

Invitation to Join the 2023-2025 Delta Theta Chi Zoom Book Club #READwithDTC#

September 8, 2023

Dear DTC Sisters:

I am excited to announce the continuation of the Delta Theta Chi Zoom Book Club beginning Wednesday, September 27, 2023 through March 26, 2025 – always the last Wednesday of each month – always 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. Central Standard Time (CST). If you are interested in receiving an email with an electronic link to the meetings, please send me an email at: <u>cheryl.neeley@yahoo.com</u>.

The first book will be "*Over the Hills and Far Away – The Life of Beatrix Potter*" by Matthew Dennison. I realize this is short notice, so if you don't have an opportunity to finish the book, I hope you join us anyway to participate in our discussion and learn more about "*one of the world's best-loved children's authors, capturing our imagination for over 100 years with her beautifully illustrated Tales*". Learn more about the "*fascinating woman she was and the achievements she accomplished in her lifetime, during an era when ambitious women were not allowed to flourish*". Beatrix Potter is described as "*an artist, storyteller, botanist, environmentalist, farmer and businesswoman a visionary and a trailblazer and left an incredible legacy*".

I realize there will be times you may not be able to attend, but I hope you join us as often as you can. In doing so, not only will you have fun earning literacy points for your Chapter and Province, you will have the opportunity to see and communicate with your Sisters from all Provinces, exchange thoughts and ideas during our book review discussions, learn important updates about our Sisters in need of prayers or support – you will also have the opportunity to help raise funds to be donated to a national literacy organization – to be recommended by and voted on by DTC Book Club members!

During 2021-2023, together we raised \$800 and mailed a donation check to Dolly Parton's Imagination Library – a national literacy program for children. Let's see what we can accomplish next! I have attached the DTC Book Club Guidelines to provide a more detailed description of the Book Club for your review. Please let me know if you have any questions.

A big Thank You to Alcyone National Trustee, Cheryl Zarins, Literacy and Community Benefits Chair, and the N.E.C., for the opportunity to continue the DTC Book Club, to continue to be of service to Delta Theta Chi Sorority, bringing Sisters together, discovering new authors and genres, and supporting literacy efforts. Let's continue to learn and grow together!

Happy Reading! Look forward to seeing you September 27th.

Fraternally and in Sisterly Love,

Cheryl Neeley Electra Province, MO Delta Chapter DTC Book Club Chair

