DKG October 13th Meeting 2021 Schmidty's with guest novelist Sue Berg

Welcome and called to Order by Barb Albrechtson

Barb reported that corrections were made to the June's Secretary's report

Reports by committees

Treasurer's Report-submitted by Connie Albrechtson Money Market -\$3128.12 Checking-\$1530.04 Savings \$5.00

Membership

A reminder that we are seeking members to fill the following roles:

New officers-

Vice President-

Treasurer

Recording Secretary-Jan will continue this position

Nomination Committee

Please consider helping with these positions.

Present committee positions that *are* filled. Remember to communicate with your group-

Communication Rep-Roxanne Fox

Service/Charity-Deb Keller, Priscilla Thibodeau

Membership-Terri Daley-Mack, Stephanie Baumgartner

Program-Jackie Meyer, Cyndy Schaper

Scholarship-Connie Albrechtson

Fundraising-Carol Nelson-Britten, Joann Zigler

Old Business

Reminder to fill out the member interest survey so that we may highlight members throughout this next year.

Dottie Baumgartner

Mary Dunn

Ren Jacobs Guentner

Deb Keller

Jan Marson

Cyndy Schaper

Jean Wetzsteon

Barb Albrechtson

Reminder if you are on Facebook to check out our Chapter's Page.

Reminder that you can donate books in memory of Claire Jandt. Books (adult/children) will be donated to the little library house located at Jandt-Fredrickson Funeral Home and Crematory. Drop off books at Carol's house. Jackie will add our donated books when needed to the house.

Carol Egge

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New Business

Red member folders were distributed. Barb did a folder work through. Folders will be returned at the June meeting to be used again.

Barb will create a committee to look at and update Alpha Omega's Bylaws.

Members were invited to an October 26th 10:00 meeting at Java Vino. The Reunion Meeting Committee will be working on a letter to distribute to past members (a copy of the letter will be distributed).

Mary Wetterling Jackie Meyer Lois Holper Louise Sedevie-Lawrynk

December Holiday Meeting will be on December 13th at the Freighthouse. White Elephant gifts this year. No Chinese raffle. More details will be forthcoming.

February's meeting will be on February 15th with guest speaker Jonah Larson-Crochet Prodigy. Meeting place TBD.

Barb will distribute members' birthdays. You are encouraged to send your sister a birthday card on her birthday.

Yellow cards were distributed for members to write one thing they appreciate about being part of DKG.

There was a discussion to create teams and assign them a "working" DKG sister. Groups will be created randomly. Your group will make decisions on how to move forward. Throughout the year, some suggestions were that your team can send classroom materials, cards, treats and maybe even encouraging thoughts to your teacher. Barb will create the groups.

Minutes respectfully taken by Jan Marson

Guest speaker Sue Berg, retired middle school teacher from Viroqua, talked about how she created the book <u>Driftless Gold</u>. She talked to her inspiration supporters and the work behind creating her noval. She signed books for members.