

The 3 R's: Rethink, Revise, and Revitalize

From ASO President Cathy Toney:

Hope you had a wonderful Thanksgiving! I know I did. The following areas are some important reminders for your chapters:

- **Communication:**

It is very important that all members can receive information from ASO and from International. We need **all** members to check that we have a current email address. They can login to MyDKG on the International website to see if their individual information is correct. Chapter presidents, please check with all your members. This may be done at a chapter meeting.

- **Communication formats:**

ASO Executive Committee is looking at different formats to communicate with all members. We would like to send any information to all members at one time. This is a goal of the executive committee. Right now, we send information to chapter presidents who then must turn around and send it to chapter members.

- **Chapter presidents:**

Please be sure to send in *Form 6 Report Of Death of a Member* form soon as possible. This keeps our records up to date.

- **New officers:**

Your chapter nomination committee will need to be working to get new officers now. Election of officers should happen by February. New officers should be encouraged to attend area meetings. There will be sessions available for training new officers.

Wishing you a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!



From Your Editor:

Don't forget to please send pictures and/or news about your chapters to your ASO Editor for the newsletter. The upcoming January issue of ARNews is perfect to showcase pictures of parties, events, and really anything letting others know about your chapters!

Please send them! I will need the news/pictures by December 15th if possible.

Thanks in advance! Your phone pictures work fine. My contact information is listed below.

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Send comments and questions to:
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Dates to Remember and Deadlines:

- * **February 1, May 1, September 1** Applications for Cornet Professional Development Award deadlines (dkgef.org)
- * **April 1, November 1** Annual deadlines for submitting applications for the Agatha Prator Grant
- * **March 9, 2024** Area 1 meeting, First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall, Clarksville, AR
- * **April 13, 2024** Area 4 meeting, location TBA
- * **April 20, 2024** Area 2 meeting, Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church, Benton, AR
- * **April 27, 2024** Area 3 meeting, location TBA
- * **June 30, December 1** Annual deadlines for submitting applications for the Arkansas State Organization Scholarship