



LAMBDA LEADER

October 2017

President's Message

Happy Fall,

We had our annual picnic in September. Seven members were present. Dee had to be in Helena so we did not have her tasty burgers. We had chicken, salads and desserts. We had a good time getting caught up and talking about the school closures. We did not have to deal with the smoke from the fires but it was windy and a bit on the cool side.

The October meeting will be Thursday, October 12 at 4:30 pm at the Pin & Cue in the main dining room. Five of the seven members present in September will be gone for the October meeting so decided to move to the front dining room. **I need you to RSVP me so I know how many will attend. If the number is low we may cancel the meeting. Will ask the same for the November meeting** - instead of taking up the backroom which is for 15+ people we will meet or not. December meeting we will have the Christmas party in the back room and the program will be the foreign exchange students. Jerri and I will take care of December. No meeting in January, February is up in the air, March is the Book Read - Bonnie and Sandy will take care of that meeting. April will probably be the Writing Program winners and May will be Founder's Day, Birthday and elections.

I hope I have everyone's correct email. Not sure if everyone has Mindy Sattler's

so add this to the book -

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Hope to hear from everyone about October meeting.

Have a great fall.

Barb

Active dues are \$61 and reserve dues are \$34. Mail dues to: Sharon Shafer 807 Greenwood Drive, Whitefish, MT 59937

Happy Birthday - October

20th - Benilda Delgado

22nd - Dee Brown



Congratulations to Germaine for being an active member of Delta Kappa Gamma, Lambda Chapter for 50 years.



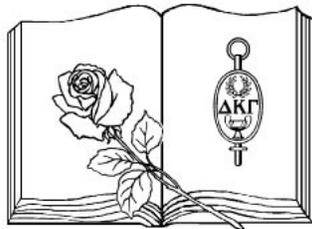
A card from Germaine is on page two.

Mailed to Carolyn Pfrimmer.

Dear Lambda,

Thank you all for the lovely card and messages. I no longer feel the need to pay my dues and be a retired member. I have been very pleased to have been asked to join such a great international organization. As an active member it was such enjoyment to see all the sister members at our meetings. It was important that in some small way I helped Delta Kappa Gamma carry forth its goals for teachers. Thank you for many years of friendships.

Sincerely,
Germaine



Germaine has moved to an assisted living in Vancouver, WA.

News from Carolyn

Our September meeting in the Columbia Falls park was delightful, but quite cold. Barb, our president for another year (bless her!!) will have the details in her message. Sharon Shafer brought delicious chicken. Added to salads, desserts and other goodies. We had a good meeting and were so happy to see Karen Anderson arrive with her potato salad and we gave her the September birthday card. Another beautiful one made by Carolyn Jarrell. Jerry Boksich, Sandy Bradford, Bonnie Raeth and Carolyn Pfrimmer also attended.

Carolyn Jarrell has moved and now lives on the Golf Course at 104 Ritzman Land, Kalispell, 59901. She sold all her stamping supplies and will no longer be making those lovely greeting cards. She is now quilting. She did, however, send enough cards to delight Lambda members for this year through May. She is so thoughtful. You can write her at the above address.

We will miss Delores Peck who has moved to Lewistown. She will no longer be a member of Lambda, but may find a chapter there.

Happy news is that Doris will still be making our newsletter. She would like members to send her any news of our members. Drop her a line and let's keep her updated on dates, times and places of meetings/events. It is such good news that she will be able to keep our website current.

Email her at: doc2@wavecable.com

Carolyn Pfrimmer

Food for Thought

As I read the October issue of *Alphamusings* I wondered why Lambda's Writing Program wasn't mentioned? This is a very worthwhile project that should be written up and submitted to *Alphamusing*.

Also the foreign exchange students speaking about education in their home countries is very interesting and should also be submitted.

Time to let Montana know what you're doing. (from the editor)