



GEORGIA STATE COUNCIL
INCOMING BOARD MEETING
Cole Room



Hilton Atlanta/Marietta Conference Center, Marietta, GA
Saturday, April 30, 2022

Incoming Georgia State President, Wanda Price, called the meeting to order at 3:10 pm, and welcomed her incoming Executive and Appointed Boards.

She introduced Kaye Genovese as the incoming Chaplain. Kaye gave the opening thought from Mark Twain: "Sing like no one is listening, Love like you've never been hurt, Dance like nobody is watching, And live like it's heaven on earth."

President Wanda Price thanked everyone for being willing to serve. She stated that if you didn't get her email thanking you for serving, then she would like to thank you again.

Ruth Ann Edge, Recording Secretary, conducted Roll Call as President Wanda Price introduced her Elected and Appointed Boards.

Elected Officers

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| President | Wanda Price | P |
| First Vice President | Susan Garner | P |
| Second Vice President | Susan Knudson | P |
| Recording Secretary | Ruth Ann Edge | P |
| Corresponding Secretary | Romanda Talley | P |
| Treasurer | Sharon Smoot | P |
| Parliamentarian | Sherrie Bordeaux | P |
| Jr. Past President | Vicki Warren | P |

Appointed Board

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| Administrative Assistant | Monette Horton | A |
| Administrative Assistant | Mary Wynn | A |
| Advisor | Beverly Aldridge | A |
| Advisor | Francis Lanier | A |
| Archives/Historian | Debbie Glore | A |
| Association of the Arts Chair | Venetia Lewallen | P |

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| Auditor | Angela Coleman | P |
| Awards Chair | Gail Marchant | P |
| Chaplain | Kaye Genovese | P |
| Contacts Chair | Gennie Gilvin | P |
| Contacts Committee | Susan Knudson | P |
| Credentials Chair | Linda Long | P |
| Disaster Fund Chair | Vicki Warren | P |
| Easterseals Chair | Sherry Pressley | P |
| Finance Project Chair | Janie Kozal | P |
| Foundation State Counselor | Francis Jennings | P |
| Flag Ceremony | Pat Griffin | P |
| Gavelette President | Frances Jennings | P |
| Hope for Heroes Chair | Debbie Lamp'I | P |
| Leadership Coordinator | Wanda Price | P |
| Newsletter | Gennie Galvin | P |
| Philanthropic | Connie Pressley | P |
| Photographer | Sherrie Pressley | P |
| SERC Coordinator | Kim New | P |
| Scrapbook Editors | Sherrie Pressley | P |
| | Gennie Gilvin | P |
| Social Co-Chairs | Shirley Humphries | P |
| | Marsha Stroud | P |
| St. Jude Coordinator | Connie Pressley | P |
| Web Master | Gennie Gilvin | P |
| Yearbook Chair | Karen Smith | P |

Committees

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| Budget | Sharon Smoot (Chair) | P |
| | Susan Garner | P |
| | Connie Pressley | P |
| Bylaws | Sherrie Bordeaux (Chair) | P |
| | Francis Lanier | A |
| | Angela Coleman | P |
| Membership | Susan Garner | P |
| | Susan Knudson | P |
| Minutes | Ruth Ann Edge | P |
| | Sherrie Bordeaux | P |
| | Wanda Price | P |
| Nominating | Susan Garner | P |
| | Marion Hunter | A |
| | Stormy Bowie | A |
| Leadership | Wanda Price | P |
| Convention Chair | Susan Knudson | P |

Chapter Presidents

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| Alpha Beta | Susan Garner | P |
| Alpha Delta | Marisa Medlin | A |
| Alpha NU | Connie Pressley | P |

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| Beta Chi | Beverly Aldridge | A |
| Beta Kappa | Linda Long | P |
| Beta Sigma | Kaye Kennebrew | P |
| Beta Zeta | Joy Lynn Tynes | A |
| Delta Iota | Susan Knudson | P |
| Delta NU | Mary Cooper | P |
| Gamma Omega | Theresa McGugan | P |
| Gamma Sigma | Sandy Helton | P |
| Gamma Zeta | Brittany Petty-Rogers | A |
| Kappa Rho | Cathy Quick | P |
| Omega Phi | Marion Hunter | A |
| Sigma Chi | Sherry Presley | P |

President Wanda Price presented her theme for the year “Composing Memories in ESA”. Her colors are blue and white. The blue Hydrangea is her flower, and her symbols are Blueware China and the Treble Clef.

Each Officer and Chair was presented note books with their duties pertaining to the particular office or chair they hold. These duties are from the Georgia State Council Bylaws and Standing Rules and Policy Manual. Corresponding Secretary, Romanda Talley, gave a detailed explanation of the contents of the notebooks.

Yearbook Chair, Karen Smith, will send an email asking for any information changes that need to be made in the Yearbook, and give a deadline for when the changes are needed. Each Chapter President should look over their chapter information to ensure it is correct. Send all changes to Karen.

President Wanda Price reminded everyone to pay special attention to the 2022-2023 Dates to Remember Sheet in their notebook.

Corresponding Secretary, Romanda Talley, gave the dates that articles are due for the “Jaw Ja Jonquil” Newsletters. They are June 5, 2022, August 5, 2022, October 5, 2022, December 5, 2022, February 5, 2023 and April 5, 2023. Send all articles to Romanda.

President Wanda Price gave details for the Leadership and Fall Board Council Meeting. It will be held at the Dillard House in Dillard, GA on September 10 -11, 2022. Wanda asked the Gavelettes to submit subjects they would be willing to give a presentation on at Leadership.

Gamma Omega and Delta Omega will be the hosting chapters for the Midyear Meeting. Theresa McGugan and Sharon Smoot will be the Co Chairs.

Hope for Heroes Chair, Debbie Lamp'l, presented the project she has chosen for Hope for Heroes. She gave each chapter two Christmas stockings to decorate, fill, and bring to the Fall Board Meeting. These stockings will be given to the veterans at the Carrollton Veterans Home. She requested the stockings be generic because there are both male and female veterans at the home. She will let the membership know if she wants us to bring socks, etc to the Fall Board Meeting. She reminded everyone to keep up with the money and hours for the State Project.

State Finance Chair, Janie Kozal, has three state finance projects. They are an Online Auction, 50/50 and the third project will be left up to each chapter. She is asking each chapter what they would like to do (prepare a basket, lottery tickets, cards on a tree, or a nice piece of jewelry valued at \$50 or more). The chapter items will be auctioned at Convention.

President Wanda Price's special project is **Abused Women**. She explained how women are abused in different ways, not only physically and mentally. She asked that each chapter select a shelter or cause to help these women. She asked each chapter to let her know who they have chosen to support.

First Vice President, Susan Garner, talked about how to bring new members into ESA, or bring former members back. Take the opportunity to talk about ESA to people you meet or socialize with. Reach out to Members at Large and inactive members. Try to spark their interest.

St. Jude Chair, Connie Presley, reminded us that we will have only one Dream Home this year, so we will need to do several smaller projects to make up the difference in the money we raise. She reminded us of the 50/50 for St. Jude. This is 50 \$50 donations to St. Jude. Be sure to fill out the Event Form that is online at the ESA web site.

Chaplain, Kaye Genovese, gave a closing thought from Sammy Davis Jr. "Savor the moments that are Warm, and Special and Giggly."

President Wanda Price adjourned the meeting at 4:01 pm.

Ruth Ann Edge
2022-2023 GSC Recording Secretary