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Lexington (NC) Alumnae Chapter
DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC.



NORTH CAROLINA STATEWIDE

Founders Day

January 10 - 11, 2025

Decades in Delta ...

Embrace the Dream, Embody the Legacy

Celebrating

112
Years

Koury Convention Center, 3121 West Gate City Blvd. Greensboro, NC 27407
Sisterhood, Scholarship, Service, and Social Action

January 11, 2025

Greetings Sorors!

It is our honor as your Regional Director and Regional Representative to extend warm and heartfelt greetings to the sorors of the great state of North Carolina as we honor the visionary founders of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated. We are even more excited to be with you as we kick off the first Founders Day experience of the Lewis/Manley administration. We are happy to welcome our National Secretary Dr. Joi L. Moore as our keynote speaker and our National Treasurer Rosalyn Glenn who will bring us a "Founders Day charge."

This weekend begins the celebration of the 112th year of Delta Sigma Theta's founding and commitment to social activism and support of the communities we serve. As we gather to celebrate the incredible achievements of our Founders, we are reminded of the profound impact that our sisterhood has made throughout the world. Let us use this time to reflect on our personal commitment to our cardinal virtues.

We greatly appreciate Belinda Pettiford, the Immediate Past NC State Coordinator, for her exceptional leadership and guidance. Her support has been invaluable as Shenita Cunningham and Barbara Smith step into their roles as the new North Carolina State Coordinators. Our Coordinator and Facilitator team has worked tirelessly to assist our host chapters in delivering a memorable Founders Day celebration.

We are grateful for the unwavering dedication of the Lexington Alumnae Chapter led by June Britt and the diligent efforts of Chairs, Co-Chairs and steering committees. The steadfast support from Triad Cluster three presidents and their respective chapters have been invaluable. We extend our heartfelt thanks to Camille French (Winston-Salem Alumnae), Desire'e Best (Greensboro Alumnae), Atina Gray (High Point Alumnae), Shekeitha Newton (Burlington Alumnae), Camyrn Houston (Omicron Iota-Elon University), Erica Carl (Pi Omicron-Wake Forest University), and Emani Henderson (Alpha Mu- NC A&T State University) for their exceptional leadership and support.

We wish you an enjoyable Founders Day season as we move Forward, with Fortitude: Together, We R.I.S.E (Resilient, Impactful, Steadfast and Empowered). May we all strive to be 'Better Together, in Sisterhood, Leadership and Service, all while Operating in Excellence.'

Better Together,

Pamela & Madison
South Atlantic Regional Director and Regional Representative
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated



Pamela Murphy Lewis
South Atlantic Regional Director



Madison Manley
South Atlantic Regional Representative

Greetings North Carolina Sorors!

We are humbled and excited to greet you as we gather in the beautiful Piedmont region of North Carolina to celebrate our illustrious Sorority's 112 years of existence. An impressive program has been planned for you by the host chapter, Lexington Alumnae Chapter along with support from the Cluster Chapters. Please join us in expressing our appreciation to the Cluster chapter presidents, Founders Day Co-Chairs and chapter members of the Burlington Alumnae Chapter, Greensboro Alumnae Chapter, High Point Alumnae Chapter, Winston Salem Alumnae Chapter, North Carolina State A&T University, (Alpha Mu), Elon University(Omicron Iota) and Wake Forest University(Pi Omicron). Thank you for your flexibility, dedication and commitment to planning the NC Founders Day 2025.

Our heartfelt appreciation is extended to Soror Pamela Murphy Lewis, our Sensational South Atlantic Regional Director and Soror Madison Manley, our dynamic Regional Representative for their steadfast support and encouragement, a spirit of excellence and their forward- thinking servant leadership. A very special thanks to our Regional Secretary, the Regional Assistant Secretaries and the various SAR Regional Committees who were so willing to give of their time, talent and energy to the support of planning the program for this weekend.

It is our sincere hope that this weekend's celebration exemplifies the mission and purpose of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. that you see and feel the spirit of our 22 Founders' determination to make the world and our communities a little brighter. Let all of us continue to exemplify our beloved Founders courageous and dynamic commitment to Sisterhood, Scholarship, Service, and Social Action. We know that our speaker, Soror Joi Moore, National Secretary of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. will share words that will make us reflect on the theme "Decades in Delta ... Embrace the Dream, Embody the Legacy."

Thank you, sorors of the Sensational South Atlantic Region for your support! You showed up today, more than 2,000 sorors ... the Change Agents are here! Your presence will make a difference in this community. Thank you for supporting the community service initiatives: Community in Schools of Davidson County and Project Potential. As you depart to our respective service areas, please go forth remembering the words of our Past National President, Frankie Muse Freeman, "there is much work to do."

We can do it sorors. Because in the South Atlantic Region, "We are Better Together."



Soror Shenita Cunningham
North Carolina State
Coordinator West



Soror Barbara B. Smith
North Carolina State
Coordinator East



Soror Nina Jacobs
Country of Bermuda
Coordinator

Dear Sorors,

On behalf of the East and West State Facilitators, it is with great joy and sisterly love that we welcome you to the 2025 North Carolina Founders Day Celebration!

We pray that 2025 has begun with an abundance of joy, love, peace, and blessings, setting the tone for a year filled with purpose and progress. This year, as we celebrate 112 years of our beloved Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., we are grateful to come together with you to celebrate this year's theme, "Decades in Delta...Embrace the Dream, Embody the Legacy", which beautifully reflects the spirit and mission of our sisterhood.

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to the Lexington (NC) Alumnae Chapter, the host chapter for this year's celebration. Your hard work, dedication, and attention to detail have made this event a reality, and we are truly grateful for your efforts.

We would also like to acknowledge the contributions of all the surrounding chapters who have supported the planning and execution of this memorable occasion. Your collaboration and sisterly support have played a vital role in ensuring this celebration reflects the excellence and legacy of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.

As we gather this weekend, let us reflect on the courage, vision, and determination of our 22 Founders. They established a foundation that continues to inspire us to serve with humility, lead with fortitude, and build stronger communities. Let this event remind us of our shared purpose and the lasting impact we are called to make as Deltas.

Welcome to the 2025 NC Founders Day Celebration. May this weekend be filled with sisterly love, reflection, and celebration as we honor our past, embrace the present, and look forward to an even brighter future.

With Sisterly Love and Gratitude,
Gabria Savage and Niyat Asefaw
North Carolina State Coordinators
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated



Soror Gabria Savage
North Carolina State Coordinator East



Soror Niyat Asefaw
North Carolina State Coordinator West



Lexington (NC) Alumnae Chapter

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Greetings My Distinguished Sorors,

On behalf of The Lexington (NC) Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated, it is my honor and privilege to welcome each of you to this gathering of powerful, resilient, and purpose-driven women. With the guidance of our Heavenly Father, here we are on this auspicious occasion in Observance of our twenty-two phenomenal and determined Founders, who forged their way through many dangerous obstacles to make sure we, as women of Deltas Sigma Theta Sorority, might carry on their legacy to continue the work they envisioned. Let us, as members of this prominent Sorority, honor their exceptional work in our communities and around this nation.

As we stand united, we celebrate the strength, grace, and wisdom that we bring to every space we occupy. This is not just a meeting of minds but a union of hearts, bound by a shared commitment to excellence, sisterhood, and service to our communities.

Today, let us continue to lift each other as we ascend forward embracing our diverse journeys and staying rooted in our collective purpose. May we use this opportunity to inspire, empower, and ignite a deeper sense of responsibility to lead and serve with distinction. Together, we are unstoppable. Together, we are a force for good. And together, we will continue to make an indelible mark on this world.

Thank you for your presence, your passion, and your dedication. Let's make this moment impactful, uplifting, and unforgettable. Decades in Delta, My sorors...Embrace the Dream; Embody the Legacy

"WE ARE BETTER TOGETHER; TOGETHER IN SISTERHOOD; TOGETHER IN LEADERSHIP; AND TOGETHER IN SERVICE"

With Delta Love,

Soror June R. Britt – President
Lexington North Carolina Alumnae Chapter
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated

Greetings Sorors,

With open arms and hearts, we welcome over 2300 of our beloved sorors to the 2025 North Carolina Statewide 112th Founders Day Celebration.

As we stand on the threshold of celebrating 112 remarkable years of sisterhood, scholarship, service, and social action, we, Charletha Blake and Kim Britt, are honored to address you as the Chairs of the North Carolina Statewide Founders Day Committee hosted by the Lexington (NC) Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated.

Reflecting on our storied past, it is evident that our Founders' visionary commitment has propelled us through more than a century of profound impact and unwavering progress. Their legacy is not just in the milestones we have achieved, but in the lives we have touched and the communities we have transformed.

This past year has been one of significant achievement and challenges. Despite the challenges, our chapter has continued to thrive, launching several initiatives that have enriched our community and strengthened our bonds of sisterhood. From educational programs to social action projects, our sorors' involvement and enthusiasm have been pivotal.

Founders Day is not only a time to celebrate our history, but also a time to reaffirm our commitment to the principles our beloved Founders set before us. It is a day to reflect, rejoice, and rejuvenate our collective efforts to make a meaningful difference in the world around us.

Looking ahead, we are excited about the new opportunities that await us. Our plans for the coming year are ambitious, designed to expand our reach and deepen our impact. We urge each of you to stay engaged, participate actively, and contribute to the pioneering spirit that defines our great sorority.

Let us move forward with the courage and conviction that our Founders exemplified, continuing to uphold the ideals of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. in every endeavor. We are counting on your support, your energy, and your passion to help propel our Sorority into a future as bright as the legacy we cherish.

Thank you to our cluster chapter presidents and members, as well as the Regional Leadership and Support Team for your unwavering dedication and for the myriad ways in which you contributed to the success of this Founders Day celebration. Together, let us make this Founders Day a profound expression of our gratitude, love, and our commitment to the fundamental values that guide us.

In Sisterhood and Service,

Charletha Blake & Kim Britt
Chairs, North Carolina Statewide Founders Day Committee
Lexington (NC) Alumnae Chapter



Dr. Kim Britt
NC Founders Day Chair



Charletha Blake
NC Founders Day Chair



Greensboro Alumnae Chapter
DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INCORPORATED™



Welcome Sorors,

It is with sisterly love and affection that I greet you and share that the sorors of the Greensboro Alumnae Chapter (GAC) are proud to welcome you to the 2025 North Carolina Statewide Founders Day Observance in Greensboro, NC. We are excited to see this special occasion come to fruition as we recognize and celebrate the Founders Day theme of “Decades in Delta...Embrace the Dream, Embody the Legacy.”

GAC lays claim to the South Atlantic's 15th Past Regional Director, Dr. Linda Wilson Cannaday, and the late Soror Alberta White, who collaborated on our Sorority's beloved “Sweetheart Song.”

Greensboro, affectionately known as the “Gate City,” has made its mark in history. While you are here, consider visiting The Historic Magnolia House. During America's Jim Crow-era, The Magnolia House Motel was a site listed in The Green Book. The book provided the Black community with advice on safe places to eat and sleep while traveling from state-to-state under segregation.

The renowned International Civil Rights Center and Museum was once a five-and-dime store called F. W. Woolworth where on February 1, 1960, four North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University freshmen: Ezell Blair, Jr. (Jibreel Khazan), Franklin McCain, Joseph McNeil, and David Richmond walked downtown and sat down at the store's “whites only” lunch counter. They refused to leave when denied service and stayed until the store closed. Their brave actions led to the desegregation of Woolworth's lunch counter in July 1960 and made a significant impact on other events in civil rights history.

The Gate City welcomes you while you embrace the bond of devotion and engage with sorors from across the state. You will recommit yourselves to the tenets set forth by 22 exceptional, collegiate women who we have come to know and admire as our Founders. How exciting it will be to interact with sorors who all walk in the spirit of One Delta! We know that you will leave this observance excited that you are a member of the incomparable Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated™.

Bouquets of violets to South Atlantic Regional Director Pamela Murphy Lewis and South Atlantic Regional Representative Madison Manley for reminding us that “We are Better Together.” Their impeccable leadership is a tribute to why the South Atlantic Region is...SENSATIONAL!

With love,

Desirée

Desirée F. Best, President
Greensboro Alumnae Chapter
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated™



Burlington Alumnae Chapter DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC.



Greetings Sorors,

On behalf of the Burlington Alumnae Chapter, I extend a warm welcome to all attendees to the 2025 North Carolina Statewide Founders Day Observance in Greensboro, NC. We hope that you will enjoy this wonderful time of rededication, service and sisterhood. As we gather to celebrate the extraordinary legacy of our Founders, let us continue to move forward with dedication to our nine jewels.

Chartered in 1988, the Burlington Alumnae Chapter proudly serves the counties of Alamance, Caswell, Rockingham, and Guilford. With over 125 sorors, our commitment to sisterhood, scholarship, service, and social action provides impactful community initiatives.

Thank you to South Atlantic Regional Director Pamela Murphy Lewis and South Atlantic Regional Representative Madison Manley, for your tireless efforts and leadership as you continue to lead our sensational region. We pray that God will continue to bless you and guide your path.

Sisterly,

Shekeitha Newton

**Shekeitha Newton, President
Burlington Alumnae Chapter
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority,
Incorporated**



HIGH POINT ALUMNAE CHAPTER
HPAC
DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC.

Celebrating 75 Years of Service to the High Point Community 🎉

Greetings Sorors:

Welcome to the North Carolina Statewide Founders Day. The Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated High Point Alumnae Chapter is elated to support the Lexington (NC) Alumnae Chapter as they host this meeting. Founders Day is the opportunity for the sorority to stop and remember the work of our 22 founders. From Osceola Macarthy Adams to Edith Motte Young, these young women started our illustrious organization vowing to make a difference. That's part of why, only months after their founding, their first act of public service was participating in the Suffrage March of 1913. Although they faced discrimination from the march organizers and had to march at the back of the line, this act paved the way for future Black political activism.

So, we gather and bow today to momentarily remember, but we will rise and head back to our communities to continue the work that needs to be done. Our jobs aren't just to attend but to make a difference in the lives of the people we encounter.

Again, welcome to Greensboro. Enjoy the planned program, meet and renew friendships with sorors from across the state and rededicate yourselves to the ideals and visions of our founders.

Atina L. Gray
In Sisterly Love

Atina L. Gray, President
High Point Alumnae Chapter

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Winston Salem Alumnae Chapter
DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC.



Greetings to the sorors of the great state of North Carolina!

On behalf of the members of the Winston-Salem Alumnae chapter, I bring you greetings from Winston-Salem, the City of Arts and Innovation. As we gather during this weekend to celebrate 112 years of sisterhood, scholarship, and service, I am thrilled that we have been able to collaborate for this event: Decades in Delta...Embrace the Dream, Embody the Legacy. This month, as we embark on a new chapter in our nation, where we appear to be more divided than united, it is not lost on me that we have been working together tirelessly to provide a sisterly experience for everyone in attendance this weekend. This has truly been a labor of love and is a much-needed reminder that we lean on each other in times of need and always rise to the occasion.

As we honor 112 years of our illustrious sisterhood and the intentionality of our Founders, we are reminded that we gather to renew our spirits and revitalize our commitment to our communities who need us now more than ever. We recommit to our Founders' focus on social justice and responsibility by continuing to take a stand against injustices. We know in our hearts that this weekend is more than an opportunity to gather and fellowship. It is a renewed call to action together and a reminder of how we can move forward.

We salute our sister chapter Lexington (NC) Alumnae for their hard work and tireless dedication to the task. We stood ready to answer their call and the collaboration with our cluster chapters has been wonderful. We are truly better together. Is it no mistake that our nine cardinal virtues reflect the fruits of the Holy Spirit as outlined in Galatians 5:22-23. We gather this weekend to reflect those fruits to one another as we welcome you with Delta love. We hope that you leave refreshed, renewed, revitalized, and strengthened for these days ahead and that you arrive safely home. Forward with Fortitude sorors! Together we R.I.S.E.! Be blessed!

Yours in Delta Sisterhood and Service,

T. Camille French
President
Winston-Salem Alumnae Chapter
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.

Keynote Speaker

Dr. Joi L. Moore is a visionary community servant committed to helping others learn and lead successfully. She serves as the Associate Dean of Engagement and Outreach in the College of Education and as a Professor in the School of Information Science & Learning Technologies at the University of Missouri. She is also a faculty member in the MU Institute for Data Science & Informatics and an Affiliated Faculty member in the Black Studies Department.



Dr. Moore received two degrees from North Carolina State University: a B.S. in Computer Science and an M.S. in Management, focusing on Management Information Systems. After teaching in the Department of Computer Information Systems at Shaw University, Dr. Moore earned her Ph.D. in Instructional Technology from the University of Georgia, emphasizing Management Information Systems. She completed two leadership programs: the Management Development Program (MDP) at Harvard University and the Academic Leadership Development Program for the Southeastern Conference (SEC).

She is a subject matter specialist in Learning Design, E-Learning, and Usability. With over 25 years of experience creating instructional and training materials and various digital media forms, she has published five books and more than 80 articles.

Dr. Moore's professional service includes serving as President of the Minorities in Media Affiliate and the Training and Performance Division of the Association for Educational Communications and Technology (AECT). In 2024, she completed her term as the first Black woman president of the association.

Dr. Moore is a Golden Life Member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated, and has numerous chapter, regional, and national leadership experiences. She was initiated into the Mu Omicron Chapter at North Carolina State University and is currently a member of the Columbia MO Alumnae chapter, where she served as Chapter President. National roles include National Secretary, Chair of the National Leadership Academy Committee, Chair of the 2015 National Nominating Committee, and Co-Chair of the National Grow with Google Ad-hoc Committee.





ISAAC CARREE

**Dove and Stellar
Award Winning
Gospel Artist**

ISAAC CARREE BEGAN HIS MUSIC CAREER OVER 30 YEARS AGO AS A YOUNG MAN IN NORTH CAROLINA. HE IS A CELEBRATED SOLOIST THAT BEGAN WITH JOHN P. KEE AND THE NEW LIFE COMMUNITY CHOIR, BEFORE CO-FOUNDING THE AWARD WINNING CONTEMPORARY GOSPEL GROUP MEN OF STANDARD. OVER THE NEXT DECADE, THE GROUP RECORDED FIVE ALBUMS AND RELEASED NUMEROUS HITS AND SINGLES.

IN 2011, ISAAC RECORDED HIS FIRST SOLO PROJECT ENTITLED UNCOMMON ME. SINCE THEN HE HAS RELEASED TWO MORE SOLO ALBUMS ENTITLED *RESET* AND *NO RISK, NO REWARD*, WHICH WERE RELEASED UNDER HIS INDEPENDENT LABEL DOOR 6 ENTERTAINMENT. HIS ALBUMS HAVE DEBUTED AT #1 ON BILLBOARD'S GOSPEL CHARTS. ISAAC HAS BEEN FEATURED ON NUMEROUS ALBUMS WITH ARTISTS SUCH AS KIRK FRANKLIN, MONICA, SNOOP DOGG, JAZZY PHA, TYE TRIBBETT, MICHELLE WILLIAMS, AND THE *SAINTS AND SINNERS SOUNDTRACK*.

OVER THE YEARS, ISAAC HAS TOURED WITH STEVE HARVEY, KIRK FRANKLIN, MARY MARY, THE KINGSMEN, FRED HAMMOND'S FESTIVAL OF PRAISE, THE BAD BOY REUNION, AND SOUL 2 SOUL WITH TIM MCGRAW AND FAITH HILL. THROUGHOUT HIS CAREER, ISAAC HAS PERFORMED STAGE PLAYS, MADE TELEVISION APPEARANCES AND RECEIVED AWARDS FROM BMI, ASCAP, THE STELLAR AWARDS, AND DOVE AWARDS TO NAME A FEW. ISAAC'S GREATEST INSPIRATION IS HIS FAMILY, AND HE LOVES CHANGING THE WORLD THROUGH MUSIC AND LAUGHTER.

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A'kasha Jenkins

Poet | Storyteller | Faith-Focused Performer

Born in Lexington, NC, and currently based in Concord, NC, A'kasha's poetic journey began in her childhood, winning the state oratorical contest for North Carolina. From an early age, poetry became her sanctuary—a place where she could express herself and find peace. Throughout her life, her writing has been a powerful outlet for emotional and spiritual expression, growing deeper as she honed her craft in college.

Rooted in faith, A'kasha's voice is called to speak life into others through the art of spoken word. While her work is shaped by biblical stories and spiritual truths, it is her ability to connect deeply with her audience—whether in a large crowd or an intimate setting—that defines her performances. A'kasha believes that every poem carries an encounter, whether it's a message meant for a room full of people or a deeply personal moment shared with one listener.

Her poetry transcends mere performance; it is a ministry in itself. Through each spoken word, she strives to uplift, encourage, and inspire, trusting that her voice is a vessel for divine purpose.

Every story she shares is a reflection of her devotion to her faith, using her gift to touch hearts, challenge minds, and bring healing to those who hear.

A'kasha's calling is clear: to speak words that resonate deeply, creating transformative experiences where listeners feel seen, heard, and connected to something greater than themselves.



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Founders



**Osceola Macarthy Adams* Jimmie Bugg Middleton* Marguerite Young Alexander*
Pauline Oberdorfer Minor* Winona Cargile Alexander* Vashti Turley Murphy*
Ethel Cuff Black* Naomi Sewell Richardson* Bertha Pitts Campbell* Mamie Reddy
Rose* Zephyr Chisom Carter* Eliza Pearl Shippen* Edna Brown Coleman* Florence
Letcher Toms* Jessie McGuire Dent* Ethel Carr Watson* Frederica Chase Dodd*
Wertie Blackwell Weaver* Myra Davis Hemmings* Madree Penn White* Olive
Jones* Edith Motte Young**

Schedule of Activities



Friday, January 10, 2025

EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION

Location: Lobby Area- 1st Floor

Noon to 6 pm

8:15 pm-9 pm

VENDOR SHOPPING Location: Vendor Hall - 2nd Floor

Time: 4:00 pm - 10:00 pm

REDEDICATION CEREMONY

Location: Guilford Ballrooms A, B, C

Time: 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

(Doors open at 6:15pm. Doors will close at 6:45pm.)

Attire: Black (no pants)

WELCOME RECEPTION

Location: Guilford Ballrooms D, E, F, G

Time: 8:30pm-12:00am

(Doors Open at 8:30pm or as soon as the Rededication Ceremony ends)

Attire: Delta Casual

Entertainment: Fun, Food, Fellowship, & Dancing with **DJ Runna**

Light hors d'oeuvres will be served.

Saturday, January 11, 2025

VENDOR SHOPPING

Location: Vendor Hall - 2nd Floor

Time: 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

LUNCHEON

Location: Guilford Ballrooms A-G

Time: 11:00am

Attire: Red Business

(Doors Open at 10:00am. Doors will close at 10:45am)





North Carolina Statewide Founders Day

KOURY CONVENTION CENTER GREENSBORO, NC

SATURDAY, JANUARY 11, 2025

11:00am

*Decades In Delta ...
Embrace The Dream, Embody The Legacy*

Processional

Mistress of Ceremony

Shavonda Green
Lexington (NC) Alumnae Chapter

Emergency Response Message

Venice Williams
Lexington (NC) Alumnae Chapter

Protocol Message

Belinda Pettiford
South Atlantic Regional Protocol Co-Chair

Invocation

Reverend Tayon Willams Dancy
South Atlantic Regional Chaplain

Welcome

June Britt, President
Lexington (NC) Alumnae Chapter

Negro National Anthem - *LIFT EVERY VOICE AND SING*

Introduction of Dais

Madison Manly
South Atlantic Regional Representative

Greetings From The Community

Mayor Jason Hayes

Lexington, North Carolina

Dr. Nakia Hardy

Superintendent Lexington, City Schools

Representative Amos Quick

North Carolina State House-District 58

Greensboro, North Carolina

Senator Gladys Robinson

Democratic State Senate-District 28

Greensboro, North Carolina

Mayor Pro Tempore Denise Adams

Winston Salem, North Carolina

Honorable J. Carlvena Foster

Guilford County Commissioner-District 1

High Point, North Carolina

Greetings

Cluster 3 Chapter Presidents

Niyat Asefaw & Gabria Savage

NC State Facilitators (West & East)

Shenita Cunningham & Barbara B. Smith

NC State Coordinators (West & East)

Madison Manley

South Atlantic Regional Representative

Pamela M. Lewis

South Atlantic Regional Director

Spoken Word

Mrs. A'Kasha Jenkins

Blessing of the Food

Karleigh Ndiaye

South Atlantic Collegiate Chaplin

Luncheon

Tribute to the Founders

Kim Britt & Charletha Blake
North Carolina Founders Day Chairs
Lexington (NC) Alumnae Chapter

Introduction of the Speaker

Pamela M. Lewis
South Atlantic Regional Director

Musical Selection

Issac Carree
Dove and Stellar Award-Winning Gospel Artist

Keynote Address

Dr. Joi L. Moore
Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.
National Secretary

A Charge to Our Sorors

Rosalind Glenn
National Treasurer

Door Prizes

Caroline Haynes & Inez Shaw
North Carolina Founders Day Co-Chairs

Invitation to Founders Day 2026

Shenita Cunningham
North Carolina State Coordinator West

Special Acknowledgements & Community Service Recognitions

Lexington (NC) Alumnae Chapter
Rosalind Baker, Chair
June Britt, President
Tremonte Crawford, Vice President
Charletha Blake, Chair
Kim Britt, Chair

Announcements

Melody Harris
South Atlantic Regional Secretary

Closing Prayer

Reverend Tayon Williams Dancy
South Atlantic Regional Chaplain

Delta Sigma Theta National Hymn

All Sorors

Recessional

Sorors Remain Seated



Lexington (NC) Alumnae Chapter

Charter Members

Chartered April 26, 1985



*Margaret Buggs

Debra Norman Hogan

Isabell Elaine Rector

Theresa Townsend Scott

*Lillian Owens Foulkes

Cynthia Miller

Marlena Ricks

Kathy Wiley Holt

*Alice Rucker Henderson

Arlene L. Pinnix-Morrow

Charlotte Roberts

*Lucille Dixon Yarborough

*Deceased Sorors

Lexington (NC) Alumnae Chapter



Executive Committee 2023-2025

Chapter President-June Britt

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Asst. Secretary-Essia Norwood

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Lexington (NC) Alumnae Chapter

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Deloris Phillips
Arlene Pinnix-Morrow
Dena Parona
Marlena Ricks
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Shavonda Bean
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Lauren Bradsher
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June Britt
Khianna Bryant
Joyce Brunson
Monica Crawford
Tremonteo Crawford
Constance Cross
Brianna Diggs
Melinda Foster
Katrina Grant
Yuandalyn Gray
Caroline Haynes
Venice Williams

Patricia Ijames
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Sharon Johnson
Candice Ledbetter-Worthy
Ellen McCray
Debra Hogan
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Latrcia Starks
Jeressa Sullivan
Debra Verdell
Faye Ward
Denise Warner
Audrey White
Judith Whitmire-Bryant
Kathy Wiley-Holt
Yessenia Wilkins
Bonnie Booker

Lexington (NC) Alumnae Chapter Community Service Projects

**Lexington (NC) Alumnae Chapter of
Delta Sigma Theta Inc.
Community Service Projects**

Project Potential Lexington

Mission: To provide students with a comprehensive level of support to ensure their educational success.

- Serves mainly at risk children of color
- Includes students from grade 9 through post secondary education
- Encourages enrollment in two and four year colleges
- Offers support for students in apprenticeship programs, professional certificate programs etc.
- Provides a one time \$2,000 scholarship to cover housing, books etc. for defined number of students annually
- 100% of students participating in this program graduated from high school
- 100% of HS graduates in this program entered college and graduated
- Partially funded by United Way and private donations

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information and to
donate**



Community in Schools Lexington

Mission: To empower students to stay in school and achieve a successful life.

- Serves mainly at risk children of color
- Provides one on one support to school students
- Offers Mentoring Program
- Supplies clothing, food and school supplies to support students
- Conducts Backpack Program annually
- Partially funded by schools and community donations



OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
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January 11, 2025

North Carolina Statewide Founders Day 2025 Celebration Attendees,

On behalf of the City of Lexington and the City Council I bring you greetings and congratulations from Lexington, North Carolina.

I would like to recognize and thank the hosting city of Greensboro and the mayor of Greensboro, Mayor Nancy B. Vaughan for their hospitality.

Additionally, and importantly I would like to thank and recognize the Lexington NC Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. for serving as the host chapter of this momentous occasion. To quote President June Britt in an email correspondence to me, "we might be small in numbers, but we are mighty in doing the work of servanthood in our community".

Lastly, I would like to recognize and thank the entire Delta Sigma Theta Sorority - those who are in attendance here today and those around the world who continue to aspire to fulfilling the important sorority mission of constructive development of its members and to continued public service in communities everywhere.

Enjoy this day, enjoy this celebration, and thank you all for your service to your communities!

Mayor Jason Hayes

City of Lexington, North Carolina

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