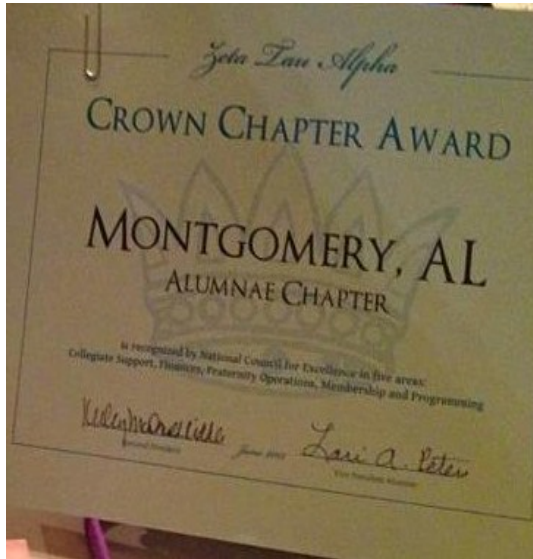




# Zeta Tau Alpha Montgomery Alumnae Chapter

## We did it again!!! Crown Chapter Winners for 2012!!

Congratulations to our fabulous alumnae chapter on winning Crown Chapter two times in a row! Zeta Tau Alpha's International Convention is held every two years and this year it was in Louisville, Kentucky. Amanda Moulin went to convention and accepted the award for the Montgomery Alumnae Chapter. We were able to increase our membership over the 10% requirement and we did excellent with our programming! We want to keep increasing our membership by 10% every 2 years so we can keep winning Crown Chapter. Thanks to everyone who made these past two years very successful.



July 2012

Summer Newsletter

### Special points of interest:

- *Crown Chapter Winners*
- *New Programs*
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- *Recommendations Meeting*
- *Elections*

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## New Programs to Join or Start

We started two new programs: Zeta Tots and ZTA Bookworms. Zeta Tots is a Zeta Momma group that plans fun events for you to bring your children to. Leslie Whaley is the coordinator for Zeta Tots. ZTA Bookworms is a book club that coordinates through a facebook group. Margaret Crimi is the coordinator for ZTA Bookworms. If you are interested in joining a program send us a message or if you are interested in starting a new program let us know so we can help you get started!



## Recommendations Meeting & General Meeting with Elections

Our Recs Meeting will be this Thursday, July 12th at Darby's house at 5:30 PM. She lives in Old Cloverdale at 842 Cloverdale Road. Food and drinks will be provided. Please RSVP by Tuesday, July 10th with your initiation date, address, and phone number to go on the recs forms.

We will also be going over announcements for the year and accepting nominations for the 2012-2013 year. If you are interested in coordinating a program or being an officer then let us know or present it at the meeting.

We hope to see you there! We have new ideas for fundraising and can use your input on programming ideas. Thanks to Darby for hosting our Recs meeting and coordinating it again this year.

## Zeta Lunch Crew

Zeta Lunch Crews are BACK this summer. We had our first luncheon in June at La Zona Rosa on Zelda Road. We had an excellent turnout for our first luncheon! Every Alumna was treated with a bag of homemade mini brownies for dessert. Zeta Lunch Crews are the 2nd Thursday of every month in the summer at 11:30 AM. Our next luncheon is at Bandanas in Downtown Montgomery on July 12th. We hope to see you there! Our last luncheon will be on August 9th at Chappy's Deli (Perry Hill Locations). **Dessert is always provided.**



## Easter Baskets for Inner City Evangelism



In April we put together over 45 baskets for the children that attend Inner City Evangelism's programs during the week. Darby Forrester is the Easter Basket Expert! Every basket had tons of candy, something to play with, and a book to read for each age group. Thanks to all alumnae that made donations toward this great cause.





## March: Zeta Day 2012 and Winter Open House

March was a busy month for our Alumnae Chapter! Zeta Day was a lot of fun at the Winfrey Hotel at the Galleria in Birmingham, AL. Brittany McArdle won Zeta Lady for the Montgomery Alumnae Chapter and Vivian Mills was General Advisor for our local collegiate chapter, Theta Nu! Way to go ladies! We had our Winter Open House at the Barrington Clubhouse and celebrated it Mardi Gras style! We had King Cake cupcakes and other yummy appetizers with wine and drinks. We collected baby items to donate to the Family Sunshine Center.



## Girls Night Out Coming Soon

We are planning a Girls Night Out coming up this month. A date hasn't been set because we want to see what day works best for most of you...Thursday, Friday, Saturday?!? The plan is to meet at La Cantina in the Alley for tacos and head to the riverfront for drinks at the Sandbar. The plan may change if we decide

to do another venue so stay tuned! There will be a facebook event sent out as well as updates on our website: [www.ztamontgomeryalumnae.synthasite.com](http://www.ztamontgomeryalumnae.synthasite.com)



Zeta Tots Easter Egg Hunt Event

## Other Announcements

Recruitment Dates for AUM—Theta Nu Chapter are August 17-19, 2012. If you would like to attend or donate anything please contact Brittany McArdle.

Zeta Tots will be heading to the Splash Pad at the Montgomery River Walk on Saturday, July 14th at 3:00 PM

The next book for the book club will be announced soon! We are open to suggestions!





## Free Dues for 2013?!?

What! Free Dues? That is right! We are going to keep track of everyone that attends events and put your name into a drawing for every event you attend. So the more events you attend, the more chances you have to win! The winner will be drawn at our Christmas Party in December. There are many chances to get your name thrown in: Zeta Lunch Crew, Zeta Tots Event, Rec's Meeting, Girls Night Out, Fall Open House...and more to come!

## Congrats to Graduates of 2012!



*Remember to RSVP by calling 334-300-8126 or replying to our email address:*

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*Our website is updated with current information on upcoming events:*

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*We hope to see you at some of our events this summer!*

