NEWPORT-SOUTH COAST ALUMNAE CHAPTER

Delta Gamma

GREETINGS FROM PRESIDENT ALISA REICH

Alisa Reich, Delta Phi, University of California Irvine is Newport-South Coast's new president! In her spare time, she loves to go to the beach, golfing, pilates and enjoys traveling. A recent trip to London was her favorite trip! In her professional life, Director Alisa Reich manages the UCI Police Department's Administrative Division.

Alisa fosters high Delta Gamma ideals and we are fortunate to have her volunteer as president. She first joined NSC's Board as Collumnae Chair shortly after graduating from UCI. Since then, she has served as an adviser to the Delta Phi Chapter of UCI and also served on the House Corp. Board for Delta Phi. Alisa was the recipient of Delta

Gamma's Hope Award in 2022. Welcome aboard!



Alisa's message to you:

Our founder Anna Boyd Ellington shared at initiation, "nothing good or great has ever been achieved without toil and attention." As your NSC alumnae chapter's new President, I promise to dedicate my attention to supporting our chapter, helping continue to grow the chapter, and helping to create lasting memories over the next two years. We have an inspiring, strong, and kind group and I am so grateful to have joined NSC at such a young age. Each of you have provided me with tremendous support, friendship, and best of all, lots of fun! I look forward to having more fun over the new two years.

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Alumnae Excellence Award 2022 Thank you to all of our volunteers who made this award possible!



LOCAL DUES

Thank you to all loyal members who pay local dues annually! We couldn't do it without you.

Local dues help pay for quality programming, alumnae activities, special events, activities with collegians, our scholarship donation for a local collegian, fundraising efforts, required fees and expenses, special awards to our volunteers, donations to Delta Gamma Fraternity and other operating expenses.

- Anchor Club* \$110
- Pink \$40

*Includes free admission to all home events for the year



PER CAPITA DUES

Per Capita dues are \$39.95 this year. Pay directly to Delta Gamma Fraternity.

PROGRAMMING

Elizabeth Barnes, VP Programming.

Join us!

September 17 | French Garden Party

Home of Elizabeth Barnes, Costa Mesa

October 27 | Wild West Murder Mystery

Home of Patty Wayte, Costa Mesa

December 13 | Jolly Holly Holiday Party

Home of Michelle Dean, Bay Island

February | Greek Goddesses Bloom Together

Home of Audrey Myer, Fountain Valley

March 2 | Founders Day

Mile Square Golf Course, Fountain Valley

June | Flower Power

Home of Yvette Hellier, Huntington Beach

(Kickoff)

(See Newport Beach Boat Parade!)



(End of the Year Party)

Dates are subject to change! Check your MemberPlanet invitation!

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS (SIGs)

Anchored Adventures

SIG Coordinator Lynn Johsz 714-717-1414

Anchored Adventures members will visit interesting places and do fun things. Please email Lynn at: johszfmly@aol.com or text her to be added to the distribution list. Feel free to provide suggestions for future meetings. Look for Lynn's email about events.



Anchored Adventures will be holding a combination Succulent Pumpkin Decorating and Pumpkin Pitch competition.



Sunday, November 12th, 1 PM, at Lynn's home in Huntington Beach.

Anchorline Newsletter

Book Club

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

Members meet every other month or so to discuss a chosen book. Look for your MemberPlanet email and Sandy's email (sandywd2@gmail.com) about events.

Next Meeting: September 28, 2023

Book: Lessons in Chemistry by Bonnie Garmus



DGs Dine Out

SIG Coordinator Patty Wayte 714-241-0566

We meet for lunch or dinner most months. Look for MemberPlanet email about details.

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*Sunday, October 1	11:30 AM	Descanso Restaurant, 1555 Adams Ave #103, Costa Mesa
Wednesday, November 8	6 PM	bouillon MOULIN, 1000 Bristol St N, #11, Newport Beach
*Wednesday, December 6	11:30 AM	Populaire Modern Bistro, 3333 Bristol St, Costa Mesa
Wednesday, January 17	6 PM	Golden Dragon, 2023 Harbor Blvd, Costa Mesa
*Wednesday, February 21 Newport Beach	11:30 AM	Mariposa, Fashion Island (Neiman Marcus-Level 3),
Wednesday, March 13 Huntington Beach	6 PM	Crivello Italian Restaurant, 19881 Brookhurst St,
*Saturday, April 20	11:30 AM	Shorebird, 2220 Newport Blvd, #101, Newport Beach
*Wednesday, May 22	11:30 AM	608 Dahlia, Sherman Library and Gardens, Corona del Mar
Wednesday, June 5	6 PM	The Cannery, 3010 Lafayette Ave, Newport Beach

It's All Fun N Games

SIG Coordinator Linda Bergstrom 949-235-2598 Look for MemberPlanet email about events.

Next Meeting: September 5, 2023, Trivia Night



SUMMER RECAP



June's Pretty in Pink 80s End of the Year Event





Members gathered in Corona Del Mar to thank outgoing officers and install new officers, enjoying ice roses in bubbly drinks & pink desserts & sun and sand.

June's It's All Fun N Games





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 | open
Founders Day Chair | Helen Thies
Newsletter Editor | Audrey Myer
Panhellenic delegate | Patty Wayte
Rituals Chair | Geri Lopker
Social Media (Facebook), ANCHORA | Lynn Johsz
Social Media (Instagram) | Michele Malkasian
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! nscdeltagamma@gmail.com





HERITAGE CORNER

culture, values, traditions

Delta Gamma Heritage Rose

In the late 1970s, we had an official rose named Delta Gamma. Although this was our rose for decades, as of summer 2021, any living roses could not be found — so Delta Gamma registered a new name and heartier rose to be our official creamcolored rose as a way to commemorate our 150year celebration! It is an antique-style garden rose that will begin DG pink and turn cream rose as it blooms.

> Antique Rose Emporium.com

FOUNDATION

Helen Thies, VP Foundation (714) 356-5670, presents some thoughts for this year of doing good:

"May the links that form this chain be kind words and noble deeds."
-ANCHORA, Volume I, No. 1, April 1884

Gathering inspiration from our rich heritage roots, we dedicate our Foundation efforts in 2023-2024 to kind words and noble deeds.

Watch for opportunities by MemberPlanet, Facebook and Instagram. Keep us posted on your volunteer activities and any Service for Sight. We proudly relay the efforts of our members every November and May to Delta Gamma. Tell us about how you live your life as part of The Do Good Sisterhood - we want to know!

Delta Gamma celebrates its <u>10th annual Do Good Week September 3 - 9, 2023</u>, putting more good into the world through acts of kindness, big or small. Ready to join in? Here's a few ways:

- Be My Eyes a free mobile app to make the world more accessible for blind and low-vision people. Connects you by live video to someone who needs a little assistance to solve an everyday task at your convenience. Check it out at https://www.bemyeyes.com.
- Donate used books for The Free Library at Segerstrom Center for the Arts. SIG Book Club is collecting books all year & giving the gift of reading with a sight preservation tip bookmark.
- Write a note to a 50 year+ anniversary milestone celebrant or Golden Anchor Member year long campaign.
- Make a Cream Rose Tribute or give a gift to Delta Gamma Foundation.
- Be kind to your neighbor, do a favor, make a change to help the environment, donate used clothing to a worthy cause, spend a few extra moments with someone who is lonely, make a new friend, call a friend or family member who has been on your mind, forgive something or someone, give a compliment, go out of your way, smile.

Don't miss our Dessert Frenzy at Kickoff!
September 17 | French Garden Party
Benefitting Beyond Blindness and Anchoring the Future Campaign.

2024 FOUNDERS DAY

Date March 2, 2024

Time 9:00 AM

Location Mile Square Banquet Center

10401 Warner Avenue, Fountain Valley, California

Celebrating with Delta Gamma members of 3 alumnae groups (Newport-South Coast alumnae, North Orange County alumnae, South Orange County alumnae) & 2 collegiate groups (UCI, Chapman University)

Cream Rose Tribute Honor Garden. Make a gift in support of Anchoring



the Future: The Campaign for Delta Gamma. For each Cream Rose Tribute made directly to Foundation **from June 2023 to February 2024**, we will honor the giver by name - hand written on a Heritage Rose cut out that will be displayed at Founders Day. A rose for each tribute (suggested donation \$10 per tribute).

- 1. Go to DeltaGamma.org to make your gift. (See Connect with Us below for direct link.)
- 2. Email <u>nscdeltagamma@gmail.com</u> and let us know the number of tributes you have made. Or, email us with questions or comments. You may also call Helen Thies at (714) 356-5670.

OTHER WAYS TO DO GOOD

Geri Lopker is collecting donated glasses. Please bring to any of our events.

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