

Delta Gamma Ink




News for Delta Gamma Alumnae in the Silicon Valley!



Delta Gamma Needs You! Zanna Blethen, Alumnae Development Consultant

Whenever you see an anchor, does it make you think of Delta Gamma? Our nautical symbol is meaningful to each of us because it carries the special symbolism of "hope." It is my hope that each of you can recall fond memories and the warm bonds of friendship that you have had within Delta Gamma. Furthermore, I hope we can revitalize the Silicon Valley alumnae chapter.

It is my pleasure to visit the Silicon Valley alumnae chapter. We will:

-  rekindle memories, share stories and update you on the spirit of the Fraternity,
-  steer the alumnae group into new waters with your input as to what matters,
-  make a difference in your life and in others by participating in the lifetime commitment of Delta Gamma.

The future of the Silicon Valley alumnae chapter and local collegiate chapters depend on our success.

We are reaching out to all Delta Gammas, asking members to attend meetings and events and to take advantage of opportunities on the alumnae board, advisory team and house corporation. These positions do not require a large amount of time, but rather a Delta Gamma who cares and is willing to be part of a team effort. We feel tremendous pride in our collegians and know the success of this chapter is directly related to the support and direction they receive from alumnae. There are more than 900 wonderfully diverse Delta Gamma alumnae in the area, and we know many of you would like to contribute your time or talent.

A gathering has been set for December 7, 2005 at 7:00pm. Please join me at the home of Barbara Gerow Broyles. The address is 19145 Bainter Avenue, in Saratoga. This will be your opportunity to meet your local alumnae leaders and our opportunity to answer any questions that you may have regarding alumnae involvement.

Can we count on you? You will inevitably strengthen your own bond with Delta Gamma as you realize the difference you can make with your friendship and positive energy. The satisfaction of knowing that Delta Gamma continues to be a leader among Greek women's organizations should inspire your involvement.

Please RSVP to Natalie at 408.723.5377 or via email at: vp_communications@svdeltagamma.org **by November 30.** If you have any questions about this event or getting involved in Delta Gamma, please contact me directly. You can e-mail me at ADCZanna@deltagamma.org or call me at (206) 780-1697.

In the Bonds,

Zanna Blethen

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Comments or Questions?
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Save These Upcoming Dates!

1. "DG Tuesdays" (Happy Hour in SV!) 2nd Tuesday of each Month
Contact vp_programming@svdeltagamma.org for more info.
2. Holiday Cheer "DG Do Good" Event Wed., Dec. 7th at 7pm
Special Guest Zanna Blethen, ADC contact president@svdeltagamma.org for more info.
3. "After The Holidays" White Elephant Exchange . . . Wed. Jan. 11th at 7pm
4. Founders Day Luncheon Sat., Mar. 4th 11am - 2pm



NEW!!!
DG Tuesdays!
SVDG Alumnae Kelley, Lauren and Denise are starting a new MONTHLY "hot spot" get together for drinks and after work conversation. Hang out with other local Alumnae and enjoy a happy hour atmosphere every 2nd Tuesday of the Month!
Contact: dgtuesday@svdeltagamma.org to find out more!

2005 dues are due!



Membership for Life!

Silicon Valley has the smallest chapter in California... We need you! PLEASE show your love and support for our Delta Gamma Alumnae chapter by paying your annual dues today!

The Silicon Valley alumnae chapter dues are just \$38.00 (includes \$18.50 for Executive Offices). Fifty-year member dues are \$20.00.

NEW!!! Now DGs can pay by credit card via PayPal at our Web site www.svdeltagamma.org!

Or simply mail a check payable to "Delta Gamma". Please include your name, phone, email, plus any personal updates, event interest level / availability, or any other helpful info you would like to include. We have volunteering needs both large and small, so don't be shy!

Mail your 2005 annual dues check to: SVDG Alumnae, 372 Rosewood Ave., San Jose, CA 95117

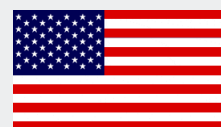
Thank You!!!

Don't Miss "December's..."



Special Guest
Zanna Stone-Blethen, ADC

Do Good
Holiday Event!



*Small "mailable" Items to bring include:

Tube socks, baby wipe packages, candy or snack foods, hot sauce, just add water oatmeal, playing cards, crossword puzzles, and travel size toiletries. For more ideas or to include a DG related service person on our list contact Denise at dgdenise@hotmail.com or by phone at 408.396.0075.

Join us for our annual holiday event and social evening. Enjoy meeting other local DG Alumnae while helping prepare DG "Do Good" holiday packages for our adopted U.S. Military unit overseas!

What to bring:

Any 25 small mailable items* for the military men and women overseas! Or bring any 2 "Large Print" books for our SVDGA retirement home!

When:



Wednesday, December 7th at 7:00 p.m.
19145 Bainter Avenue, Saratoga

RSVP by 11/30/05:

Please RSVP to Natalie at (408) 723-5377 or Barbara at (408) 395-5328

Save Your Cambell's Soup Labels!

Save Your V8, Prego, and Swanson labels too!

Go to: www.labelsforeducation.com to find out all the product labels SVDG alumnae can save! Bring them to any event. At the end of the year, we will submit them on behalf of SVDGA to benefit the schools for the blind!

Comments of Questions?

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