

**COLORADO STATE ORGANIZATION**  
**The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International**  
**Spring Executive Board Meeting Official Call: Saturday, March 21, 2026**  
**Courtyard by Marriott Denver, Golden/Red Rocks**  
**14700 W. 6<sup>th</sup> Ave. Frontage Road, Golden CO 80401; Phone 303-271-0776**

To: Voting Members: The Colorado State Executive Team (includes Elected State Officers, Appointed Personnel, and Immediate Past State President), additional members of the Executive Board including Past State Presidents, all current Chapter Presidents, and State Team Leaders. Also invited are the following non-voting members: State Team Members, all DKG members statewide, and guests.

From: CO State President: Dr. Laura Kuniansky [laurafromdurango@gmail.com](mailto:laurafromdurango@gmail.com)  
CO State Treasurer: Lilly Vigil [cmcerl@msn.com](mailto:cmcerl@msn.com)  
CO State Executive Secretary: Beth Barzdukas [barzdukas@live.com](mailto:barzdukas@live.com)

- **The Spring Executive Board Meeting will be held Saturday, March 21, 2026, at the Courtyard Denver Golden Red Rocks, 14700 W. 6<sup>th</sup> Ave. Frontage Road, Golden CO 80401. Phone: 303-271-0776.** All guests booked directly through the group code will receive overnight comped parking and breakfast coupon. Those who commute on Saturday morning will also receive free parking.
- Check-in will be from 8:30-9:00 am.
- Welcome/call to order at 9:00 am.
- The meeting will run from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm.

**This meeting will be a hybrid meeting.**

Since attendance at some of our executive board meetings has, at times, been difficult due to the weather, we are offering two choices for this meeting, (1) regular face to face meeting at the hotel as we have always done or (2) Zoom meeting online for which a Zoom link will be sent to your email address. **Zoom link will be sent to you by Heidi Ragsdale, webmaster, after your registration is received.**

**Lodging:** A block of rooms has been reserved for our use on Friday, March 20, 2026 and Saturday, March 21, 2026 The rate per room is \$129 plus tax of 13.5% totaling \$146.41 for either a king or double queen room. **Breakfast is included in the room rate.** When you register at the hotel, you will have a breakfast coupon applied to your guest room reservation and the reservation team will have a list of names of those who are eligible for the free breakfast. If you desire a pet friendly room, pet-friendly rooms are available at the Residence Inn next door to the Courtyard, 14600 W. 6th Ave. Frontage Road, Golden CO 80401, a sister hotel to the Courtyard.

Please make your own reservation either by calling the hotel at 303-271-0776 or online at [Book online Delta Kappa Gamma](#) Deadline for room registration is **February 14, 2026.**

As per the contract with the Courtyard, the following statement must be included in this communication: *Incidental charges (e.g. room service, gift shop charges and in-room entertainment fees) will be the responsibility of each individual guest. At the time of check-in, each guest will be required to present a major credit card, on which Hotel may place a hold or process a prepayment in the amount of the guest's estimated charges. Group shall notify its guests of this policy.*

The lunch will be an Italian Buffet. Registrants will go through the buffet line and choose from these offerings: Cost includes lunch, beverage, service charge and tax. (Contract with the Courtyard states that no food be brought into the meeting room unless it is from a licensed caterer who has paid the Courtyard use fees in advance.)

Spaghetti & Penne Noodles \* Marinara with all Beef Meatballs \* Alfredo with Grilled Chicken \* Green Salad and Dressing \* Garlic Bread \* Fresh Baked Chocolate Chip Cookies  
(Vegetarian options available)

Lunch cost includes one entrée plus salad, bread, cookie plus Bottled Water, Assorted Canned Soft Drinks, Assorted Hot Tea /Hot Water, and Starbucks Coffee which will be replenished throughout the day.

In deciding on whether or not to attend in person, please consider the following:

1. Purpose #1: To unite women educators... in a genuine spiritual fellowship;
2. Current weather conditions.
3. Business to be discussed, including hosting the 2026 International Convention at the Gaylord in Aurora.
4. Your Zoom access and whether this type of meeting fits your needs or lifestyle.
5. Team (committee) work you may need/want to do.
6. The state organization will owe \$500 plus AV charges by contract if the Food and Beverage minimum of \$1200 is not met.

**FRIENDLY REMINDER:** Please send Webmaster, Heidi Ragsdale, any PowerPoints and any projected presentation materials members want to project on screen for reports electronically to Heidi at [stemismyfuture@gmail.com](mailto:stemismyfuture@gmail.com) no later than **March 5, 2026**.

**If you or your team plan to submit a motion or a proposal for a motion, please contact Beth or Laura by February 15, 2026. Any proposal will be attached to a second email with further details of CALL information along with the minutes of the last meeting and upcoming meeting agenda. Minutes are also attached to this email as well.**

**Please share the Call, Registration Form and Hotel Information with your state Team Members and chapter members. Only the voting members will receive the CALL from the executive secretary, so please forward this document to all.**

All information is available on the state website.

**Questions? Call Laura Kuniansky at (970) 799-8056, Lilly Vigil at (970) 409-9312, or Beth Barzdukas at (970) 518-1066. We hope to see you there!**

**Cancellations: Registration** fees for in-house face-to-face meeting may be refunded if an attendee becomes ill or is otherwise unable to attend. After March 1, food/lunch costs cannot be refunded. Please contact Lilly Vigil for cancellations. **Zoom attendees' registration fees cannot be refunded.**

