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### Who Gives a Hoot?

# ESA

That's whooo!



\*\*\* There are 6 🚭 owls throughout the newsletter! See if you can find them\*\*\*

#### Hoot Hoot Hoot!!



Hope everyone has enjoyed a great Fall because the Holidays are here!

There are many events coming up and I am sure every member is welcome at many of the events. Check the calendar at esacolorado.org to find out what's happening!

Between the website and the Yearbook, you can find most information. As a member, if there is something that is not easy to find, please let me know---I will work on a solution for the future. We have updated many things, but sometimes new eyes help us find areas where we can be clearer. I truly want to make information finding easy for all.

To all members: If your chapter has an event or fundraiser, it is fine to send us the information to be sent out on our communications email esacoloradocommunications@gmail.com. AND—get the info to Candie to add to the website. The email will not automatically get your info on the website.

Our next event is "Spring Fling". Mark your calendar for March 21 & 22. We have some fun activities for Friday and the meeting on Saturday. You can go ahead and make a hotel reservation at the Academy Hotel anytime; special room rates (\$84.15 +tax and still includes breakfast) are available for the 20<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup>, book under ESA. Spring Fling registration forms will be available in January.

The ESA Leadership Conference is coming up in February. Registration is still open and if anyone is interested in running for an office in the future, this is a great meeting to start your journey. Lots of membership, leadership and just a little practical fun-to-know things that make our ESA Life more fun, effective and efficient. ANYONE can attend so give me a call if you are interested—I can set you up with the link and you, too, can join the FUN in Denver.

"On Wings of Friendship", our ESA Colorado State Convention is May 16-18. The registration form is already on the Website so it will ease the minds of the Convention Committee if we send in our registrations sooner than later.

The Honor Bell Fund is touching many hearts. Jenniffer Carlson-Mazza had a Christmas fundraiser for the Honor Bell and raised \$610. 00!!! How exciting Thank you, Jenniffer.

My wish for each of us is to have a blessed Holiday Season. Phyllis Minch and I would like all of our sisters/brothers who are not able to be as active as they have in the past to be remembered by their ESA Family this season with a Christmas Card Shower. Please send the name and address (along with any appropriate updates) of any ESA member who we could "shower" with cheer and happiness this Christmas. Please send the names/addresses to Phyllis by December 15<sup>th</sup> so we can get cards to each of them in a timely manner.

Happy Holidays, Happy Hanukah, Merry Christmas, Happy Kwanza--Celebrate YOUR season with joy and love.

Keep on Hootin'---ESA does truly care.

Susan Bloss ESA Colorado President 2024-2025



Hello everyone,

Just a reminder!

All articles are due on the 1<sup>st</sup> of the month and the newsletter will be uploaded on the website on the 10<sup>th</sup> of the month. I will be sending out 2 emails, one will be a reminder, and the 2<sup>nd</sup> will be to let you know the newsletter is ready to be viewed on the website.

Please reach out to me at any time with any questions or comments about the Golden Lamp. My email is goldenlampnewsletter@gmail.com or call / text me at (719) 221.9447

Please send all articles to: <a href="mailto:goldenlampnewsletter@gmail.com">goldenlampnewsletter@gmail.com</a> Please submit your articles by the 1st of the month. The Newsletter is published in August – October – December – February – April - June In the subject line put **Golden Lamp Article** 

<u>Please make sure I respond to your email. If I don't respond, then I didn't receive it.</u>

The Golden Lamp newsletter will be uploaded on the 10<sup>th</sup> of the on <u>www.esacolorado.org</u>

Jenniffer Carlson-Mazza 2024-2025 Golden Lamp Editor





I am working on the Slate of Officers for 2025-2026.

My goal is to have the positions filled by the end of January and for sure by Leadership. The Deadline to fill out the Nomination Form is Feb 15th. There will be some Standing Rules to decide on at the Spring Board Meeting. Also, if you want an office that you had before that is ok too. It seems sometimes that you want to do more in that office, but then time runs out. Currently, to run for President Elect/Membership Coordinator, you must have served as an elected board member for 2 years. Please reach out if you want an appointed office. If you or someone in your chapter have a special interest in any of the appointed positions, please recommend them and give me a call.

Eric and I have registered and will be attending the National Leadership on February 6th - 9th, 2025 and hope to come away with many ideas to help our beloved ESA grow and prosper. They are opening Leadership to everyone now. Attendees can room with whomever and with however many people they want. There is now an option for you to choose. For example, if your state has three members attending you can share a room. Yay!! If you come alone, they will find a person that can be your roommate. This option is there to choose from. They want more people to come, and it is a great learning experience. The deadline for Leadership is Feb 1st, 2025. The Agenda for the National Leadership is on the ESA Headquarters site.

I hope everyone is enjoying the Holidays and spending time with family and friends. Relaxing and having a funtime.

Thanks so much,
Lori Anderson Havelick
President Elect/Membership Chairman

I hope everyone is enjoying the Holidays, but most importantly getting together with friends and families. Please look at the IC Website for Recruitment ideas for help. The Recruitment can go on all year long and you can utilize their website. As of right now in Nov 2024 we have 10 Pledges and 4 Reinstatements. Yay!! Don't stop Recruiting and Keep on Rolling!!

The IC Website under Recruitment gives lots of tools to use and ideas for parties and get-togethers. I think that doing more social get-togethers and fundraisers may be the key for the ESA Membership. I keep saying this because I think that it will work instead of waiting for the next meeting. I know we need to get business done, but then we can have social time. Get involved in helping your local Community and you can also get to meet new people. Don't forget to host an Open House and/or a Wine and cheese party. Paint and Sip parties are becoming popular. You can gather your chapter and guests in a group and enjoy the evening. More Chapters could be doing Bunco games. Have silent auctions and bake sales with the Bunco games and use the silent actions for gifts. Have a Social Evening and play games. Bring back the board games that we played in the 70's and 80's. At our house we were always getting together for family parties with friends and neighbors. And sometimes on the spur of the moment. I sure miss those times.

Build partnerships. For example: Susan Winton - who is President of our Chapter Alpha Phi is Building Partnerships throughout Ridgway and Ouray. She is getting our ESA Chapter, the Ouray Women's Club and the Elks Members and we are all coming together to bake Christmas cookies at her house. Most of the people around the area belong to these groups. Hint: Meeting new people. Then we will be going to Grand Junction and taking the cookies to the Veterans Hospital in December. I think this is an excellent idea.

The Power of Us Program - Be sure and read the ESA Journey Magazine. It will give an update and info of what transpired for this program.

Thrive in 2025 - An Eye toward 100: Where are we now, and where do we want to in the next five years - is the next Membership Campaign starting in January. I attended the Zoom mtg for Thrive for 2025 on Nov 7th. I am sure there will be more info coming. I will learn more at Leadership, but here is the gist of it. Who can we partner with? Like what Susan is doing. Our Colorado ESA Chapters can put our brains together and see what we can come up with for these ideas. Please discuss this at your Chapter meetings. To get more members we must think outside of the box. Remember with all the events that are going on, think of ways to just make it bigger. ESA Headquarters would like us to form new chapters. The goal would be 5 to 10 members (some members can be transfers but some must be new members). Here are a few ideas that were discussed. These chapters can be formed from online friends and friend's activities. As in golfing, bowling, book clubs, bunco, card games-like Hand and Foot and cribbage players, and poker game friends. There could be camping and fishing friends. Any friends that you can think of. Also, include more Philanthropic activities - getting out more and volunteering. Another example: Celeste Web - IC President and Kerri Consadine - IC Membership Chair are doing an event with kids and they are going to work on No Sew Blankets. It will be a big group of kids and adults, and they will be feeding kids pizzas while they work. A great idea. You could also team up and do something at the Bowling Alley. Bowling for St Jude. A lot of people are interested in Mahjong. Could include your Mahjong friends. Book Clubs are becoming popular. The ideas can be endless. I would like to be able to hand out Awards for new chapters formed. They also mentioned when you have these events to please

publicize through Facebook, put out flyers and text friends. It was an interesting meeting, and you always learn from these meetings.

I hope this helps your chapters and I hope everyone is enjoying the Holidays. Any questions please email or give me a call. <a href="mailto:loriandersonhavelick@gmail.com">loriandersonhavelick@gmail.com</a>. Cell is 720 353 8839. Looking forward to your call/email and your questions!

Thanks so much,
Lori Anderson Havelick
CSC President Elect/Membership Coordinator

### Who Gives a Hoot?



#### Hello!!

As many people have said, I can't believe it's almost Christmas. It's definitely Christmas around our house, Adi has taken over the decorating this year and she has done such a great job.

Dues were due by December 1<sup>st</sup> and below is a list of all the chapters who are in good standing. Thank you so much for getting them to me.

I hope you all have a great Christmas.

						Active		
Chapter	Chapter	Ch	apter dues	Number of	N	/lembers	Total	
Name	Number		paid	Members		Paid	A	mount
Beta Alpha	5416	\$	35.00	2.00	\$	24.00	\$	59.00
Theta Eta	2830	\$	25.00	9.00	\$	108.00	\$	133.00
Sigma Rho	5014	\$	35.00	14.00	\$	168.00	\$	203.00
Alpha Gamma	174	\$	35.00	3.00	\$	36.00	\$	71.00
Kappa Iota	5442	\$	35.00	2.00	\$	24.00	\$	59.00
Alpha Phi	327	\$	35.00	7.00	\$	84.00	\$	119.00
Gamma Chi	3668	\$	35.00	14.00	\$	168.00	\$	203.00
Beta Zeta	3149	\$	35.00	14.00	\$	168.00	\$	203.00
Pi Sigma	5621	\$	35.00	4.00	\$	48.00	\$	83.00
Gamma omega	4306	\$	35.00	11.00	\$	132.00	\$	167.00
Chi Kappa	5129	\$	35.00	6.00	\$	72.00	\$	107.00
Alpha Nu	535	\$	35.00	10.00	\$	120.00	\$	155.00
Zeta Tau	2064	\$	35.00	19.00	\$	228.00	\$	263.00
Zeta Nu	5608	\$	35.00	8.00	\$	96.00	\$	131.00
Alpha Omicron	770	\$	35.00	9.00	\$	108.00	\$	143.00
Colorado Lamplighters		\$	30.00				\$	30.00
Northern Colorado		\$	30.00				\$	30.00
Northeastern Colorado		\$	30.00				\$	30.00

Jenniffer Carlson-Mazza 2024-2025 Colorado State Treasurer/Disaster Fund Chairman



#### **ESA CSC Foundation Counselor**

Hello ESA Colorado Friends. A friendly reminder that the application deadline is coming up at the end of next month – can you believe it? Next month – January 31, 2025 – WOW!!! Check out the epsilonsigmaalpha.org website.



- 2025-2026
- Login
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- CREATE ACCOUNT
- LOGIN

Please note the application deadline is 1/31/2025 11:00 PM (Mountain Time).

#### Create a scholarship account

Creating a scholarship account in our system is the first step and enables us to suggest matches for you. Once your account has been created, you can log in to check your progress as you work to complete requirements on any of the scholarships for which you are applying, for example, monitoring receipt of recommendation letters and transcripts you have requested using our system.

Generating an ESA Foundation Scholarship account is easy; simply provide us with a complete personal profile and we'll suggest scholarships that fit your unique needs. Best of all, your account can be used for multiple years, making it convenient to apply for ESA Foundation Scholarships every year.

IMPORTANT: There is no fee to create an account and begin searching for scholarships. There is a \$5.00 processing fee for each scholarship for which you apply, although one current transcript may be submitted to cover all of your applications.

In the following four-step process, we'll collect information regarding account access preferences, and your personal, financial, academic profile to help customize your scholarship search and submission.

#### Create an account now >>

Get Involved with the ESA Foundation as a Member: new or renewal dues by December 31st.

The ESA Foundation has much more to offer than just scholarships. Becoming a Foundation member is easy and supports the continued education of students and others who are looking to build upon their existing skillsets. Membership in the ESA Foundation is an annual tax-deductible donation of \$40.

#### **About** the ESA Foundation

**MISSION** 

Established in 1970, the ESA Foundation is dedicated to the promotion of continuing education and to altruistic activities that make a positive difference in the world community. Voluntary contributions of time and money from ESA members, ESA Foundation members, and friends of the Foundation are the ESA Foundation's sole sources of support. As a nonprofit, tax exempt corporation, the ESA Foundation supports the service and leadership programs and the philanthropic projects of Epsilon Sigma Alpha International.

#### STAY UP TO DATE

An archive of past newsletters is available here. You may also read the Chairman's <u>State of the Foundation 2023 Report</u>. The current <u>Bylaws and Standing Rules</u> are also available. **Want to join our board of directors?** Fill out the <u>Nomination Form</u> and submit it before October 1, 2024. An Open Board meeting is held annually in July to provide an opportunity for total participation by members.

#### **ESA FOUNDATION MEMBERSHIP**

The ESA Foundation is a public foundation for anyone who shares our goals. The annual membership fee is \$40. You may also opt to support the Career Enhancement Grant through a \$500 one-time Life Active membership. All dues are tax deductible. In order to vote at the annual meeting, the active member must have their annual dues paid before December 31. Become a member.

#### **CONTRIBUTE**

All contributions made directly to the ESA Foundation are tax deductible as "Gifts to Charity" due to our 501 c 3 charitable status under the Internal Revenue Code. You may either print out a contribution form or a Turn-Around-Fund form from this site or use the online services to contribute with your credit card. Donate today! Contributions may be designated or undesignated. Undesignated gifts become a part of the general fund. Designated contributions are used for the purpose designed by the donor.

Can find all this above and more on the epsilonsigmalpha.org website.

Thank you - LOVE in ESA, Susie Morris 2024-2025 ESA CSC Foundation Counselor Life Active Member Pi Sigma 5621 – Johnstown, CO





#### **Colorado Web Team**



esacolorado.org

#### Happy Holidays to all our members and your families!

Colorado ESA has started as a successful year with 2025 looking to be very bright as we head toward our 100th anniversary in 2029.

The Colorado State Council Web continues to stive to serve its members by offering current information and tools for success.

The *Officers/Chairmen* page of the ESA Colorado website in the *Notices* section contains the minutes to the October Fall Board meeting. A very useful IC presentation featuring safeguarding against fraud is also posted there.

The newly revised *Officers Guidelines* are posted and available for downloading for anyone needing a copy. Mary Humphrey and her team were very thorough and labored long to get them updated. Many thanks to them!

Be sure to check the *Calendar* page to keep up on special events, due dates, conventions, and more. Send in your activities for posting for sharing with everyone.

**FORMS**, forms, forms: They can be found on their own page. Look on the upper left margin of the homepage for a direct link. Colorado specific forms are found directly on this page with directions and a link to International/Headquarters forms.

Having problems finding what you need on the CSC web? The *Site Map* (on upper left margin of home page) lists all the pages and their contents. The Web Team is always available to help.

The Colorado State Council **ZOOM** account is FREE and has unlimited time use as compared to the 40 minutes on the "free" Zoom accounts. To reserve a date/time contact Candie Patino.

The Web Team is grateful to everyone who has contributed or visited the Colorado ESA website. Without your input, our website would not be successful – thank **YOU!** 

The Colorado ESA Web Team Bonnie & Candie



#### Hello everyone!!

This is the time of year when we do one of our biggest fundraisers. We raffle off a Christmas Tree with one hundred one-dollar bills on it. We draw the winning ticket at our Christmas party and call the winner right then. We always have our party at Velma's house and it's a gorgeous Victorian home and just perfect for a Christmas party. Velma always cooks the ham and the rest of us bring a side dish. We exchange cards, sing Christmas carols, play a fun game and just enjoy being together.

Every year my family has a Christmas party for our friends and family and every year we pick a charity to raise money for at the party, this year we chose Susan's president philanthropic project The Honor Bell. It was our best year yet

Merry Christmas from our family to yours!

Love in ESA Jenniffer Carlson-Mazza 2024-2025 Alpha Omicron #770 Chapter President





Hi,

I hope everyone is staying warm. We have had two snowstorms with the first storm measuring 7 ½" and then this 2nd storm was 3 inches and very cold. A third one is coming for the mountain peaks, and it is a doozy for the week of Thanksgiving. Ouray is supposed to receive 6 - 12" inches of snow with mountain peaks getting over 19 - 27 inches. It will be snowing all week for Thanksgiving. Stay warm and safe, everyone.

Susan Winton, our President of our Chapter has been keeping us busy with volunteering and doing projects.

First, we helped Second Chance at a Vaccine Clinic on Nov 21st from 11:00 - 3:00pm. The animals will receive their vaccines, chips and a checkup at Chow Down in Montrose, Colo. Susan, Keri, and Eric helped Tabby and her crew to get the animals cared for. It's always a challenge to make sure that everyone is in line and the animals usually behave nicely. Should be a very busy morning. They wore the red ESA aprons and hung up the Epsilon Sigma Alpha banner. The banner has caught a lot of attention from people looking at it.

Secondly, Alpha Phi is doing a Ways and Means Project for our chapter. It is called Double Good Popcorn. The date that we are selling this popcorn is from Dec. 1st to Dec 5th and the popcorn will be delivered by Dec 24th. A short window span. The most popular one on the list is the Easy Peasy Caramel Cheese popcorn. Here is a list of flavors:

- In Queso Fire
- White Cheddar Go Getter
- Paint It Milk Chocolate
- Little Kettle That Could
- Easy Peasy Caramel Cheesy
- Butter Believe It
- Chi-Town Chow Down
- Home on the Ranch
- Sergeant Salt & Pepper

We hope to receive orders for our Ways and Means project. This popcorn could make great gifts for Christmas to add to all your dinner parties and for



your guests. Here is a poster for it and QR Code. The QR code will show the prices and here is the link. <a href="https://www.doublegood.com">https://www.doublegood.com</a>.

Thirdly, our ESA Alpha Phi Chapter, the Ouray Woman's Club and some Elks Members will be joining together as a group to make and bake cookies. We will be baking at Susan's house on Dec 9th at 5pm to bake the

cookies with our dough that everyone will be bringing. Can't wait for the smell of those cookies and it should be a fun evening meeting new people. Then, we will take the cookies over to the Veterans Hospital in Grand Junction and hand them out to the Veterans on Dec 11th from 11:00am - 2:00pm.

And finally, Sandy and David have been busy for Alpha Phi in Arizona. She has worked on some events. Easter Seals Festival of Tales - Sorting books for the event, Volunteered for SWHD/Easter Seals annual Golf Tournament, and in Arizona volunteered at the St Jude Dream Home groundbreaking. Delivered 105 baby hats for Hope for Hats.

Hope everyone is enjoying the Holidays.

With ESA Love, Lori Anderson Havelick Alpha Phi Chapter







Beta Zeta pledged two new members in at our Banquet in November. We had a great time with our Omega Chi friends from Florence at the Two Sister Restaurant.

Debra Beaumont and Sue McMillen heard the ideals of ESA and were welcomed warmly by the members of Beta Zeta, Omega Chi also had two new pledges.

This time of year, we celebrate joyous holidays with our families and enjoy the friendships we have formed in ESA.

Happy Holidays to all of our Colorado ESA members!







The rush of the holidays is upon us, and we still try to make time to be involved in many different service projects. Gamma Chi started October with our annual Mahjongg fundraiser. Later in October Phyllis started making candy for another fundraiser. She continued making the candy in November and then members started putting the candy in boxes during the middle of the month.

Every month we continue to volunteer at the Food Bank and Community Kitchen. Both places need so much help. Those of us who volunteer in the mornings at Community Kitchen have met friendly people and made new friends. Seven of us attended their annual breakfast fundraiser, which is held at the Sweetheart Winery. Unfortunately, no wine was involved.

Five members attended Fall Board in Salida. We had a great time and enjoyed the time visiting with our Colorado sisters. We couldn't have asked for a more beautiful weekend to travel over the mountains.

On Veteran's Day members that were available helped the wait staff at the Golden Corral clear off tables. They served around 408 Vets and family members. It is always a very busy afternoon and evening. We always have a fun time helping, though we are tired when we get home.

The day after Thanksgiving we started our annual Amaryllis by Morning contest. We send pictures periodically to Kathy E. showing the progress of our plants. We are all at the mercy of our own plant and how it decides to grow. Sometimes they can be very frustrating.















We stuffed 100 holiday coffee mugs with hot chocolate, treats, protein bars and other goodies for the Veterans Clinic in Loveland. We will hand them out with Lap Robes on December 2nd. The end of November we started collecting food and toys for The Kayla Foundation through December 6th

Well, that wraps up the news from Loveland and Gamma Chi. Our chapter wishes all of you a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Pam McGee





# Please Join Pi Sigma Chapter Of Epsilon Sigma Alpha For a

#### Valentine Tea with Flair

February 8, 2025 Noon to 4pm Location

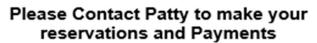
#### **High Country Beverage**

4200 Ronald Reagan Blvd, Johnstown, CO 80534

Great Food, Door Prizes, Drawings and Jewelry

Reservation required due to limited seating NO WALKINS

\$30.00 until January 8, 2025 \$35.00 January 9 to January 31, 2025 Deadline for all Reservations January 31, 2025



Patty: Cell 970-673-2175
Payments can be made by
Checks – Cash – Zelle

#### Proceeds will Benefit

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital Milliken and Johnstown Food Pantries Other Local Charities







I'm pleased to share with everyone that I have chosen the **PIKES PEAK HONOR BELL FUND** (a Project of the Honor Bell Foundation) as my CSC President's Philanthropic Project for 2024-2025.

In 2014, a team of veterans worked together to cast the first Honor Bell which serves Fort Logan National Cemetery. The motto of this bell is "Forged from Honor" and the casting includes mementos from 12 deceased Colorado service members from World War II to the Global War on Terror. The bell is tolled at veteran's services as requested.

The fundraising drive to provide for the casting of a second Honor Bell for the Pikes Peak National Cemetery has started and I would like ESA Colorado Members and Chapters to be active participants. I would encourage each chapter and individual member to donate to this worthy cause. Please share any projects with me and Kerry Date, Hope for Heroes Chairman, as this is a Hope for Heroes project.

See *HonorBell.org* for more information. Donations can be made online or by mail. Be sure to choose <u>Pikes</u> <u>Peak</u> and note that it is from <u>ESA Colorado</u>. Donations can also be made to President Susan Bloss (checks payable to Susan Bloss) by April 1, 2025, for group donation at State Convention in May. A flier is attached for your use.

Honor Bell Foundation 720-282-9182 / <u>info@honorbell.org</u> P.O. Box 1432, Englewood, CO 80150 Honor Bell is a 501c3 (EIN #47-1468145) organization.

Remember, Give a HOOT!!!

Susan Bloss CSC President

#### ESA CSC State President's Project 2024-2025 HONOR BELL FOUNDATION PIKES PEAK REGION



HONOR BELL

FOUNDATION

Join us in supporting The Honor Bell Foundation to fund and cast a second bell that will serve the Pikes Peak National Cemetery in Colorado Springs.

See *HonorBell.org* for more information. Donations can be made online or by mail. Be sure to choose <u>Pikes Peak</u> and note that it is from <u>ESA Colorado</u>. Donations can also be made to President Susan Bloss (checks payable to Susan Bloss) for group donation in May.

Let us know your ideas to raise funds!

720-282-9182 / <u>info@honorbell.org</u> P.O. Box 1432, Englewood, CO 80150 Honor Bell is a 501c3 (EIN #47-1468145) organization.

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#### SAVE THE DATE!!!

### **ESA CSC Spring Fling Meeting**

(aka Spring Board Meeting)

Friday, March 21 & Saturday, March 22, 2025 Colorado Springs/Manitou Springs

Come join us where ESA in Colorado began!



Events will kick off at 3 p.m. on Friday. Plan on fun & games at The Academy Hotel on Friday. Lodging rates are available Thursday, Friday, and Saturday nights. GREAT breakfast buffet included. This will make it convenient to attend all events even if you come from afar. However, Saturday only registrations will be available.

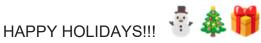
Saturday we will meet at The Historic Cliff House in Manitou Springs where the first ESA Colorado Chapter was chartered.

#### Mark your calendars now!

More details and registration information to come in January.

### State Convention





A Motley Crew To hopes everyone had a wonderful TURKEY day... (please notice the



TURKEY part of that!! (2).

With the New Year coming up fast, we hope you are all planning on joining us in May for a FUN FILLED weekend at the Colorado ESA State Convention!!

The Registration form and OWL information can be found on the Colorado ESA Web site.

Getting your Registrations in early would certainly help us out!

We wish everyone a SAFE and MERRY CHRISTMAS!!



A Motley Crew

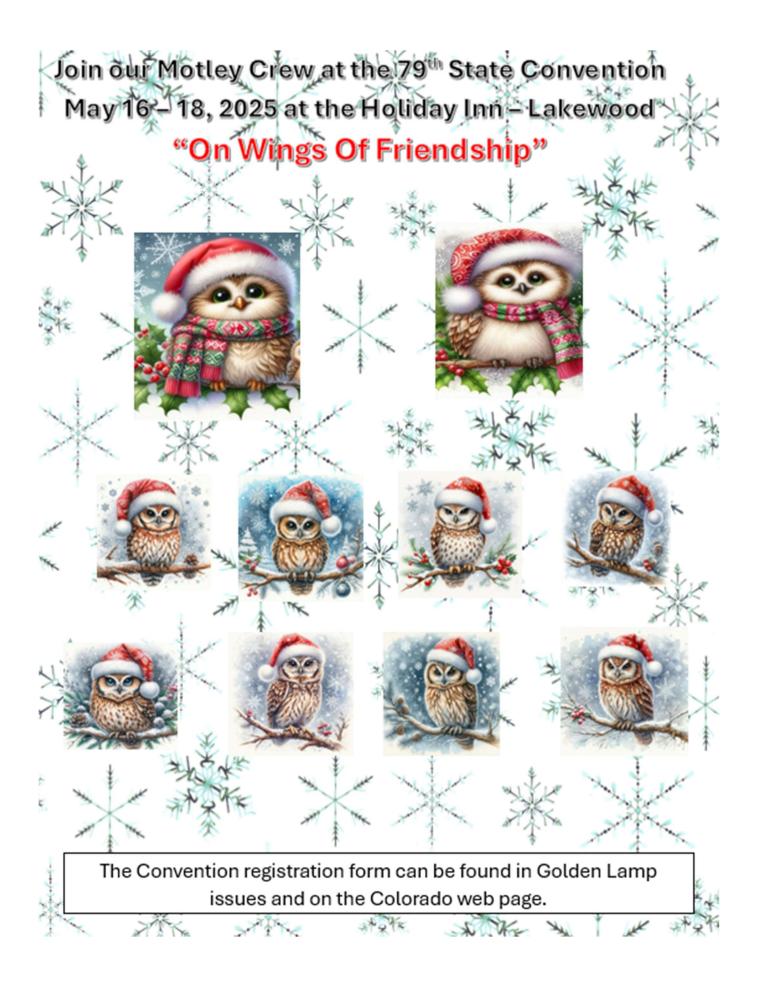












#### 79th Colorado State Convention



"On Wings of Friendship"

Hosted by: A Motley Crew

Co-Chairs: Chloe McClantoc - Leslie Stevens

May 16, 17, 18, 2025

Holiday Inn - Lakewood 7390 W. Hampden Ave. Lakewood, CO 80227 303-980-9200

Room Rate: \$129.00 + tax (\$142.55) per night until April 17, 2025 ADA rooms are available - Room block is under ESA Convention

Registration: \$165.00 until May 1<sup>st</sup> – \$175.00 after May 1<sup>st</sup> (No Partial Registrations)

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Name:		Phone:			
Address:		Voting Delegate:			
Chapter Name & Number:		State Officer:			
First Time Attendee:	Chapter President:	Council President:	Elan:		
MAL: Lamplighter:					
Please note special dietary ne	eeds: (allergies, etc.)				
Make check payable to Beta	Alpha #5416. Send check a	nd registration form to:			
	Susie Hitchcock 13902 E Marina Driv	re. Apt #501			

Any questions please contact either Chloe McClantoc (303-355-1884) or Leslie Stevens (970-987-2806)

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