



BRADFIELD BRIEF

SEPTEMBER 2023



FROM OUR PRESIDENT

Greeting my sisters and welcome to the 2023-2024 Sorority Year!



What an amazing 2022-2023 Sorority year. All of our accomplishments were achieved because of you. We did some things differently but never slowing down processes, obscuring key insights, or wasting time and money. I applaud you for embracing all changes and helping me gain immeasurable knowledge these last 365 days.

Our calling within Eta Phi Beta is to multiply not to just maintain. We are called to multiply- in good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over in love, education, sisterhood and service. Together we will not allow doubt, pride, fear, or preconceived notions hold us back from making the required changes to move us forward, uplift our sisters, and to serve the community. Your continued support is a crucial thread in how we are perceived and the impact we make. Let no opportunity be waisted to build a future oriented framework that will carry us forward in doing greater works.

Thank you for your continued support and I look forward to working with each of you throughout this Sorority year.

Always Moving Forward!
Sisterly,

Sonda Bradfield
Grand Basileus



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20 Things That Will Be Obsolete Soon

Money Talks News, June 30, 2022

**WHEN'S THE LAST TIME YOU POPPED IN A CASSETTE TAPE? RENTED A MOVIE AT A VIDEO STORE?
WROTE A CHECK FOR GROCERIES?**

**MAYBE YOU STILL DO SOME — OR ALL — OF THESE THINGS. BUT CHANCES ARE GOOD YOU'VE
REPLACED MANY OF WHAT USED TO BE COMMON, EVERYDAY ACTIVITIES WITH MORE
TECHNOLOGICALLY UPDATED TRENDS.**

**HERE'S A LOOK AT SOME OF THE ITEMS THAT ARE STILL WITH US, YET ARE SLOWLY BUT SURELY
FADING FROM EVERYDAY USE.**

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| 1. Shopping Malls | 10. Lan line phones | 19. Cursive |
| 2. Cash | 11. Business Cards | 20. Paper receipts |
| 3. Pay Phones | 12. Parking Meters | 21. Theater tickets |
| 4. Calculators | 13. House Keys | 22. GPS Devices |
| 5. Paper Maps | 14. College textbooks | 23. Desk top Computers |
| 6. Printed Catalogs | 15. Classroom chalkboards | 24. Manual transmission cars |
| 7. Remote Controls | 16. Mail collection boxes | 25. Plastic/single use straws |
| 8. Fax Machines | 17. In-person voting | |
| 9. Alarm Clocks | 18. Checks | |

In many ways, the pandemic has significantly — and in some cases profoundly — shifted our day-to-day lives. Amidst this whirlwind, it's comforting to know that there are some things that will never change.

True Love Will Never Change.

Only when love is real and true will it last forever.

Memories Will Never Change.

Memories are trapped in our brain, and cannot be changed or altered in any way. Memories are forever and can not be forgotten.

The Sun Rising in the East and Setting in the West Will Never Change.

This has been a fact since the earth was created and it will never change.

The Past Can Never Change.

The fact is that the past can never change because it was written in stone. There are no do-overs in life.

Our LOVE for Eta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated Will Never Change!

"NOT FOR OURSELVES, BUT FOR OTHERS"



What Is Its Purpose of the Educational & Charitable Foundation of Eta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated Grand Chapter ?

To provide educational, economic and charitable programs and contributions to the community. Funds and services are provided in accordance with the provisions set forth in Section 501(c)3 of the Internal Revenue Cod

What Are the Provisions set forth in Section 501(c)3 of the Internal Revenue Code?

The exempt purposes set forth in section 501(c)(3) are charitable, religious, educational, scientific, literary, testing for public safety, fostering national or international amateur sports competition, and preventing cruelty to children or animals. The term charitable is used in its generally accepted legal sense and includes relief of the poor, the distressed, or the underprivileged; advancement of religion; advancement of education or science; erecting or maintaining public buildings, monuments, or works; lessening the burdens of government; lessening neighborhood tensions; eliminating prejudice and discrimination; defending human and civil rights secured by law; and combating community deterioration and juvenile delinquency.



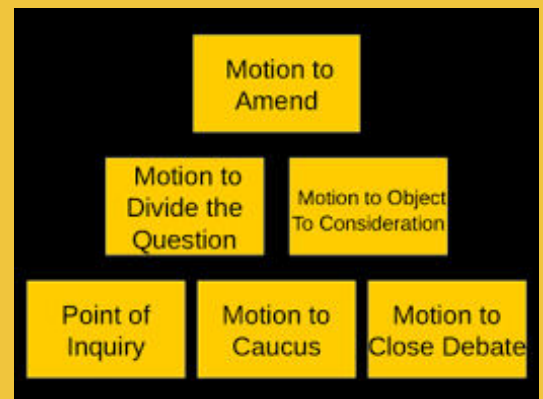
Scan code for further information on IRS "Charitable" Purposes



Parliamentary
Corner

Coming
Soon

Beginning in the October issue of the Bradfield Brief, we will feature articles on the ABCs of PARLIAMENTARY PROCEDURES



RULES OF DEBATE

ROBERTS RULES OF ORDER

LIMIT OR EXTENDED DEBATE

Presented by Soror Dorothy Oliver, National Parliamentarian

Quick Parliamentary Quiz

True/False Questions

- 1. The mover of a motion can speak against his/her own motion.
- 2. A motion is before the assembly when it has been moved and seconded.
- 3. The motion to "lay on the table" is used to kill a motion without a direct vote on it.
- 4. Amendments can be applied to any motion regardless of whether or not they are germane.

Meet our New Regional Directors



Congratulations!

**Mid-Eastern
Region Director
Brenda McLean Ross**

Membership Inception Date: May 1993

Chapter Offices held: Basileus, 1st Anti Basileus, 2nd Anti Basileus, Tamias, and Intake Coordinator

Regional Offices held: Assistant Regional Director, Guard, Tamias, and Tamiouchos

National Office held: Tamias

Vision for the Mid-Eastern Region:

To grow the membership and have more participation of chapters supporting other chapter's activities in the region. To encourage chapter basilei take advantage of all training being offered.

Vision for Eta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated:

Grow and broaden the participation of sorors attending National Meetings so that they can experience the sisterhood on all levels. To grow our partnership with like organizations.

Personal Information:

Director Ross is the proud grandmother of eight and an alumnus of North Carolina A&T State University. She recently resigned from her job and was given a grand send off. Afterwards, she was then asked to come back to work by the principal. When the new school year began, after summer break, her co-workers were shocked to see her back on the job.



Congratulations!

**Southeastern
Region Director
Diana Smith Greene**

Membership Inception Date: May 2011

Chapter Offices held: Basileu, Grammateus and Tamiouchos

Regional Offices held: Tamias, Grammateus, and Assistant Regional Director

National Offices held: N/A

Vision for the Southeastern Region: 1. Improve and strengthen our Sisterhood. 2. Initiate Impact days in the Region. 3. Utilize technology to streamline processes. 4. Implement a way to honor or acknowledge our Seasoned Sorors (70 and above) for their years of service in the sorority. 5. Encourage Themes for monthly meetings. 6. Retain, Reclaim and Recruit new members. 7. Be more active the community.

Vision for Eta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated: My vision for Eta Phi Beta Sorority is to be relevant and viable in the communities we serve and to broaden our footprints. I would like to see grow with Sorors willing to work and not just grow in numbers.

Personal information: I am the proud mother of two children, Darryl Raggs and Tanya Parson (who is also a member of the Gamma Iota Chapter of Eta Phi Beta). I am also the grandmother (Mimi) of five grandchildren with one on the way. I am a Busy Bee always involved in my Church, nursing organization, decorating, and Sororities. In my spare time, I like to travel, entertain, and work in the yard.



GOOD HEALTH WINS

NATIONAL COUNCIL OF NEGRO WOMEN, INC. & VACCINATE YOUR FAMILY

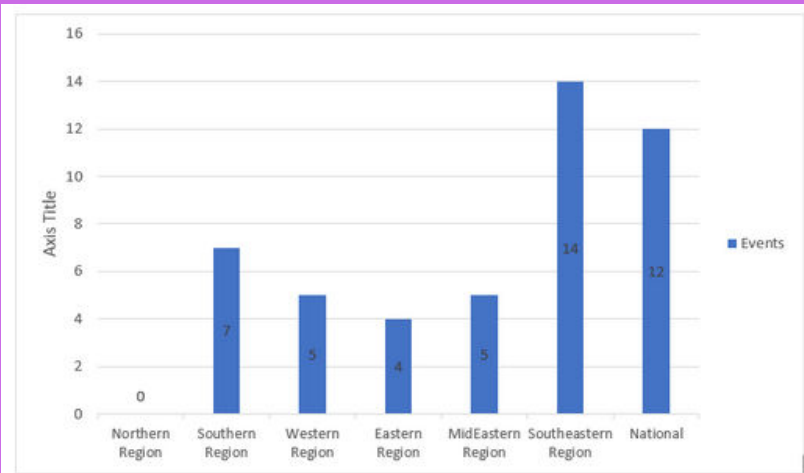


We are the trusted messengers



Event Update (47)

Completed and pending events to date



Good Health WINS Event Request Form

Good Health WINS Post-Event Reporting Form

Good Health WINS Reimbursement Checklist

Good Health WINS Reimbursement Invoice Request Form

Good Health WINS Branded Flyers

Good Health WINS bag and palm fan order information



GOOD HEALTH WINS

NATIONAL COUNCIL OF NEGRO WOMEN, INC. & VACCINATE YOUR FAMILY



Gamma Omega Chapter of the Western Region participated with Loveland Jubilee Pantry on August 18, 2023 during their weekly food give-away to the residents in the community of Rialto, CA.

Chapter members were there early that morning to help load the boxes with food that would be placed into the trunks of each car driving through the line, and plastic bags of food to the homeless on foot. Along with the food boxes, Gamma Omega passed out to each car driving through a flyer for Good Health WINS, "Vaccine, the Flu, and You" from NCNW and Eta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. combined efforts to inform communities of available vaccine resources.

For Event photos

CLICK HERE

We are the "Trusted Messengers"

Get the word out, don't get left behind!



Answers to August Summer Trivia

- What does SPF stand for?
Sun Protection Factor
- Which US state has the average hottest temperature?
Florida
- On what one of two dates does the Summer Solstice occur?
June 20 or 21
- What three Zodiac signs occur during the Summer?
Cancer, Leo, Virgo
- What is the birthstone for July?
Ruby
- In which country was the record for hottest temperature ever recorded set?
US Death Valley, California
- In what year were the first modern Summer Olympic games held?
1896
- In what country did fireworks originate?
China
- In what year did the Fourth of July become a holiday in the United States?
1870
- What is the most commonly purchased BBQ meat in the United States?
Hot Dog

There were no responses and no winners for the summer trivia. Future prizes to be awarded.

Eta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated Membership Intake Procedures Training

Required for ALL New/Incoming 2023-2024 Sorority Year -
Regional Directors
Chapter Presidents
Membership Intake Coordinators
Assistant Membership Intake Coordinators



Join us for an **Interactive, Informative, Mandatory Training**

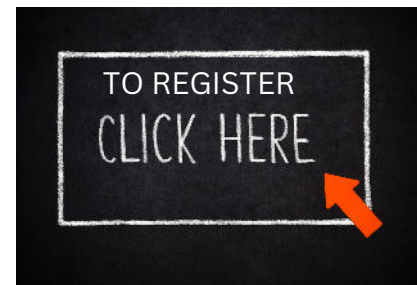
Friday, October 27, 2023

5:30 p.m. PST ~ 7:30 p.m. CST ~ 8:30 p.m. EST

Registration is required, **please click below to register** for the training.
You must register no later than Monday, October 16, 2023.

All interested sorors are also welcome to register and attend

Questions can be directed to Membership Chair, Juanita Jones at teetadavis62@gmail.com



September is National Chicken Month

FUN FACT

If you're a fan of chicken, you'll be happy to know that September is National Chicken Month in the United States. This month-long celebration is all about recognizing the many delicious ways to prepare and enjoy chicken.



Recipe: Chicken Dip with Cream Cheese

Ingredients: 2 small cooked chicken breasts shredded

2-8oz blocks softened cream cheese

1 Hidden Valley Ranch Salad Dressing Seasoning Mix

Your favorite salsa

Mix all ingredients together until well combined. Serve with crackers



81st National Founders' Day Celebration: 1942 - 2023

Honoring Our Noble Founders



Our Guiding Lights

"Continuing a Legacy of Education, Community Service and Sisterhood"



Sonda Bradfield

National President
Eta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated



Dawn O. Ross, Esq.

Registered Patent Attorney
Ross & Owens Ross Law Firm

4 PM ET/3 PM CST/2 PM MST/1 PM PST

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2023

Click here to register for the
founders Day Program



This will be a wonderful event. Please see below for tools to promote this Founders' Day program.

- Click [here](#) for the flyer.
- Click [here](#) for instructions on sending the 2023 Founders' Day Email, Letter Invitation and Flyer.
- Click [here](#) for Invitation letter/email.
- Click [here](#) for backdrop to use during the event.



36TH BIENNIAL BOULÈ

JULY 21, 2024 - JULY 26, 2024

HOST: SOUTHEASTERN REGION

Airport Marriott Gateway
2020 Convention Center Concourse
Atlanta, GA 30337

Plan to arrive early!
Join us for Pre-Boule Events
Saturday, July 20th

Each Soror is required to pay a registration fee. The pre-registration fee for the 36" Biennial Grand Boulè is \$432.00 for active members. The deadline for pre-registration is April 30, 2024. The Late and On-Site Registration fee after April 30, 2024 is \$500.00 and the cost of registration for inactive Sorors is \$600.00.