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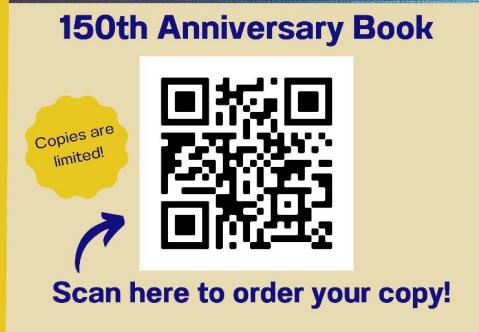
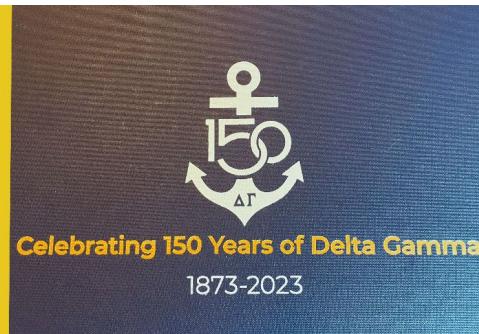
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A Message from Delta Gamma:

Interested in ordering the 150th Anniversary Book?
Scan the QR code below:





Alberta Alumnae Chapter of Delta Gamma Presents

FOUNDERS DAY 2024

March 17th 2024
Highlands Golf Club

SAVE THE DATE! MORE INFO TO COME



Recognize a Sister!

The below new awards will be announced at this year's Founders Day celebration. Please send in nominations to albertadgalum@gmail.com with a brief description of what makes her perfect for this award.

THE FRIENDSHIP AWARD: serves to honor a woman who fosters high ideals of friendship among women and demonstrated a high commitment to her sisters.

THE CULTURE AWARD: serves to honor a woman who promotes cultural interests and pursues excellence in education.

THE RESPONSIBILITY AWARD: serves to honor a woman who demonstrates a true sense of social responsibility, through her engagements in service work and supporting her community.

THE CHARACTER AWARD: serves to honor a woman who develops in themselves the best qualities of character and leadership.



Finance Update

Our executive team would like to extend an honourable mention and big thank you to the following members for paying their dues to support our local chapter operations and fund our President's trip to the 2024 Delta Gamma Convention. Help our chapter, secure your Founders Day ticket discount price, and gain some extra perks by e-transferring your local dues to **albertadgdues@gmail.com** today!

The draw for a free Founders Day ticket will take place February 10th, stay tuned to our Facebook group to see if you're the lucky winner.

Bronze	Pink	Blue
\$20-\$49 <i>Perks:</i> -1 entry for \$30 Earls Gift Card Draw -1 entry for free Founders Day ticket draw	\$50-\$74 <i>Perks:</i> -2 entries for \$30 Earls Gift Card Draw -2 entries for free Founders Day ticket draw	\$75+ <i>Perks:</i> -3 entries for \$30 Earls Gift Card Draw -FREE Founders Day ticket
<i>Thank you:</i> Danielle Jean Ceara Kelly Kimberly Winter Yolanda Knister Celine McEachern Lisa Beztinly Marina Kirillovich Monique DeCoursey Megen Nash Isabella Nelson Cristina Swinnerton Stephanie Haynes Amy Nastase	<i>Thank you:</i> Lana Sigurdson Marissa Poon Ashley Stevenson	<i>Thank you:</i> Jamie Greter Lisa Glover Lisa Saxby Christie Harty Lauren Patterson Erin MacAlpine Sabina Reid Jen Wong Melissa Runkvist Jenna Redpath Kelsey Saxby-MacKay

Get Involved

VP: Foundation

The Alberta Alumnae Chapter is looking for someone to join our executive team as VP: Foundation. This is a great way to get more involved in the Alumnae chapter, and share your passion for philanthropy. If you're interested or have any questions, please reach out to albertadgalum@gmail.com.

DG Spotlight

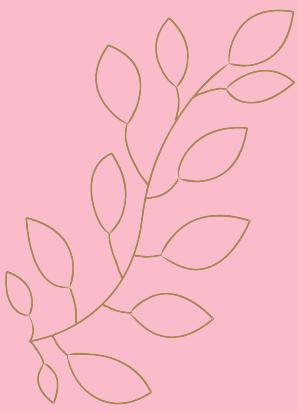
Do you have a small business, recent accomplishment, or something cool to spotlight? Please email albertadgalum@gmail.com or DM @albertadgalum on Instagram if you'd like to be featured in a future social media post.

Bylaw Update

A copy of the updated 2024 Alberta Alumnae Chapter Bylaws has been sent out with this newsletter. Changes include updating the chapter name in all sections to "Alberta Alumnae Chapter of Delta Gamma," and changing the date the officer nomination slate to March 15th to ensure elections are complete by March 31st. Please fill out the google form linked below to vote on the bylaw change by March 3rd, and please note no response will be counted as a vote for yes:

<https://forms.gle/8npRUuiGzCYyofpXA>

House Corporation Update



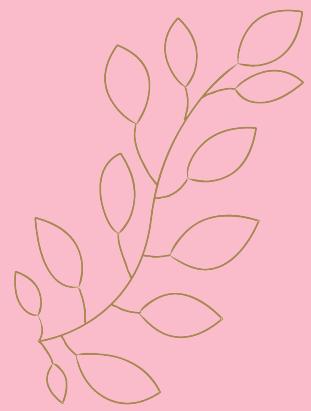
Beta Beta House Corporation had a very busy summer renovating the kitchen. We replaced and reconfiguring the kitchen cabinets, installed new quartz countertops, new floors, new appliances, and a new coat of paint in the dining room and kitchen. The new design has way more storage space, and creates a more open and fresh new look.



If you'd like to check out the new kitchen in-person, please joins us at our Annual General Meeting on March 19th at 6:30pm, light refreshments provided!

With all the hassle and bustle this past summer, we will be taking a much needed break this summer on renovations so the house will be open for summer renters. However, we have some minor work scheduled this spring, due to a leak in the front foyer window, Trevor our amazing handyman will be doing some investing to assess any further damage.

House Corporation Update



I would also like to say a huge thank you to our Executive Board members: Jennifer Laycock (VP); Jacquie Staric (Treasurer); Melissa Runkvist (Secretary); Krista Nelson-Marciano (Director); Jenna Radpath (Director); Christina Swinnerton (Director); Sabina Reid (Director); Sarjenka Kuryliw (Director); Sarah Lorentz (ATC); Quinn Ma (Chapter President); Nicole Binne (Chapter VP Finance); and Sarah Elezaby (Chapter Director of House Management). These ladies dedicate their time and energy to make the house run smoothly and I'd be lost without them, thank you!

If you are interested in getting more involved in Delta Gamma, and would like to have a say in future house renovations please feel free to contact myself or any of our current executive members. We have monthly meetings that can be attended in-person or virtually. There are various ways to serve on the board that can accommodate all schedules.

ITB,
Belinda (Spilak) Nadeau
Beta Beta House Corporation President





Collegiate Chapter Update

Hello All! My name is Jordyn Clarke and I am the president of Beta Beta for 2024. I am excited for this upcoming year and wanted to provide an update on what we are up to in chapter! We have a newly elected CMT which is made up of:

President: Jordyn Clarke

VP: social standards: Maggie Howell

VP: finance: Izabel Coloma

VP: communications: Kala Aschar- Sobbi

VP: programming: Andrea Castaneda

VP: member education: Skye Rowden Gonzalez

VP: membership: Kyra Chadney

VP: Panhellenic: Kelly Hayes

VP: Foundation: Morgan Tiley



We welcomed 12 new members through primary recruitment and are currently working on recruiting through COB.

With our Anchor Splash 2023 event, we raised \$1941.71 for our Foundation. Some events that we are currently working on is our upcoming Bid Day and Desserts with DG!! We are so excited to see you all at Founders Day!



Catching Up With *Sisters*



Karah Folk (BB '19) received the Global Wales Scholarship. This is the first scholarship of its kind in Wales and is offered by the Global Wales Programme – a partnership between the Welsh Government, Universities Wales, The British Council and HEFCW, and is funded by Taith. Students are awarded 10,000 pounds that goes towards their tuition and become ambassadors for studying in Wales.

Sorority Sisters of Beta Beta reunited in Edmonton for a private dinner at Ampersand | 27 on Friday, September 29, 2023.

Lauren Loder-Patterson (05) Jen Wong (05) Jessica Nooy (02) Lisa Glover (02) Diana Trasolini (03) Richelle Hanna (04) Jennifer Bater (03) Cayley Chipuer-Benjamin (03) Erynne Schuster (00) Hannah Reid (03) Tess Breckon (06) Kim Winter (05) Candice Nejatian (03) Jessa-Lynn Munkler (04) Tricia Foster (02) Sara Ilnitsky (04) Jackie Korol (02)



Have an update to share? We would love to include you in the next issue of the Anchor Clanker!

E-mail albertadgalum@gmail.com with a short write up and a photo or two to share your news with your sisters.

Sunshines

To: Shandi King

Thank you for being the most amazing friend, sister, and maid-of-honour. It was absolutely amazing getting to spend a week with you in Mexico to celebrate my wedding!

LITB, Linda Charters

To: Cait Zaplachinski

Cait, it was great meeting up with you for coffee to catch up! Let's do it again soon <3

ITB, Melissa

To: Dani and Kelsey

Had so much fun during our recent trip to ikea! Thanks for sharing my first meatball dining experience with me.

LITB, Lisa Beztilyny

To: Brittany Wuestner

Congratulations on your baby boy! I can't wait to meet him when it's time for him to come into the world. You're going to make an amazing mom, because you're an amazing friend and sister. I love you lots!

<3 Meli

ITB, Melissa Runkvist

To: Linda

For being the best fun aunt to my babies. And for coming to my rescue this month!

Love you!

LITB, Shandi

To: Amanda McCauley

For humouring all my late night reel sending. And being the best reading buddy around!

LITB, Shandi



To: Tiffany Whorrie

Thank you for always wanting to get together even though we never are able to actually get together. And for sending the best Disney reels lol

LITB, Shandi

To: Hannah Haugen,

Happy to see you over Christmas break, best of luck this semester!

LITB, Lisa Beztilyn

To: Danielle Galloway

It was awesome running into you at mean girls. It was like lifetimes since I'd seen you. But also, like no time at all. I'm so glad you're doing well!

LITB, Shandi

To: Jenna Redpath

I'm thrilled you joined our reading chat. I'm so happy to get to share all the fantasy excitement with you!

LITB, Shandi

To: Mallory

I'm continuously grateful that we magically met a million years ago and have become such amazing friends. I admire everything about you and will continue to shower you with nonsensical videos.

LITB, Yolanda

Want to spread a little sunshine? Write a sister a note for the next edition of the Anchor Clanker! Sweet memories, compliments, or well wishes all make great sunshines.

A google form will be posted before the next Anchor Clanker goes out, or send a note to albertadgalum@gmail.com anytime to be included in the next newsletter