



July 2024 Newsletter

New Website Open!

Thank you, thank you, thank you to Mary Donald, Judi Sigfried, and Ben Dresbach at Interpixel/WordPress for getting our new website up and running! It looks wonderful! This site will require your email address or P.E.O. member number as your username and a password that you create yourself. If you have not yet signed on to the website, go to peoalabama.org, click on Members, and type in your email address or P.E.O. member number. Then click on “Reset my password” or “Lost my password.” You will then receive an email containing a link to set your password. Then sign on to the site and enjoy it!

Please keep in mind that the new website is a work in progress. Our excellent technology team is constantly working to update old material and add new information. If you see something that needs to be changed/updated/deleted, click on the Contact Us button and send the committee your suggestions. (You will find the Contact Us button on the sign-in page and under State Board.)

Technology Committee Members Needed

Speaking of the excellent technology committee, we are always looking for interested sisters to join us. If you are familiar with websites, Facebook postings, email, and other technology-related topics and would like to volunteer your services, please send your name and contact information to Elaine at elaine.bassett.peo@gmail.com.

Project Committee Chairs

Some of our chapters have not yet submitted the local project committee chairs on the international website. Each of the state project committees need that information so that they can share with you all the news coming from International. Please double-check that your chapter has indeed submitted this important information. Even if you have the same chair as last year, that needs to be updated as well. If you have any problems, contact your Board Buddy for assistance.

Yearbooks

Don't forget that yearbooks were due June 15. If you have not submitted yours yet, you may send an electronic copy to all state officers and a hard copy to our secretary, Chery Williams. You will find the addresses on our new website under State Board! (Of course, they should be in your yearbook, too!)

Welcome New Members!

Alabama is growing! The following new initiates have been reported: Lynn Carter, B/Birmingham; Barbara Cheatham and Stephanie Hudson, C/Mobile; Donna Garlotte, Cathy Irby, and Tracy Varnadore, H/Mobile; Carla Burger, Katy Ripley, Lisa Kale, Q/Decatur; and Patty Evans and Terri Goodwin, AG/Foley. Kim McMillan has transferred to Chapter AP/Gadsden from IS/WA! Welcome to all of our new sisters! May you feel the love of sisterhood.

In Sympathy

The following sisters have left us and joined Chapter Eternal: Julie Breeden, B/Birmingham; Carol Collier, D/Birmingham; and Ann Andrews, G/Montgomery. Our sympathy is extended to these chapters.

We wish each of you a happy 4th of July! Enjoy and appreciate the freedom we all have in this wonderful country. And remember that the country is full of other women, P.E.O.s, who share the same values, objects, and aims as you. Together, we make the nation a singularly beautiful place to live, loving and serving each other!

Lovingly, Elaine, Cel, Paige, Nancy, and Chery

For you were called to freedom, [sisters]. Only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for the flesh, but through love serve one another.

---Galatians 5:13