

Louisiana Alpha Delta Kappa 2022-2024 Biennium Report

Scholarship Committee Report

The Scholarship Committee began with the goal of getting more applicants for our state scholarships in mind. That goal was achieved.

With the help of our State President, the four members of the committee met via ZOOM on several occasions.

Patricia Gray, Beth Thomas of Beta Mu and Mavis Landry and Jane Crews of Alpha Alpha, and State President Leslie Koenck brainstormed ideas to reach the goal. A promotion campaign was designed to place ads in the state newsletter to lead members to the information about our scholarships on our website. Presentations were prepared for the state leadership workshops during the summer. Our theme was FREE MONEY. Patricia created fake bills with contact information to distribute to workshop participants.

Promotion for the Mildred McCormick Scholarship was done through contacts with chapter presidents. Particular attention was given to chapters with a history of providing their own scholarships to local students.

Promotion for the Agnes Miller Scholarship was more through the state newsletter and urging sisters to submit applications for other sisters. Enthusiasm for using FREE MONEY was key to pushing individuals to apply.

Our work was successful. We have an ongoing recipient for the Mildred McCormick Scholarship, and three sisters received Agnes Miller Scholarships in the spring.

In working through our review of the application forms, some modifications were made to the documents to update them.

Further work to be done will include trying to recreate an archive of past scholarship recipients. These records were lost in the flood of 2016.

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