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The Upsilon Update

Upsilon Chapter, Eaton County, Michigan State Organization of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society International

Coaches' Message

Happy Spring! That is, if Mother Nature takes a peek at the calendar and decides to follow the normal course of nature.

Sorry that it has been a while since we have seen each other. Our Coordinating Council meeting, which was our last chance to get together, had to be cancelled due to lack of interest. After some soul searching we decided that we did not have enough reservations to go ahead with the event.

I hope to see you at our April 15 meeting. We are collecting books, coloring book, crayons and snacks for the Siren/Eaton Center. Our program will be Capturing Kids Hearts presented by the principal from Potterville.

On April 28, 2023, Upsilon Chapter will be 73 years old. Upsilon was chartered at the First Congregational Church in Charlotte. Throughout the years our chapter has produced many outstanding women educators.

I hope to see you April 15.

-Judy Foster

Please Note: We will be meeting on the restaurant side at Tony M's as they have a party of 100 that day.

Happy Apríl 73rd Bírthday Upsílon Chapter





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Upsilon Meetings For 2023

Saturday, April 14, 2023 12:00 p.m. Tony M's 3420 S Creyts Rd Lansing, MI 48917 (Tony M's does not open until noon, thus the time change.)

Thursday, May 11, 2023 5:00 p.m. House of Hsu Grand Ledge, MI 48837

Saturday, June 17, 20223 11:00 a.m. Marilyn's

Program of Work July 13, 2023 at 9:00 a.m. Congregational church Charlotte, MI 48813

Budget Committee July 19, 2023 at 9:00 a.m. LuAnn Stuible Lansing, MI 48917

Thursday, Sept 14, 2023 5:00 p.m. First Congregational Church

Thursday, Oct 12, 2023 5:00 p.m. Wacousta Community UMC



Vicki Sandstrom- I am traveling to Italy for a few weeks. Jackie Jancek and I sang with the Delta Community Choir in a combined concert with the Dewitt Community Band on March 22.

Vicki Sandstrom and Jackie Jancek would like to invite you to their concert. Delta Community Choir is celebrating 10 years!



Grant-in-Aid: We have an least four applications for the Hansbarger Grant-in-Aid. Judy Nixon will be getting those out to the committee members soon.

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DKG Upsilon Chapter Treasurer's Report March 30, 2023

 Checking
 \$1,067.25

 Savings
 \$1,324.46

 Cert. of Deposit
 \$3,186.27

 Spartan Saver
 \$. 178.03

*** Please submit any dues, bills or reimbursements to me via mail or in person. Thanks, LuAnn Stuible 5222 River Ridge Dr Lansing, MI 48917



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-Mary Slag

Big Picture: Top Education Stories

Michigan \$180 inflation relief checks 2023: what to know about Whitmer's plan (Bridge Magazine, Feb. 8)

Michigan Gov. Gretchen Whitmer and Democratic legislative leaders have proposed a plan that would issue \$180 "inflation relief checks" early this year to Michigan residents filing taxes for the 2022 tax year. The rebate checks are part of a larger tax reduction that also includes eliminating all income taxes on public and private retirement pensions.

Michigan Senate dumps 'read or flunk' portion of third-grade law (Bridge Magazine, Feb. 8)

The Michigan Senate voted Wednesday to dismantle a controversial law requiring students to repeat the third grade if they're behind in reading skills. Senate Bill 12 does away with the retention policy, but keeps provisions outlining how schools assess students for reading skills and what interventions to provide.

-Judy Foster

Planning to Visit the Capitol in Lansing? The hundreds of thousands of visitors that come through the Michigan State Capitol every year will now have a new entryway into the building after Heritage Hall opens. The completely new \$40 million underground building at the Capitol has been 30 years in the making and is slated to open July 5, 2023.

