March 14 DKG Gamma Eta Meeting Happy Pi day!

Meeting began at 7pm, with 10 sisters in attendance.

President Jennifer Cates opened with A Spirited and Spunky Welcome to our Special Guests: Tina Bartlett, civics teacher and Christine Hackett, Spanish teacher from Broughton High School. We enjoyed a program by these talented young women who inspired us with stories of their friendships with other teachers. Pi Day was extra fun as both speakers received a pie chosen by random drawing.

Business items:

1. With sadness we share the news of the passing of sister Marian Timothy the beloved mother of sister Elisabeth McChesney. Our condolences and care are extended to the family. Those who can attend will sit together at her funeral service at 2 PM Highland United Methodist on Saturday March 18th
2. There is an Art Show featuring Marian’s work on display in the month of March at Glenaire.
3. DKG HEADQUARTERS BRICK SALE project: we approved to buy a brick in honor of Marian. Jennifer and Judy will get the details
4. Three sisters will attend our State convention April 28-30: Peggy, Patricia and Jennifer.
5. The Scholarship committee will meet in April. Gail Waters is heading the committee.
6. Who is doing the birthday cards for the months
7. Judy Wilson shared the Treasurer’s report, total assets as of 3/1/2107 are $4,067.62. We collected Spare change.
8. The minutes from the February meeting were read by Sharon Welker and approved.
9. Website and newsletter details: we need to help Lane Tomey and Gwen Canada.
10. We had a brief discussion of upcoming May inductions: 6:00pm dinner meeting, May 9, NCSU University Club
11. Jennifer Cates presented 6 teachers for nomination for membership, and Betty Timberlake presented 2. We hope that that all accept and help us continue with a strong membership in future years.

We had a special closing to honor Marian. Serena Pearce read the poem Barter by Sarah Tisdale. This is a poem that Marian shared each year with her high school seniors.