**Program Planning and Development Committee Reports**

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| **[Arts and Letters Committee](https://members.dstonline.org/National-Area" \l "arts):** [dsttaarts@gmail.com](mailto:dsttaarts@gmail.com) Chair [Shenika Baisley](mailto:sbaisley33@gmail.com)-Woodley: Youth Art Exhibit was another huge success. View highlight video here: <https://wedflow.co/client/deliverables/p4p3mdby>. The Next Circle of Friends Book Club: Friday, May 8, 2020 from 6:30 pm – 8:30pm. Netflix Party – Date/Time: TBD Collaboration with Membership Services. Virtual Painting with a Twist- Date/Time: TBD Collaboration with Membership Services  Next Committee Meeting: Sunday April 19, 2020 from 7:00 pm – 8:00 pm via Zoom |
| [**Economic Development Committee**](mailto:Economic%20Development%20Committee)**:** [dsttaecondev@gmail.com](mailto:dsttaecondev@gmail.com) Chair [Kay Lee-Smith](mailto:klee2345@msn.com): Financial Literacy event on April 19th will be a virtual presentation by Angie Fields to the youth development programs. April is Financial Literacy Month - Distributed Interactive National Financial Literacy Calendars’ Link and will distribute, via email, relevant financial literacy events/information throughout the month of April. “Level Up” Women’s Business Pitch - Virtual Competition and Collaboration with 100 Black Women; Flyer with application link forthcoming; Tentative application deadline 15 May 2020  Next Committee Meeting: April 21, 2020 7:00 pm – 8:00 pm via conference call. Dial-in Number: 605-472-5202     Access Code: 286896 |
| [**Educational Development**](https://www.deltasigmatheta.org/educational.html)**:** Coordinator, [Angie Fields](mailto:angie.l.fields@gmail.com): All face to face activities have been suspended for the year. Virtual activity will take place in April. Spirit week will take place the week of April 13. |
| **Delta Gems**: [tampaalumnaedeltagems@gmail.com](mailto:tampaalumnaedeltagems@gmail.com) Chair [Quicta Nicole Walters](mailto:tampaalumnaedeltagems@gmail.com), co-chairs [Maureen Goins](mailto:maureengoins@yahoo.com), and [Sharon Hays](mailto:semple8@hotmail.com): 61 girls enrolled. 23 Gems and 13 Volunteers.  Next Committee Meeting: TBD |
| **Delta Academy**: [tadeltaacademy@gmail.com](mailto:tadeltaacademy@gmail.com) Chair [DeVonne McKeever-Daniels](mailto:devonnemc9@gmail.com), co-chairs [Jeanine Baron](mailto:jeaninebaron@yahoo.com), and [Deidre Joseph](mailto:djoseph173@aol.com):  Next Committee Meeting: TBD |
| |  | | --- | | **EMBODI**: [taembodi@gmail.com](mailto:taembodi@gmail.com) Chair [Michelle Stone](mailto:famurat1990@aol.com) co-chair [Angie Fields](mailto:angie.l.fields@gmail.com):  Next Committee Meeting: TBD | | [**International Awareness and Involvement Committee**](https://www.deltasigmatheta.org/international.html)**:** [dsttaiaandi@gmail.com](mailto:dsttaiaandi@gmail.com) Chair [Jackie Jackson](mailto:msj626@aol.com) co-chair [Christine Lewis](mailto:cj2lewis@yahoo.com): World Health Day is April 7, 2020. The goody bag event was postponed. Items have been purchased and the staff of 40 nurses was excited so we will wait for direction from leaders Tampa Family Health Centers.  Next Committee Meeting: TBD | | [**Physical and Mental Health Committee**](http://deltasigmatheta.org/health.html)**:** [tapmh@dstta.com](mailto:tapmh@dstta.com) Chair [Julie Williamson](mailto:juliewilliamson2003@icloud.com) co-chair [Kareen Moreland](mailto:kareenw_nylife@yahoo.com):  Next Committee Meeting: May 3 at 7:00 p.m. Every first Sunday via conference call 7:00 p.m. (605) 472-5396 access code 254640# | | [**Political Awareness and Involvement**](mailto:Political%20Awareness%20and%20Involvement)**:** [dsttapolitical@gmail.com](mailto:dsttapolitical@gmail.com) Co-Chairs [Walinda McKnight](mailto:walindamckgr@msn.com) and Erica Williams: End of the year events were connected to Ed Development. Planning for next year beginning.  Next Committee Meeting: TBD | | [**Scholarship Committee**](https://members.dstonline.org/National-Area#scholar)**:** [scholarshipdstta@gmail.com](mailto:scholarshipdstta@gmail.com) Chair [Tina James](mailto:tee_jay10@hotmail.com) co-chair [Joanell Lawson](mailto:jazdst10@msn.com): Our annual scholarship program will be postponed until fall. They are looking at ways to honor the scholarship recipients such as a newspaper article, a Power Point presentation will be shared with the chapter highlighting recipients. The committee tabling the thought of a Christmas Holiday awards program. Letters will still go out as indicated in the Policies and Procedures along with a gift.  Next Committee Meeting: TBD |   [**Social Action Committee**](hhttps://members.dstonline.org/National-Area#social)**:** [tasocialaction@gmail.com](mailto:tasocialaction@gmail.com) Chair [Heddie Sumpter](mailto:hmshollywd1@gmail.com) co-chair [Audrey Sullivan Moore](mailto:mammamooreasm@gmail.com): Census 2020. DDCC will be cancelled this year. They will work with the county on disseminating information. A letter writing campaign is being discussed.  Next Committee Meeting: April 16, 2020 via conference call |
| [**Risk Management**](https://members.dstonline.org/getmedia/b3270cc4-04eb-4af4-8717-e876aa303f2e/Risk-Management-Manual-September-2017_Amended.pdf)**:** [dsttariskmng@gmail.com](mailto:dsttariskmng@gmail.com) Coordinator [Cassandra Thomas](mailto:bbzephyr01@aol.com) Trainers: Brenda Webb Johnson, Angie Fields, DeVonne McKeever-Daniels, and Gloria Williams: |

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