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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE...IDA SCHULTZ

What a surprise installation was, Rhonda, this was a first of a kind. One that I won't forget and the FSC will talk about for years. It was beautiful, fit me to a tee and made me cry!! Thank you again, my dear sister/friend.

I'm hoping that each chapter president has added into their chapter meetings, time to review the yearbook and all that it holds. The new year book will be coming out soon and what a better way to "Make Old Treasure's New...Again" than to refresh and review with your chapter. New sister's and established should always take time to look at this in a new light, there is always change.

I would also like to invite everyone to go on the website to get the latest updates and information. This website has been updated, you can send us your chapter news, upcoming events and any changes!! please send them to [fscwebmaster55@gmail.com](mailto:fscwebmaster55@gmail.com).

I'm looking forward to IC Convention in Phoenix, AZ and carrying the Florida State Flag. What a wonderful state that we live in with it great members!! Thank you again Florida for letting me represent you!!

*Ida*

## 2018-2019 APPOINTED OFFICERS

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## Dates to Remember

### International Convention

Phoenix Arizona  
July 18-22, 2018

### Florida State Council Board Meeting

August 25, 2018

### October issue of *The Florida Lamp* deadline

September 10, 2018

### Mid-Year Meeting

Theta Tau, Hostess  
October 13, 2018

**OUTGOING FIRST VICE  
PRESIDENT/PRESIDENT ELECT IDA  
SCHULTZ**

Thank you Trudie for your year of “Live, Laugh and Love, Around the World”.

I enjoyed representing Florida at Leadership in Colorado. Met many upcoming state presidents that I will enjoy seeing at IC Convention in July.

Thank you, Florida, for letting me serve you.

**INCOMING VICE PRESIDENT/  
PRESIDENT ELECT, SHARON ROBERTS**

Welcome to the 2018-2019 ESA year! What a wonderful and fun convention to end last year! I, along with my Beta Beta sisters, hope everyone who attended had fantastic time. Even though it was a lot of work, I know each of the Beta Beta sisters thoroughly enjoyed ourselves. I would like to congratulate Sigma Phi on receiving the Chapter of the Year Award and Christine Bishop on being chosen Woman of the Year. These are great honors and well deserved.

I want to thank all my Florida sisters for having faith in me to elect me to serve you and Ida as your First Vice President/ President Elect as we “Make Old Treasures New . . . Again”. One of the best ways we all can do this is to contact sisters who were once part of ESA and who have taken a break for one reason or another. It’s a great time to contact them and invite them to be reinstated into your Chapter. We also want to invite any new friends to join us. Let me know what you are doing to grow ESA in Florida and how I can help you make it happen. Also, please let me know of upcoming events in your chapter. I would love to visit as many as I can.

*Sharon*

**INCOMING SECOND VICE PRESIDENT –  
SANDRA EDWARDS**

Present Meeting Bids

**Mid-Year 2018**

Chapter Theta Tau #5207, Winter Park  
See registration for toward end of this issue

**INCOMING SECOND VICE PRESIDENT –  
SANDRA EDWARDS (cont.)**

**Leadership 2019**

Chapters: Epsilon Lambda, #3440, Cocoa Beach and Alpha Nu, #3398, Merritt Island

**Convention 2019**

Chapter: Rho Chi, #5351, Wesley Chapel

**Mid-Year 2019**

Chapter: Alpha Gamma, #3513, Crystal River

**Leadership 2020**

Chapter: - is this you?

**Convention 2020**

Chapters: Epsilon Lambda, #3440, Cocoa Beach and Theta Tau, #5207, Winter Park

**Mid-Year: 2020**

Chapter - is this you?

**Leadership 2021**

Chapter: - Is this you?

**Convention 2021**

Chapter: - Is this you?

*Sandra*

**INCOMING CORRESPONDING  
SECRETARY – MARY SOSA**

What an amazing convention! I had such a wonderful time as we finish our year of “Live, Laugh, Love around the World with ESA”, spending time with friends, laughing with all of my sisters, it felt like a trip (maybe not around the world) but around Florida ☺. This ESA year we have the opportunity to make our “Old Treasures New Again”. Our beloved ESA is like an “old” treasure that we must lovingly polish and refresh to make it new again; to attract new member, to reinstate the ones that we have lost along the way and to cherish the ones that are still here.

I have the privilege this year to be your corresponding secretary. I get to have a special “seat” at all of your meetings. It has been so

## **INCOMING CORRESPONDING SECRETARY – MARY SOSA (cont.)**

much fun so far, getting to know all of the chapters better by reading the minutes from your meetings I really feel like I am a part of your chapters. When I read about an upcoming social or fundraising event, I just want to show up and be a part of the fun (I just might surprise you and do that 😊).

If anyone has any questions or if there is something that I can do to help, please do not hesitate to contact me at [marysosa33525@aol.com](mailto:marysosa33525@aol.com), 813-205-2297 or 352-437-4701 and I will try my best to help you. Have a safe and happy summer. *Mary*

## **OUTGOING TREASURER – CHRISTINE BISHOP**

I am certain all who attended the State Convention had a great time. I know I did. The food and facility was outstanding. Great job ladies!

It was a pleasure serving on Trudie's board as Treasurer. Thank you for allowing me the opportunity. *Christine*

## **INCOMING TREASURER, LAUREL LICHTENBERGER**

First of all, thank you to President Ida for allowing me to be part of her treasure crew. It's going to be a really great year!

Good news is I have started to receive your chapter dues – thank you to the Chapters that have sent them in so far! I know it says to send four (4) rosters, but in order to try and save a tree, you can scan it and email to me at [SpaceAngel@cfl.rr.com](mailto:SpaceAngel@cfl.rr.com). If you don't scan or have an e-mail, just send me one roster and I will scan it for you! Then you can snail mail your Treasurer's Form and check to me at 3609 S. Banana River Blvd., C308; Cocoa Beach, FL 32931.

Remember...State dues are due June 1<sup>st</sup> and delinquent August 1<sup>st</sup>. Thanks so much and for helping to make old treasures new again! Love you all, *Laurel*

## **INCOMING EDUCATIONAL DIRECTOR, CHRISTINE BISHOP**

I am very much looking forward to serving as the State Educational Director this year. If past experiences hold true, I will definitely learn a lot. Thank you for allowing me the opportunity to serve in this capacity under our new President Ida Schultz.

Chapters have until September 10<sup>th</sup> to have their educational binders postmarked. Please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns you may have. My email is [cbishop15@cfl.rr.com](mailto:cbishop15@cfl.rr.com) or if you prefer to text or call, 407-342-7976.

Let's have a great year learning together! *Christine*

## **DISASTER FUND CHAIRMAN, TRUDIE MYERS**

I want to thank Beta Beta for a lovely convention at Innisbrook. You were wonderful and worked well to coordinate everything.

Secondly, I would like to thank the Florida membership for a wonderful 2017-18 year as your President. It was such an honor to be your representative. ESA is a wonderful organization. As one said, "Some of us eat and breathe ESA." They were spot on.

Now it is my honor to serve as Florida's Disaster Fund Chair. We know hurricane season is upon us and pray we don't get hit, but we know there are many in the way of any summer storm. Let's think about supporting our Disaster Fund for any of our sisters who may need our help. Please make your donation check to ESA Disaster Fund and mail to me at 1472 E. Monopoly Loop, Inverness, FL 34453. I will then send them on to the IC Disaster Fund Chair.

Again, thank you to all my Florida ESA sisters for everything you have done and will do in the future. *Trudie*

## **OUTGOING AWARDS, VERNA CORNELL**

Our "Thanks" to all chapters who participated in this year's ESA awards at Convention. We had a good showing in the

## **OUTGOING AWARDS, VERNA CORNELL (cont.)**

Association of the Arts contests with 55 entries. The Best of Show masterpiece coming from Pam Masoud of Alpha Gamma Chapter– who created a Wonderful Christmas Tree with home made jeweled ornaments. Sigma Phi took home the “Leader of the Pack Award” with the most entries in the Association of the Arts category.

Speaking of Sigma Phi – was a GREAT year for them - they also took home the Chapter of the Year Award and their Christine Bishop won the Woman of the Year Award.

The Miss Enthusiasm certificate recipients – sponsored by Kay Patskoski – kept the Enthusiasm going for 3 days as they sported their Miss Enthusiasm Sashes.

In addition – the Outstanding Youth Essay – Junior High School – was won by 7th grade student - Patrick Forti . Patrick did a great job in reading his essay titled “My Hero”. He was sponsored by Rho Chi Chapter. We had several outstanding “What ESA Means to Me” essays – with Jan Billias – Nu Alpha Chapter - the winner for the over one year essay and Sally Bowler – Sigma Phi Chapter - the winner for the under one year essay.

Congratulations to all Winners – and please look in this Lamp for the complete list of winners.

And last but certainly not least – my heartfelt thanks to Barbara Fry for her help with this enormous project, my Theta Tau Sisters for their help and not to forget Allan and Sue Ceriale, for pitching in to cover my “last moment” ops.

*Verna*

## **INCOMING AWARDS – ELIZABETH McCOY**

I want to thank Ida for giving me the opportunity to be her Awards Chairman. I am truly looking forward to it.

The committee will be meeting in July to check over the awards and see if any changes need to be made. If you have any ideas or suggestions, please let me know.

I encourage each of you to read over the

## **INCOMING AWARDS – ELIZABETH McCOY (cont.)**

Awards Section of your Year Book and familiarize yourself with the awards. Don’t assume you know what you have to do as there may be changes.

Encourage your chapter to participate in all the award categories and especially in the Association of the Arts. Start your knitting, sewing, quilting, painting, crafting now so you can bring it to convention.

If you have any questions, please contact me at Elizabeth McCoy, [mcrdesa@aol.com](mailto:mcrdesa@aol.com)

*Beth*

## **CHAPLAIN, ORMA MOON**

Wasn’t Convention “True Colors” great? It is always such fun to meet with our sisters. We share love, joy, silliness, sadness, awards and it gives us a great chance to learn from one another. Thank you ladies for a job well done.

Thanks also to Jan for a job well done as chaplain last year. You left some big shoes to fill and I will do my best.

Hopefully by the time you receive this, I will have a more accurate email list. I apologize for any inconvenience, in the transition period.

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*Orma*

## **HOPE FOR HEROS, KATHLEEN BURROWS**

The front entrance waved with more than 400 beautiful USA flags as we arrived into the Florida National Cemetery. These flags were gifted by family members.



**Florida National Cemetery Busnell front entrance**

As we began to ascend a short hill the amphitheater came into view and with “guide on” military flags graced the hill crest. Dignitaries were seated and waited to speak, a prelude of Patriotic music played by the **HOPE FOR HEROS, KATHLEEN BURROWS (cont.)**

Hernando H. S. Band. As things got under way Ye Mystic Air Krewe executed the flyover. Sumter Correctional Institute’s Color Guard presented the military flags.

The ceremony continued with the Invocation, Pledge of Allegiance, and a member of the JVC Florida National sang the National Anthem. Pasco Sheriff’s Department offered the Rider Less Horse and Bagpipers Madison Poth and Daniel McLain solemn song echoed into the distance.

Keynote speaker was Lisa Jeanne Pozzebon, Executive Director, NCA. Ms. Pozzebon told of her responsibility for the National Cemetery Administration’s five district offices, 135 National Cemeteries and 33 Soldiers’ Lots and Monuments serving in the provision of burial and memorial benefits.

Other speakers told of military experiences. The Pasco County Sheriff’s Department presented a rifle salute, Isaac Bobonis played Taps. We walked down the hill accompanied by attendees who gathered to sit or stand while paying appreciation to those who served; so we can gather freely to honor that no soldier will be forgotten.

### **OUTGOING EASTER SEALS, AMY HOLLOWAY**

I’ve enjoyed my two years with Easterseals! It’s been a learning experience but

### **OUTGOING EASTER SEALS, AMY HOLLOWAY (Cont.)**

very rewarding at the same time. Thanks to everyone who took the time to collect and bring me your cartridges. Every little bit helps! I’m now looking forward to working as the Junior St. Jude coordinator.

*Amy*

### **LAMP EDITOR...SUE CERIALE**

The next deadline for *The Florida Lamp* is September 10th for the October edition. Please send all articles to [FloridaLamp@hotmail.com](mailto:FloridaLamp@hotmail.com). When you send your article, it will help the editor if you name your file the title of your office or your chapter name. It gets quite confusing if several articles are received titled “Lamp article.”

*Sue*

### **OUTGOING PARLIAMENTARIAN – MARGARET POST**

Thank you so very much for your love, prayers, sweet thoughts and cards during my latest health challenge... It means more than you’ll ever know... God bless you all.... Love, Margie Post

*Margie*

### **WEBMASTER**

Hello, all. I am in the process of updating and revising our web site, [esaflorida.net](http://esaflorida.net). Please send me any changes, eliminations, additions or revisions you would like to see on the site. This is another way for you to communicate to your Florida ESA sisters. Everyone wants to know what each one is doing. Your activity may help another chapter to spread the ESA word. Please send me all suggestions – [fscwebmaster55@gmail.com](mailto:fscwebmaster55@gmail.com). I look forward to hearing from you.

*Webmaster*

# *Chapter Chatter*

### **ALPHA NU, MERRITT ISLAND**

Congratulations to our new state officers and to Beta Beta for a great convention.

Alpha Nu is looking forward to the 2018-2019 year with our small chapter under the leadership of President, Kay Patskoski, and her theme,

## **ALPHA NU, MERRITT ISLAND (CONT.)**

TIME MARCHES ON. And indeed it does as we will be MAKING OLD TREASURES ... NEW...AGAIN...

We are already preparing for Leadership here on Merritt Island with Epsilon Lambda in March.

Kay and Barbara are planning on attending IC Convention in Phoenix this July and taking part in the St. Jude IC Challenge and working hard to meet and surpass the \$ challenge for this year.

Summer member plans include a trip for Karen Pessaro to Michigan for a family gathering this June and Kay to California also for a family gathering in July.

May you all have a great summer, and may this coming year be full of good health, happiness and lots of ESA love.

## **ALPHA RHO, TAMPA**

Thank you Beta Beta for a great convention. We loved the food, the decorations, and the setting.

Alpha Rho started the year with our installation at Pennee Bowen's house. Ida Schultz, First Vice President, presided over the ceremony. Our new officers are President – Jan Humphrey Richmond, Vice President – Pennee Bowen, – Secretary – Jean Huston, Treasurer – Beth McCoy, and Educational Director – Marilyn Andrus

Jan's theme this year is The Music and the Story. We have adopted this as our educational theme also. Members are to select their favorite song, tell why, and give us the history of the music. Sounds like it will be very interesting.

We had our annual planning meeting in June with members signing up for educational programs and hostessing. We plan to continue with our money collection for SJCRH at Sams's and our monthly raffle for Easter Seals. We tried to plan our socials around musical events in keeping with the educational theme.

Please pray for our President, Jan, and her husband, John Richmond. He is being treated for a rare form of leukemia and is presently hospitalized. They were just married in February of this year.

## **BETA BETA, PALM HARBOR**

Beta Beta has been very busy lately, catching up on our rest and sleep! But seriously, all the work we put into our annual convention was totally worth it! We thank all of you for making it so much fun and so successful. Having two of our own installed as 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President made it that much better!

We had a business meeting in June where we discussed some of plans for the year and our socials. On June 23<sup>rd</sup> we will heading to the Florida Aquarium, followed by lunch at the Columbia Restaurant in Ybor City. A swimming party is planned for August at Sharon Kalinowski's home. Our next meeting will be in September.

To all of our sisters, Beta Beta wishes you a happy, fun filled, and safe summer. See you in the Fall!

## **BETA THETA, CLERMONT**

Beta Theta raised more than \$17,000 from its annual Mardi Gras Celebration in February. For the past 14 years, members reluctantly go forward with the big event complaining that the fundraiser is a lot of planning, time and work. Once the event is over and the donations calculated, the members joyously say, "The work and effort were worth it! How else could we raise so much money in one night?" (Reminds me of child birth: all the pain is forgotten and the rewards plentiful. )

For the last month, the members have been distributing all the evening's proceeds to local high school scholarships and 501-c3 organizations. We can't wait till next year. The event will be held on Saturday, February 23, 2019. **Save the Date!** The chapter will be celebrating its 15th Mardi Gras Celebration at Clermont Performing Arts Center. We hope to see you there.

The distribution of philanthropic money is one of the most rewarding and joyous experiences that the members of Beta Theta have each year; except for this year. No experience can compare to the wedding of our dear charter member Toni Bell, a member of ESA for more than 50 years. The Royal

## BETA THETA, CLERMONT (cont.)

wedding of Meghan Markle and Prince Harry was held in Windsor, England on Saturday, May 19, which, coincidentally, was the same day that Clermont, Florida had its own fairy tale wedding. In the presence of her Beta Theta sisters, most with tears of joy in their eyes and tissues in their hands, Toni Bell and Larry Rescoe (pictured below) exchanged vows. Toni



and Larry are well-known residents of Clermont so it was fitting that the wedding was proclaimed before Clermont City Council as Clermont's Royal Wedding.



Pictured above: Beta Theta sisters and brothers with the happy couple.

## EPSILON LAMBDA, COCOA BEACH

The April meeting was a combined business meeting, installation and ice cream social. Heather Summy was installed as president. Her theme is " $E=MC^2$  - It's All Relative". The rest of the officers are: La Verne Woodard – Vice President and Secretary, Sue Ceriale – Treasurer and Laurel Lichtenberger – Philanthropic Director.

In May Laurel Lichtenberger, and Sue and Allan Ceriale attended state convention. Thank you Beta Beta for a great convention. We had fun. At the May business meeting we adopted

## EPSILON LAMBDA, COCOA BEACH (cont.)

the Pinwheel, Windmill, Whirligig project. Heather Summy shares a little bit about the project.

### Pinwheel, Windmill, Whirligig...

A wheel attached by a pin to a stick... no matter what you call it, it is a simple toy that can bring out the kid in all of us. Twinkle in our eyes, smile on our face, and a glow in our hearts! With this in mind, I was granted with all three. Not by receiving a pinwheel, but by giving pinwheels to different souls. Kids of all ages received pinwheels of all colors. As much as I knew it would make a positive impact on the recipients, I did not expect the bigger impact it had on me. From donating to schools with kids of special needs to retirement homes with elderly of special lives, it was more of a gift to me than from me.

The background of being so lucky to give these pinwheels of color to many people, is my relationship with the Greater Titusville Renaissance (GTR) and this year's theme for Epsilon Lambda of " $E=MC^2$  - It's All Relative". GTR had some left-over pinwheels from the 2018 Playalinda Festival of the Arts in Titusville, Florida, in February 2018. Knowing that they were collecting dust after the Festival, I recently asked Cathy Coats Musselman, Executive Director, if she would donate them to me on behalf of GTR to Epsilon Sigma Alpha (Epsilon Lambda chapter). She was happy to grant this wish and off I went to deliver over 160 pinwheels. I was able to deliver to many locations within and outside Titusville. My Titusville stops included: Riverview Retirement (see picture), where my grandmother used to stay and I still donate items and time; Fieldstone Preparatory School for kids with autism; and The Children's Center, which will be shared amongst seven services (Parrish Early Care and Education, Caladium Learning Center, Early Learning Coalition, Early Steps, Lifetime Counseling Center, Healthy Families, Nemours Children's Specialty Care, and Speech Works Pediatric Therapy).

I was fortunate to donate pinwheels outside of Titusville too, where I delivered to

## EPSILON LAMBDA, COCOA BEACH (cont.)

Caroline Austin, Teacher at Discovery Key Elementary in Lake Worth, Florida for her to create a day of Playground and Pinwheels. She was so appreciative as the Playgrounds and Pinwheels were inspired by the donated pinwheels.

These moments reassure me that there are so many ways to rethink how one thing can impact another for the better. "It's All Relative!" I would like to thank everyone who gave me a bigger smile than I could image. So when you see a pinwheel...take a moment to feel the kid inside you and how it could make someone's day!



**Pictured: Residents of Riverview Retirement Home. Just before the picture was taken the residents were laughing and having a good time. Heather asked for them to smile and immediately their expressions changed.**

## RHO CHI, WESLEY CHAPEL

The picture says it all. What better place to get the word out than on the front door of the convenience room. The Recovery



Revolution concert needed port-o-lets and Rhonda and Rho Chi



## RHO CHI, WESLEY CHAPEL (cont.)

made that happen. Whatever it takes to ... , that her motto!!

Our girls have also been busy with their annual Lemonade stand benefiting St Jude and gearing up for our new year.

It goes without saying that State convention ended our ESA year with True Flying colors.. Thank you Beta Beta sisters for a job WELL done.. The Love and pride we shared with our sisters installing our Rho Chi sister Ida Schultz as State President was beyond exciting with our chapter sisters Mary Sosa and Malinda Smith at her side.

## SIGMA PHI, CLERMONT

April was a very busy month for Sigma Phi. On April 11th we attended Fiddler on the Roof with our husbands at East Ridge High School and everyone enjoyed the production. On April 15th we held a successful bunco party. We had loads of fun and raised money for St. Jude's. We held our meeting and installation of officers on April 16<sup>th</sup>, at the Clermont Woman's Club. Our new president, Kathy Scherer, announced her theme of Adventure Awaits with ESA.

Our first adventure was attending the Florida State Convention. Thank you to our sisters in Beta Beta for a great convention. We were so happy to win the Outstanding Chapter Award. We are proud of Joy Lehnert - Pledge of the Year, Christine Bishop- Woman of the Year, and Sally Bowler - recognition for Outstanding Achievement to Inspire. We're looking forward to seeing everyone again.



**Pictured l to r: Sally Bowler, Sylvia Watler, Sarah Bybee, Lisa Harris, Christine Bishop, Joy Lehnert, Pinky Barbour, and Kathy Scherer at the FL State Convention.**

## **SIGMA TAU, CLEARWATER**

With chapter installation done at a brunch at Perkins in Clearwater in April (President – Janice Dietrich; Vice President – Diana Koerner; Secretary – Joyce Sabella; and Treasurer – Joyce Paul) we moved on to enjoy state convention at Innisbrook. Shifting from one building to another was a challenge, but we all did it and we all had a great weekend – thank you Beta Beta sisters for your hard work.

Prior to convention we enjoyed an impromptu picnic at Howard Park in Tarpon Springs to socialize with our former chapter member, Paulette Meeks, who came down from Indiana for a week.

In April, we pledged a new member, Janice Carlin – who “also” happens to be an Indiana transplant. We now have four Indiana Hoosiers in our chapter! And, three of them have gone “Back Home in Indiana” for some family-and-friend share time.

Diana organized a very successful wine and cheer raffle basket for a St. Jude benefit held at Tarpon Springs “First Friday” event, where they also distributed ESA prospective member information.

Like all the other Florida chapters, we have been in the throes of setting up our philanthropic projects and socials for the new year. Sigma Tau will be coordinating the Wreaths Across America December 15 event again – more to come on that.

Our president’s theme this year is “Take Time to Smell the Flowers” and our educational theme follows that same line. We’re off to a challenging new sorority year and wish all our sister chapters the same good wishes on a successful one.

## **THETA TAU, WINTER PARK**

Our Theta Tau sisters had so much fun putting together a "Tea Party" for the third grade girls at Boggy Creek Elementary School in Kissimmee. Our member, Karlene Beville's is a teacher at this school.

## **THETA TAU, WINTER PARK (cont.)**

With Karlene's supervision, we were able to give some 50 eight and nine year old girls a Tea Party, that most had never attended or even heard of before.

Hats, sandwiches, cookies, candy and apple juice made a special day for them and US!!

The look on their faces was priceless! and even brought us and some of the teachers to tears.

With help from Verna Cornell, Jean Lewins and Carole Pracitto, we hope it made a tiny difference in their world.

## **MISSILE AREA COUNCIL, BREVARD COUNTY**

On Saturday, April 28, 2018 members of Alpha Nu, Epsilon Lambda and Nu Alpha met as Missile Area Council to for ESA Founder’s Day to celebrate 88years of Epsilon Sigma Alpha.



**Pictured: (Standing left to right) Liz Hahn (Nu Alpha), Kay Patskoski ( Alpha Nu), Jan Hall (Nu Alpha),, Barbar Kalm (Alpha Nu),, Jan Billias (Nu Alpha),, Sharon Haydon (Nu Alpha),, Linda Takach (Nu Alpha),, Barbara Dyal (Nu Alpha),, Sue Ceriale (Epsilon Lambda). Seated (left to right) Jean Rein (Alpha Nu), La Verne Woodard (Epsilon Lambda), Patsy Morgan (Nu Alpha),, Karen Pessaro (Alpha Nu).**

**Pictured: Alpha Nu members Barbara, Kalm, Kay Patskoski, Karen Pessaro and Jean Rein.**

**2017-18 Florida State Council Award Winners - Presented  
5/4-6/2018**

<p><b><u>Outstanding Youth Senior</u></b> n/a</p> <p><b><u>Outstanding Youth Junior</u></b> 1<sup>st</sup> – Patrick Foti – Rho Chi 2<sup>nd</sup> – Gillian Clark – Beta Beta</p> <p><b><u>What ESA means under 1 yr.</u></b> 1<sup>st</sup>--- Sally Bowler – Sigma Phi 2<sup>nd</sup>--- Joy Lehnert – Sigma Phi 3<sup>rd</sup>--- Lisa Harris – Sigma Phi</p> <p><b><u>What ESA means over 1 yr.</u></b> 1<sup>st</sup>---Jan Billias – Nu Alpha 2<sup>nd</sup>---Sharon Kalinowski – Beta Beta 3<sup>rd</sup>---Trudie Myers – Alpha Gamma</p> <p><b><u>Outstanding Educational (Chapter Director)</u></b> 1<sup>st</sup>--- Cathy Czyzewski – Nu Alpha 2<sup>nd</sup>--- Lynn Bond – Beta Beta 3<sup>rd</sup> - Roberta Boyles – Omega Omega</p> <p><b><u>Distinguished Athenian</u></b> 1<sup>st</sup>---Cathy Czyzewski – Nu Alpha 2<sup>nd</sup>---Lisa Graham – Beta Theta 3<sup>rd</sup>---Janet Jones – Sigma Phi</p> <p><b><u>Ruth Roy Membership</u></b> 1<sup>st</sup>---Alpha Gamma 2<sup>nd</sup>--- Rho Chi 3<sup>rd</sup>---Alpha Rho</p> <p><b><u>Outstanding Pledge</u></b> 1<sup>st</sup>---Joy Lehnert – Sigma Phi 2<sup>nd</sup>---Darlene Reeves – Alpha Rho 3<sup>rd</sup>---Kathleen Burrows – Alpha Gamma</p> <p><b><u>State Philanthropic Monies</u></b> 1<sup>st</sup>---Nu Alpha - \$445.70/member  2<sup>nd</sup>---Epsilon Lambda - \$44.60/member  3<sup>rd</sup>---Sigma Phi - \$33.30/member</p> <p><b><u>State Philanthropic Hours</u></b> 1<sup>st</sup>--- Nu Alpha – 22.5hrs/member  2<sup>nd</sup>--- Alpha Gamma – 10.2 hrs/member  3<sup>rd</sup> Beta Beta – 8.3hrs/member</p> <p><b><u>St. Jude Monies (per member)</u></b> 1<sup>st</sup>--- Omega Omega \$551.68/member  2<sup>nd</sup>---Alpha Gamma - \$269.36/member  3<sup>rd</sup>---Alpha Rho - \$200/member</p> <p><b><u>St. Jude Hours (per member)</u></b> 1<sup>st</sup> – Alpha Beta – 104 hrs/member  2<sup>nd</sup>-- Sigma Phi – 21.9 hrs/member  3<sup>rd</sup>---Alpha Gamma – 18.64 hrs/member</p>	<p><b><u>EasterSeals Monies (per member)</u></b> 1<sup>st</sup>---Nu Alpha - \$55.91/member  2<sup>nd</sup>---Gamma Mu - \$27.78/member  3<sup>rd</sup>-- Omega Omega - \$25.00/member</p> <p><b><u>EasterSeals Hours (per member)</u></b> 1<sup>st</sup>--- Nu Alpha – 9:09 hrs/member  2<sup>nd</sup>---Beta Beta – 8:91hrs/member  3<sup>rd</sup>---Omega Omega – 8:50hrs/member</p> <p><b><u>Disaster Fund</u></b> 1<sup>st</sup>---Alpha Gamma - \$1,175  2<sup>nd</sup>---Alpha Beta - \$1,125  3<sup>rd</sup> TIE Rho Chi - \$775 AND Sigma Phi - \$775</p> <p><b><u>ESA Foundation</u></b> 1<sup>st</sup>---Omega Omega - \$175 2<sup>nd</sup>---Beta Theta - \$25 3<sup>rd</sup>---Alpha Rho - \$5</p> <p><b><u>Local Philanthropic Hours (per member)</u></b> 1<sup>st</sup>--- Alpha Gamma – 668.5 hrs/member  2<sup>nd</sup>--- Beta Beta – 152.5 hrs/member  3<sup>rd</sup>---Rho Chi – 116.6 hrs/member</p> <p><b><u>Local Philanthropic Monies (per member)</u></b> 1<sup>st</sup>---Alpha Gamma - \$9,426.44hrs/mbr.  2<sup>nd</sup>---Sigma Tau - \$3,521.29hrs/member  3<sup>rd</sup>---Sigma Phi \$3,518.63hrs/member</p> <p><b><u>Frances Shugart Individual Member Philanthropic Award (hours)</u></b> 1<sup>st</sup>- Margaret Williams – Alpha Gamma 1032 hours  2<sup>nd</sup>- Kathleen Burrows – Alpha Gamma 889 hours  3<sup>rd</sup>- Rosemary Branham – Alpha Gamma 441 hours</p> <p><b><u>Woman of the Year</u></b> 1<sup>st</sup>---Christine Bishop – Sigma Phi 2<sup>nd</sup>---Pam Masoud – Alpha Gamma 3<sup>rd</sup>---Karen Pessaro – Alpha Nu</p> <p><b><u>Outstanding Chapter</u></b> 1<sup>st</sup>--- Sigma Phi 2<sup>nd</sup>---Rho Chi 3<sup>rd</sup>---Nu Alpha</p>	<p><b><u>CERTIFICATES:</u></b></p> <p><b><u>MISS ENTHUSIASM!!!!!!!</u></b> Margaret Williams – Alpha Gamma Karen Pessaro – Alpha Nu Pennee Bowen –Alpha Rho Sharon Roberts – Beta Beta Janice Senniger – Beta Theta Barbara Fry – Delta Alpha Laurel Lichtenberger – Epsilon Lambda Jan Hall – Nu Alpha Cindy Riner – Rho Chi Joy Lehnert – Sigma Phi Diana Koerner – Sigma Tau Carole Pracitto – Theta Tau</p> <p><b><u>GOLD OULL (MINUTES)</u></b> Eileen Barrett – Alpha Beta Kathleen Burrows – Alpha Gamma Barbara Kalm – Alpha Nu Pennee Bowen – Alpha Rho Peggy Daugherty – Beta Beta Sandra Armantrout – Beta Lambda Sandie Stacy – Beta Theta Barbara Floyd- Beta Phi Esther Dulgar – Delta Alpha Gwen Carson – Epsilon Gamma Pat Lowery – Gamma Mu Mart Johnson – Gamma Rho Roberta Martin – Nu Alpha Karen Rafferty – Omega Omega Cindy Riner – Rho Chi Sylvia Watler – Sigma Phi Janice Dietrich– Sigma Tau Janice Dietrich – Bay Area Council ESA</p> <p><b><u>GOLD HEART (PHILANTHROPIC)</u></b> Pam Masoud – Alpha Gamma Kay Patskoski – Alpha Nu Jan Humphrey Richards – Alpha Rho Sharon Roberts – Beta Beta Marilyn Bates – Beta Lambda Sue Grubbs – Beta Phi Ann Whitlock – Beta Theta Laurel Lichtenberger – Epsilon Lambda Jan Billias – Nu Alpha Amy Holloway – Omega Omega Ida Schultz – Rho Chi Jennifer Bouschet – Sigma Phi Joyce Sabella – Sigma Tau</p> <p><b><u>GOLD LINK (EDUCATION)</u></b> Holly Oder – Alpha Gamma Marilyn Andrus – Alpha Rho Lynn Bond – Beta Beta Eleanor Pinder – Beta Lambda Martha Wright – Beta Phi Lisa Graham – Beta Theta Cathy Czyzewski – Nu Alpha Roberta Boyles – Omega Omega Janet Jones – Sigma Phi</p>
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**Attendance Award**

- 1<sup>st</sup>—Rho Chi – 80%
- 2<sup>nd</sup>—Sigma Tau – 77%
- 3<sup>rd</sup>— Theta Tau – 66%

**Mileage Award**

- 1<sup>st</sup>—Sigma Phi – 718 miles
- 2<sup>nd</sup>—Theta Tau – 681 miles
- 3<sup>rd</sup>— Alpha Nu – 453 miles

**ASSOCIATION OF THE ARTS  
winners:**

**Wearable Creations/Accessories:**

- 1<sup>st</sup>— Cynthia Dion
- 2<sup>nd</sup> –Pinky Barbour

**Fine/Visual Arts:**

- 1<sup>st</sup>— Janice Senninger
- 2<sup>nd</sup>— Janice Senninger
- 3<sup>rd</sup>— Pinky Barbour

**Photography:**

- 1<sup>st</sup>—Christine Bishop
- 2<sup>nd</sup>— Amy Holloway & Ann  
Whitlock - TIE
- 3<sup>rd</sup>— Pinky Barbour

**Folk Arts/Ceramics:**

- 1<sup>st</sup>— Lisa Harris
- 2<sup>nd</sup>—Sherry Cavaretta
- 3<sup>rd</sup>—Jan Billias

**Hand Needlework and  
Hand Quilting**

- 1<sup>st</sup>—Ann Bever
- 2<sup>nd</sup>—Eileen Scates
- 3<sup>rd</sup>—Lidia Barroso

**Machine Needlework and  
Machine Quilting**

- 1<sup>st</sup>— Ann Whitlock

**Holiday Creations:**

- 1<sup>st</sup> – Pam Masoud
- 2<sup>nd</sup> – Cynthia Dion
- 3<sup>rd</sup> - Lisa Harris

**President's Theme:**

- 1<sup>st</sup>— Christine Bishop
- 2<sup>nd</sup>— Sandra Edwards
- 3<sup>rd</sup>— Mary Sosa

**BEST OF SHOW(only 1<sup>st</sup> place)**

- 1<sup>ST</sup>—Pam Masoud

**LEADER OF THE PACK**

**AWARD(only 1<sup>st</sup> place)**

- 1<sup>ST</sup>—Sigma Phi

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**WHAT ESA MEANS TO ME**  
**(Under 1 year)**  
**Sally Bowler**  
**Sigma Phi**

Who knew a year ago how much EA would change my life? When I was invited to join my ESA chapter, I spent days wavering on the decision to join or not. My life, for various reasons, found me nearly a self-induced recluse. I certainly didn't need to add another reason to be unhappy.

I was a widow, I lived alone, I rarely left my house, I was living in a home I wasn't very happy about. I didn't have local friends, I'd had possible serious health issues and I had developed crippling anxiety attacks for the first time in my life. My self-esteem was nearly destroyed.

However, no matter how alone and fearful of life I had become, my heart still craved the good feeling I've always had when I was able to give or help someone in need. If I could summon the courage to try, maybe I could help someone else. Besides, I reasoned, the ladies I had met were so kind and fun loving while working together for charities, I just might enjoy myself. One of their big projects, St. Jude Hospital, was a favorite charity of mine. They also were helping several worthy local charities. I was impressed so my answer was a shaky yes.

Fast forward to almost a year later. I feel like a different person. I've enjoyed spending time with the women in my chapter. I've gained knowledge through education presentations and attended fun social events. But, the best part of what ESA means to me is participating in many charity events this year. I've been able to put aside many of my poorly perceived problems while I've been able to join my ESA sisters in helping others.

**WHAT ESA MEANS TO ME**  
**(Over 1 year)**  
**Jan Billias**  
**Nu Alpha**

Another year has flown by. When I use the word "fly" it is meant figuratively and literally. We have lost so many members this past year...some because they have flown away to their heavenly home, and some because they have slipped away from the flock. But on a happier note, time has flown by because it has been well spent, enjoying the friendship that ESA affords, doing good things in the name of ESA, and serving others. You know what they say about how time flies when you're having fun.

But I often wonder what ESA's future is. I wonder if we will have enough members to sustain us. Who will be there to have our backs the way members have always had mine? Who will answer the call when they are needed the way my ESA friends have answered mine, and who will carry on the legacy of ESA? These questions motivate me to step up just like everyone else and recruit members. It's just that important. We can only count on each other when push comes to shove. One might say the benefits that we find in ESA can be found elsewhere. But the reality is "no," it just may seem that way initially. Where else can this kind of camaraderie be found? "Having been there and done "I can say with conviction that it is not at school nor in the workplace. That's just a cop-out.

So what ESA means to me, right here, right now is having the kind of friendship that lifts me up when I'm down, encourages me when I'm feeling less than confident, and joins me in the celebrations and struggles in life.

**Editor's note:** The above essays have been transcribed exactly as submitted.

**OUTSTANDING YOUTH – JUNIOR  
FIRST PLACE  
PATRICK FOTI  
SPONSORED BY RHO CHI CHAPTR**

**My Hero**

My hero owns a company, donates billions of dollars to charity, and created some of the best machines in history. My hero goes by the name of Bill Gates, founder and CEO of Microsoft and the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation. Bill Gates is not my hero because of his money or the technology he creates. He is my hero because he has shown the world that even if you have a disability, you can still accomplish amazing tasks. Bill Gates had Asperger's Syndrome which affects him in various areas of his life. Mr. Gates has overcome the challenges the held him back and has proved that you can do anything when you put your mind to the test. Due to his willpower and determination, I consider Bill Gates my hero.

Bill Gates has always inspired me because of his kindness to other people and the world wide relief he has provided. Many people and companies such as Google, consider him a humanitarian and a philanthropist because of the works he has done to benefit the world. Bill Gates not only inspired me, he also introduced me into the world of Technology and Computer Science. Learning about Computer Science and Technology is a hobby that I really enjoy and may have never discovered without the inventions that Bill Gates has made.

To conclude, without the inspiration of Bill Gates I would not be the person, son, brother or student that I am today. His inspiration has lead me to complete some of my greatest personal accomplishments that I am proud of. Bill Gates has inspired many people and shown me that working hard for something can change your circumstance or even your life. Because of the things and feats he has completed, Bill Gates is my hero and the person who inspires me in my life.

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# Recipes from Melinda Remington for cookies shared at 2018 State Convention

## CREOLE KISSES

3 Large Egg Whites	1 tsp – vanilla
1 Cup – Superfine Sugar	1 cup – chopped pecans
½ tsp – cream of tartar	

Preheat oven – 250 degrees

In bowl, beat eggs til frothy, add sugar, cream of tartar and vanilla, beat till stiff peaks form. FOLD in pecans...drop by tsp onto buttered cookie pan...bake approx. 30 mins. Til golden...cool completely...store in airtight container.

## MOIST CHOCOLATE CAKE RECIPE I USED FOR CUPCAKES IN JAR

### INGREDIENTS

2 cups all-purpose flour	1 cup canola oil
1 teaspoon salt	1 cup brewed coffee
1 teaspoon baking powder	1 cup milk
2 teaspoons baking soda	2 large eggs
¾ cup baking cocoa	1 teaspoon vanilla extract
2 cups sugar	

### FAVORITE ICING:

1 cup milk	½ cup shortening
5 tablespoons all-purpose flour	1 cup sugar
½ cup butter, softened	1 teaspoon vanilla extract

### DIRECTIONS

Preheat oven to 325°. Sift together dry ingredients in a bowl. Add oil, coffee and milk; mix at medium speed 1 minute. Add eggs and vanilla; beat 2 minutes longer. (Batter will be thin.) Pour into two greased and floured 9-in. round baking pans (or two 8-in. round baking pans and six muffin cups).

### THIS RECIPE MAKES ABOUT 30 CUPCAKES

CUPCAKES....Bake until a toothpick inserted in the center comes out clean, about 18-22 minutes. Cool completely. FOR CAKE BAKE ABOUT 25-30 MINUTES. Meanwhile, for icing, combine milk and flour in a saucepan; cook until thick. Cover and refrigerate. In a bowl, beat butter, shortening, sugar and vanilla until creamy. Add chilled milk mixture and beat 10 minutes. Frost cooled cake.

FOR CUPCAKES IN THE JAR...I USED A SHORTCUT METHOD...I FILLED CUPCAKE PANS ABOUT ½ FULL FOR EACH...ONCE COMPLETELY COOLED I PUT 1 CUPCAKE INTO THE JAR, PUSHED TO BOTTOM, THEN USED FROSTING BAG TO FROST THAT CUPCAKE, THEN PLACED SECOND ON TOP AND REPEATED FROSTING... YOU CAN ALSO USE A ZIPLOC BAG FOR FROSTING...JUST CUT ONE CORNER OFF AND SQUEEZE SEALED BAG.

## 2017-2018 CONVENTION REPORTS

### TREASURER – CHRISTINE BISHOP

#### TREASURERS REPORT 4/9/2018

Chapters paid dues as of April 9, 2018.	20
Total members paid,	205

Beginning Balance as of January 18, 2018	\$6,553.93
Income	\$ 404.65
Expenses	<u>\$ 528.98</u>
Ending Balance as of April 9, 2018	\$6,429.60

### EDUCATIONAL DIRECTOR – SANDRA EDWARDS

It has been so much fun being the educational director for 2017 - 2018. During my time, I have received so many new and interesting educational items. Thanks to everyone that participated in being informed about each topic. During the year, I received **13 books and 88 educational themes**. It was so much fun reading all of the books. Keep learning.

2018 awards are as follows:

<u>1st Place</u>	<u>2nd Place</u>	<u>3rd Place</u>
Nu Alpha	Beta Beta	Omega Omega
Steppin' In	Women who made a difference!	Amazing Places

### PHILANTHROPIC DIRECTOR – LAUREL LICHTENBERGER

- Philanthropic Director Accomplishments
- Four (4) *Lamp* articles written
- Four (4) Board meetings attended
- Kept in communication with FSDB Tanya Rhodes
- Emails sent to chapters and FSC Board regarding philanthropic deadlines and items collected for FSDB
- Transported donations from Mid-Year 2017 to FSDB
- Two (2) gift cards requested from FSC Treasurer for Citizenship Awards to be given at FSDB Graduation on May 18<sup>th</sup>
- Two (2) philanthropic reports received from FSC chapters and data entered into spreadsheet and compiled for state awards
- 2017-2018 IC Philanthropic Report for FSC submitted to IC/Brenda Meyers

Chapters reported:	17
Chapters reported on-time for both reports:	13
Gold Heart certificates awarded:	13

#### Amounts donated by FSC Chapters

	Monetary Donations	Value of Goods	Mileage	Hours
Florida State Project: FSDB	\$ 7,207.13	\$ 5,215.39	3,204.9	604 hrs. 41 min.

Local Projects	\$42,413.59	\$224,431.15	51,254.4	18,340 hr. 8 min.
Totals	\$49,620.72	\$229,556.54	54,459.3	18,944 hr. 49 min.

It has definitely been an honor and a privilege to serve as your FSC Philanthropic Director this year. I am proud of all of us for the outstanding love and support done in the name of ESA. Thank you.

**CHAPLAIN – JAN BILLIAS**

Card send from May 2017 to April 6, 2018

Thinking of you	30
Sympathy	9
Get Well	5

**EASTERSEALS – AMY HOLLOWAY, SR COORDINATOR, MARGARET WILLIAMS, JR COORDINATOR**

Chapters reporting	10
Total Actual Money	\$2105.00
Total Hours	294
Total Mileage	1,280
Total Monetary Value	\$793
Total Cartridges	382

**HOPE FOR HEROES – JANICE DIETRICH**

What a wonderful and rewarding past 3 years it has been for me serving as your Hope for Heroes Coordinator. It was a fun and learning trip for me and I learned so much from all our ESA sisters both in Florida and nationwide. So, I pass my wish on that you will continue to support our troops and our first responders.

These are just some of the programs I am aware of that you participated in.

- Patriotism letters to our deployed military around the world
- Christmas cards to vets at Walter Reed Hospital for them to mail out
- *Stamps for the Wounded* for our vets in their rehab recovery program
- *Troopons* – sending manufacturer’s coupons to our U.S. military bases around the world
- *WAA Remembrance Tree* – Dog tags of our vets on the Wreaths Across America balsam trees
- Military care packages
- Pillow cases for our deployed military
- *Stand Down* programs
- *Honor Flights* to D.C.
- *K9 Partners for Patriots*
- Fisher House and Haley House
- Airman’s Attic
- First Responder’s Recognition Programs
- And, of course, nearest to my heart – Wreaths Across America

Our Florida sisters have exceeded my expectations by their support and enthusiasm. Thank you for letting me share so much and learn so much through these many programs. I wish Jan Lee could

have been here to share in your success – she would have cheered along with me. And, please give our new Hope for Heroes coordinator your continued support.

## LAMP EDITOR – SUE CERIALE

Report April 1, 2017 March 31, 2018

<i>The Lamp</i> Account Balance, April 1, 2017		\$ 2,041.74
Income		
Deposit from State Dues		
New member	\$ 5.00	
MAL Subscription	\$ 5.00	
2017-2018 Member Dues	<u>\$ 580.00</u>	
Total Deposits		<u>\$ 590.00</u>
Total Income		\$ 2,631.74
Expenses		
Postage to send <i>The Lamp</i> Notebook for IC Convention Competition	\$ 10.55	
July 2017 <i>The Florida Lamp</i>		
Printing	\$ 100.80	
Postage	<u>\$ 74.41</u>	
July 2017 <i>The Florida Lamp</i> Expenses	\$ 175.21	
October 2017 <i>The Florida Lamp</i>		
Printing	\$ 64.00	
Postage	\$ 18.06	
Envelopes	<u>\$ 18.18</u>	
October 2017 <i>The Florida Lamp</i> Expenses	\$ 100.24	
January 2018 <i>The Florida Lamp</i>		
Printing supplies (ink & paper)	\$ 50.59	
Postage	<u>\$ 18.20</u>	
January 2018 <i>The Florida Lamp</i> Expenses	\$ 68.79	
April 2018 <i>The Florida Lamp</i>		
Postage	<u>\$ 28.40</u>	
April 2018 <i>The Florida Lamp</i> Expenses	<u>\$ 28.40</u>	
Total expenses		<u>(\$ 383.19)</u>
<i>The Florida Lamp</i> Account Balance, January 20, 2016		\$ 2248.55.

The January issue of *The Florida Lamp* was sent electronically to all but 26 members. The 26 members do not have e-mail/computers so they were sent by U.S. mail. I am still working on about 5 email address issues at this time. I set up the contact lists and addresses in the Lamp account on Hotmail so that when my term is over, the transition to a new editor should be easy.

The April issue of *The Florida Lamp* was sent electronically to all but 35 members. The 35 envelopes sent by U.S. mail included members that do not have e-mail/computers or requested print copies

The next deadline for *The Florida Lamp* July issue is June 10<sup>th</sup>. Please send to Sue Ceriale, *The Florida Lamp* Editor at FloridaLamp@hotmail.com.

# Dr. Seuss



**Your Theta Tau sisters invite you to join us for a  
Mid-Year  
Dr. Seuss journey- ESA style - Saturday, October 13,  
2018.**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Chapter:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-Mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Registration:** \$23.00

**Late Fee (after Oct.6)** \$ 5.00

**Board Meeting:** 8:30am

**Mid-Year Begins:** 9:30am



**Please make check payable to : Theta Tau and mail along with  
this registration form to - Verna Cornell, 1135 Partin Drive,  
Kissimmee 34744. (Phone 407.847.3453, e-mail-  
Vcornell1@embarqmail.com)**



**HOTEL: Hyatt Place Orlando Airport NW, 5435 Forbes Place,  
Orlando 32812 Phone 407.816.7800 (reference Epsilon Sigma  
Alpha Meeting) Cut off date for hotel reservations is  
9/21/2018.**

**RATES: Single/Double/Triple/Quad \$139/night+tax (a complimentary  
hot breakfast is included) Location: Hyatt Place Hotel – Orlando  
Airport NW.**

# 2018 SERC Conference



Lafayette, Louisiana

November 2-3, 2018

## Hotel Information

Doubletree by Hilton  
1521 W. Pinhook Road  
Lafayette, La. 70503  
1-800-222-8733

(group: SERC/ESA/Southeastern Regional Council Conference)  
Room Block held until Oct 11, 2018

### **Room Rates:**

\$ 124.00 single/double/triple/quad

Reservations may be cancelled 48 hours prior to scheduled arrival without penalty.  
Reservations cancelled after that time will forfeit a one night's deposit, except for illness and/ or death of attendee or immediate family.

Free shuttle from airport and free parking



**SERC Conference 2018  
 “ Fais –do-do”  
 Lafayette, Louisiana  
 November 2-3, 2018**

**ESA MEMBER REGISTRATION:**

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_  
 State council \_\_\_\_\_

**GUEST REGISTRATION:**

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Mark all that apply:**

_____ Full Member Registration (thru 10/12/18)	\$120.00	_____
_____ Full member Registration (after 10/12/18)	\$135.00	_____
_____ Full Guest Registration (thru 10/12/18)	\$ 90.00	_____
_____ Full Guest Registration (after 10/12/18)	\$105.00	_____
_____ Serchette Breakfast (by Invitation only)	\$ 12.00	_____
<b>Total Enclosed</b>		_____

**Payment Information:**

A \$25 fee will be assessed for any returned checks.  
 Registration after 10/17/2018 must be cash or cashier’s check.  
 Registration cancellation must be in writing and received by 10/17/2018  
 A \$5 processing fee will be retained on all cancellations.

**Special dietary needs:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Check all that apply:**

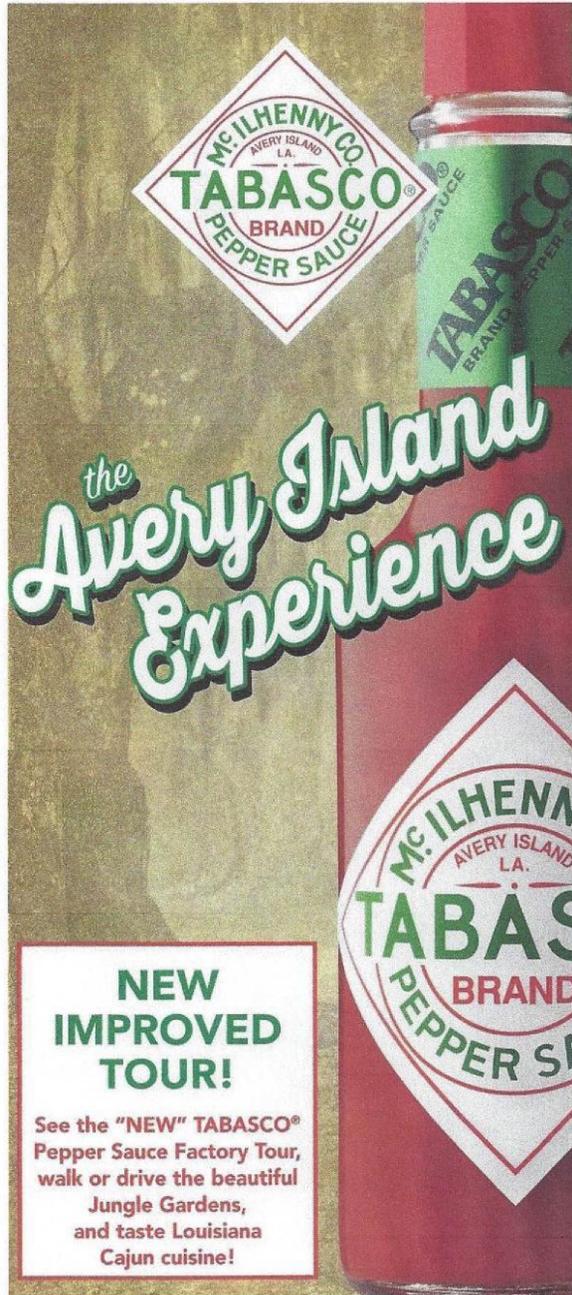
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 \_\_I C Elected Board \_\_IC Appointed Board \_\_PICPA \_\_ESA Foundation Board  
 \_\_New Member (pledge) \_\_1st Time Attendee \_\_Other (please specify)\_\_\_\_\_

**Make checks payable to: SERC Conference 2018**

**Mail to:** Lois Soileau **email:**ljslala@bellsouth.net  
 5956 Dixie Lane  
 Alexandria, La. 71301  
 318-445-6047

**Last Minutes addition:** This really sounds like fun!!! Louisiana, our hosts, asked us to get the word out about this tour.... Please share with your members..... Hugs, Pinky

## SERC 2018 SIGHTSEEING TOUR REGISTRATION



Friday, November 2, 2018  
JOIN US FOR A JOURNEY INTO THE  
MAKING OF THIS WORLD FAMOUS  
PRODUCT.

ENJOY THE BEAUTIFUL TRIP THROUGH  
THE OAK TREE FILLED JUNGLE GARDENS

TASTE THE CAJUN CUISINE!

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**COST OF TOUR - \$35.00/PERSON**

INCLUDES  
TRANSPORTATION  
PEPPER SAUCE FACTORY TOUR  
JUNGLE GARDENS  
CAJUN SAMPLER MEAL WITH  
DRINK AND DESERT

DEPART HOTEL AT 8:30 A.M.  
RETURN AROUND 3:00 P.M.

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State, Chapter Name & Chapter #

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Phone Number

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BUS WILL FILL UP QUICKLY, GET YOUR  
REGISTRATION IN AS EARLY AS YOU CAN  
TO RESERVE YOUR TOUR.