

Alpha Kappa Summer Luncheon
Minutes July 21, 2015
Submitted by LaTressa Marschka

The summer luncheon was held at the Crepevine on Gaines Street. Many members attended.

Those who attended are: Teresa Horn, Melanie Hester, Connie Lewis, Judy O’Steen, Anne Black, Melissa Olson. Candace Gwatney, Rhonda Work, Dawn James, Jean Williams, Susan Womble, Nancy Watson, Edna Owens, Jacque Clemons, Carole Jo Hardiman, Linda Rogers, June Townsend, LaTressa Marschka, Gale Workman, Susan Vinson, Sally Roberts, Paulette Mainwood, and Alice Ann Darrow.

Members enjoyed fellowship and a light meal. It was great to see everyone this summer.

Business Meeting - The meeting was called to order at 11:20 a.m.

Introductions – Dawn James, President, introduced the AK officers.

Review of meeting dates for 2015-2016 - Dawn James asked that members give suggestions of meeting places that are free of charge. Also places are needed that provide technology equipment.

2015 August 29, 10:00 a.m. – Annual Workshop Meeting – Member involvement and Opportunities for members through DKG.

October 4, 3:00 p.m. – Program presented by Susan Womble on Children’s Books at the home of Jacque Clemons.

November 7, Initiation, AK members are responsible for chairing the meeting and initiation table arrangements. Place TBA.

December 10, 6:00 p.m. Cookie Exchange, Fellowship- Sharing Favorite Childhood Books. We will be collecting books for the Early Childhood Coalition. Home of June Townsend.

2016 February (day TBA), 10:30 a.m. Legislative Meeting. AK members are responsible for finding the host location.

April 4, 10:00 a.m. Program: Melanie Hester will speak on Science with Argument Driven Inquiry. Members should bring items for basket to be awarded at the District Meeting.

April 30, District I meeting , Apalachicola.

May (day TBA), Founders’ Day Meeting. AK members are responsible for registration and nametags.

July (day TBA), 11 a.m. Summer Luncheon

Budget - Rhonda Work reviewed the proposed budget for the year.

The budget included the membership dues increase. Dues for members will increase \$10.00 to \$85.00 per year for active members; dues for reserve members will remain at \$35.00.

The proposed budget is based on the projected membership of 40 active members and 6 reserve members.

Motion: Melanie Hester moved to accept the new budget. Judy O'Steen seconded the motion. The motion was passed by 100% of the members present.

The meeting concluded at 11:45 a.m.