September 27, 2014            DKG Meeting

Alpha Tau met Saturday, September, 27, 2014 at Church House Banquets in Halfway.  President Jenny Oglesbee called the meeting to order  Twenty-three members and one guest were in attendance.

Following the Pledge of Allegiance and Singing Grace, brunch was served.

Myrna introduced Sue Entlicher State Representative.  Sue's main topic was the importance of being informed about Amendment  3.  She gave an overview of the issue, telling both positive and negative aspects of it.  Sue emphasized that Amendment 3 is misleading.  If passed, it would take away local control, and teachers would have to teach to the test.  Amendment 3 is "one size fits all."  We know that method doesn't work for students' learning.

Ice Breaker:  We each named either our favorite children's book or author.

The minutes of the April meeting were presented.  Magda Neill moved that the minutes be approved, and Trish Clawson seconded her motion.  Motion passed.

Treasurer's report and budget were presented by Cay Sergent.  Faye Peters made the motion that both the report and the budget be accepted.  Sarah Oglesbee seconded her motion.  Motion passed.

Correspondence:

Thank you was read from Joann Brown for our group's help following her house fire.
Becky Legan requested  reserve status, which was approved.

There were no committee reports, unfinished business, or new business.

Announcements:

Books from Project Honor were given to Bolivar's assistant principal.

It was mentioned that some members had a problem running the program book.

That matter will be corrected.

Rita Legan's name was drawn for the goody basket for early dues payment.

We were reminded of the Silent Auction at our November 15 meeting.  Members should bring two or three items valued at $10 or $15 or contribute $10 or $15 with regrets.

Remember to wear denim.

Initiation was held for the three new members:  Christa Rowland, Karla Spear, Rachel Tennison.

Meeting was adjourned followed by the singing of the Delta Kappa song.