



**Phi Beta Kappa Alumni Association of
Western Texas and Eastern New Mexico**
www.TTU.edu/PhiBetaKappa

November 2008

Hello!

You are cordially invited to the annual meeting of your Phi Beta Kappa Alumni Association of Western Texas and Eastern New Mexico

Sunday, December 7 at 2:00 p.m.
Texas Tech University/Lubbock
TTU Main Library/Croslin Library
www.LubbockMap.com or www.TTU.edu/CampusMap

We look forward to welcoming you into our fellowship, finding out about your interests/accomplishments and celebrating Phi Beta Kappa Alumni Association accomplishments – including our enthusiastic acceptance of invitations to participate in a variety of inspiring, informative and fun events sponsored by the Lambda of Texas Phi Beta Kappa chapter sheltered by faculty at TTU.

If you are planning to attend the annual meeting, please let me know (Alice.White@TTU.edu or 806-742-1480, x. 261) so that we may have plenty of refreshments and handouts for you. To be respectful of your time, we plan to start the annual meeting promptly at 2:00 pm. Plan to stay a while afterwards to socialize with members present.

We hope you will be proud of your Phi Beta Kappa Alumni Association's **accomplishments** throughout its 15-year history – made possible by PBKs' love of learning, leadership service, active participation and financial generosity through dues and donations

- Fulfillment of our Alumni Association's dream: the 2007 installation of the Lambda of Texas Phi Beta Kappa chapter at TTU (www.depts.TTU.edu/PhiBetaKappa)
- Personalized PBK keys for 2008 inductees and PBK stoles or honor cords for 2007 inductees who attended the 2008 induction reception
- High School Academic Excellence Awards of \$500, \$300 and \$200 to three area high school juniors
- \$14,000+ scholarship endowment for TTU College of Arts and Sciences student(s)
- \$43,150 matching-grant endowment supporting our High School Academic Excellence Award
- Academically invigorating public presentations by visiting Phi Beta Kappa Society officers/scholars
- PBK Alumni gatherings in San Angelo, Odessa and Midland
- Attractive, awareness-building, floor- or table-standing banner displayed at PBK, community and university events
- Informational Web site at www.TTU.edu/PhiBetaKappa
- Friend-to-friend and colleague-to-colleague fellowship among us members

If you are a Life Member of our Alumni Association, thank you! If you are an annual or prospective member, it is time to pay your **2008-2009** or **Lifetime dues** to support the exciting programs and worthwhile services of the PBK Alumni Association of Western Texas and Eastern New Mexico. This can also be a convenient time to update your contact information, make donations or volunteer to be of service to our Alumni Association. Please complete and return the lower portion/information section on the back side of this letter and return it to me at your convenience.

I hope to see or hear from you soon!

With friendship, admiration and appreciation,

Alice V. White, PhD
President
Phi Beta Kappa Alumni Association of Western Texas and Eastern New Mexico

Thank you for allowing us **2007-2009 officers and board members** to be of service to you and our Alumni Association: Alice V. White/Lubbock, President; Alison Gail Myhra/Lubbock; Daniel Lee Brannon/Abilene; Daniel Lee Hurst/Lubbock; Edward L. Quitevis/Lubbock; Edward Spence/Lubbock, Treasurer; J.T. Tillpaugh/Odessa; Jennifer Ellis Snead/Lubbock, Secretary; Marisue P. Smith/Lubbock; Mary Jane Gaines Hurst/Lubbock; Michelle M. Grable/Amarillo; Patsy "Pat" Nunley/Lubbock; Robert "Rob" H. Posteraro/Lubbock; Virginia Louise Downs/Lubbock; William "Bill" Felton/Lubbock, Vice President

Special appreciation goes to **19 Life Members**: Alice V. White/Lubbock; Duncan Kinnear Fischer/San Angelo; Harris Bennet Bechtol/Pasadena, CA; Janet Winecoff Perez/Lubbock; John Baldwin/Lubbock; Margaret Goerke/Fort Davis; Mary Kay Holmes Snell/Amarillo; Monty Strauss/Lubbock; Peggy Nichols McFarland Nash/Midland; Preveen Kurapart Reddy/Midland; Rebecca Bentsen Phillips/Amarillo; Richard Lawrence Franklin/Pampa; Rick Rosen/Lubbock; Robert "Rob" Posteraro/Lubbock; Rosslyn Mynatt Smith/Lubbock; Rufus James Mark/Lubbock; Sandra Dee Dickerson/Lubbock; Steven Lee Berk/Lubbock; William "Bill" Felton Jr./Lubbock. **46 Annual/2007-2008 members**: Alison Gail Myhra/Lubbock; Annette Louise Wilson Marple/Lubbock; Carolee McEnany Bullen/Artesia, NM; Clarke E. Cochran/Lubbock; Daniel K. Brannan/Abilene; Daniel Lee Hurst/Lubbock; Diana Davids Hinton/Midland; Diane Goodwin Pierce/Fort Worth; Don Griffiths/San Angelo; Edward Britton Spence/Lubbock; Edward Leon Quitevis/Lubbock; Eleanor "Lee" Persons Hays/San Angelo; Elmer "Art" Addington, II/Lubbock; Frederick B. Fowler/Midland; Gregory W. Bartha/Midland; Hannelore Spence/Lubbock; James "Jim" Roy Clopton/Lubbock; Jean E. Verlich/Clovis, NM; Jennifer Ellis Snead/Lubbock; Jerry Franks/Midland; John Marshall Orem/Shallowater; J.T. Tillapaugh/Odessa; Judith G. Flanders/Borger; Kenneth Nugent/Lubbock; Lucille Lehman Glasgow/Petrolia; Marisue P. Smith/Lubbock; Mary Jane Gaines Hurst/Lubbock; Michael Anthony Vandehey/Wichita Falls; Michelle E. Grable/Amarillo; Nancy D. Barr/Lubbock; Patsy "Pat" C. Nunley/Lubbock; Rebeka Nicole Nix/Odessa; Richard Quade/Lubbock; Penelope W. Coates/Lubbock; Robert Jason John Rush Pierce Jr./Fort Worth; Roderick Evans Wetsel/Sweetwater; Stacia K. Wolfe Lusby/Amarillo; Susan Mundt Barrick/Lubbock; Susan San Francisco/Lubbock; Terry Calvin McMahon/Lubbock; Todd Hardy Richardson/Odessa; Veronica Ann Dye Johnson/Midland; Virginia Louise Downs/Lubbock; Virginia Shapoe Hebermehl/Borger; William "Bill" Poirer/Lubbock; the late William "Bill" Taylor Patterson; and all **generous donors!**

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Update your contact information, pay your dues, make donations or volunteer to be of service to your PBK Alumni Association. Please complete and return this section (except where otherwise indicated) to
 Alice V. White, 403 Topeka, Lubbock, Texas 79416-4906
 Many thanks!

1. Your contact information

Your full name, academic degree(s), certifications, specialties, etc.:

Year and name of university/college where you were inducted into The Phi Beta Kappa Society (your membership #, if readily available):

Your e-mail address, please – so that we may keep in e-touch – minimizing postage costs:

Your preferred US mailing address with street address or P.O. Box; City and zip code:

2. Leadership-service opportunities in our Alumni Association Please circle all opportunities you are interested in:

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| Officer | Board Member | Committee Member |
| | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mentor for Lambda of Texas PBK Member • PBK Visiting Scholar program • Special Events in your geographical area • High School Academic Excellence Award • Other: Please explain. |

3. Financial opportunities – that will provide our Alumni Association with resources to offer more services and to be of more service Please circle all opportunities you are interested in and enclose/mail your check, as indicated:

- 2008-2009 Annual Membership @\$10.00; Life Membership @\$150.00; or High School Academic Excellence Award @\$500.00 (includes Life Membership)
- High School Academic Excellence Award **donation only**: Please help us raise at least \$6,850.00 before February 28, 2009 – in order to receive a matching grant of \$25,000.00 from the CH Foundation (through its Challenge-Grant agreement with the Lubbock Area Foundation). Make your check payable to the "Lubbock Area Foundation" (with a "PBK Alumni endowment" note somewhere on your check) & mail it directly to the Lubbock Area Foundation, 1655 Main Street, Lubbock, Texas 79401. With your generosity, our \$43,150.00 HSAEA endowment can grow to \$50,000.00 by February 28 and thus can qualify for the \$25,000.00 matching grant (bringing the total HSAEA endowment to \$75,000.00 – providing sufficient annual earnings for additional awards and/or higher-dollar awards to our winners.
- Your donation for the TTU/College of Arts & Sciences Academic Achievement Scholarship endowment @\$_____
- Your donation for PBK Alumni projects (e.g., personalized PBK keys for Lambda inductees @\$30.00; mailings to 900+ members/prospects; outreach materials such as table display, brochures, table cloth, ribbons, mementos, etc.) @\$_____