

Delta Delta Sigma

Pre-Dental Honor Society

OPEN CHAPTER
January 28th, 2024
6:15 PM



Mark your Calendars!

Take your name tag on the way in!

Chapter Meetings for the Semester:

February 4th, 2024

February 11th, 2024

ZOOM(5:30-6:30pm)

March 24th, 2024

April 7th, 2024

All meetings will take place in DMSB 134

from 6:15-7:45pm

Ice Breaker Time!

Find Someone Who....

- Each round you will have 30 seconds to find someone who fits the description!
- Try to find someone who does not already has a match!
- Feel free to reach and talk to new members! This is an opportunity to get to know other members!
- There will be 10 rounds! Each round find someone new.

**Welcome Dr. Gary
Bethea from Bethea
Family Dentistry!**



Reminders

All members are required:

- **3 Chapter Points**
- **1 Social point**
- **1 Service point**
- **2 Engagement point**

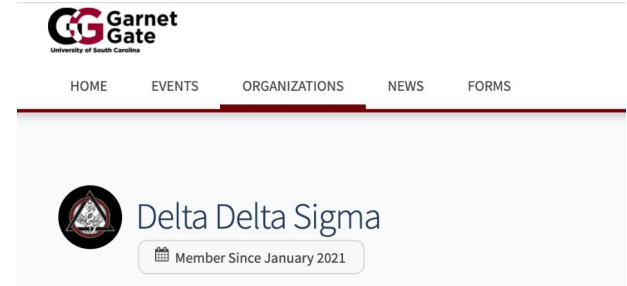
If you cannot fulfill these requirements, you will be put on probation or removed from this organization.

Request membership on Garnet Gate:

<https://garnetgate.sa.sc.edu/organization/deltadeltastigma>

For Graduating Seniors ONLY, request cords to Alexa Doyle by March 24th chapter! <https://forms.gle/qihLtVNbz1SDUBdS7>

VISIT <https://uofscdds.weebly.com>



Merch

Old merch

\$5 a piece

New Merch

[Link to Google Form](#)

Chapter Absent Excuse Form



https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScG0U9qTxVSSQyTzviwV_rgNkf0e0vdKZIKKJN7SQEXwOjB1g/viewform?usp=pp_url

If you have any time conflicts with chapter, please fill this out!

Due by TONIGHT!

Spring Semester Dues

- **February 4th, next chapter**, is the deadline for Spring Semester dues!
- \$30 due to Vir at virpatel2004@gmail.com on Zelle or to \$UofSCDDS1 on CashApp or cash in person
- There will be increase in 5\$ for every week it is late!



Accepted Students Panel

- Any senior who has recently got into dental school, we invite you to join a student panel about your experience on February 11th, 2024 chapter.
- This will take place on **zoom, from 5:30-6:30pm!**
- You will earn a chapter point and an engagement point for being a panelist!
- Questions will include about your entire dental school process.
- Sign up before February 10th!
- <https://forms.gle/S2nn53mekMntnMQT9>

New Engagement Point

- This will be a new point category to replace the flex/wellness point from last year.
- Also because there is only 3 chapter points now required, you will be required to attend 2 engagement points!
- It will include different dental, DEI, and Wellness events.
- **This is a point requirement** **not** just extra events!
- Every event will have a specific category (social, service, engagement) to fall under!

Big/Little Pairings

- All new members will get either a big or a little! Depending on grades, you may have a Gbig, a big, and a little.
- There will be more younger grades than older so you may have a few littles!
- Everyone will start to have a little family! Mentorship is HUGE for pre-dental students.
- Please start to build connections and know every member!
- We will try to match you based on mutual selections.

Planned Spring Events

Service Point Opportunities:

- Student Org Fair (01/25 from 11am-2pm)
- Ronald McDonald House Charities (02/21 from 11am-1pm)
- Harvest Hope (03/23 from 9am-12pm)
- The Big Service Event (03/30 from TBA)

Social Point Opportunities

- Tie-Dye (2/11 from 12-2pm)
- Soap Carving (02/23 from 12-2pm)
- Jewelry Making (2/26 from 4-6pm)
- Yoga @ strom (3/22 from @4pm)

NEW!!! Engagement Point Opportunities:

- Cookie Decorating (02/02 from 12-2pm)
- Dental Days; MUSC Pre-Dental Day (2/03 from 8-4pm)
- How-to-DAT? (02/07 @ 6pm)
- DCG Impressions Day (2/17 from 8-5pm)
- Jeopardy Game Night (2/17 @6pm)
- How-to-Application? (03/18 @ 6pm)
- Cultural Potluck (3/24 @5pm)

Questions or concerns regarding events?

Please reach out to:

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Spring Event Sign Up and Event Guide



Event Sign-Up



Event Guide

Member of the Week



- This is open for anyone to nominate other members!
- Each Sunday the MOW will be selected!
- If you are selected, you will receive information from DDS about information to post on the instagram and to get your little surprise!

Member of this Week-January 21st

Moya Shaw

She has not only has put her hardest work to be able become a dental student, and then the best dentist she can be, but she had done so much for DDS as a whole. We cannot even begin to say how much she allowed DDS to grow and flourish! We cannot wait to see all of your accomplishments in the year future!

We are so proud of you Moya!

Member of this Week-January 28th

Arlis Dawsey

Arlis is an absolute GEM! He is so kind and funny -- truly embodying what a successful DDS and future dental student is. He is so humble and hardworking and really deserves this shoutout! I love him and I don't know a single person who doesn't ADORE Arlis!

We are so proud of you Arlis!