

# Buzz Through December!

## Here's Your "Tip" of the Month

The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International~For Key Women Educators

December 2008

## Consider 2009 Regionals

Plan to attend one of five regional conferences during the 2009 summer. These are International meetings for all members and offer inspiring speakers, outstanding workshops and a great opportunity to network with colleagues around the world.

**Southwest Regional Conference**—July 8-11 Reno, Nevada, John Ascuaga's Nugget

**Southeast Regional Conference**—July 15-18 Little Rock, Arkansas, The Peabody

**Northeast Regional Conference**—July 22-25 Burlington, Vermont, Sheraton Burlington Hotel and Conference Center



## Share Heritage and Society Data

The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International was organized May 11, 1929, in Austin, Texas. Dr. Annie Webb Blanton and eleven other women educators believed there was a need to unite women educators in an effort to recognize the important work of women in the field of education as well as to provide scholarships for those needing aid in improving their professional preparation.

The Society currently has a membership of more than

**Northwest Regional Conference**—July 29-August 1, Portland, Oregon, Red Lion Hotel on the River, Jantzen Beach

**Europe Regional Conference**—August 5-8, Oslo, Norway

Have you thought about presenting a professional or personal workshop at a regional conference? You will never have a more supportive audience than Delta Kappa Gamma members, for they want only your success. You can find the "Regional Conference Workshop Proposal Form" on the Society website: [deltakappagamma.net/downloads/Forms and Applications/Forms with Deadlines](http://deltakappagamma.net/downloads/Forms%20and%20Applications/Forms%20with%20Deadlines)

114,000 members in 16 member countries around the world including the United States (1929), Canada (1952), Norway (1970), Sweden (1972), Mexico (1974), Finland (1974), Guatemala (1975), Iceland (1975), The Netherlands (1976), Puerto Rico (1976), Great Britain (1977), El Salvador (1978), Costa Rica (1980), Germany (1992), Denmark (2007) and Estonia (2008).

**Do you have your "elevator speech"?**

## Buzz Grows As Members Respond

The Word is Out! The BUZZ is catching on! Spread the Word! Comments have been quite positive regarding the "Tip of the Month" posted on The Delta Kappa Gamma website. Comments like "What a great idea!" and "Keep it up!" have been encouraging to this new method of communication. You can "bee" part of the action!

There are some specific points to remember in creating a BUZZ. You have to have something worth spreading. "Buzz" about exciting chapter activities and projects, or highlight a member's accomplishments. When posting information on your website or creating a BUZZ by word of mouth, be sure that it is accurate and up-to-date information. Readers are going to continue to look for the BUZZ. You can help get the word out. Share the BUZZ with all your members. Reviewing the history and information about the Society is another great way to spread the word.



**Share your ideas on "buzzing"!**



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