



# Cream Colored Chronicle

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## Welcome to the 2010-11 Year!!

Dear Delta Gamma Nashville Alumnae,

The summer is winding down and fall is just around the corner, if only we could convince the weather of that! I hope that everyone has enjoyed the summer and took a well deserved break from the hectic pace that keeps us going most of the year. For those of you who spent your time in school (like me) or slaving away at work, I can only hope that our events for this year will provide that well deserved break. I am excited to get back into the swing of things and see with my Delta Gamma sisters again!

In June, I attended our 64<sup>th</sup> biennial Convention in beautiful Denver, Colorado. I was so proud to serve as your delegate! I had never been to Convention before, but I must say that I was awed and humbled by this Delta Gamma experience. While the weekend was a whirlwind of business, I do hope that I gained some insight from other chapters to help build up our strengths and membership. Thank you for letting me be part of such an amazing experience! I highly recommend that everyone attends Convention at least once so I anticipate seeing some of your faces in Indianapolis in 2012!

Your alumnae officers met in June with the hope of filling this year with exciting and fun events based on your suggestions from the year-end survey. I am personally looking forward to this year as I think we have managed to combine the best events of the last couple of years into one calendar! Remember that you can always check out the website, [DeltaGammaNashville.com](http://DeltaGammaNashville.com), for up-to-date information. We will also be reminding you about each event with Evites. Lastly, check out our page on Facebook by searching for Delta Gamma Nashville.

I look forward to seeing all of you at the first meeting and throughout the year. Please feel free to contact any of your officers with any comments or questions that you may have.

In the Bonds,  
Morgan Butler, Gamma Alpha-Tennessee  
President – Nashville Alumnae Chapter

### Notes about our next meeting:

- Our first meeting is September 16th @ 6:30 pm
- This will be a Formal meeting, so don't forget dressy casual attire and to wear your badge!
- Please bring your checkbook to pay your annual dues.
- We will be receiving an update on the status of the Eta Epsilon chapter at Vanderbilt from Advisory Team Chairman Katie Ouellette.

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## Meet Your Current Alumnae Officers

**Morgan Butler** is currently serving her second term as President. She lives in Lebanon with her husband, Matt and their two dogs, Marlie and Sammie. Morgan recently returned to school at Cumberland University to pursue a degree in Nursing. She spends most of her time doing homework or studying, when she does get a break she loves to read, shop and play with her adorable 3 year old niece.

**Cheryl Nitch** is a graduate of Florida State and the Gamma Mu Chapter of Delta Gamma, where she obtained a degree in Interior Design. After FSU, she pursued a Master of Architecture degree at Clemson University. After graduation, Cheryl moved to Nashville to begin her career as a Healthcare Architect with Earl Swensson Associates, where she has been for the past 9 years. In Nashville she joined the Alumnae Chapter has served as alumnae Fundraising Chairman, House Corp Member and Co-President, and currently vp:Finance of the alumnae chapter.

Adding to her role as webmaster for the chapter, **Janeen Daniel** will be taking over as vp:Communications & Membership this year. Janeen was a colonizing member of Eta Epsilon at

Vanderbilt and has lived in Nashville since 1998. She and her husband of two years, Charlie, are expecting their first child in November, and are busy preparing their lives for the new baby. Janeen also works full time for Saint Thomas Health Services as the Oncology Nurse Specialist. When she isn't busy at one of the hospitals, she enjoys relaxing at home with her dog Jaxon, reading, and crafting.

Originally from Texas, **Amber Young** graduated from the Univ of South Carolina then moved to Nashville with her husband Nick in 2004. They currently reside in Brentwood with their dog Luna. Amber works at Caterpillar Financial as a Support Manager. She is serving on the board this year as co-vp:Programming.

**Rachel Game** will be sharing the role of vp:Programming with Amber Young. She lives on music row with her DG roommate, Meghan, and her two kitties. She is currently attending graduate school at Vanderbilt and will graduate (hopefully!) this spring with a M.Ed. in Science Education. She also has fun working at Pottery Barn Kids in Green Hills.

**Julie Norfleet** is the current Anchor/PR representative. Julie is a past President and two time vp:Membership for the alumnae group. She and her husband Ed have been married for 15 years and have two DG legacies: Gracie (11 yrs) and Lucy Kaye (9 yrs). Julie is a Realtor with The Wilson Group Real Estate

Services. She loves her job and has a passion for helping clients, especially her sisters, buy or sell their homes! She volunteers at St. Henry Catholic Church & School and loves spending time with family and friends and raising

her daughters.

**Lisa Montross** serves as the DG representative to the Nashville Area Alumnae Panhellenic. Lisa joined Delta Gamma at the University of Tennessee. Since moving back to Nashville she has served as a previous House Corporation President and Board member as well as an Adviser for the Eta Epsilon chapter at Vanderbilt. Lisa lives in Franklin and works on the Payroll team at Keystone Automotive/LKQ. Lisa's favorite activities include spending time with friends and family and volunteering through the Junior League of Nashville.

Officers serve a 2 year term, and are elected in alternating years, so the entire board doesn't transition in a single year.

## Join A Special Interest Group Today!

Our chapter has four special interest groups that meet in various locations, at various times, all around Nashville. This year we are adding a new group that we hope will appeal to many sisters.

"Anchored in Service" is our new group which will focus on "Doing Good" and Service for Sight. Women in this group will be participating in a variety of activities ranging from help-

ing the Tennessee School for the Blind, reading to the elderly, making touch cards and more. Initially they will meet every other month, but that may increase as the year progresses.

Returning to our calendar this year are the Dinner Club, Lunch Bunch,



Dinner club at Urban Flats, October 2009

and Socialites groups. Check out the website for more information on each group and to find out when they are meeting.



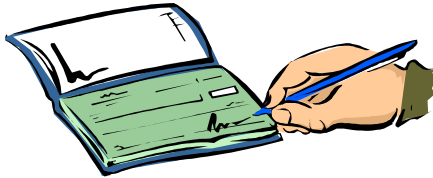
## Dues Information

The Nashville Delta Gamma Alumnae group is a not for profit organization. The dues that are collected are the primary source of income for the chapter for the fiscal year (July – June) and go toward expenses for philanthropic and social activities, operating expenses of the chapter, as well as Foundation support. These dues are only for the Nashville Chapter, all per-capita dues are paid directly to EO (this was a change made in 2008). Our local chapter does not get any portion of the per capita dues paid by alumnae members.

*Your support is greatly appreciated and keeps the chapter strong and successful!!*

### 2010-2011 Local Dues Levels:

Anchor: \$40 or more  
Bronze: \$30 - \$39  
Pink: \$20 - \$29  
Blue: \$15-\$19



Remember to bring your checkbook to our first meeting to pay your dues!

### What Your Local Dues Support:

Your local dues help pay for:

- Alumnae chapter operating expenses
- Alumnae chapter mailings
- Special interest groups and collumnae events
- Alumnae chapter website
- Support Special Foundation Fundraisers

**Thank you** for paying your local dues. Your support of the Nashville Alumnae Chapter enables us to *Do Good!*

## Calendar Preview

**September 16, 2010**  
Thursday, 6:30 pm  
Formal Kick-Off Meeting  
Robin Round's Home

**October 23, 2010**  
Saturday, 3:00 pm  
Fall Celebration  
Julie Norfleet's Home

**November (date TBD)**  
6:30 pm  
Wine Tasting  
Location TBD

**Check the website for any updates to the calendar and for details about each event!**

**December 3, 2010**  
Friday, 7:00 pm  
Annual Holiday Party  
Amber Young's Home

**January (date TBD)**  
6:30 pm  
Pottery Painting  
Location TBD

**February 26, 2011**  
Saturday, 11:30 am  
Founder's Day  
Location TBD

**March (date TBD)**  
6:30 pm  
Foundation Meeting  
Location TBD

**April 27, 2011**  
Wednesday, 6:30 pm  
Senior Dinner & Installation  
Cheryl Nitch's Home

**May 14, 2011**  
Saturday, 2:00 pm  
Year End Picnic  
Arrington Vineyard



## A Look Back at Last Year



### Website Spotlight

Have you explored the Nashville Alumnae Chapter website?

[www.DeltaGammaNashville.com](http://www.DeltaGammaNashville.com)

Did you know you can go online and check our calendar, pay your dues and join our Google listserve so you will receive all our email updates?

Check it out today!



**DELTA GAMMA**  
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*for hope. for strength. for life.*

### Alumnae Chapter Officers

Morgan Butler  
president

Cheryl Nitch  
vp:finance

Janeen Daniel  
vp:membership/communication

Amber Young  
co-vp:programming

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