

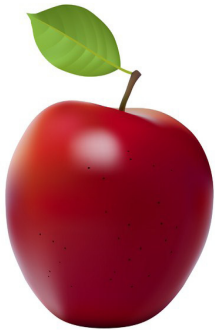
# Broadcasting the BuZZ...

## Your December 2010 *Tip*



**The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International**

**Leading Women Educators Impacting Education Worldwide**



Let's polish this Lapple by supporting early-career educators, a focus of our Society established by the International Educational Excellence Committee (formerly called Program of Work). What can you do to help other teachers? The Library on the DKG Web site contains many ideas to inspire you! Here's just one suggestion (with more to come in future issues): Send a valentine card—made and signed by your members—to the new teachers in your local districts. Include a DKG brochure and a message such as "Welcome to the profession. We appreciate all that you do and wish you a Happy Valentine's Day."

Thank you for all you do to support early-career educators.



Non-dues revenue. We need it at every level of our Society to maintain and implement projects that impact locally and globally. Here are a few new and a few tried and true ideas to keep the cash flowing and the projects going.

At the chapter level try a "No Bake Sale." Members bring the ingredients for a sweet, along with the recipe for auction. What about a "Scrap Metal Party"? With the increase in gold prices, have members bring in scrap gold from their jewelry boxes. Host a local jeweler on-site weigh and assess each donation. Your pet project will be richer for it!

At the state level, follow California's lead by creating a state convention program "yearbook style." Sell ads of different sizes to businesses to advertise their goods and services. States might want to clean out state treasures that have been stored for years and auction them off at their next state convention.

At the international level EVERYONE can help at NO COST to them. First, apply for a Delta Kappa Gamma Visa Card. After your first purchase, \$50 is donated to The Society and you accrue points. Also, join ONE CAUSE on the shopping link at [dkg.org](http://dkg.org). Click, shop, and donate a portion of your shopping dollars. It's all easy as pie.

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