

NEWPORT-SOUTH COAST ALUMNAE CHAPTER

Delta Gamma

GREETINGS FROM NSC OFFICER HELEN THIES:

Helen Thies, Gamma Chi, Cal State Long Beach, has been a tireless leader of Newport-South Alumnae Chapter for a dozen years, having held various positions over the years, including president and vp: programming. Currently, she is vp: Foundation, Awards Chair, Fundraising Chair and co-chairperson of our 2024 Founders Day celebration! She has been instrumental in the growth of our chapter and earned the prestigious Cable Award in 2017. She is a busy practicing lawyer, chairperson of the Consultative Board at St. Joseph High School in Lakewood, and fills her free time chasing three young grandchildren.

Helen's message to you:

I was initiated in 1975, on the heels of Delta Gamma's Centennial Celebration when Greek life was making a rebound and our chapter membership was rapidly expanding. It was an exciting time and Delta Gamma was, of course, leading the way. I was thrilled to be an Anchor Girl—with our beautiful traditions, always forward-thinking leadership, and sisterhood that could not be compared with any other experience. Today, celebrating 150 Years of Delta Gamma with a wider network of sisters, and my closest irreplaceable champions, I am honored to be wearing the Golden Anchor. Belonging to our Foundation and rich heritage makes me proud. Being an active alumna has enriched my life in a way I never anticipated. My continued participation today allows me to touch the future – the next 150 years of this Do Good Sisterhood—and claim my part in our history. This Anchor Girl is forever grateful to Delta Gamma, my DG sisters, and Newport South-Coast alumnae chapter.



PROGRAMMING

June 9, 2024 | Flower Power

(End of the Year Party)

Home of Yvette Hellier, Huntington Beach

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS (SIGs)

Anchored Adventures

SIG Coordinator Lynn Johsz 714-717-1414

Next meeting: Hilbert Museum visit Tuesday, April 9— look for your email.

Book Club

SIG Coordinators Sandy Wood 949-735-0810 & Charley Baker 714-504-6496

Next meeting: Thursday, April 18, 2024

Unwavering

by Taylor Baldwin Kiland & Judy Silverstein Gray

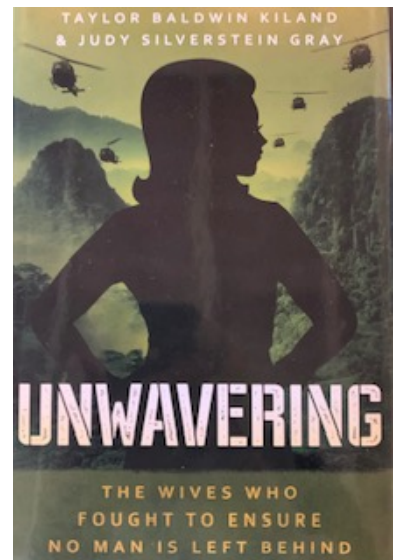
DGs Dine Out

SIG Coordinator Patty Wayte 714-241-0566

Check our website for upcoming meetings.

It's All Fun N Games

SIG Coordinator Linda Bergstrom 949-235-2598



2023-2024 BOARD MEMBERS

Elected Officers:

President | Alisa Reich
vp Communications | Audrey Myer
vp Finance | Adrienne Wright
vp Foundation | Helen Thies
vp Membership | Calloway Lemons
vp Programming | Elizabeth Barnes



Appointed Officers:

Collumnae Chair | Victoria Henley
Founders Day Co-Chair | Helen Thies
Founders Day Co-Chair | Audrey Myer
Newsletter Editor | Audrey Myer
Panhellenic delegate | Patty Wayte
Rituals Chair | Geri Lopker
Social Media (Facebook), *ANCHORA* | Lynn Johsz
Social Media (Instagram) | OPEN
SIG Anchored Adventures | Lynn Johsz
SIG Book Club | Sandy Wood & Charley Baker
SIG DGs Dine Out | Patty Wayte
SIG It's All Fun N Games | Linda Bergstrom
Webmaster | Yvette Hellier

Interested in volunteering? Contact us!
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Welcome Victoria Henley, Delta Phi,
our newest officer!



WINTER RECAP

Jolly Holly Holiday Party & Boat Parade

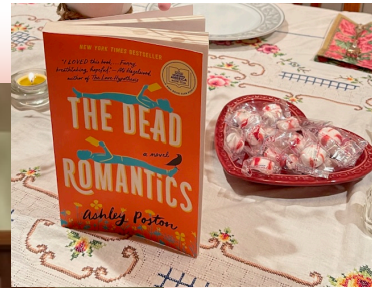


Members gathered on Bay Island for a delicious catered dinner, boat parade and ornament exchange!



January Book Club

The Dead Romantics



February's Greek Goddesses Bloom Together



FOUNDERS DAY

Founders Day was a great success! On March 2, 2024, 270 women gathered at the Mile Square Banquet Center in Fountain Valley to celebrate Founders Day. Women from Newport-South Coast Alumnae Chapter, North Orange County Alumnae Chapter, South Orange County Alumnae Chapter, UCI Collegiate Chapter, and Chapman Collegiate Chapter, joined Delta Phi Charter members, and anniversary members from many areas to celebrate Delta Gamma's Sesquicentennial Celebration ~ 150 years of Delta Gamma!

Awards were announced from all three alumnae chapters. 19 anniversaries were celebrated. Delta Phi celebrated its 50th anniversary! Nine Delta Phi Charter members, who started the UCI chapter, joined together to reminisce and celebrate. All enjoyed the history!

*Hope Award winner:
Charley Baker*



Charter Members (UCI)



*University of California, Irvine
Delta Phi*



*Chapman University
Zeta Iota*



Newport-South Coast Alumnae



Beacon of Light winners:

Michelle Dean
Geri Lopker
Charley Baker
Nancy Ringman
Sandy Wood

Thank you to all our wonderful supporters who donated cash and items for auction & opportunity baskets for Founders Day. As a result of their generosity, we raised \$3,283, which will be donated to Delta Gamma Foundation and Beyond Blindness.



Adrienne Wright

Alisa Reich

Audrey Myer

Charley Baker

Dana Armstrong

Gayle Bullock

Helen Thies

Hilton Hotels

Elizabeth Barnes

Geri Lopker

Kathering Stern

Kelli Littrell

Linda Bergstrom

Lynn Johsz

Margaret Moodian

Marilyn Sutton

Marja Selna

Marcella Boccasile

Marty Darling

Michelle Dean

Newport-South Coast Alumnae

North Orange County Alumnae

Patty Wayte

Roxanne Kaufman

Sandy Wood

Sharon Hartshorn

South Orange County Alumnae

Teri Johnson

Yvette Helier

Also, in celebration of our sesquicentennial celebration, Alumnae Members sent in 75 tributes over the past year to the Delta Gamma Foundation!

