



Epsilon Rho Review  
The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International  
Epsilon Rho Chapter  
Texas State Organization  
Area III Chapter 137 Pasadena, Texas  
October 2017

**Mission statement:** The DKG Society International promotes professional and personal growth of women educators and excellence in education.

**Vision statement:** Leading women educators impacting educators worldwide.

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## *LuAnn's Thoughts*

I am so excited about Epsilon Rho and the progress we are making. I want to welcome back Sara Simmons to our group and we will be initiating new members at meeting this month. I look forward to getting to know our newest members. We have some great things happening over the next few months.

At our next meeting, October 2, we will be bringing children/youth books to donate to the Pasadena Little Libraries.

Be sure to have a book in mind that you have read or are currently reading, for our Book Club/Review next meeting.

Our meeting will be held at the  
**Cleveland-Ripley Neighborhood Center**  
**720 Fairmont Pkwy.**  
**Pasadena, TX. 77504**

The meeting will start at 5:00. Be sure to be there on time, parking is at a premium. Should the parking lot be full, you may park at the park that is next door.

Don't forget that dues are being collected at this time.

I hope to see you all at the meeting! --- *LuAnn*

### **September Meeting**

Monday, Oct. 2

**5:00 pm**

Cleveland-Ripley Neighborhood Center  
720 Fairmont Pkwy.  
Pasadena, TX 77504

**Program:** Book Club: Bring a book that you would like to share with the group (**not a book exchange**)

**Hostess:** Annie Grossmann

**Service Project:**

Bring a book for the PasadenaISD  
Little Libraries

## Treasures Report

Previous Balance: \$1,086.84

Deposits: \$1,130.00

Disbursements: \$703.63

**Balance as of 10-30-17: \$1513.21**



## Epsilon Rho Chapter Agenda October 2, 2017

**Call to order:** LuAnn Kelly

**Words of inspiration:** Annie Grossmann and Darlene Daniels

**Welcome:** Alejandra Mondragon

**Attendance:** Concerns for members

**Brag Box**

**Approval of minutes:** Laura Rahman

**Correspondence:** Allison Sutton

**Initiation of new members**

**Program:** Book Club/ Review

**Looking ahead:**

November Service Project is the assembly of the no sew blankets



**Epsilon Rho Chapter  
Delta Kappa Gamma  
Meeting Minutes**  
*September 11, 2017*

**Present:** Luann Kelly, Mary Jaime, Pat Jaime, Laura Rahman, Allison Sutton, Darlene Daniels, Pat Vance, Mary Wilson, Annie Grossman, Barbara Norris (prospective new member)

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I. Luann Kelly called the meeting to order and gave the Words of Inspiration.

## **II. Ceremony Check List**

Discussed check list for items to be used for initiation/installation ceremonies. We have some items on the list but not all. Talked about who may have these items.

## **III. Website**

Website is complete and now linked to both the state and international websites.

## **IV. Treasurer's Report**

The current balance is \$1,086.84.

## **V. Scholarships**

Luann mentioned that we would like to start offering scholarships again to our members. Allison Sutton is on committee and will begin working on creating a new process for awarding scholarships.

## **VI. Fundraisers**

In order to help support the scholarship fund, Luann suggested ideas for fundraising. She stated that we could have either a Pampered Chef or Scentsy online party. She also recommended possibly having a Fiesta dinner.

## **VII. Grant**

Laura Rahman discussed applying for an education grant through the Delta Kappa Gamma Education Foundation. We would like to apply for a grant to support Pasadena ISD's Little Free Libraries. Laura stated that the application is quite lengthy and thinks that she will need to meet with the PISD Grants Department for approval.

## **VIII. Nominating Committee**

Nominating Committee will need to meet in January to elect new officers in March with officer installation in April.

**IX. Prospective New Members**

Barbara Norris joined us for our meeting and will be initiated at the October meeting. We unanimously voted to accept her for new membership.

**X. Flooding in Schools**

Luann shared information from our area regarding flooding in schools. Our area coordinator wants to help our members whose schools were impacted by Hurricane Harvey. However, it was determined that none of our members' schools were severely impacted or if they were, they are already receiving aid from other organizations.

***Submitted by Laura Rahman, Recording Secretary***