new year books were dispersed, and fun was had by all.

**Did we miss your chapter? To be sure your activities are represented in the next issue, any member interested in being a reporter can send a sentence or two of "chatter" to Marie Mueller, Trail editor, at [cwmueller33@gmail.com](mailto:cwmueller33@gmail.com).**

### Alpha Rho State (Oregon) GOLDEN GIFT SEMINAR PARTICIPANTS

Oregon celebrates the selection of **Karen Shelton, Iota/1**, for the 2018 Leadership Management Seminar, presented by the the Golden Gift Fund at DKG International Office. Karen joins a list of other Oregon women who have had this training.

#### Past Oregon Seminar Participants

- 1980 Dr. Barbara Middaugh, Epsilon
- 1983 Dr. Edythe Leupp, Theta  
Rosemary Fisk, Eta
- 1984 Dr. Helen Benschmidt,  
Alpha Gamma  
Nancy Garrett, Zeta
- 1985 Jean Fairbairn, Chi
- 1986 Karen Spencer, Sigma
- 1987 Carolyn Rogers, Beta Beta
- 1991 Jill Foltz, Omega
- 1993 Dr. Yvonne Fasold, Lambda
- 1994 Bobbie Holsberry, Kappa
- 1997 Dr. Joanne Miller, Gamma
- 2004 Alyce Sandusky, Alpha
- 2006 Janet Walsh, Gamma
- 2008 Bridget E. Honan, Alpha  
Madaline Lapp, Omicron  
Dr. Norma Wetzell, Beta Beta
- 2010 Linda St.Pierre, Nu
- 2012 Kaye Jones, Kappa
- 2014 Darlene Cook, Alpha  
Kelly McIntyre, Psi
- 2018 Karen Shelton, Iota**



**INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION 2018** is July 16 - 20 in Austin, Texas, the home of International Headquarters. Austin has many interesting sites to visit. You'll have an opportunity to help decide on amendments to update and modernize our Society, to visit HQ, take tours, and learn a lot. Register now!



## NEWS OF OREGON MEMBERS

### MESSAGE FROM KAREN SHELTON, GOLDEN GIFT 2018

Thank you! I am really excited!!!



I became interested in taking more leadership roles in DKG after participating in a webinar with Dr. Lyn Schmid, who asked what the under-35 crowd was thinking. After participating, I was invited to be part of the first **DKG next!** group. We were seven young women who were valued by and a voice in this organization. After participating, I was eager to do more within DKG. I currently serve as the Northwest Representative for the International Membership Committee. Women on that committee encouraged me to apply for the Golden Gift. To be honest, I didn't know much about it, so I did a bit of digging on the DKG website and found that it was exactly what I want to do next! At NW Regional, I made sure to attend every session about the program and began reaching out to friends who already had "The Golden Gift" to ask about their experiences.

I marked my calendar for the opening of the applications and went straight to work. I talked to my superintendent. I got my references going right away. I made a list of all that I had done in my school, in my church, in my community, and in DKG. Once I saw all that I was doing, I felt a bit more accomplished. Then I began the essay. I probably wrote 15 drafts or maybe more. My first was the best. Then I started second-guessing myself, and they got worse and worse! I finally scrapped them all and started over, speaking from my heart, and I didn't ask for any opinions. That one was my best version as it did the job! I submitted my application early, long before the deadline. Once the application was received, Nita Scott e-mailed to say that I would hear within two weeks after the selection committee met.

About a week after the meeting, I was selected! I am incredibly excited for this experience! I hope to learn leadership skills that will help as I take on more leadership roles within DKG. I am eager to learn more about how I can help this amazing group of women into the next era of leading women educators.

I have been certainly blessed and am very fortunate to have so many women in this organization put faith and trust in me. My chapter is amazing, I have so many friends throughout Oregon, and now I am making new friends across the nation and beyond! I just hope that I can keep up with this amazing group of women!!

*Karen*

#### A DKG BEQUEST

**Complete this form and place it with your DKG jewelry so your heirs will know what to do.**

In the event of my death, I request that my family donate my Delta Kappa Gamma pins to \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter of DKG or to the Oregon State Organization of DKG  
c/o Madaline Lapp, Treasurer, 508 Lapp Ln., Roseburg, OR 97471-9356: madaline@wildblue.com

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Kathie Hill, Omega/2

I got a shock in January. My doctor sent me for a CT scan to check for diverticulitis and found that I had a tumor on my left kidney. Everything moved quickly. The urologist said I'd have surgery. He suggested I go on a planned trip to the Bahamas with Kathy Martell and Sandy Watts. We partied for a week in Nassau, where Sandy and Kathy helped keep my mind off the surgery. Kathy's 70<sup>th</sup> birthday celebration was a blast!

I returned Friday and was at the hospital at 6 a.m. Monday. Our friends, Jim and Ann Hutton, came from



Charlotte to help out. I'm very thankful for the radiologist's keen eye that found the tumor so early.

The urologist was kind enough to hand deliver the pathology report as soon as he got it. The tumor was a clear cell cancer at Stage 1. He removed the entire kidney, so margins were clear, a huge relief. It took a week for my digestive system to wake up, but on February 18, I could go home. The hospital staff was amazed at how much I walked. They said I was the most active post-op patient they had ever seen. My Manzie dog was excited to see me and was impatient for some walks..

My goal is to play golf by April. Now, in mid-March, I'm feeling much better, but still take a lot of naps! Thanks to all for your cards and support!

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## NEWS OF OREGON MEMBERS

### News from Shirley Mann:

I had open heart surgery on February 8 and had a 9-day stay in the hospital. Now I am trying to get better at home.

### Lambda's 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary with Miss Jule Crume, one of the charter members!



L to R: Jodi Emmons, Bev Emmons, **Lambda Charter Member Jule Crume**, Nancy Schaal-McHarry, 13-month old Maggie, Yvonne Fasold. Our oldest and our youngest, plus some in-betweens. We enjoyed joining Jule for lunch at Solvang, where she lives. (FYI: Yvonne Fasold and Marie Mueller were both students of Miss Crume in Honors English at Cottage Grove High School. Her hair was dark then—and so was ours!)

## CELEBRATING NEW AND REINSTATED MEMBERS



**Alpha Nu Chapter (Hillsboro, Beaverton, & Washington Co.) welcomes four new members.**



L to R: Madeline Baker (Portland), Rachael Smith (Portland), Emily Gentzkow (Hillsboro), and Bethany Schroeder (Hillsboro). Photo by Grace Pitzer.

**Iota Chapter (Umatilla and Morrow Cos.)** welcomed two new members. Brooke Michaud (Milton-Freewater) and Lia Cottam (Milton-Freewater).

**Alpha Omicron Chapter (St. Helens):** Betsy Penziol (Warren) Betsy was a member years ago and has rejoined. Initiates: Kellee Wood, (St. Helens); Christine Ebrahimi, (Columbia City)

**Pi Chapter:** Jenni Bergemann (Hood River) and Whitney Hansen, (The Dalles)

**Chi Chapter:** Jo Strom Lane (Portland) and Pat Maple, Honorary Member (Milwaukie)

**Alpha Phi Chapter:** Janell Jensen Bittner, (Milwaukie)

**Beta Beta Chapter:** Joan Kay Lennox, reinstated, (Tigard)

### WHITE ROSES FOR CHAPTER ETERNAL

**Beta Beta (Portland area):** Edith Knouff, March 25, 2017  
Darline Severus, July 26, 2017

**Sigma (Bend):** Carol Kari Bicart, October 30, 2017.



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<b>PRESIDENT KELLY'S SCHEDULE JANUARY - JULY 2018</b>		
<b>WHEN</b>	<b>WHAT</b>	<b>WHERE</b>
Feb. 12	Beta Beta Chapter Meeting	Tigard, OR
April 9	Alpha Nu	Portland, OR, area
<b>2018</b>		
April 20-22	Oregon Spring Conference	Mt. Bachelor Village Bend, OR
July 16 – 20	International Convention	Austin, TX