

Delta Kappa Gamma International Society  
Gamma Gamma  
Illinois State Organization  
Chapter #75

Date: October 18, 2022

Location: Our Redeemer's Methodist Church

Meeting called to order by: Linda Szymkowiak, Parliamentarian

Time meeting started: 4:01PM

Was secretary present: no, Rose Marie Mincey was secretary today

Was quorum established: yes

Time meeting adjourned: 4:25PM

1. Welcome: Rose Karner, President

Rose welcomed all members and our guest Dr. Jan Fitzsimmons, Executive Director  
Of the Center for Success for High-Need Schools, Inc.

2. Reflection: Denise Pawelczyk

3. Recording secretary: Rose Marie Mincey here for Sharon Froehlich

Asked for a motion to approve the September minutes as posted on the website.

Char Weber moved to approve the minutes. Kathleen Stephansen seconded.

Members voted and the September minutes were approved.

4. Corresponding secretary: Susan Wadkins

A. Susan read a thank you note from Linda Szymkowiak.

B. Book Club: The next meeting is on Zoom on October 27th. We will be discussing  
The Secret Life of Muriel West.

5. Treasurer's report: Linda Stolt

A. Not much has happened since July 1st

B. John Harmon made a donation in Nancy Harmon's name for a scholarship.

C. Gerie Kay moved to accept the treasurer's report. Jane Born seconded. Members  
voted and the treasurer's report was accepted.

6. Society Business: Joan Gazdic

Nothing new to report this month

7. Membership: Madelynn Brossard

Two new members will be installed in May 2023

8. Programs: Judie King and Rose Marie Mincey

A. November 13th Theater and Dinner outing October 28th is the deadline to RSVP by  
email to Sharon Froehlich. Mail check to Sharon Froehlich. Make check payable to  
Delta Kappa Gamma, write Theater on the memo line.

B. Our annual fundraising auction is on December 6th. A sign up sheet is going around  
today's meeting, please sign up for a task and/or contribution.

9. Educational Excellence: Denise Pawelczyk

Mentor/Mentee meeting on Zoom will be next week, October 25th at 7:00PM

10. Communications: Deb Hopp

Use your ID number from your yearbook to log into state and international DKG websites.

11. Service and Special Projects: Cindy Sheely

- A. November: We will be collecting gloves, mittens, hats, snowpants and boots  
Bring them to the parking lot of Prince of Peace Lutheran Church on November 10th,  
3:00-5:00PM.
- B. December: We will be collecting all kinds of gift cards for the mentors to use with our  
grant recipients. A collection box will be at the auction sign-in table.

12. Care Team: Gerie Kay

Please let us know if someone needs support. Let Gerie know if you want to help the team.

13. New Business

- A. The Nancy Harmon Memorial Scholarship Fund: Linda Stolt  
John Harmon donated \$10,000 this year for the scholarship. He will donate another \$10,000  
next year. Linda read a letter from John Harmon to the members.
- B. Members with 25 years of service or more will have a \$25 donation, made in their name,  
to the state DKG fund of their choice. Every 5 years after that it will be done. This program  
will start in the spring of 2023.

14. Announcements:

- A. Mary Wrobel is looking for singers and instrumentalists for the convention at the Double  
Tree Hilton in Oakbrook, April 21-23, 2023.
- B. Dinner today after the meeting will be at Panera Bread, 2415 W. Schaumburg Rd.  
Schaumburg. All are welcome!
- C. Marriott Lincolnshire Theater and dinner is on Sunday, November 13th, at 1:00PM  
Please be there ahead of time to pick up your tickets.
- D. Annual Holiday Auction will be held on Tuesday, December 6th at Prince of Peace  
Lutheran Church. Bring your friends.

15. Meeting adjourned: 4:25PM

4:30PM Presentation: Current Educators Roundtable Discussion