



Daughters of Penelope *Citrus District 2*

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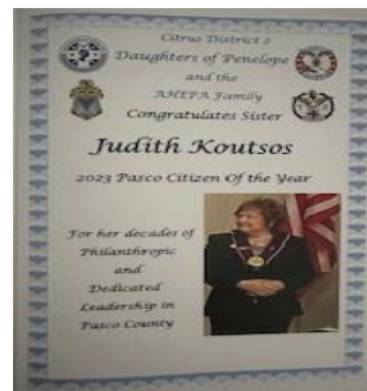
Sisters,

Kalo Mina, wishing us all a good productive month with good health!

A little housekeeping for the chapters.

The District Lodge has discussed the best way for every member to receive the monthly newsletter and information from the Lodge. Moving forward all information will be sent from the District Gmail address (citrusdop2@gmail.com) to the Chapter Presidents. Vice President and both Recording and Corresponding Secretaries. Distribution to the chapter members can be handled as your chapter has handled in the past. Some chapters the President handles others just the Corresponding Secretary. Last month for whatever reason some members did not receive it from their Presidents. We thought of sending it directly to each email on file but thought better of this after testing it with several chapters. Emails coming from our personal emails sometimes make it's way to junk mail, which is what I think happened last month. Thank you all for understanding! Communication is key to our Success! Share, Share Share!

Congratulations to Sister Judith Koutsos as her Sisters of Eros #356 hosted a beautiful evening as she was honored by Pasco County for all of her charitable work over the years. To say the event was a success is an understatement. As always, the food at the Spartan Manor was superb and the MC kept the evening moving with many antidotes on Judith and her Family. It was an honor to attend with many of the Sisters of the District as we all honored a Sister that has given so much to both Pasco County and the Daughters of Penelope. On behalf of District 2 a full-page ad was placed in the Commemorative Album with proceeds going to charity. Axios, Judith.



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Moving right along, Eftyhia “Effie” Kirkiles, Grand Maids of Athena Advisor and I traveled to Leda #59 for their first meeting of the year for some very important business, the installation of District Marshal, Maria Balasis-Zahn and District Maids of Athena Advisor, Rano Bellas. Congratulations Sisters as we all welcome and look forward to working with you this year.

It was a wonderful evening with Sisters I haven’t seen for a while and meeting new members of the Chapter. President Anna ran a tight meeting with exciting input from the Sisters on their projects for the upcoming year. We shared a delicious dinner prepared by Sister Maria, good conversation on the progress of the Daughters both Nationally and in the District and how we can continue to move forward. Congratulations Sisters on a great start to the year and thank you for your gift in my honor to the Past District Governors Scholarship Fund.



Sybils #343 Daytona Beach is going full blast this year with an exciting calendar year planned. They are working on recruiting new members along with setting up a meeting with their Ahepans. Love their new banner promoting the chapter. Thank you, Mary Denning, PDG for getting the chapter moving forward along with the Chapter Officers, Niki, Joanne and Eleni.



I will send out a separate mailing with upcoming Chapter information, along with final information for the District Luncheon “A Walk Down Memory Lane”. A thank you to Ahepa District Secretary Christian for including all of our upcoming events in the Ahepa newsletter which is going to all District Daughters with a valid email.

As always with Love,
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District Governor

“To achieve great things, we must first dream”