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NEWSLETTER



DEC. 25

Happy Holidays!

Monthly Meetings

- **December Chapter Meeting**
 - December 6 - 12pm
 - Xenia YMCA
- **Executive Board Meeting:**
 - December 15 - 7:30 pm
- **December Hostesses**
 - Soror Spence
 - Soror Turner
 - Soror Devond
 - Soror Lester
 - Soror W. Johnson

Birthdays:

3 - Taneka Smith
6 - Loraine Glenn
11 - Ruth Lawson
23 - Kimberly Lewis

Season's Greetings!

As we enter the holiday season, may this time of joy, reflection, and gratitude remind us of the blessing of sisterhood. This is a moment to pause and appreciate the connections we've built, the service we've shared, and the growth we've experienced together. As we continue Growing Forward Together, may we uplift one another, embrace the warmth of this season, and carry the true spirit of Delta into every space we enter—today and always.



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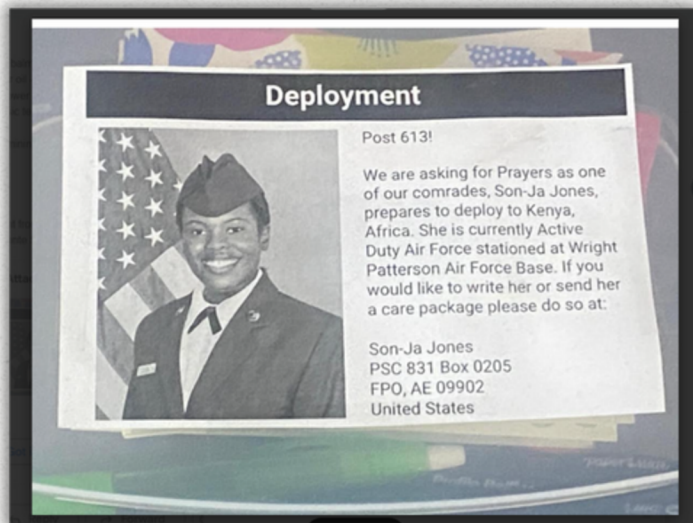


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Soror Support



As discussed at our November Chapter meetings, we would love to support our deployed Sister.

Soror Gonzalez is organizing a package for December. If you would like to bring some items to the chapter meeting for Dec 6 please let her know. Soror Shonte spoke with her and she would also love just correspondence such as letters or cards.

Here is her address for letters and cards for those who just want to write.

Address:

Son-Ja Jones
PSC 831 Box 0205
FPO, AE 09902
United States

She will be gone until after the new year for her military deployment.

Homeless Services

The Homeless Services sub-committee requests that Sorors bring the following items to the October Chapter meeting to distribute to Family Promise of Greene County:

- **Bleach/Cleaning Supplies**
- **Laundry Detergent/Dryer Sheets**
- **Milk/Juice**
- **Shower gel/Body wash**
- **Dish soap**
- **Paper plates/cups (completely out)**

Family Promise has 19 guest, 7 adults, 12 children - 7 girls, 5 boys.

Suggested Items:

- Bar dove soap
- Hand sanitizer
- Lotion
- Gain laundry pods
- Antibacterial wipes
- Devotionals or other books(music books, i.e. piano, bass guitar)
- Lip balm
- Hair oil - Jamaican castor, jojoba oil
- Shower caddy bag
- Basic tees/shorts (its very hot here) (Size Medium)

December Prayer

We are now in the season of Advent. The Advent season commemorates the first coming of Christ and the anticipation of the second coming of Christ. These four weeks prior to Christmas are to prepare our hearts for the coming of a Savior who will bring justice, love, and hope to all.

Dear Gracious God, our King, protector, liberator, and provider. As we begin this month of December, the last month of the year, we thank you for bringing us through challenges, losses, gains, and tears.

We thank you for our many blessings, your faithfulness, and strength that upholds us. Your steadfast hand that guides us and gives us comfort. Your faithfulness and love have comforted us. We pray for good health and healing and your guidance. We pray that your spirit will radiate through us to spread joy, be a blessing, provide encouragement and help with the needed resources to families and community service groups.

We pray this in the mighty name of Jesus the Messiah.

Submitted by Rev. Dr. Peggy G. Turner



Holiday Party

We're excited to invite you to our Annual Chapter Christmas Party — a festive evening filled with joy, laughter, and fellowship!

We will provide the meat, and we kindly ask each Soror to bring a covered dish to share.

This is a wonderful chance to mingle, celebrate, and welcome our friends and families! Let's close the year with warmth, connection, and holiday cheer!

Location:

Kenwood Elementary
1421 Nagley St, Springfield, OH
45505

11am - 2pm





MIDWEST NEWS

Midwest Delta Business



black girl vitamins

Health and Wellness at a Discount

Finding a vitamins brand doesn't have to be daunting! Our friends at Black Girl Vitamins have a special offer just for the Mighty Midwest Region, perfect for the holiday season—20% for all first-time customers!

Use Promo Code: DSTMIDWEST at checkout to claim this amazing deal!

Check Your Email for the Zoom Link Registration

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated | Mighty Midwest Region

Holiday Glam Photo Ready

DEC 7 PM EDT
4TH 6 PM CDT

Join the Midwest Membership Services Committee and Soror Semeca Gray, Owner of Glow Skin Spa & Body, and get photo holiday ready! Scan the QR code to register today!

SOROR SEMECA GRAY
Owner, Glow Skin Spa & Body

DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC. | MIGHTY MIDWEST REGION

Midwest SOS

MIDWEST MEETS THE MOMENT

The Midwest Region stands with sorors affected by the federal furloughs.

JUST \$99⁹⁹

Members may also purchase a limited edition Delta Sigma Theta bracelet or ring for \$99.99.

VENDOR: WHO WILL KNOW
20% of proceeds support sorors in need. Use Code: MWRC at checkout.

Chapters are asked to donate to support bills, food, and childcare assistance.

SCAN TO DONATE

Midwest SOS: Midwest Meets the Moment

When our sisters are in need, the Mighty Midwest answers the call. Through Midwest SOS: Midwest Meets the Moment, we're supporting sorors who are Federal employees impacted by furloughs.

Sorors in need may submit a request for assistance, and chapters and individual sorors are encouraged to donate. Sorors can also support by purchasing "The 9" bracelet or ring—20% of each sale goes directly to impacted sorors when you use code MWRC at checkout!

This is the final call for requests and donations—the deadline is **Friday, December 12th.**

Let's meet this moment!



NATIONAL NEWS

National Delta Business



CHISHOLM JORDAN INSTITUTE

2026 Candidate FELLOWS COHORT

APPLY TODAY

Are you running or for State House or Senate in 2026?

A year-long program guiding participants running for State House or Senate only, through four phases of campaign preparation, mentorship, and on-the-ground support. Sorors receive hands-on coaching, strategic guidance, and ongoing mentorship. Those who do not win their primaries will also receive support to review their race and plan next steps.

Sliding-Scale Access: Support available to all qualified candidates.

Qualifications: Must have filed or plan to run in 2026. Must meet ballot requirements, be nominated by a Soror or community leader, and show community support (20 supporters at \$100 each, submitted after primary victory).

DEADLINE TO APPLY: Monday, December 1 by 5pm

Program Benefits

- ✓ Mentorship and training from experienced political leaders.
- ✓ Analyzing your win number and political environment.
- ✓ Developing effective campaign strategies for fieldwork and fundraising.
- ✓ On the ground GOTV support and more!

Program Phases

- 1 Application (Sept-Dec): Submit applications
- 2 Training & Primary Prep (Jan-Feb): Coaching on campaign planning, messaging, platform, and voter outreach.
- 3 Ongoing Support (Mar-Sep): Monthly check-ins, mentorship, and strategy refinement.
- 4 Post-Primary Prep (Aug-Nov): On-the-ground support for primary winners and guidance for others.

REGISTER HERE
linktr.ee/d4_womeninaction
OR
BY SCANNING THE QR CODE

D4-WOMEN IN ACTION



SAVE THE DATE

37th Annual Delta Day's in the Nation's Capital

Since our founding in 1913, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated, has been committed to service through social action. In that spirit, we are thrilled to announce the official dates for the 37th Annual Delta Days in the Nation's Capital (DDNC), where we will gather to further empower our communities and elevate our impact!

DELTA DAYS IN THE NATION'S CAPITAL

Mark your calendars for March 20–24, 2025! The evening of Friday, March 20, will be a special time dedicated exclusively to our collegiate members—the future leaders of our Sorority. The Legislative Conference for all attendees will officially begin on Saturday, March 21.

Stay tuned for more information on the conference format, location, and registration details. We look forward to seeing you there, sorors!



Pyramid to President



Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. has a long-standing commitment to educational equity, with a history that spans over half a century. This commitment is exemplified through its partnership with TRIO programs, which began in 1968 when Delta housed and was awarded its first TRIO Talent Search grant, just four years after TRIO's creation.

NATIONAL HERITAGE & ARCHIVES COMMITTEE PRESENTS

Heritage Moment

MEOC MARYLAND EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY CENTER
Making Education a Priority

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

GRIEF AND LOSS SEMINAR

God Sees You

Psalm 34:18



Walking Through Your Grief Journey

Guest Speaker: Rev. Dawn Martin

11 AM – 1:30 PM

Saturday, December 13, 2025

Glory Ministries Church, 880 Hoop Rd., Xenia, Ohio

PRAYER * FELLOWSHIP * REFLECTIONS

** light snacks provided**



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Please send any updates and announcements to Soror Spence for the next month's newsletter.

Happy
Holidays