## Delta Kappa Gamma Lambda Kappa Chapter February 7, 2019 Minutes

The meeting was held at Anne Sundquist's house.

Members present: Anne Sundquist, Ann Allen, Clara Lynch, Janet Robb, DiAnn Suggs, Patty Souriall, Annette Bopp and Marcia Barren

Guest Visitor: Mary Branson from Omaha, Nebraska (Ann Allen's sister)

Guest Speaker: Judy Rose – Master Gardener

Meeting was called to order at 5:49

Convocation given by Claire.

Minutes were previously shared with everyone. Ann moved to accept the minutes, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Claire. Motion passes.

Ann Allen presented \$20.85 to Janet from Piggy Bank. More money was collected at this meeting.

Treasurer's Report: In October \$215 was collected from our fundraiser at the Area meeting, received \$780 for dues, sent \$20 to the TX DKG and \$732.00 to the TX DKG for dues leaving us an ending balance in October of \$1440.62. In December there was a deposit of \$75.00 for an current balance of \$1515.62. Claire moved to accept the treasurer's report, 2<sup>nd</sup> by DiAnn. The motion was passed.

## Old Business:

Youth Project – The Montgomery County Youth Services has 14 kids and was having 1 more arrive today. They have a full house.

We collected gift cards and put them with Valentine Cards brought by DiAnn for each child in the house, including the new arrival.

New Teacher Recognition – Will get names from principals for returning 1<sup>st</sup> year teacher from both Magnolia ISD and Montgomery ISD. We will then randomly draw names to be presented money to use towards teaching supplies.

Previous Scholarship Winner is teaching now and recently earned a reward.

## **New Business:**

Chapter Rules & Bi-laws need to be updated by March 30.

Dues will now me collected in April for the following year. New recruits will only pay \$20.

Ann & Claire will be updating the Bi-laws then will submit them to Area Committee Chair, DiAnn Suggs.

Send photos to Anne & Annette for the newsletter and the website.

Claire was recognized by the State for the Yearbook.

Annette received certification for the next two years for the Website.

ASTEF has money for grants for projects or supplies for the classroom or trainings and also for Chapter Projects. Applications are due March 1<sup>st</sup>. Consider writing one for Montgomery County Youth Services.

Conroe is asking to merge with us. They meet on Monday's at the Jet Center in Conroe. We could possibly do projects together for fundraising purposes without actually merging. We decided to offer them to opportunity to transfer to our group. We are invited to join them next week for a program on genealogy.

April meeting – Claire suggested to meet at Uncle Bob's BBQ in Montgomery instead of the library. We will be having a guest speaker on Entomology.

We broke for dinner. We had chili provided by Anne

After dinner, Judy Rose was our presenter. She is a Master Gardener and spoke about the Helping Hands Community Garden. Everyone received Cosmos seeds. She spoke about organic gardening and gave advise to help plants survive through the freezing evenings that are predicted.