



# GAMMA IOTA NEWS

June 2014

## *President's Message*

### Welcome, New Chapter Officers!

Dear sisters,

On Wednesday, May 28, we held our final chapter meeting for the year, and my final meeting as chapter president. It has been an amazing four years.

Once again I want to thank our terrific board. Amy Warner, first vice president, has been my rock and my right hand, always available to consult and provide practical counsel. Barbara Brown took care of membership duties and also chaired the nominating committee; their slate will bring new energy and new ideas to our chapter. Bev Eshed took thorough and complete minutes and provided them in a timely fashion, as well as being our negotiator with Maggiano's, providing us with a beautiful room and a great menu.

Bev Goldman continues the tradition of sending birthday and get well cards on behalf of the chapter; she also did a great job of mailing information to the sisters without email. Caryl Rainey took on the job of chapter treasurer in midstream and handled her duties ably, keeping the chapter solvent and all reports done in a timely fashion. I would also like to thank Marla Osband once again for working so closely with Caryl to make this successful transition, and for laying the groundwork for financial health with her ideas about non-dues revenue. Rhonda Byer was ready to assist as parliamentarian and also played a key role in analyzing our chapter strengths as part of our chapter strategic planning.

In addition to the officers, I want to thank all the committee members, volunteer drivers, outing organizers, paper passers, hostesses with the mostest, and everyone who keeps our chapter alive and kicking.

Five of our new officers were installed at Maggiano's and they are pictured below. Eileen Miller Krause, First Vice President, and Ellen Shapiro, Co-Second Vice President, were not able to be with us. They will be installed at our first meeting in the fall.

It has been a pleasure serving as your President, and I look forward to supporting the new officers in any way that I can.

*Sara Fields*

*Coming up:*  
*Tuesday, July 2*  
*Summer Planning Meeting – open to all members*  
*2:00 p.m.*  
*Home of Sara Fields, 5038 Pickford Way, Culver City*  
*(Rhonda will be meeting with the new officers from 1 to 2 p.m.)*  
*Please RSVP to Rhonda, [rread25@aol.com](mailto:rread25@aol.com) or 310 839 7282*



L. to r.: Sherry Walterscheid, Co-Second VP; Brenna Guthrie, Recording Secretary; Rhonda Byer, President; Bev Goldman, Corresponding Secretary; Caryl Rainey, Treasurer. Not

## Adamson House tour, April 8



*Members and guests enjoyed a beautiful spring morning at the Adamson House. Our group was split in two for a private tour of the interior of the house, lavishly decorated with Malibu Tile. Thanks to Amy W. for organizing this visit.*

## Chi State President Judy Kearns Visits Gamma Iota

Judy Kearns, our state President, joined us at the March pasta dinner at Bev Eshed's home. Judy spoke with us about her personal experiences joining Delta Kappa Gamma as a young teacher starting her family, and how her DKG sisters helped her to balance her various responsibilities. She also spoke about the people she has met at all levels of participation within the organization. Judy enjoys visiting the various chapters statewide and she does this as often as she can.



*Congratulations to our Chapter retirees,  
Nan Borchherding and Rhonda Byer!*

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