



Various Due Dates See Below

## Summary of Awards from the Personal Growth and Services (PG&S) Committee

### CHI STATE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARDS

#### Distinguished Service to Chi State

The nominee must have served, or be currently serving, in a leadership role in her Chapter and in two or more capacities at the State level. The nominee must have demonstrated commitment to the Society at all levels: Chapter, Area, and State.

**Due December 1**

#### Distinguished Public Service

The nominee must reside in California but he or she does not have to be a member of Delta Kappa Gamma. The nominee must have made, or be making, an outstanding contribution in public service, whether as a professional or volunteer in business, industry, government, social services, or fine arts. **Due December 1**

#### Distinguished Career/Professional Service

The nominee must be a member of Chi State and must have developed an educational activity which has an impact on the profession, is acceptable for the present as well as the future, and is recognized as an example for other educators. **Due December 1**

**DO NOT CONFUSE THE FOLLOWING AWARDS WITH THE  
CHI STATE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARDS**

### OUTSTANDING SERVICE TO AREA

To qualify, members have to have served in a leadership role at the **Area** level in two or more capacities. **Due March 1**

### OUTSTANDING SERVICE TO CHAPTER

There are three ways to recognize outstanding people in the following areas:

- **Outstanding Service** to Chapter is for a member who has served in a leadership role in at least two capacities.
- **Career/Professional** is for a member who has developed an educational project that has had a positive impact on the profession.
- **Public Service** is for someone who is making an outstanding contribution in the public service arena in the community, especially having to do with youth and education. **Due March 1**

## **COMMUNITY SERVICE/YOUTH AT RISK PROJECTS**

Chapters can meaningfully reach out to their communities to alleviate some of the hardships facing youth and families today in many ways. Each project has a literacy component to carry these positive effects forward. This may include donations of time, books, food, scholarships, and monetary support or the donation of items for children who suffer from catastrophic illnesses (e.g. Jared Boxes) and gift certificates. **Due March 1**

## **HOSTELSHIP AWARDS**

Chi State's Hostelship Awards are given to members of Delta Kappa Gamma who attend a Road Scholar Program and apply for the award. Road Scholar Programs are for adults who like to travel, meet new people and continue their quest for adventure and learning. The applicants must have been a Chi State Chapter member of The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International for at least five years, must be a member at the time of application and 50 years of age, or older. The Road Scholar Program must be completed before applying for the Chi State Hostelship Award. A summary of the experience and photos are submitted with the application for the award. **Due December 1**

## **THAT (Teachers Helping Another Teacher) PROGRAM**

This Program was created to promote support for classroom teachers. Members volunteer time in direct support for a teacher. There are **five areas** in which the volunteer time can be counted: support for an individual teacher, a particular school, a school district, at the community and local government level, and for higher education and professional development at the college level. There is a form on the website for the volunteer to record her hours. Examples of activities can include: working in a classroom, correcting papers, bringing the teacher a little afternoon treat, reading in a classroom, assisting with Math Field Days, giving docent tours for a specific teacher's class, or mentoring/supporting a new/student teacher and working with the departments of education in Community Colleges and Universities. **(Please see form on website for a more complete list of activities). Due December 1 and April 1**

## **PENNE FERRELL FUND**

This Chi State Award is named in memory of a member whose bequest funds the project. To qualify for this award, a teacher must be in her first through third year of teaching and not be a member of Delta Kappa Gamma. The award finances the cost of books for a classroom library or to support a classroom curriculum project. **Due December 1**

The Chi State website [www.chistateca.org](http://www.chistateca.org) has all of the forms and in some cases more explanation. This compilation is to provide information about all of the awards in one place.