



CRIMSON CONNECTION

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*110 Years of Sisterhood,
Scholarship, Service and
Social Action!*



To My Sorors,

The summer has ended, and we are moving full force into fall. The members of RCAC found many ways to mix business with pleasure during the summer months, but because we know Delta is all about the business of bringing sisterhood, scholarship, service and social action to our community we have been braced and ready for action. There are many tasks ahead for this chapter; we are thrilled to get to work. We also invite our members and our community to join with us in our upcoming fundraisers - an interactive play, PAN, on October 7 at Nyack Center and our Fall Fusion at Paramount Country Club on November 4. More to come!

Sit back, enjoy this issue, and keep moving!!!!

Sisterly Yours,

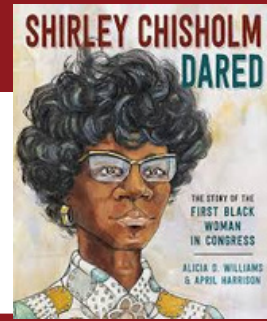
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Ouida Foster Toutebon, President

Deltas as Social Activist

RCAC Sorors shared their definition of social action.

#DeltasOfTheRock #RCACDST #DST1913
#SocialActionSundays #TheEAST



#deltasoftherock
At "Battle in the Rock", Spring Valley High School Alumni Competition- Voter Registration- Social Action with #SpringValleyNAACP

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There are things you stand up for because it's right.



@dstnationalpresident ▲ Kicking off the 2023-2024 program year by walking in the footsteps of our Founders during #MOW60!
#DST1913 #ForwardWithFortitude

NIKKI GIOVANNI

I AM
FORTITUDE
SERVICE
SISTERHOOD
SCHOLARSHIP
WISDOM
INTELLIGENCE
DELTA



"If they don't give you a seat at the table...
Bring a FOLDING CHAIR"
— Soror Shirley Chisholm

I'm supporting the fight against voter suppression in Texas!

Houston Justice et al. v Abbott
US Western District Court- San Antonio, TX
September 11, 2023
Until Justice Prevails

- **Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.** is a co-plaintiff and, with legal representation by the NAACP LDF, has challenged Texas Senate Bill 1 (S.B. 1) for violating the Civil Rights Act of 1964. The trial starts today, Monday, September 11, 2023, in San Antonio, Texas. This trial marks a critical moment in our fight for justice, and we want to ensure that every soror has an opportunity to be a part of it.
- Show your virtual support by posting a photo or selfie sitting in a folding chair, using the hashtags **#DSTSeatAtTheTable**, **#MyVoteMatters**, **#DST1913**, **#StopVotersSuppression**, **#ForwardWithFortitude**.



TODAY IS POLL WORKER RECRUITMENT DAY!

POWER THE POLLS

SCAN ME

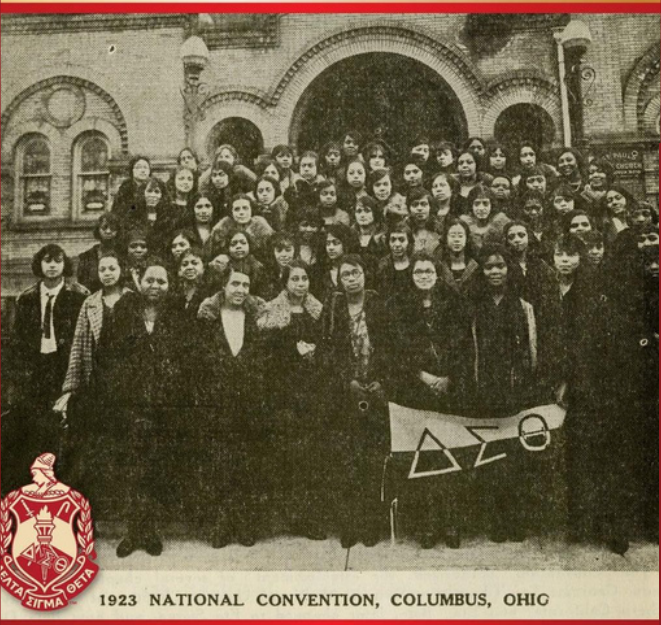
Sign up to support democracy in your community at powerthepolls.org.

- Did you know that signing up to work the polls on Election Day helps to strengthen our democracy? It helps you give back to your community, and ensures fair and secure elections for all.
- Get involved by visiting <http://www.powerthepolls.org/deltas>.
- **#DST1913 #DeltasForDemocracy #ForwardWithFortitude**

Engaging in Sisterhood 56th National Convention



From The Archives of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.



1923 NATIONAL CONVENTION, COLUMBUS, OHIO



FOUNDERS IN 1958 - Founders at a Baltimore convention in 1958 from left: Florence Letcher Toms, Ethel Cuff Black, Jimmie Bugg Middleton, Dr. Elizia P. Shippen, Vashai T. Murphy and Edith Mott Young.

Engaging with Sisterhood Martha's Vineyard



OF DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC.
INVITES YOU TO THE

Crimson Tide

a day at the beach with the Deltas

August 16th, 2023
Health walk on sand, 9am
Beach, 11am
Meeting location, Oak Bluffs'
Steamship Authority

MARTHA'S VINEYARD - INKWELL BEACH

Bring your swimsuits,
towels, chairs, lunch, &
catch some sun rays!



Delta's Leading The Way!

Sadie Tanner Mossell Alexander (1898-1989) was one of the first three African American woman to receive a PhD in the United States. She also was the first woman to receive a law degree from the University of Pennsylvania Law School and the first African American woman to be admitted to the Pennsylvania Bar and also the first national president of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority.



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THEY WERE AT THE
FOREFRONT

WE ARE ON THE FRONT LINES. A CONTINUATION...

#MOW60 #MarchOnWashington #DST1913



We're moving FORWARD in their FOOTSTEPS ▲

#MOW60 #DST1913 #ForwardWithFortitude

Let us mirror the spirit of the women who were at the forefront of the original march in 1963.

- Soror Dorothy I. Height
- Soror Daisy Bates
- Soror Lena Horne
- Soror Ruby Dee
- Mahalia Jackson
- Anna Arnold Hedgeman

These women, among countless others, were invaluable to the overall success of the march on Washington





DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC.
EASTERN REGION

NY METRO & NY UPSTATE *Cluster Meeting*

NOVEMBER 4, 2023

Rockland Community College | Suffern, NY



ROCKLAND COUNTY
ALBANY CHAPTER
ΔΣΘ

LIVE ARTS IN NYACK
PHOENIX
FESTIVAL

PAN

PRESENTED BY
EMOTIONS PHYSICAL THEATRE

TICKETS
SCAN ME

Reception with cast talk back to follow this special performance!

An interactive show told through hip-hop & multi-disciplinary theater, Pan and The Lost Boys is tale of contemporary Black masculinity that follows urban boys on a journey of self-discovery, tackling the challenges of growing up amidst societal expectations. Questions like 'How to become a man?', 'Why grow up?' An emotional show that captures the essence of youth in a tough world.



CREATING POSSIBILITIES ...
IMPROVING LIVES

EMPOWERING FAMILIES THROUGH FINANCIAL HEALTH & WELLNESS **WEBINAR SERIES**

The Delta Research and Educational Foundation (DREF) is thrilled with the overwhelming response and interest in our Financial Health & Wellness Webinar Series. To accommodate all who have expressed interest in this series, we have had to modify our dates and increase the number of attendees able to participate. We understand this change in schedule is not ideal, however, we wanted to get this information out as soon as possible to allow time for you to make the necessary adjustments.

The Financial Health & Wellness Webinar Series will now run on Thursday evenings from 8:00 PM-9:30 PM EST, and will begin on September 14, 2023, through November 16, 2023.

*The specific dates are provided below:
September 21, 2023; September 28, 2023; October 5, 2023;
October 12, 2023; October 19, 2023; October 26, 2023;
November 2, 2023; November 9, 2023; November 16, 2023*

