

# Gamma Nus

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### A note from the Editor

I have enjoyed writing this Summer Edition of Gamma Nus! I only wish I had heard from more of my sisters about their Summer Adventures! I KNOW you are or will be doing fun things and snapping pictures like crazy! Please consider sharing these with me and our sisters for our next edition in July! Thanks!



## **Red Roses to:**

Pat Thomas for once again heading a very successful Relay for Life Luminary Club.

All our members who contributed to our Gamma Nu Relay for Life Luminary Club. Your generosity helped us reach our goal!



Gamma Nu Members,

Because of your generosity, Gamma Nu has once again become a \$1,000 Luminary Club for the 2021 Bay Area Relay for Life! Our goal was \$500 and we reached \$1,032!

Our donation, made in Memory of and In Honor of our Gamma Nu Members who were touched by cancer, will help to fund the search for a cure of this dreaded disease.

Thank you, again, for opening your hearts for this wonderful cause.

Fondly, Pat Thomas

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The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International promotes professional and personal growth of women educators and excellence in education.

#### VISION STATEMENT

Leading women educators impacting education worldwide.

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# Summer Happeníngs!

*Karen Stephens -* Mark and I will be starting vacation by riding the Durango-Silverton train in July. We rode this with our three kids when they were little. We are now excited to take two of them back with their spouses and the 6 grandkids. Then we will go hiking in the Grand Tetons and Yellowstone. The 6 cousins are so excited to be vacationing with each other. Pictures to follow after the trip.

*Carolyn James -* We had our first great grandchild born May 16. Alister James Newman weighed 9.4 pounds and was 21 inches tall. Mom, dad and baby are doing well. They live in Conway, Arkansas.

*Sherry Smith* -I want my sisters know I have a new position next year as Assistant Principal at Lee HS!! I am so excited to start a new chapter in my life!

#### Melissa Lindsey - Lance and I are taking an RV trip for our

30<sup>th</sup> anniversary. We will check off a few more of the 50 states and spend a little extra time in

LOVELAND, Colorado! Our anniversary is August 9<sup>th</sup>, which is after school starts, so we are going in July.

**Pat Thomas -** Hey— wish I had some summer plans to send to you! All we have planned are Gary's visits to MDA every 28 days for his clinical trial appointments. Plus, a little "grand dogs-sitting" for you-know-who!

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**Brenda J. Clem** – Ricky and I will be celebrating our 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary on June 29. We are having a Vow Renewal Mass with members of our original wedding party. Afterwards we are sharing dinner. To make this celebration last a little longer, we are spending four (4) days in Las Vegas sightseeing. We are going to the Ethel M Chocolate Factory for a chocolate tasting, an evening at Cirque de Soleil, Ricky will Fly Line down Freemont Street and of course the North and South Outlet malls. We will definitely have breakfast at The Blueberry Hill Café and dinner at The Pepper Mill Restaurant! As you can tell, gambling is not our thing, but we definitely love exploring. And we may have to take a return visit to Rick's Restoration and the Container Park where all the stores are made from shipping containers!

Everyone have a Great Summer - and stay safe!