

NEWPORT-SOUTH COAST OCTOBER 2014 NEWSLETTER

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Dear Delta Gamma alumna,

We are so fortunate to have this award winning alumnae group right here in our own "back yard," and I am honored to serve its members as president. This year, Newport-South Coast (NSC) alumnae chapter is celebrating its 25th Anniversary. We are grateful to our sisters who created this group back in 1989, and we continue to enjoy that sisterhood today.

Our board has been working hard to create outstanding programming for you, as well as ways to support local Delta Gamma Collegians, the Delta Gamma Foundation, and the Blind Children's Learning Center in Santa Ana.

Please consider joining us by paying your local dues directly to our group. You can bring dues to any NSC event or dine-out. Information on paying by check can be obtained by viewing our website "Membership" tab, then "Dues" page at: newportsouthcoast.deltagamma.org

If you click on the "Photos" tab you can view images from past events to see how much fun we have been having, and the good we have been doing.

I encourage you to consider becoming involved by attending an event, volunteering to serve on a committee, holding an office, or hosting a future event in your home. Advisors are often needed to assist local DG collegians so I hope you will consider helping our young sisters here in Orange County.

We form new and different Delta Gamma bonds throughout our lives as we continue to cherish the old and familiar. Help bring energy and support to our alumnae group. Come meet our members and see where these new relationships take you!

If you have any questions, please contact me at: nscdeltagamma@gmail.com

I hope to see you at our next event!

ITB,

Lynn Hoffland Jelsz



Patty, Audrey and Lynn in Phoenix at the 2014 Convention.



NSC Board Members president Lynn's house



New Member Dine Out at Zimzala in Huntington Beach



NSC members paddle boarding in the harbor

Upcoming Events

- Δ Oct. 16- Murder Mystery
- Δ Nov. 13- Red Dress Party
- Δ Dec. 11- Duffy Boats in the Harbor

PLEASE SEE OUR CALENDAR ON OUR WEBSITE FOR MORE DATES!



At our Fall Kickoff this year we were able to collect over 400 Box Tops for Education. Please remember to bring your Box Tops to each event so we can continue to donate. You can also send them to Cara Forman, our VP Foundation.



Did you know.....

You can give financial support to the Blind Children's Learning Center in Santa Ana by picking the school as a charity with your next purchase through Amazon. Once they are chosen by you, Amazon will donate 1% (a little less) of the purchase to the school on any further purchases. It may seem small, but it can sure add up if we all do it together. You can go directly to Amazon.Smile.com to get the details.



Twenty nine local members met at the Big Canyon home of Sally May to enjoy the group's annual Fall Kickoff. A toast to "25 Years of Sisterhood" was made. Newport-South Coast alumnae chapter received its charter in 1989!

Member donations to benefit the local Blind Children's Learning Center and the Delta Gamma Foundation totaled \$470! We are grateful to Cara Forman, our VP of Foundation who spearheaded this effort and to all members who generously supported it.

Thank you to all who came out, it truly was a great way to kick off another great year!



NSC Member Spotlight

Zein Burkett is new to the NSC chapter and is currently holding her first position on the board as our fabulous VP Programming. She loves to read and go to the beach with her dog. When she has the time she enjoys horseback riding, practicing yoga and going skydiving. She states she is "a total foodie" and likes to try all different kinds of food. Just recently she and her boyfriend went out to Manhattan Beach for the North End Caffe (as seen on "Diners, Drive Ins and Dives!") where they tried Monte Carlo egg rolls and specialty burgers.

Her favorite collegiate memory is when studying for a particularly brutal finals season and the entire sorority house exploded into a spontaneous water balloon fight. It was a great time and was just another fun bonding session with sisters.

She would like NSC members to know that she is "easy going" and always up for an adventure. She hopes to meet you all at our upcoming events.



Local NSC Dues

Fiscal Year: July 1, 2014-June 30, 2015

Levels of Giving

(select one)

\$125 **Club Anchor** *

\$100 **Founders Circle** *

\$ 75 **Blue** Level

\$ 50 **Pink** Level

\$ 25 **Bronze** Level

50+ year member (pays local dues only)

Club Anchor - All inclusive to events, other than Dine Outs. Plus 1 guests are not included in Club Anchor price.

*Appreciation Gift:

Anchor Club & Founders Circle Members will receive an appreciation gift from NSC.

Two Ways to Pay Dues

1. Pay electronically

See our website for full details on how to use our online system. Go to the Dues tab at www.newportsouthcoast.deltagamma.org. You can pay both your local and per capita dues at the same time

2. Pay by check

You can mail a check to our VP Foundation. Please make your checks payable to: Newport-South Coast Alumnae Chapter of Delta Gamma. You can mail that check to: Jessica Cobb 23412 Pacific Park Drive, Unit 29J Aliso Viejo, CA 92656

NSC Local Chapter Dues help pay for:

- Member activities
- Mandatory fraternity expenses and insurance
- Mailings
- Support for local collegiate chapter (such as recruitment and bridging)



Please join us at our monthly Dine Outs. The Dine Outs are held on the first Thursday of every month! They begin at 6pm.

Δ **Oct. 2: Eat Chow-** Costa Mesa

Δ **Nov. 6: Bayside Rest.-** Newport Beach

Δ **Dec. 4: El Ranchito-** Huntington Beach

Δ **Jan. 8: Juliet's Kitchen and Bar-**Newport Beach

Δ **Feb. 5: Slater's 50/50-** Huntington Beach



Delta Gamma Convention 2014

Newport-South Coast won the award for the Five Stars to Alumnae Success and the Region 8 award for Outstanding Administration!

Save the Date.....

Newport-South Coast will be hosting Founders Day this coming year. Please save the date of March 7th, 2015. We will be hosting this year at Mesa Verde Country Club in Costa Mesa. If you would like to volunteer on the committee, please contact us via email at nscdeltagamma@gmail.com



UCI Collegians

If anyone would like to help with collegian support, please contact our Collumnae chair Nancy Ringman at nringman@west-ext.com

Newport-South Coast History

- 1939 – Orange County Association founded
- 1951 – Association changed to Alumnae Chapter in spring
- 1957 – In Winter 1957 ANCHORA (see on books.google.com) southern end of Orange County renamed Newport Harbor Association – northern Orange County became Fullerton-Anaheim Association
- 1965 – Became Newport Harbor Chapter
- 1974 – Changed name to Santa Ana – Newport Chapter
- 1989 – Disbanded as Santa Ana-Newport
- 1989 – Reorganized April 4 as Newport Harbor Alumnae Association with 40 signatures on the petition
- April 18, 1989 – Became Newport-South Coast Alumnae Chapter

Today we celebrate 25 years of our chapter! Cheers to another 25 years. ITB!