

GAMMA PHI GAZETTE



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Special Biennial Seminar Edition - It's **SO** Cincinnati!!

Upcoming Dates & Deadlines

August 6th and 11th
Our annual Scholarship
Fundraiser at Grand Finale

September 14th
Promont House
Tour and Tea

October 5th
Joint Chapters Meeting
at Cincinnati Woman's Club
Crime Detective Writer J.T.
Townshend will share stories of
sensational murder cases

Happy Birthday Wishes To:

- Carolyn Lamping- July 3rd
- Stephanie Morton- July 5th
- Susan Taylor- July 10th
- Artis Martin- July 12th
- Carol Ladrigan- July 13th
- Katie Gantz- July 20th

Renewal Dues Update

Gamma Phi Members,

You did it!!! All monies for 2019-2020 dues
were paid on time! YAHOO!!!!

I thank you from the depth of my heart!

Respectfully,
Margaret (Treasurer)



Flying Pig News



We have received \$700 from our volunteer hours working to prepare for the Flying Pig. There were concerns about us not working the required 120 hours to earn the \$700. Between Brand and Duke we only logged in 100 hours. :(:(While we did receive it this year, we cannot be complacent and think that without working the 120 hours that we will still receive the larger amount of money. So pencil in the Flying Pig on your 2020 calendars. Ask some of your family and friends to join us so we can reach our goal. Only 33 people (and some of them worked double shifts) worked the 100 hours. Let's increase those participating, so we can easily log in 120 hours.

Flying Pig here comes Gamma Phi chapter with our willing hands!!

Sue Eades

Scholarship Fundraiser 2019

Fellowship, Fine Dining, and Filling the Coffers of the Scholarship Fund awaits the members of Gamma Phi chapter!

Plan to attend one or both of our upcoming Grand Finale Dining events. Mark your calendars and make a reservation on Tuesday, August 6th after 4:00 PM as well as Sunday, August 11th after 4:30 PM.

Be sure to mention our chapter's name and Delta Kappa Gamma so we can earn money for our Scholarship Fund. We helped five very deserving young women this year, so let us prepare for next year and build, build, build our depleted fund.

Our Benefit Nights Flier →

Hope to see lots of smiling faces at the Grand Finale!

Diana Klenk

Gamma Phi Chapter Benefit Nights

Enjoy an evening of fine dining, fellowship, and fun with family, friends, & neighbors & aid our scholarship fund at the same time.



Once again, The Grand Finale has graciously agreed to donate 20% of the proceeds from our food purchases on two special dates:

Tuesday, August 6th, starting at 4:00 P.M. &
Sunday, August 11th, starting at 4:30 P.M.

Members are encouraged to participate on either one or both evenings.

Call the Grand Finale at 513-771-5925 to make reservations.

PLEASE remember to mention Gamma Phi-Delta Kappa Gamma when you call so that our chapter receives a portion of the proceeds from your food purchases.

Lottery Tree "Raffle Basket" Donation

Reminder:

The Cincinnati Area DKG chapters are working together to completely furnish a visitation room for teens who are in the Hamilton County foster care system. To help raise needed funds, the ladies of Gamma Eta have requested raffle basket donations from other chapters to include in an auction at the Joint Chapters Meeting this October.

Our Gamma Phi chapter has decided to create a Lottery Tree as our contribution to the raffle and all of our members are asked to bring lottery scratch-off cards to the September meeting (or mail them to Katie Gantz). We can assemble our lottery tree donation in early September and get it to the ladies of Gamma Eta soon thereafter.

For those of you who are unable to attend the September meeting, feel free to start mailing lottery scratch-off tickets to Katie Gantz as soon as you purchase them. Her address is: 3087 Spencer Hill Drive, Cincinnati, OH 45226.

Biennial Seminar 2019 - It was **SO** Cincinnati and **SO** much fun!

Our Gamma Phi chapter was well represented! Karyn Kern Lazear, Gail Adams Arnold, Margaret Murph, Meier Bauer, Jane Houser, Diana Haskell, and Katie Gantz all attended.

Meier's granddaughter, Cassie, (in photo) and daughter, Katie, joined in on Wednesday for the informative bus tour of Cincinnati hot spots!

Enjoy the photos on the following few pages as we highlight all of the great events throughout the fun three day event!



The Seminar kicked off with a great dinner on Tuesday night followed by speaker Dan Hurley, who shared information about Cincinnati history.



Off to the buses early on Wednesday morning for many stops at famous Cincinnati sites!

The bus driver and tour guide did a great job throughout the jam-packed day.



The ladies had a chance to see the ferris wheel down at The Banks before it left for its next tour stop.

Carol Ann's
Carousel



Many, many thanks to
Betsy Foreman,
Biennial Seminar
Coordinator,
Linda Salzer, Delta Chi
President and the
rest of the committee
members for all their
hard work in planning
the 3 day event!

The National Underground Railroad Freedom Center



Freedom's flame continues to light the way no matter the weather.

Lunch at the Montgomery Inn Boathouse as barges and boats drifted past on the river.



The wonderful guide at the American Sign Museum shared a lot of interesting facts.

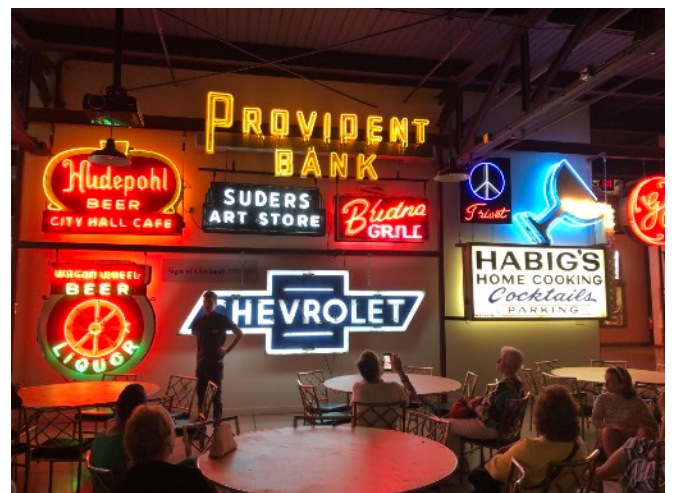
Lots of neon everywhere!



Years ago, the Frisch's Big Boy had red hair, a sling shot in his back pocket, and wore saddle shoes!



Signs brought back fond memories of times gone by!



The last stop on the city tour: the remodeled rotunda at the Union Terminal. Ladies couldn't resist a stop at the Graeter's Ice Cream Parlor in the lobby for a "before dinner snack"!



The speaker on the final morning was Shane Meeker, P&G Corporate Storyteller & Company Historian.

As always, the summer months are flying by and many of our chapter members will be returning to their schools in the coming weeks.



I hope all of you are able to find time to relax and enjoy precious time with family and friends during the remainder of your summer vacations!

Katie