



Delta Kappa Psi Alumnae

P.O. Box 8081

Redlands, California 92375

May 1, 2010

Dear Delta Sisters,

Sometimes a perfect moment occurs. Such is the case for the Delta Centennial and our opportunity to become involved in the University of Redlands Centennial Park project!

The University is planning a "passive pocket park" at the northeast corner of University Street and Citrus Avenue – the area immediately in front of you when you exit the freeway traveling east to Redlands on Interstate 10. The park is 75% privately funded to date and will dramatically enhance visitors' initial impressions as they approach the University.

The idea for the Centennial Park was actually conceived the year of the University's Centennial. Now it's the Delta Centennial and we have the opportunity to commemorate our 100 years of sisterhood by taking the funding of the project to the 100% mark! Aside from the correlation of the University Centennial to the Delta Centennial, the park is triangle shaped (yes, triangle shaped!) so how could the Deltas pass up the opportunity to be involved?

Members of the Delta Alumnae Executive Council and our Centennial Committee believe that this commemorative gift to the University is a fitting tribute to us being the oldest, continuously operating Greek organization at Redlands for an impressive 100 years. The Centennial Park would not only provide a living and lasting tribute to our amazing sisterhood, but once completed, would bear a commemorative plaque indicating Delta as a significant donor to the project.

Complete financing secured, construction of the park would begin immediately and be completed prior to the start of the 2010-11 academic year. We believe that we can make this happen in the usual Delta fashion of "right now" achievement if we give now and give as generously as possible. Thank you in advance for what you will do for our part in the Centennial Park project.

Sincerely,

Lori Hatfield, '80
President
Delta Alumnae Executive Council

Ann Halligan, '76
Centennial Chair
Delta Kappa Psi

Char Burgess, '69, '70
Vice President and Dean
Student Life
University Centennial Chair

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Redlands



CENTENNIAL PARK PROJECT

Name: _____
Address: _____
City, St, Zip: _____

Yes, I want to take part in the special fundraising effort in celebration of our Delta Centennial. I want to contribute to the university's new Centennial Park with my gift of \$_____.

___ My gift is enclosed. Please make checks payable to the University of Redlands.

___ Please charge my gift to: Visa American Express Discover MasterCard

Account # _____

Expiration Date _____

Security or I.D. # _____ AMEX - 4 digits on card front Visa, MasterCard, Discover - 3 digits on back

___ I plan to make my gift over time, making payments beginning ____/____/____. I want future payments scheduled:

Monthly Quarterly Semi-annually Annually

Please automatically charge my credit card on the schedule above.

Note: The first 50 donations of \$1,000 or more will be acknowledged with a gift of a piece of the traditional Delta engraved sterling silver flatware. You could receive a spoon (limited supply), fork, or ask that your piece be made into a pendant for wearing!

Signature

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Date

Contributions are tax deductible to the fullest extent allowed by law.
Thank you for your gift!



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May 25, 2010

Dear Delta Sisters,

Our fabulous Centennial Celebration attracted over 400 Deltas to campus earlier this month. Joyce Blayney Crawford, Class of 1945, claimed the lavender sweet pea for being the oldest Delta class member to attend the event. It was so impressive to see eight decades of Delta in attendance – from the 1940's through the 2010's – and have the majority of the current members with us as well.

Members of Delta Kappa Psi have a legacy of service to the University of Redlands. Our names are on buildings, many of our sisters have been on the University's boards and we have contributed to the education of over 100 women through our scholarships. Our service and support is reflected in a new motto being promoted at the University; Deltas are indeed "Bulldogs for Life". We remain connected, we attend university events, we help recruit students, we serve the community and we give back to our alma mater.

As a permanent remembrance of our proud 100 year history, we are now actively engaged in generating support for the University's new Centennial Park located at the corner of University St. and Citrus Ave. Situated directly across the street from the base of the University St. freeway off-ramp, this park will be the first image visitors will see as they come to campus. We had a great outpouring of support for the park during the luncheon. **Now, if we can generate a total of \$150,000 in gifts and pledges for the project, the University will change the name to Delta Centennial Park!** The park's triangle shape and unique location are the perfect combination to make this a wonderful opportunity for Delta Kappa Psi to be recognized for our unmatched history at the University. Please use the enclosed pledge form and reply envelope to make an outright gift or pledge. Every gift will help us create this lasting legacy in honor of our 100th anniversary.

As chairperson for the Delta Centennial, it was a privilege to see so many of my sisters come together, decade after decade, to visit and rekindle friendships and be a testament to the founding five sisters who chartered our sorority 100 years ago. I think they would have liked this party. Many thanks go to over 50 women who helped make the luncheon, the afternoon tea and our Sunday picnic so successful. To see photos from the event, please go to the Delta website at www.deltakappapsi.org.

Happy 100th Birthday, Delta Kappa Psi, and thanks to each of you for considering a contribution to the park as we look to our next 100 years!

Ann Halligan, '76
Delta Kappa Psi Centennial Chair

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