

# Golden Gate Anchor Line

SAN FRANCISCO ALUMNAE

FALL 2010

## HIGHLIGHTS:

- We received the Outstanding Alumnae Chapter Award for Region 8
- We received the Five Points of the Star Award
- We are ranked 8th in the nation for Service for Sight hours

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## Captain's Call

Natasha Quel, Zeta Epsilon

Summer is quickly flying by and the fall is just around the corner. Late summer and early fall is an exciting time for the San Francisco Delta Gamma Chapter. We have our *Fall Kick-Off BBQ* and *DG at the Ball Park* plus much more. As you continue to read the newsletter you will hear about upcoming events and ways to volunteer to support the Foundation.

Several officers and members of the local chapter were able to attend convention this biennium in Denver. The San Francisco Chapter was recognized both at the regional level with *Outstanding Alumnae Chapter in Region 8* plus nationally with the *Five Points of the Star Award*. These two awards capture the core rea-

son we have been so successful –because of you! You have not only been supportive by paying your local dues, but also by participating in our social events, helping us build our community service hours, and raising money for local groups within San Francisco. Thank you for your support and helping us to be recognized as one of the top alumnae chapters around the world.

Our chapter is in good standing with our local membership ending last year at 75 members. This year we hope to increase our membership to 85 local members and can only achieve this goal with your help! I would

like to personally thank all of those who have paid their local dues this year. For those of you who have paid your Per Cap Dues to Executive Offices, “thank you” for upholding your commitment to Delta Gamma. If you have not found the time yet to pay your dues, I hope you take a minute to do so today.

In conclusion, I wanted to say it has been wonderful to meet many of you and make a personal connection. It has been great to serve you as president and I hope you are happy with what the board and I have been doing. Please feel free to contact me anytime if you have questions or concerns at: [sfdgpresident@gmail.com](mailto:sfdgpresident@gmail.com)  
ITB,  
Natasha Quel



## UC Berkeley Collumnae Report

**Jaclyn Dunne, Delta Chi**

Recruitment is rapidly approaching for the women of Gamma chapter at UC Berkeley. As many of you remember, recruitment is a busy time and goes smoothly with extra help. The women of Gamma would like to ask for your support through volunteer work and/or donations. Recruitment dates are set for Saturday, August 28th, Sunday, August 29th, Tuesday, August 31st, and Wednesday, September 1st. If you have some time to spare and would like to volunteer during recruitment or would like to make a donation to the chapter, please contact Jaclyn Dunne at [jaclyndunne@gmail.com](mailto:jaclyndunne@gmail.com). Thank you for your support!



Whitney Weaver volunteering her time on the Service for Site project benefiting Prevent Blindness Northern California.



SCU & UC Berkeley collegians & SF Alumnae at Convention.

## Foundation Focus

**Whitney Weaver, Delta Rho**

I am thrilled to announce that our chapter is ranked 8th in the nation among alumnae chapters for Service for Sight hours! This wouldn't have been possible without your commitment to our Fraternity and our motto to "Do Good"! We hope to see you at many more upcoming foundation events.

## SCU Collumnae Report

**Kristina Salcido, Zeta Epsilon**

For the women of Zeta Epsilon at Santa Clara University, recruitment starts slightly later in the fall. Recruitment dates have been set for Tuesday, October 5th, Wednesday, October 6th, Saturday, October 9th, Sunday, October 10th, and Monday, October 11th. If you have some free time in early October and would like to volunteer during Zeta Epsilon's recruitment or make a donation, then please contact Kristina Salcido at [salcidok@hotmail.com](mailto:salcidok@hotmail.com). The women of Zeta Epsilon appreciate your support!



Our first Mommy & Me event was a success! Allison Dent Curletto & Patti Baird took their children to the SF Zoo. Pictured above, from left to right, are Alessandro, Ava, Bettina, Matthew, & Jon Thomas at the Family Farm.

## Join Us Today!

**Brittany Barr, Gamma Kappa**



Our chapter had an incredible year in 2009-2010! Thank you to all of the committed Delta Gammas who paid their dues and helped us to accomplish our goals for the year!

We have just begun a new fiscal year and are accepting dues payments for 2010-2011. In previous years, we've collected your Per Capita Dues and sent them to Executive Offices (EO) on your behalf; however Delta Gamma Executive Offices has changed the dues structure this year and will only accept Per Capita Dues directly from you. This means that your Alumnae dues payment for this academic year (July 2010-June 2011) will only go towards the San Francisco Alumnae Chapter.

Your dues go towards alumnae group operating expenses including fundraisers and philanthropic activities, social activities, convention & seminar fees, yearly fees and assessments for alumnae chapters, website maintenance, mailings, printing costs, and other miscellaneous overhead expenses. Dues paid members also have exclusive privileges to attend member only events!

Our chapter utilizes a tiered dues structure comprised of three membership levels. The minimum dues payment this year has been decreased to \$25.00. Any money contributed above this amount is greatly appreciated, but not required. Please feel free to pay at any level you choose.

We are continuing to extend a special discounted rate to our 2010 graduates. Recent graduates are entitled to a discounted dues rate of \$18.73 for the year. We look forward to introducing you to the life of an alumna.

- Bronze: \$55+
- Pink: \$40 - \$54
- Blue: \$25 - \$39
- NEW Graduates: \$18.73 (in recognition of our founding year)

We will accept dues payments via paypal or check. To pay via paypal, visit our website at [www.sfdg.org](http://www.sfdg.org) to find the "Pay Your Dues" link on our home page. Once you have made your payment, please complete a dues form and send it via email to Brittany Barr at [sfdgfinance@gmail.com](mailto:sfdgfinance@gmail.com) and Tina Jones at [sfdgmembership@gmail.com](mailto:sfdgmembership@gmail.com). For your convenience, we have attached a dues form with this newsletter.

To pay via check, please contact Brittany Barr at [sfdgfinance@gmail.com](mailto:sfdgfinance@gmail.com) for the payment address. Please print and complete a dues form and send along with your payment.

Your dues make a difference and are crucial for maintaining a healthy San Francisco Chapter. Please fulfill the pledge you made as an initiate of Delta Gamma and help your local alumnae chapter by paying your dues today!





**Mark Your  
Calendars!**

**August 2010:**

**Thursday, August 19th, 7pm - August Book Club:**

Come join us as we discuss *The Thirteenth Tale* by Diane Setterfield.

**Thursday, August 26th, 6pm - Happy Hour:**

Come relax after work at Tommy's on Geary street for happy hour with other fellow Delta Gammass.

**September 2010:**

**Thursday, September 9th, 12pm - Lunch Get Together Downtown:**

Sneak away from work for an hour to relax and enjoy lunch with friends.

**Sunday, September 19th, 12pm - Fall BBQ/New Member Welcome:**

Join us for our annual welcome back BBQ. This is a great chance to catch up with friends, meet new alumnas, and enjoy some sunshine in the park.

**Wednesday, September 29th, 6pm - Sports Sailing Event:**

Set sail with DG! Our new sports subgroup is excited to head out on the water and learn about sailing in the bay.

**October 2010:**

**Sunday, October 3rd, 1:05pm - Giants Game:**

Back by popular demand, we will be coordinating another Delta Gamma, Bay Area Giants Game get together. Join us as we watch the Giants take on the San Diego Padres.

**Sunday, October 10th, Mommy & Me Pumpkin Patch Event:**

Looking for something fun for the kids to do? Join us at the pumpkin patch to find the best and biggest pumpkins for Halloween.

**Wednesday, October 13th - October Book Club**

Book selection TBA. Do you have book suggestions? Email them to Andrea Buccine at [abuccine@gmail.com](mailto:abuccine@gmail.com).

**Thursday, October 28th - Halloween Trolley Crawl & Fundraiser**

Break out your best Halloween costume for our annual Halloween Trolley Crawl!

**November 2010:**

**Sunday, November 7th - East Bay Wine Tasting Event**

Join us for wine tasting at Dashe Cellars and JC Cellars in Jack London Square in East Bay.

**Sunday, November 14th, 12pm - Sports Subgroup Mountain Biking at Angel Island**

**Friday, November 19th, 6pm - DeYoung Friday Night Soiree**

\*We are still completing our fall 2010 calendar. Please look for further details (time & location) on our evites that are sent out by email or check out our website at [www.sfdg.org](http://www.sfdg.org)

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