

## Welcome, Eta Eta and Eta Theta!



The charter class of Eta Eta Chapter at Albertson College of Idaho.

**K**appa Alpha Theta's 121st active chapter, Eta Eta, was installed on the Albertson College of Idaho campus in Caldwell, Idaho, in October. Twenty-seven collegians and four alumnae were initiated at services on Saturday, Oct. 14. Fraternity President Mary Jane Beach, BN/Florida State, presided over the chartering of Eta Eta, which took place at a formal installation luncheon on Sunday, Oct. 15.

The second new chapter of the fall semester—Eta Theta—was installed in November on the University of Central Florida campus in Orlando,

Fla. Eighty-four women were initiated at services on Friday, Nov. 17, and Saturday, Nov. 18. President Mary Jane Beach presided over the weekend's activities, all of which took place at the Renaissance Orlando Resort, the future site of Grand Convention 2002. Sunday's installation luncheon celebrated Theta's success at UCF and was attended by more than 200 guests.

Many thanks to the Fraternity officers, educational leadership consultants, and staff members who served on the two installation teams. They include Linda Pieplow,

ΓM/Maryland, vice-president college; Ann Varey, ΓZ/Connecticut, vice-president extension; Kathy Tonkel, H/Michigan, previous vice-president extension; Cay Eckland, AΘ/Texas, music coordinator; Jodi Verdicchio, ΔΘ/Florida, and Susan Haufe, ΓΨ/TCU, education district directors; Kelly Mullin, AΣ/Washington State, alumnae district officer; Kristen Beck, ΔΘ/Florida, administrative district director; Sharon Gordon-Girvin, BN/Florida State, facility corporation district director; Debbie Allen, ΔΘ/Florida State, Foundation trustee;





The installation team included Fraternity officers and staff and was assisted by local alumnae.

Betsy Corridan, BO/Iowa, executive director, Kelley Hurst, BI/Colorado director of chapter services; Carol McLaughlin, EII/Bucknell, assistant director of chapter services; Ashley Wheatley, A/DePauw, fraternity relations coordinator; and Amy Manaugh, Γ/Butler, Colette Bridgman, ZP/UC San Diego, Lara Perry, ZP/UC San Diego, Joanna Pini, ΓZ/Connecticut, Kristen Magnes, A/Alpha; Kellie McClellan, ΔH/Kansas State; Stacy Chestnut, BI/Colorado; Erin McCrea, BN/Florida State; and Stacey Paullin, ΓΨ/TCU, educational leadership consultants. Kites were indeed flying high over Idaho and Florida!

In February, the new executive officers of Eta Theta and Eta Eta will attend the District V leadership conference in Atlanta and the District VIII leadership conference in Portland, respectively. Two educational leadership consultants are based with each chapter and will provide support; guidance; and education on programming, policies, and current issues facing today's college women.

The Fraternity will next install the Eta Iota Chapter at the University of San Diego, March 2 through 4. ■



Installation of the Eta Eta Chapter took place at a formal luncheon.