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APRIL IS NATIONAL AUTISM AWARENESS MONTH

AUTISM IS NOT
CAUSED BY POOR PARENTING,
TRAUMA, ABUSE OR NEGLECT.



AUTISM IS A DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITY.
It begins during early development either prenatal or by the age of 3.

Recent data indicates
AUTISM IMPACTS
ONE IN 58
CHILDREN

AUTISM IS NOT
A MENTAL OR EMOTIONAL
ILLNESS.

"NOT FOR OURSELVES, BUT FOR OTHERS"

President Bradfield, on the move..... representing, networking, & collaborating ..

Intellectual and Developmental Disabled Volunteer Activity



We TELIC Empowerment (*Teaching, Empowering, Listening, Including, Caring*) host an All Abilities Birthday Bash for families with children and young adults with disabilities. Over 70 families registered to attend. Games, gift bags, snacks, books-clothes-shoes-diaper giveaways were available for all. Eta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated National President Sonda Bradfield, in partnership with Junior League Dekalb, was a early morning setup team volunteer. TELIC and Bradfield (pictured with TELIC Founder Lisa Lake) empowering underserved special needs families in our Georgia community.

Collaborating

Iota Phi Lambda Sorority, Inc. 86th Southern Regional Conference - Atlanta, GA



Left to right -
Didi Boynton, Iota Phi Lambda
Southern Region Director
Dorothy White, IPL National
President
Sonda Bradfield, Eta Phi Beta
National President
Brenda Levine, Iota Phi Lambda
Delta Chapter President

National President Sonda Bradfield
and
Dorothy White, Iota Phi Lambda
National President



Networking

Eta Phi Beta's National President, Sonda Bradfield celebrates with Ambassador Andrew Young at his 91st Birthday Party on March 16th at The New Realm Brewing Company on the Atlanta Beltline. Young is a former Atlanta mayor, pastor, political leader and activist. Other birthday guest in attendance included the current Atlanta Mayor Andre Dickens; former NCNW Chair Ingrid Sanders Jones; DeKalb Councilman Larry Johnson and a host of other government officials and religious leaders. Ambassador Young was officially entered into the Congressional Records during this event and a new mural on display in the Atlanta skyline was unveiled.



Achievement Award Recipient



President Biden and the Organization of World Leaders presented Soror Pittman this award in recognition of her 4200 service hours to our great Nation. Soror Pittman is a member of Eta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated, Alpha Gamma Chapter. Please join us in congratulating Soror Pittman for this recognition and award. The Lifetime Achievement Award, reads, With grateful recognition the AmeriCorps and the office of the President of the United States Honors Crystal C. Pittman, "With the Presidents Lifetime Achievement Award for their lifelong commitment to building a stronger nation through volunteer service." President Joseph R. Biden, 2023 Awarded

THANK YOU!

Thank you sorors for wearing Orange, the official color of Developmental Disabilities, symbolizing energy and positivity.



What's Going on the in the Western Region?

From Western Region Director Marion E. Watkins:



I am always excited when the time arrives for our Western Region Sisterly Sharing Day. We hold our event each year on the last Sunday of April. Our event gives the Western Region members an opportunity to show Sisterly Love to one another by playing games and receiving prizes.

All Western chapters created these games, and each Western chapter gives away prizes. Our event was originally envisioned by Chapter President Soror Lynda Hawkins of Epsilon Delta in Palmdale, California. We always look forward to enjoying our special day !

With Sisterly Love.



Parliamentary Procedures Review

by Grand Director of Education
Kimberly Shoulders



Parliamentary Procedure Term Challenge

Words in common English vernacular sometimes have a connotation that differs from their normal denotation. In the case of the following terms, each has a connotation that is synonymous to a parliamentary word. The first letter of the parliamentary term is provided to give you a hint; and the number of letters in the parliamentary word is indicated.

Here's a sample: plebiscite = B _____ or V _____

Answer: Ballot/Vote

1. nook=R _____
2. plank=B _____
3. reword=A _____
4. chasm=B _____
5. seat=C _____
6. workbench=T _____
7. knock (down)=F _____
8. dissection=D _____
9. unmarked=B _____
10. symmetry=O _____



Answers: 1.Recess 2.Board 3.Amend 4.Breach 5. Chair
6. Table 7. Floor 8. Division 9. Blank 10. Order

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American Heart Association
EmPOWERED to Serve™



Health Lessons
Come out and join us for a night of health education!

Everyone deserves a just opportunity to be healthy. We should pay special attention to those facing the greatest risk of poor health. No one should have difficulty achieving their potential because of their social position or systemic challenges that contribute to inequities.

The EmPOWERED to Serve health lessons offer a way to engage and motivate communities to create a culture of health.



- » Offering science-based toolkits covering two essential areas: health education & community advocacy
- » Lessons engage communities & motivate people to create an enduring culture of health where the healthy choice is the easy choice

Date: April 16, 2023
Time: 6PM EST/3 PM PST
ZOOM ID: 869 9587 5493
Passcode: 020323
Eta Phi Beta Sorority,
Incorporated
Delta Epsilon Chapter
Ramona
Chatman, President

For more information visit:
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Congratulations Delta Epsilon Chapter for recognizing the need and implementing the vision of seeking this grant and making a positive impacts in the community.

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Reminders and Upcoming Events

Dates to Remember

- July 12-14, 2023; Mid-Eastern Region Conference
- July 20-23, 2023; Southeastern Regional Conference - \$90.00 Registration Fee; Hilton Palm Beach Airport, 150 Australian Avenue; West Palm Beach, FL 33406; Southeastern Regional Director - Soror Esmeralda Knowles
- October 5-7, 2023; Northern Region Conference
- October 19-21, 2023; Eastern Region Conference - \$150 Registration Fee; Seneca Niagara Resort and Casino; 310 4th Street, Niagara Falls, NY 14303; Maude Holt, Interim Eastern Region Director
- **November 10-11, 2023; Western Region Conference**
Please note  Western Region Conference date change
- November 24-25, 2023; Southern Region Conference

MAY

Highlighting family ties within the hive

It's a
family
Affair



Photos from April Child Abuse and Violence Awareness Pinwheel Challenge

End of the Sorority Year Reports/Deadlines and Date Reminders

Spring adds new life and new beauty to all that is.

JESSICA HARRELSON



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