



**California Alpha Delta Kappa**  
***“Step Into the Future”***

CA Executive Board Liaison Report

February/March 2023

***“We will fail when we fail to try.” ~ Rosa Parks***

1. **California’s Crisis Fund “Educators Helping Educators”**: If you know of an educator who has suffered loss in the recent rains, you can fill out a one page application for \$300 (found on the CA website). Send the application to State President Rosena Kruley.

2. **California’s Crisis Fund “Educators Helping Educators”** welcomes donations. Send checks to State Treasurer Laurie Goodman with Crisis in the memo line.

3. **Altruistic Reporting** period is March 1, 2022 to February 28, 2023. The altruistic report is completed online any time after February 28, 2023 until the due date of March 15, 2023. To receive a pearl of achievement for the chapter, the report must be completed by March 15, 2023. If you need assistance with the reporting, please contact by email your district chairman listed below:

a. Northern and Valley Districts to **Fran Dunleavy**  
[francesdunleavy@gmail.com](mailto:francesdunleavy@gmail.com)

b. Marina and Southern Districts to **Diane Poettgen**  
[dlpoettgen@gmail.com](mailto:dlpoettgen@gmail.com)

4. **State Altruistic Program – George Mark Children’s House (GMCH) –** Reminder!! Any funds raised in your chapter for the **GMCH** should be sent to the State Treasurer. This is the state altruistic program. The state treasurer is responsible for keeping track of the funds for California. Thank you!

5. **Scholarships!** Announcing the upcoming Regional “Professional Development Scholarship”. Access the application on the International website: [www.alphadeltakappa.org](http://www.alphadeltakappa.org)> Foundation>Awards, Grants & Scholarships>Regional PD Scholarship. How Could You Use These Scholarship Dollars? Purpose: To assist members to pursue advanced study, post-graduate degrees, or National Board certification. Eligibility: Members active in education. Deadline: Applications close online January 31 @ 11:59pm CDT. For assistance contact Susan Raffo at [adkraffo@gmail.com](mailto:adkraffo@gmail.com)..

The Scholarship Committee will keep you aware of opportunities throughout the biennium. Attention Chapter Presidents: Be sure to download the Betty Rosenberg “Golden Chapter

Award” from the State website. <http://adkcalif.org/> See the last President’s Newsletter for more information.

**PLEASE NOTE!!** - All scholarship information is disseminated via e-blasts. Please watch for them.

6. **The International Membership Campaign** is on now through April 30. You may initiate or reinstate any time during the year, June 1 to May 31, to earn a pearl. Initiations may occur often and in any month. One new member in each chapter every year of the biennium is one of Rosena Kruley’s goals. Keep Alpha Delta Kappa growing.

7. **The 75<sup>TH</sup> International Convention** is July 13 - 16 in Kansas City, MO at the Downtown Marriott Hotel. Details and the registration can be found on the International website – [www.alphadeltakappa.org](http://www.alphadeltakappa.org). Plan on arriving on July 13 because the opening session of the convention starts at 2:30 PM on July 14. Plan on departing on July 17 so you may attend the Installation Banquet Sunday night, July 16.

8. **The Longest Day:** Once again, California will host a team, California Cares, to participate in the Alzheimer’s Association’s fundraising activity, The Longest Day. The California Cares Team Captain, Karen Kirby, once again, will guide us in our efforts in a successful campaign. Chapter presidents received an email with details on how your chapter or individual members can participate on California’s team. Let’s see if we be #1 in the country this year!

9. On **the International website:** Membership>Virtual Events

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## Sisters Sharing the Love

Join International President Mollie Acosta as she leads Alpha Delta Kappa sisters in a series of webinars to Share the Love of AΔK.

The webinars will be presented from 6-7 p.m. Central time on October 6, December 1, February 2, April 6 and June 1. Join by using the Zoom link below.

<https://zoom.us/j/94401992133?pwd=eUtQMkVMV2JsNGk5bTNzN2R5VjQ1UT09>

Meeting ID: 944 0199 2133      Passcode: 699925

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**Upcoming events and dates:**

- **Feb. 15, 2023 Fine Arts grant application due**
- **Feb. 15, 2023 Living Memorial Scholarship application due**
- **March 1, 2023: AΔK Future Educator Scholarship application due**
- **March 1, 2023: Maxine B Pettibone Scholarship application due**
- **July 13-16: International Convention, Downtown Marriott, Kansas City, MO Educational Symposium Virtual July 6-7, 2023**
- **April 26 – 28, 2024: California State Convention, Doubletree, San Jose**
- **June 28 – July 1, 2024: NW/SW Regional Conference Seattle, WA**