



Delta Kappa Gamma  
Xi Chapter Newsletter—Fall, 2016  
Xi Chapter website: <http://xipennsylvania.weebly.com/>

Singing our song “Delta Kappa Gamma” at the end of the September meeting brought back wonderful memories of honorary teachers coming together to celebrate each other and their “Courage, Faith and Honor.” Our singing also reminded us that we want to continue singing for “With this faith in one another, we shall win, for aye.”

### Scholarship Award

Erika Cassel received the 2016 Xi Chapter Scholarship Award. Erika is a student at Kutztown University where she is studying to become an English teacher. Erika and her parents joined us for the presentation and the lunch at the Tamaqua Train Station. The *Pottsville Republican* newspaper recognized Erika and the Xi Chapter Scholarship Award in the Sunday, September 25, edition.



### 2016-2018 Officers

Co-Presidents: Rita Tamalavage  
Marie Nester  
Vice President: Sue Schenck  
Treasurer: Doris Lusch  
Recording Secretary: Marge Valinsky

Corresponding Secretary: Barb Lafko, Cindy Ritschel (e-mail)

**President’s Message:** A recent state memo recommended that the president keep the past archives of minutes “RED BOX” and folders.

Any reported e-mail changes will be put on labels for the yearbook inserts.

Get those DKG pins shined up to wear to the meetings!

### An Invitation



Roseann Klees presented a recruitment packet that includes Xi Chapter brochures about our local chapter. She prepared them to offer to future members. Do you know someone who might want to learn more about DKG?

### Xi Chapter’s Next Meeting

December 3, 2016—The Arts Barn, Schuylkill Haven. Get your Christmas presents ready for this meeting! Members are asked to bring in unwrapped gifts for the Chinese auction. The proceeds will go to a charity. Which charity would you suggest? Also, our new member, Nichole Beltz, a teacher at Tamaqua Area High School, will be inducted at this meeting. (You will receive a separate meeting notice soon because the reservations must be made by November 14.)

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