



AUSTIN ALUMNAE CHAPTER DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC.

President's Report Robin Blackmon

Austin Alumnae (Local)

- Founders Day Weekend great. Thanks to the Founders Day Chairs, Committee members, Heritage and Archives, and Arts and Letters for planning a great weekend. We weathered the Storm. Although the RD could not be her in person, technology allowed us to get the message. We are Better Together.
- Social Action kept us moving and represented at the postponed MLK Day festivities at Huston Tillotson.
- Encourage Sister Circle.
- Get ready for National Wear Red Day on Friday, February 2, 2024.

Regional/State

- Summary of Regional leadership Meeting:

S&S – Nicole Taylor

- P&P – no new template; only changes are the fiscal year.
- Service Area modification – S&S meets weekly and gets those approved.

Finance – Nicole Deloach

- Short Year compliance
- AFR template is out there.
- 2024 template will be there on February 1
- Issues with rosters – people showing up that you don't know and people who should be there. A lot of chapters are having these issues.
- Feb 28 – Annual Audit, AFR (no grace) entered balanced and audits done.
- Receipts received during the year
- Finance matters Feb 6

Regional Committees

- DID – Saylor and Strahan
- Chapters should schedule their DID trainings.

ERT – Pittman-Hobbs

- R – remember to conduct your communication call tree test.
- E – ensure chapter ERT is involved in planning of upcoming events
- D – Distribute info and resources on preparedness to your chapter.

MI Update – Brewer

- March 30, 2024 due date for Chapter Assessment Form for chapters considering membership intake.
- Current documents are on the national website

Nominations – Iles

- Regional nominating closed this week

PPD – Tina Marie Jones-Green

- Calendar updates

SWR Awards - Tonya Derrick

- Packets sent out to chapters this month
- April 15, 2024 at 11:59 p.m.

Planning is continuing for the Regional Conference. (Conference Coordinators will provide additional details.)

- **Austin Alumnae has about 1/3 of its membership that has donated to the I AM Southwest 100. I would love to report to the regional director and to the corporate sponsors that we have at least 2/3 of our membership. That would be at least 200 members at \$100 each for a total of \$20,000**

National

N/A

Submitted By:

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President