



**PI CHAPTER MEETING MINUTES**  
**SATURDAY, September 7, 2019**  
**CENTRAL LIBRARY - BROWNING ROOM**

***CALL TO ORDER - WELCOME - THOUGHT FOR THE DAY***

President Michelle Eykamp called the meeting to order at 9:30 a.m. There were 17 members present. Michelle offered the Thought for the Day: She shared the meanings of different colors and members participated in an activity based on the colors they were wearing. Michelle also shared the history of the Blue Books that colleges and universities use.

***OFFICER & COMMITTEE REPORTS***

Recording Secretary: Alicia Padgett presented the minutes from the April 2019 meeting. Jane Bernhardt made a motion to approve the minutes as written. Kathy Bartelt seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

Corresponding Secretary: Alicia Padgett reported that no correspondence has been sent or received since the April meeting.

Finance: Treasurer Jane Bernhardt reminded members that due to DKG International changing their fiscal year, our dues this year needed to be paid by June. She reported that our current membership dues have all been paid. Jane shared that former members can easily be reinstated and to contact her if we know of anyone interested. Jane provided the current balances for each of our accounts: Checking - \$4,356.41, Savings (Scholarship for members) - \$2,016.92, Savings (Grant-in-Aid) - \$1,338.40, CD (matures in Feb.) - \$9,205.14, CD (matures in Aug.) - \$9,217.69.

Membership: Sarah Calli encouraged the members present to reach out to women in their school buildings and in volunteer groups who contribute to education. Two of our members, Jan Kinney and Kathy Willett have asked to be moved from Active to Reserve membership. Cindy Shoulders made a motion to approve this change in membership status and Diane Dillard seconded. The motion was carried. Cindy Shoulders shared that our current membership consists of 18 Active, 27 Retired, 4 Reserve and 5 Honorary members. Several prospective members were invited to attend today's meeting.

Scholarship/Grant-in-Aid: Michelle Eykamp reported on behalf of Paula Harmon that graduating high school seniors who are pursuing the teaching profession can apply for the \$1,000 Grant-in-Aid recruitment by applying online. Carol Ballard shared with members about awarding last year's recipient, Lindsey Field at her high school Class Day. Updates on past recipients, Riley Herrin and Isaac Sellers were shared with members, as well.

***OLD BUSINESS***

Hangers: Michelle shared her wonderful experience at last February's Hangers Service Project and encouraged members to consider attending this year's Hangers Service Project coming up in February. She reminded members that in the past several years we have collected monetary donations along with socks, gloves, scarves, hats and toiletry items for Hangers and that we will collect again at the upcoming Dec. 7th meeting.

## ***NEW BUSINESS***

Upcoming Meetings: Kathy Shipley shared the dates and locations for the rest of this year's meetings:

Dec. 7, 2019 - Sigma Alpha Epsilon House (holiday music performed by Reitz choir students)

Feb. 2020 - Hangers

April 18, 2020 - Mulberry Jeans (\$20 luncheon/high tea - optional)

Red Books: Cindy Shoulders and Alicia Padgett have updated the Red Directories and distributed them to members who were present. Any changes that need to be made can be directed to Michelle, Cindy or Alicia. Books were printed this year at SICTC and the students did an excellent job. The books were very reasonably priced (41 cents/each).

Music; Cindy Shoulders led us in singing the Delta Kappa Gamma Song.

Carol Ballard made a motion to adjourn the business portion of our meeting. Kathy Lutz seconded the motion. The meeting adjourned at 10:30 a.m.

Our guest speaker was State Representative, Vaneta Becker. She shared current legislative topics regarding education. She also answered questions at the end of her presentation.

Respectfully submitted,  
Alicia Padgett  
Recording Secretary