

Presidential Greeting

Greetings,

I greet you with enthusiasm and pride as the President of Psi Chapter because of the dedication and hard work of the membership. Fellowship abounded during several celebrations in December! The celebrations began with the wonderful Psi chapter Pelati Auxiliary Christmas celebration. Acts of kindness and fellowship overflowed at Psi chapter's Christmas celebration at La Calle Doce restaurant, *Iota Roses* to Soror Ann Allen for planning an amazing Christmas celebration. Psi chapter sorors enjoyed a merry celebration with our Future Iota Leaders at Paul Lawrence Dunbar library in Dallas, much *Sisterly Love* to Shelia Fadipe, chair for her dedication with our FIL. The celebration continued with Psi chapter's Men of Iota Christmas party at Pappadeaux restaurant, *Turtle Hugs* to Soror Deloris James, chair.

The last month of the year found Psi chapter engaged in phenomenal acts of service and sisterhood.

Psi chapter adopted a family of nine for the holidays. The family was overwhelmed with joy when Soror Mary Nickson and myself delivered the gift cards, toys, money, clothes and food. Thank you Psi chapter for your generosity and sisterly love.

Additionally, in the mist of all the wonderful celebrations, the revision of Psi Chapter's Local Rules and Regulations were completed, thank you Soror Beverly Moore for chairing this committee.

I am so pleased with the programs, projects, and activities we have implemented and supported in the first three months of this sorority year. Now that 2018 is here and we are in the process of setting personal goals and making new commitments, let us come together as one and set new goals and stronger commitments to Iota. We have much work to do: increase membership, continue to implement with excellence our Projects and Programs, increase our service to our community, and prepare to serve and raise the bar at our 71st SWR conference.

It is with pleasure that I share the hard work of the members of Psi Chapter. Happy New Year in love and service,

President Brenda Napier

Soror Brenda Napier

Psi Chapter President



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Psi Chapter Christmas Celebration



Sorors: Judy Jenkins, Rita Powell and Chapter Treasurer, Dwala Brown (l to r). December Meditation Team



Psi Sorors enjoying the 2017 Christmas celebration.



Future Leaders of IOTA Christmas Party

Group and Guest Photo



New 2017 Psi Chapter - Future Leaders of IOTA Induction.



Soror Celebrations



- Lucille Tolliver 1/1
- Eula Goff 1/14
- Lisa Dale Clemons 1/30
- Crystal Lotterberry 1/11



January Upcoming Events

- 1/1/18 New Year's Day – Happy New Year
- 1/13/18 Pelati Meeting
- 1/13/18 Pinning @ Polk – Wisdom Library
- 1/20/18 Business Meeting
- 1/20/18 Lomepa Workshop

National Scholarships

- Fredda Witherspoon National Scholarship
 - Due to National 1/31/18
 - Due to Regional 1/15/18
- National Fil scholarship
 - Due to National 2/28/18
 - Due to Regional 2/12/18
- Alice P. Allen Scholarship
 - Due to National 3/1/18
 - Due to Regional 2/12/18
- Dorethea N. Hornbuckle Scholarship
 - Due to National 3/1/18
 - Due to Regional 2/12/18

All National Scholarships are to be forwarded to the Nation President Elect, Soror Dorothy White.

Men of Iota 2017 Christmas Party

December 23, 2017 Pappadeaux 7:00 P.M. 3520 Oak Lawn Ave Dallas



The Men of Iota celebrated their Christmas party at Pappadeaux Seafood Kitchen. MOI in attendance were Edwin James President, Anthony Ross, Ronnie Reeves, Treasure, Willie Aiken, Jesse Hornbuckle, and Harry Powell. Each MOI in attendance received a gift from the sorority.

Sorority members present were; Sorors Brenda Napier, President Psi (Guest: Carmen) Judy Reeves, 1 st Vice-President, Dwala Brown, Treasure Lucille Tolliver, Secretary, Newtonia Hemphill, Journalist, Wonda Traylor, Regional Treasurer, Juanda Wallace, Dorothy Glover, Rita Heath-Powell, Vivian Jordan, Rita White Ross, Daphne Hornbuckle, Psi Soror of the Year and Deloris James, MOI Chair.

Two gifts were presented for the ugliest sweater to Brenda Napier and Newtonia Hemphill.

All had a great time, while we dined on a delicious Pappadeaux meal and mingled with each other as we prepared for the upcoming year of 2018.

As we departed on our Merry way, I heard each one of us say, Merry Christmas to all and to all, a Very Happy New Year (Pictures continued below).

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in Sisterhood and Committing to
Business”



Psi Chapter Adopted Family



Southwest Regional Conference

Important Dates: March 8-11, 2018

Information has been distributed by President Brenda Napier. You can book your hotel reservations by clicking on the link in the body of her email, you can also go to the SWR website for all updated information

February 01 – 71st SWR Conference Registration Deadline (Dianne Lollies).

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