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President's Message Meeting Information Treasurer's Report Upcoming Events

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## President's Message

Welcome ladies to the world of storytelling,

For the October 19 meeting, our own resident storyteller, Miriam Watson, will share her gift of telling a story that will keep you spellbound. Throughout history, the story has been the way to pass forward the knowledge and experiences to the next generation. My father would begin his known to be long story, and if interrupted, he would pick up right where he left off when things settled back down. We used to look at each other and think, there he goes again! Now that he is gone his stories bring back wonderful memories of our times together as a family. Now I have become the storyteller for my grandchildren and love that I am letting them see through a window into the past.

Teaching children to be good story tellers is an awesome task. My sister always tells the same story to her new class every year as a model of how to write a good story.

After having my wisdom teeth taken out, I was very woozy, so our mother was guiding me along. My sister stepped through the open elevator door as it quickly closed, and she disappeared from sight. So there was an elementary aged girl, who had lost sight of her mother, riding an elevator, and the terror-filled, helpless parent holding up her other daughter in the hallway.

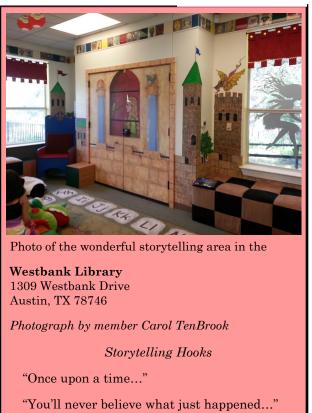
Come join us for		Imagine how this captures the attention of the children as they wait anxiously to hear what happened.
Theta Lan	nbda's October meeting!	
Where:	Home of Sandra MacConnell	We all know there is power in the word. Many of our mem- bers are trained, some even trainers, in techniques for good writing which they share with their students. No matter
When:	Monday, October 19, 2015 5:30 Refreshments 6:00 Business Meeting	the subject or the grade, being a good communicator is a paramount skill. When I was working with some scientists from Shell through a business and school partnership, they continually reinforced how important oral and written com-
Hostesses:	Jayati Sengupta Mary Harris	munication was in their field. As scientists, if they had an idea, they had to successfully communicate it or their idea
Inspiration:	Cheri Flick	had no value. Anxiously waiting to hear what story will be shared,
Program	Storytelling by Miriam	Nancy Dobbs
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## TREASURER'S REPORT

October, 2015

<u>Receipts</u>	_+ \$1256.36			
Dues Deposit	1256.00			
Bank Dividend (July-AugSept.)	.36			
<u>Disbursements</u>	- \$ 209.33			
Chapter brochures	72.33			
Early Educator/Guest gifts	32.00			
GHACC Luncheon (3 members)	105.00			
Current checking account balance\$1614.95				
Current Savings Balance	\$1052.84			
Current CD Balance\$1567.63				
Total assets of chapter\$4235.42				

Checking balance reported in September ...... \$ 567.92



"This story I'm about to tell..."

"I shouldn't be telling you this, but..."

""Twas the night before Christmas..."

What is your favorite storytelling hook?

## **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

THETA LAMBDA NEWS



o Theta Lambda Chapter meeting-Please come and welcome our new

Area 18 Coordinator, Risa McCann, on Monday, October 19, 2015

- $\circ$  GHACC
  - October 23, 2015 Meet and Greet for new State President Marilyn Gregory- Houston Racquet Club
  - October 24, 2015 Luncheon with State President Houston Racquet Club
- o STAR 2016 Feb. 19-21, 2016 Camp Allen register TSO webpage
- **o** Upcoming conventions
  - 2016 State Convention in Frisco (North Dallas) Embassy Suites
  - 2017 State Convention in Houston help needed from Houston area chapters
  - 2018 International Convention in Austin Hotel on Congress Avenue where DKG began International Headquarters

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