

Our beautiful recently updated website includes: up-to-date calendar events, a social feed, membership forms (now easy to use online) and more! Check it out today!

www.ztahouston.org

Gamma Omega Update

Gamma Omega has gained 6 New Members (5 of them pictured bottom right) this Spring bringing the Chapter back to quota! Bid Day and Ribbon Service are scheduled for Monday, February 19 at 6:30pm at the ZTA Townhouse. After completing an almost nine week New Member Experience, our newest sisters will be initiated into the Fraternity on Saturday, April 21st. All ZTA alumnae are encouraged and welcome to attend all Gamma Omega events – join us!



Pictured to the left is, Gamma Omega sister Anissa Marie Alvarez. Anissa was awarded an Achievement Scholarship by the ZTA Foundation General Scholarship Fund. This scholarship is awarded to students who demonstrate leadership, and maintain high GPAs.

Checkout page 49 of the Winter 2018 edition of Themis... our own Anissa Marie Alvarez was awarded a ZTAF Achievement Scholarship! Anissa will graduate this May with a double major in Marketing and Human Resource Management from the C.T. Bauer College of Business. Congrats to Anissa!



Crowns & Concerns

Sisters, please remember Carolyn Moore in your prayers and keep sending her "Thinking of You" cards. She loves receiving them and all the well wishes.

Carolyn Moore's address: 7400 Clarewood Drive, Apt. 920 | Houston, TX 77036

White Violet sister Joanna Hoover passed away on January 7, 2018. Please keep her family and friends in your prayers.

HAA March Joint Meeting: **Tuesday, March 13th from 6:30-8:30 PM** **at Lisa Wilson's Home**

2200 Willowick Road Unit 8J | Houston, TX 77027

Join us as we jump into history! Editor Lindsay Scovil Dove of the Houston History Alliance shares with us the Handbook of Houston, stories of Houston's history from the city's founding in 1836 through the late 1990s. Then hear from the President and key personnel about exciting things happening this year and vote on SLATE! There's still time to join the Board, you can find the form to join on our website.

Bites and drinks will be available → feeling generous? Donate a bottle of wine or three to the meeting, just bring it with you! Thank you in advance.

PARKING: There is a parking lot on the left side of the building. If this is full, park at River Oaks Baptist Church (we have permission). Then enter the building and sign-in, and take the elevator to the 8th floor, unit 8J.

6:30 PM – Greetings

7:00 PM – Speaker, Lindsay Scovil Dove of Houston History Alliance

7:30 PM – Meeting Begins – vote on SLATE

8:30 PM – Meeting Ends

Mark Your Calendar → next Day & Night Meeting is Tuesday, April 10th, including new board/committee initiations.

March Service Project: Kids' Meals!

When: Saturday, March 24th, 2018 @ 9AM

Where: Sally Evans' home (5607 St. Mortiz | Bellaire, TX 77401)

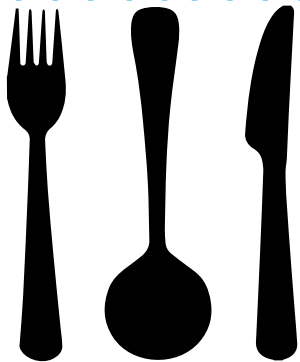
What: Join us as we help make a difference in 100 hungry children's lives. We will pack meals for the program KIDS' MEALS. Our goal is to pack/provide 100 meals. Can't participate? Donate \$15 to provide 5 meals or \$30 to provide 10 meals - [HERE](#).

A meal includes: (a): Smuckers Uncrustable, (b): Fruit Snacks, (c): Juice Box

The TOTAL for this meal box is ONLY \$2.39.

PARKING: Limited parking spots available on St. Mortiz, so park along Geneva. Ashley

Crouse has volunteered to provide mimosas and donuts, yum and thank you!



Ladies Dine Out

Emmaline

3210 West Dallas Street

Houston, TX 77019

Tuesday, February 20th @ 6:30 PM

RSVP on Evite or email Renee, RSBgirl@aol.com

YAPs

Join HAA of ZTA for our Young Alumnae Professionals gathering. YAPs is for ZTAs that graduated in the 2000s.

Thursday, February 1st @ 6:30PM

NettBar

4504 Nett Street | Houston, TX 77007

If you are new, text Lauren {713-906-3246}

Sisters Who Sip

Join us for the official kick-off of Sisters Who Sip, a happy hour open to any and all ZTA sisters.

Wednesday, February 7th @ 5:30PM

Armando's 2630 Westheimer Road | Houston, TX 77098

Book Club

All HAA ZTA's are welcome to join us for literary discussion, sisterhood, and dinner! Meetings are held at Barry's Pizza (6003 Richmond Ave) at 7pm. Contact Candy Bourgeois for more information: crbourg@gmail.com or 281.787.7279

Upcoming Book Discussions:

February 21 – “Emily & Einstein: A Novel of Second Chances”
by Linda Francis Lee

March 21 – “Secrets of a Charmed Life” by Susan Meissner

April 18 – “Artemis” by Andy Weir





Sisters it's time for a fiesta, join us at

Z-T-Olè

Saturday, April 7, 2018

@ la casa de John & Kim Clarke

7PM - the tequila runs out!

Cost is \$30 per person and bring your spouse, boyfriend, guest or significant other - everyone is invited! Come dressed in fiesta attire for MUY BIEN Mexican food, music, games and TEQUILA!



Questions? Contact our Social Chairs

Tracey Allely & Renee Svitek

713.594.7197

RSVP to the Evite or rsbgirl@aol.com



Payment can be made by:
mailing a check to Jennifer Reyes (4619 Brookren Ct. | Pearland, TX 77584)
or [HERE](#), scroll down to 2018 HAA Social



Save the Dates!

February

Thursday, February 1st - YAPS

6:30PM @ NettBar (4504 Nett Street)

Wednesday, February 7th - Sisters Who Sip

5:30PM @ Armando's (2630 Westheimer)

Friday & Saturday, February 16 & 17 - Texas Zeta Day

Omni Frisco Hotel (11 Cowboys Way Frisco, TX 75034)

Alumnae dinner "awards banquet" on Friday night!

Tuesday, February 20th - Ladies Dine Out

6:30PM @ Emmaline (3210 W. Dallas Street)

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March

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(2200 Willowick Road, Unit 8J | Houston, TX 77027)

March 24th - Kids' Meals @ 9AM at Sally Evans' Home

(5607 St. Moritz | Bellaire, TX 77401)

Evite Links:

Sisters Who Sip - <http://evite.me/yjqSg58WTB>

HAA of ZTA Service Project - <http://evite.me/RqyeqaVGfG>

February YAPS - <http://evite.me/Pp593YwYbU>

February Girls Dine Out - <http://evite.me/MuvpyCeruj>

February Book Club - <http://evite.me/jFNXNeYYjE>



HAPA/HAPF Annual Scholarship Luncheon

Smooth Sailing for Scholars!

Honoring 2018 Scholarship Winners and Featuring Leslie Blanchard,
Author of the hilarious blog "A Ginger Snapped" and the installation of
2018-19 HAPA President Debbie Etheridge, Delta Gamma

Thursday, May 3rd at 11:30AM at the The Junior League of Houston
Proceeds benefit Houston ALumnae Panhellenic Foundation Scholarships

Early Bird Reservations Deadline: April 24, 2018

Patrons \$150, Individual \$65 per person

After April 24th - Individuals \$75

Checks payable to HAPF c/o Julie Vowell-Ramirez (j-vowell@hotmail.com)

3407 Palm Desert Lane, Missouri City, TX 77459

Lift Up Your Sisters

Look for bra bins labeled "Lift Up Your Sisters" at future HAA ZTA
gatherings. Taryn Cheesman will be collecting any and all bras that are
broken, bent, falling apart or just don't fit anymore! Soma
(women's clothing store) takes the bras and repairs them for
women in need {FREE OF CHARGE!} for
NNEDV (National Network to End Domestic Violence)
who has partnered with Soma.

Change for Change

Blue bottles shaped like a purse will be available at night and
joint meetings. Anyone can add their spare change, from the
bottom of their purse, to this donation bottle! As a group, at the
end of the year, we can decide what we want to use it for. Some
ideas include: add to the GO gift, scholarship fund, cover cost
that didn't meet original budget, etc.

Questions? Comments? Have something to share/contribute?

Please send an email to me:

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