



# Chi Tribune

Editor: Donna IL-11-S

President: Deanna IL-35-G Vice-President: Kay IL-44-N Secretary: Donna IL-11-S

Miss Donna Martin  
P.O. Box 218  
Markham, Ill. 60426

## CHI'S NOVEMBER MEETING . . . . .

For our meeting last month we expected to be in the same motel we were in for our October meeting. However, we were advised that reconstruction work had progressed to the point that "there was no longer space available for our group." So, we made alternate arrangements to meet in a nearby motel, which would accommodate us. The new accommodations were wonderful, but cost just a little more than we had expected to pay. Although somewhat unexpected this month, increased cost for a larger meeting space will become more common in months to come as our Chapter continues to increase in membership. But, we want to continue to grow, so this is really a small price to pay for becoming bigger (and better).

We again had a large group in attendance for our monthly meeting: Karen IL-3-M, Joan IL-6-C and Pat, Mitzi IL-8-C, Donna IL-11-S, Linda IL-16-S, Betty Ann IL-17-A, Elaine IL-22-A, Sharon IL-25-H, Janna IL-28-P, Deanna IL-25-G, Kay IL-44-N, Maryann IL-203-B and Kathy, Helen IL-209-R, Naomi IL-212-O, Karen IL-216-P, Jean WI-3-S, Lois WI-13-V, Susan IO-1-I, Jana IO-201-T, and Elaine MI-16-W; Prospective members Karen, Julie, Lorna and Teri, and Lynn and Sandy; Special guests Ariadne Kane, and Angela (Cosmetologist).

Our meeting opened with a demonstration by Angela. Rather than Angela giving a general lecture, a number of our members volunteered(?) to have our expert Cosmetologist give a detailed critique using them as the subjects. This was quite beneficial to us all, since we could see both the good and bad points of each individual, while Angela explained how the good result was obtained or how to correct the problem areas. Our thanks to our good friend Angela for spending her time with us again, and we hope that our membership will patronize her shop (see card elsewhere in this issue).

Our President, Deanna, opened the formal part of our meeting by introducing the Chapter Officers, and our guests in attendance that evening: Ariadne Kane, Outreach Institute; and Elaine, Tri-Sigma Regional Coordinator for the Central Region of the Great Lakes Area. We were most appreciative of the general remarks from both Ari and Elaine, and hope that they will return as often as possible to see us.

Deanna and Elaine jointly advised that the spring get-together for CHI and Delta Chapters, and all other Tri-Sigma members in the Great Lakes Area, is definitely "on." The dates will be March 6-7-8 at a motel complex on Lake Michigan, near Holland, Michigan. A special program is being planned, including video tapes of TV activities and special showings of TV oriented films. A special information flyer on the weekend activities will be mailed around the first of the year, with full details and reservation form, but reserve these dates now!

Deanna reported that the first monthly social gathering of our membership at the Lite Factory on November 5th was a moderate success, with approximately six in attendance. We hope that this group will be enlarged in future months, especially by those members who are unable to attend our regular monthly Chapter meetings on Saturday evenings. The next social gathering will be held at the Lite Factory on December 10th (see card elsewhere in this issue).

Maryann let us know that she is now an "Avon Lady," and is ready to serve the Chapter. The full range of Avon products is available, as well as Avon gifts. Catalogs are available for your inspection, and Maryann will be glad to help you with your selections; wife Kathy will also be available to counsel you on your choices (if desired), with a "femme-viewpoint."

Our President, Deanna, reminds everyone that it is not necessary to reserve a personal room for yourself when we meet in a motel, unless you are planning to stay overnight and space is not available in our meeting room suite. Changing areas are always available in our suite for those who cannot arrive dressed, so an additional room reservation is usually an unnecessary expense.

IT'S THAT TIME AGAIN! . . . . .

Yes, it's that time that comes every year which we can't avoid - dues time! However, the good news is that even with our continuing inflation the annual CHI Chapter dues will remain the same as last year. The dues are \$6.00 for Regular Members who live in the Chicago Metropolitan Area, and \$4.00 for Associate Members who live outside that area (over 100 miles from Chicago) and are normally unable to attend our Chapter meetings on a regular basis. Both classes of members receive the monthly newsletter and all special mailings and receive full meeting location information each month, and have a voice in all Chapter business meetings; however, only Regular members have the privilege of voting at Chapter meetings, and eligibility to hold Chapter office. But, persons who are eligible for Associate Membership may elect the Regular Membership if they choose, with all the attendant rights and privileges. Let's try to have all Chapter dues in by December 31st, so we can start the new year off with a clean slate (as well as avoiding additional work for your Secretary, and keeping her from "bugging" you)! If paying by check or money order, please make it payable to "Donna Martin;" if paying by mail, send it to the address shown on the newsletter masthead, and please do not mail cash; payments in cash are accepted at Chapter meetings only.

CHI TREASURER'S REPORT . . . . .

Balance on hand, October 31st:	\$109.12
Meeting Fees:	+110.00
Regular Member Dues (1/2 year):	+ 6.00
Regular Member Dues (full year):	+ 36.00
Associate Member Dues (full year):	+ 12.00
Donations:	+ 11.00
Miscellaneous:	+ 3.00
Withdrawal from Reserve Fund:	+125.00
Meeting Room:	-177.50
Refreshments:	- 57.50
Postage:	- 21.28
Supplies (Envelopes & Misc.):	- 4.17
Honorarium, Cosmotologist:	- <u>35.00</u>
Balance on hand, November 30th:	\$116.67

WE'RE STILL MAKING A MESS! . . . . .

A number of us who attend meetings in motels and private homes do not arrive "dressed." As a result, we must apply and remove our make-up 'on the premises.' Since motels only supply a limited number of towels, these are quickly used by the first to arrive/first to leave, and the resulting mess on those (white) towels is quite difficult to remove. This problem is compounded when we meet in a private home, which may have only a limited amount of towels available, and the proper laundering of them is an additional and unnecessary burden on our home Hostesses. How about making a small investment in your own washcloth and hand towel (or paper towels, if you prefer), to relieve this problem? It only takes a short time to launder towels and washcloths in your own home, or easily dispose of used paper towels. This would be welcomed by both the Motels and our "home" Hostesses, and will continue to make us welcome for future visits. How about it?

ELECTION OF OFFICERS . . . . .

Nomination of Chapter Officers for 1981 was held during our November meeting, with further nominations, and the election of officers, scheduled for our December meeting. Those nominated for election to office were: President, Deanna IL-35-G; Vice-President, Linda IL-16-S; Secretary/Treasurer, Donna IL-11-S. Any Regular Member of CHI is eligible to vote, and to be elected to office, but those nominated for office should be persons who attend Chapter meetings on a fairly regular basis and are willing to accept the small amount of work the position requires. Be present this month to cast your vote (no absentee/proxie ballots will be accepted); and if you don't vote, don't complain!

A PERSONAL OBLIGATION . . . . .

As has been said many times in the past, what a Chapter member does "on her own time" is her own responsibility. However, when we meet in a private home, or in a motel, the actions of each individual member reflects directly upon the Chapter! Please respect the personal feelings, and the requirements of personal security, that each of our members expects as a right through participation in Chapter activities. When "dressed" in a motel environment, do not flaunt yourself in the motel lobby, or utilize the restaurant facilities of that motel. When meeting in a private home, and arriving or leaving "dressed," do not linger in that neighborhood. After you leave the immediate motel meeting place, or the vicinity of a home meeting, you may do as you please and any undue attention you may attract while "dressed" will not reflect unfavorably upon your Chapter, or your home Hostess. We have enough unwanted attention; please do your best to keep other 'interest' to a minimum. Your Sisters will thank you.

CHI'S CHRISTMAS MEETING . . . . .

Our next meeting will be held on Saturday, December 13th, which is the second Saturday of the month. Those who attended the October meeting felt that the third Saturday was just too close to Christmas, and that there would be conflicts with our usual date. We are fortunate again this year in that Kay has offered her home for our Christmas social giving us an opportunity to relax in a more hospitable atmosphere. Directions for locating Kay's home will be found elsewhere in this issue (Chapter and Associate Members only). Members may arrive any time after 6:00 P.M. Since this is the Holiday Season, how about inviting your "special girl" to come with you? We think she will have a lot of fun, and there will be other wives present to help break the ice if this is her first time, or if she does not attend often. As usual, we will exchange grab-bag gifts, on an optional basis. If you want to receive a gift, bring a gift with you (not to exceed \$10.00). The gift exchange also includes the wives on the same basis of bring a gift, get a gift. Place a card with your name on the inside of the package, so the "receiver" can identify the "giver."

We expect a large group for the Christmas meeting. Since it will be early in the month, and to help your Hostess in knowing how many to plan for, please return your post card or drop a note to Kay promptly. If your wife or girlfriend will attend with you, add an appropriate note to the card. We hope to see as many CHI members as possible at our special Christmas meeting.

MERRY CHRISTMAS, AND  
A HAPPY NEW YEAR!

*Donna*

SUPPORT OUR CHAPTER "FRIEND" . . . . .

UNISEX SUPER STAR Hair Stylist  
 Two miles west of Barrington  
 Road, on Lake Street

TUES. - WED. - SAT. 9:00 to 5:00  
 THURS. & FRI. 9:00 to 9:00  
 SUNDAY 10:00 to 2:00

Ask for: Angela Ford

BY APPOINTMENT ONLY      EXPERT MANICURING

5036 VALLEY LANE • STREAMWOOD, ILL. 60103

IF YOU FIND MISTAKES  
 in this publication, please con-  
 sider that they are there for a  
 purpose. I publish something for  
 everyone, and some people are

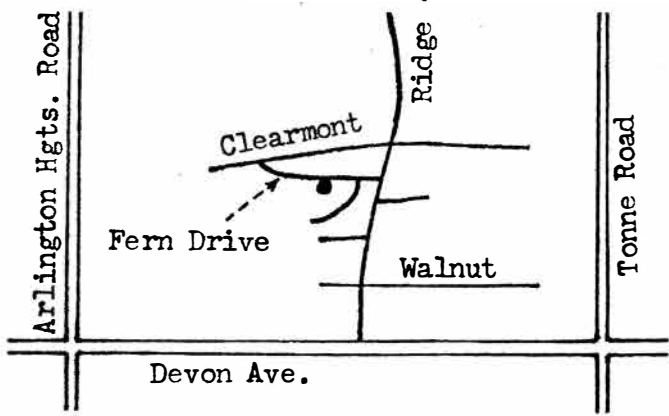
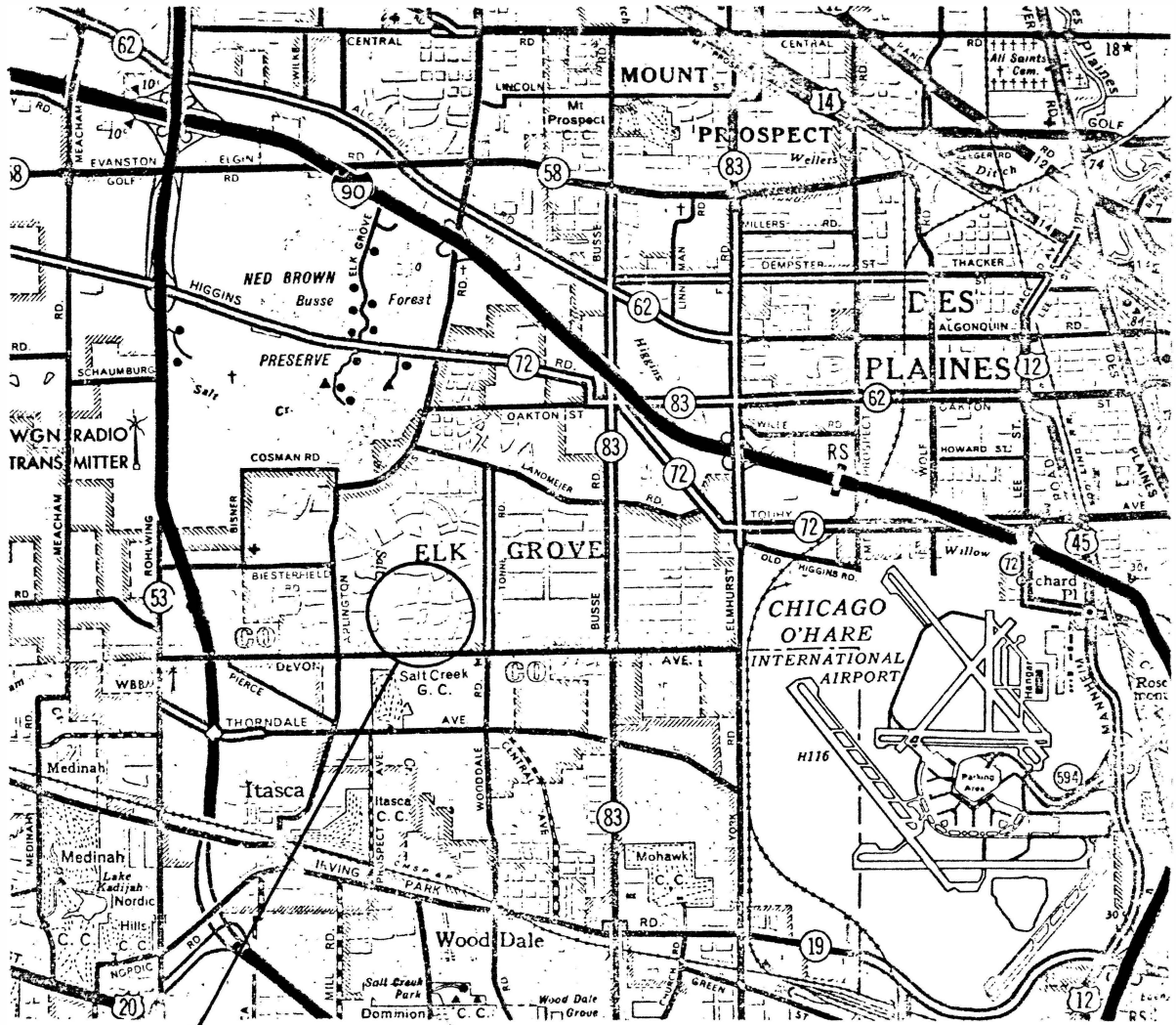
always **LOOK** ing  
 for mistakes!!!

**LITE  
 FACTORY  
 DISCO**

2500 N. SOUTHPORT, CHICAGO, ILL. 60614

Our meeting on December 13th will be held in Kay's home, 255 Fern Drive, Elk Grove. Although we will not be meeting in a motel, the current \$5.00 meeting fee will be collected to maintain our Treasury and to cover the refreshments.

Take any convenient route to Devon Avenue, between Route 83 and Route 53, then Ridge St. north. Fern Drive is the third intersection on the left, going north on Ridge from Devon. Kay lives in a yellow house with a 2-car garage, in the middle of the block on the south side of the street. Park in the driveway if space is available. If you get lost, or have any last-minute problem, telephone Kay at 439-6476. Since our meeting is again in a private home, please return your post card promptly to Kay so she will know how many to prepare refreshments for. Should your plans change after the post card is mailed, please telephone. You may arrive any time after 6:00 P.M., and if you arrive dressed Kay requests that you use discretion because of the neighbors.



**PLEASE!!**  
 DROP A NOTE TO  
 YOUR HOSTESS  
 IF YOU PLAN TO  
 ATTEND

Ken Nye  
 255 Fern Drive  
 Elk Grove, Ill. 60007