

CHAPTER IDEAS FOR WORLD FELLOWSHIP DONATIONS

World Fellowship Workshop

DKG Iowa State Convention, June 2023

IOTA CHAPTER—

- At each meeting we have a theme to collect change and put it in a globe bank.
- We have invited UNI Grant students to meetings.
- Designate \$1.00 per member from dues to add to what we collect in the bank.
- WF Chair speaks about world education topic at each meeting.
- We have provided scholarships when possible to female educators that are asking to share in their future endeavors (i.e., teaching in India).
- We have a very active and robust WF activities director. She does a phenomenal job at creating connections for all (related activities) during our meetings.

XI CHAPTER—

- Have short reports at each meeting from WF Chair. Tell facts about recipients.
- Assessments with dues, ethnic food meal, and pay for the privilege of eating.
- Care packages to recipients assembled at meeting.
- Garage sale to raise money for WF.

BETA CHAPTER—

- We have done a meal provided by officers, then everyone pays a donation to eat. The funds go to WF.
- The group made greeting cards and then sent them to each of the (WF) women with personal notes of encouragement.

ALPHA PI CHAPTER—

- Silent auction at our Christmas brunch—items brought by members that are “giftable”. Chapter members bid on them and proceeds are used for WF and other special funds.
- (Donating) any loose change in your wallet, voting for your favorite “banned” book, using coins for valuing letters of your name (like Scrabble), filling a jar or container and guessing the amount, etc.

ALPHA CHAPTER—

- (I think) our dues have a portion/support for national and world (DKG) activities.
- Gift cards and notes of encouragement (to WF recipients), such as gift cards for Starbucks.
- Money contributions.

CHI CHAPTER—

- Yearly budgeted donation to support WF.
- Provide addresses of WF recipients.

ETA CHAPTER—

- WF Committee has made a presentation about WF.
- We collect for WF two times per year.
- We provided funds to a WF student who needed additional funds to cover her unpaid educational costs.

NOTE: We have 2 collegiate members in our chapter who have been (former) recipients.

ALPHA OMEGA CHAPTER—

- Having a collection at a meeting, i.e., an amount of money, such as 10 cents, for every state to which you have traveled.
- Having a No-Bake Bake Sale.

ALPHA IOTA CHAPTER—

- Members have a choice to donate \$5 when they pay (chapter) dues.
- Having a fund raiser, i.e., have worked at Pizza Ranch for % of sales plus tips.
- Silent Auction at meeting with items donated by members.
- Send cards including gift cards to scholarship recipients.

ALPHA NU CHAPTER—

- Raise funds with auction of items brought to meeting, such as at November meeting to buy for Christmas, etc.--“Make it, Bake it, (Fake it), or Buy it”. The bidding is lively and very competitive.

MU CHAPTER—

- Held Zoom meeting with International WF recipient. Then, played Left/Right/Center, and the winner’s monies were contributed to WF.

NU ALPHA GAMMA CHAPTER—

- Send cards of encouragement (to WF recipients).
- Send gift cards, such as \$10 Casey’s cards.
- Sent CoVid masks in their school’s colors.
- We have a line in our budget (for WF).

ZETA CHAPTER—

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-Monthly WF collection basket.

--No pin? No shirt? Pay \$1 to WF. (Comment—This sounds interesting?)

ALPHA PHI CHAPTER--

-(With a decrease in membership, we have not been able to provide much support as in past years, but we hope to improve this situation by adding some new members.)

ALPHA OMEGA CHAPTER—

-Whatever change with you at meeting donated to WF.

-Have a set line item in budget of chapter.

-(Special) donations at meetings—i.e., if you wore a certain color, etc.

-Pass a sock to collect donations.

-Other idea: have a list of 30 days of activities to do, and if you do them, pay the amount of money listed for that day. At end of month bring the collected monies and add to chapter WF container. Each member gets a sheet to follow and a “cup” to collect monies. Bring filled “cup” to next monthly meeting.

Examples: If you took a walk today, add a dime.

If you drank 8 glasses of water today, add a quarter.

If you took time to read a book today, add a nickel.

All proceeds go to WF.

-Have a monetary coin attached to each day of the month to donate, with coin amounts repeated more than once,

ALPHA PI CHAPTER—

-Members make donations.

GAMMA CHAPTER—

-We have a WF piggy bank out at each meeting for donations. Sometimes we designate a specific coin to donate, such as all nickels in your purse, etc. (Of course, this is optional as to how much you want to donate.)

-At the end of the year, members designate a final donation, rounded up from the monthly donations, with money added from the Chapter treasury to complete our annual donation.

FINAL NOTE: Thanks to all who participated in the WF Workshop and provided so many interesting ideas for increasing donations to the WF fund. If you have questions about any of the suggestions, please contact the chapter’s president for more information.

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