

# The Upsilon Update

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

## Coaches' Message

It was so good to see everyone at Upsilon's 73<sup>rd</sup> birthday celebration, an enjoyable time was had by all. Marilyn Hansbarger's delicious carrot cake, which she made for all of us, was doubly delicious since we had not been together since our last Christmas meeting. Being in each other's company was so enjoyable.

Our next chapter meeting will be May 11 at the House of Hsu. The State President, Elena Ivanova, will be unable to attend our meeting as we planned due to unforeseen circumstances. Instead, the 2023 Hansbarger Grant -in-Aid recipient will be with us.

It is time to pay dues. As mentioned on page five of your handbook, full dues are \$90 and a reserved membership is \$58. Dues must be paid by July 1. If you wish to mail in your dues, send them to: LuAnn Stuible, 5222 River Ridge Dr., Lansing, MI 48917.

Are you doing your Spring cleaning? Keep the Upsilon garage sale in mind. The event will be held the weekend of Frontier Days in Joanne Gardner's garage. So, save your "stuff". More details are to come.

Marilyn Hansbarger is again in charge of our table at the Farmer's Market in Diamondale. An additional event for the chapter is a table at the Wacousta Community UMC Block Party, June 3 from 3-7 p.m. There will also be food trucks there.

Hope to see you at our May11 meeting at 5 p.m.

*-Judy Foster*



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**Upsilon Meetings  
For 2023**

**Thursday, May 11, 2023  
5:00 p.m.  
House of Hsu  
Meet our Grant Recipient  
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**



**May Birthdays**

**Linda Aldrich- May 8  
Vicki Sandstrom- May 30**

**Minutes of the April Meeting**

The Michigan State Organization of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society International Upsilon Chapter met at noon on April 15, 2023 at Tony M's Restaurant. Eleven members were present. Pat Williams, who has been accepted for Upsilon membership, was our guest. Judy Nixon presided.

Marilyn Hansbarger provided a carrot cake dessert to celebrate Upsilon's upcoming 73rd birthday on April 28th. Our thanks to *Marilyn* for the contribution of dessert, and for sharing her mission of *Sprinkling Joy*.

Lissa Sell presented an introduction to "LGBTQ+ in Educational Settings".

A continuation of this presentation will be forthcoming for our chapter. **Secretary's minutes** as published in the Upsilon Update were approved and will be placed on file.

**Correspondence** was from Marilyn Hansbarger to thank the Upsilon Chapter for the dozen roses she received in celebration of her 90th birthday in January.

There was no **Treasurer's report**. (LuAnn Stuible was not present.)

**Presidents' Reports:**

Judy Nixon will be attending the Michigan State Convention in Port Huron later this month. There was much discussion of the Alpha Iota State website and the new password in use. The password is not to be emailed (per Alpha Iota State guidelines). If an Upsilon member needs it, please contact Judy Nixon personally.

Joanne Gardner posed three questions:

--Is the Capital Coordinating Council March Luncheon outdated, as attendance is so lacking? Judy Nixon will report back to us after an upcoming Coordinating Council meeting.

--Upsilon dues? \$90 Full membership, \$58 for Reserve. Due by June of this year.

--Upcoming Garage Sale plans? As in years past, our Garage Sale will be held during Charlotte Frontier Days (September 6-9, 2023) at Joanne's home. Members, please mark your calendars and start collecting items to contribute to the sale. *(Cont's on page 3)*

**DKG Upsilon Chapter  
Treasurer's Report  
March 30, 2023**

Checking	\$1,067.25
Savings	\$4,562.99
Cert. of Deposit transferred to Savings	
Spartan Saver	\$. 178.04

**\*\*\* Please submit any dues by June 1st, any bills or reimbursements to me via mail or in person.**

**Thanks,  
LuAnn Stuible  
5222 River Ridge Dr  
Lansing, MI 48917**



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*(April Minutes cont'd from page 2)*

Member attendance at this event is essential as well.

**Committee Reports:**

Grant-in-Aid; Mary Slag will collect recommendations from this committee in order to welcome the 2023 recipient at our May meeting.

**Unfinished Business:**

Marilyn Hansbarger gave an inventory of items she has on hand for upcoming sales events. There is always a need for dishcloths, and terrycloth kitchen towels. Marilyn will be setting up a table on June 3rd from 3-7 PM at the Wacousta Community UMC Block Party, and at the Dimondale Farmers' Market this summer.

**New Business:**

- Mary Slag noted the State Organization will no longer be evaluating Newsletters. Our Upsilon Update publications have always received rave reviews thanks to Mary's energy and efforts. Thank you, Mary.
- Jackie Jancek announced Susan "Susie" Dalebout is interested in being a member of Upsilon.

Meeting adjourned at 1:42 PM.

Carolyn Shoaps  
Recording Secretary



**Marilyn Hansbarger:** My first market will be June 3 at Wacousta Church for the preschool Block Party. If any one could make some Terry cloth double hand towels they could give them to me at our May meeting. Any items made by our members are welcome at any time.

**Jackie and Vicki** would like to invite you to "With You There is Music" at Our Savior Lutheran Church 4910 E. St. Joe Hwy, Lansing, MI. 3:00 p.m. Sunday, May 7th.