



**State Annual Report
2017-2018 Membership Committee
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Goals:

1. Study membership issues and make recommendations related to membership concerns.
2. Encourage active chapter recruiting practices.
3. Facilitate the selection process of state honorary members and maintaining appropriate records.

Accomplishments and activities related goals:

1. The TSO Membership Committee met together in October, 2017 for a weekend of work and planning. The meeting was attended by 15 of the 18 committee members, Patti Belknap and Jo Murphy.
2. During the meeting strategies were discussed to help chapters increase their membership.
3. The Texas Recruitment Plan was given great emphasis and members were trained in presenting the plan so they could deliver the message to their respective chapters.
4. The Mentoring Groups were explained and members were asked to watch for and identify chapters that may need help from the Mentoring Groups.
5. The group looked at Pride in the Big Picture as a resource for recruiting and recommitment.
6. TSO State Honorary members will be nominated for the 2018-2019 Convention due to the shortened convention in Waco, June, 2018.
7. Plans are being made to honor the 50+ year members at the upcoming TSO Convention in Waco, 2018.
8. Plans are also being made to present a Membership Workshop at TSO Convention in Waco, 2018.
9. Committee members will be ready to present membership workshops at the upcoming Area Workshops in the Fall of 2018.

Suggestions to Chapters:

1. Reach out to their TSO Membership committee member as a resource for information in both recruiting and retention of members.
2. Invite both the Area Coordinator and the TSO Membership committee member to chapter meetings
3. Utilize the resources: Texas Recruitment Plan, Pride in the Big Picture and Annie Calling to increase membership.
4. Encourage members to utilize and enjoy all of the resources available to them as members of The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International.