



Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated
Murrieta Temecula Area Alumnae Chapter
Mon. July 13, 2020
Protocol and Traditions Committee Report

Videoconference Meeting Called to order by Soror Callisha Bell-Mays at 6:37 p.m.
Prayer lead by Soror Bell-Mays

Present	Callisha Bell-Mays Deirdre Burnett	Shelly Nickson-Coleman Gwen Williams	Marcia Varner Nailah Legohn	Elsie Hart
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Committee Members

The Protocol and Traditions Committee (PTC) consist of the following seven committee members:

Callisha Bell-Mays, Chair	Marcia Varner, Co-Chair	Nailah Legohn	Elsie Hart
Deirdre Burnett	Gwen Williams	Shelly Nickson-Coleman	

Additional committee members are welcome.

Purpose

"The Protocol and Traditions Manual sets forth the practices and social interactions that form the basis of our communal life. Traditions serve many human needs such as generational continuity, historical memory, and bonding which holds us together in esprit de corp."

The Protocols and Traditions Committee (PTC) will work to ensure that the Chapter is familiar with the *Protocol and Tradition Manual* as it "provides clear and authentic descriptions of the traditions and protocol of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated. "

2020 Calendar

The Protocols and Traditions Committee (PTC) will plan to conduct Chapter presentations on components of the *Protocol and Traditions Manual* (See attached calendar).

Meeting Dates/Times

- 2nd Monday of the Month from 8:30 – 9:00 p.m. via Zoom from September 2020-June 2021

Budget

The Committee will request a budget of \$50 for CY 2020-2021 to be utilized for supplies, prizes, and potential items related to Protocol and Traditions for Chapter meetings.

Action Items

- The PTC will determine at a later date if there will be any in person meetings (i.e. Holiday get together, Sisterhood month, etc.)
- Soror Bell-Mays will contact Soror Cynthia Jones regarding her availability to meet with us and/or the Chapter for a PTC review
- Soror Marcia Varner will work on creating a "Jeopardy" style game for one of our activities.
- Committee members should review the *Protocol and Traditions Manual* 2011 which can be downloaded from the National website

Meeting adjourned 7:20 p.m.

Submitted by: Soror Callisha Bell-Mays, Chair Protocol and Traditions Committee



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Protocol and Traditions Committee 2020-2021 Calendar

September 2020	8 th 14 th	Chapter Meeting presentation (topic TBD – Intro to Protocol & Traditions) Committee Meeting
October 2020	12 th 13 th	Committee Meeting Chapter Meeting presentation (topic TBD)
November 2020	9 th 10 th	Committee Meeting Chapter Meeting presentation (topic TBD)
December 2020	8 th 14 th	Chapter Meeting presentation (topic TBD) Committee Meeting
January 2021	11 th 12 th	Committee Meeting Chapter Meeting presentation (topic TBD – Founder's Day Prep)
February 2021	8 th 9 th	Committee Meeting Chapter Meeting presentation (topic TBD)
March 2021	8 th 9 th	Committee Meeting Chapter Meeting presentation (topic TBD)
April 2021	12 th 13 th	Committee Meeting Chapter Meeting presentation (topic TBD)
May 2021	10 th 11 th	Committee Meeting Chapter meeting presentation (topic TBD)
June 2021	8 th 14 th	Chapter meeting presentation (topic TBD – Year End Presentation) Committee Meeting
		Chapter presentation topics TBD