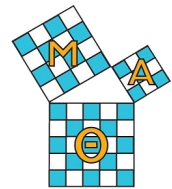




Mu Alpha Theta

June 2022



DIANE RUBIN SERVICE AWARD WINNING CHAPTER

Buchholz High School
Gainesville, Florida
Will Frazer, Sponsor

The following is cited from their application:

The Buchholz Mu Alpha Theta chapter leads several service initiatives to provide quality mathematics education, foster love for problem solving, and promote STEM inclusion in our greater community.

Their annual projects include

- ◆ coordinating three summer math day-camps;
- ◆ organizing the Math Olympiad outreach program;
- ◆ hosting the Superintendent's Challenge – an annual countywide math competition for students grades 4-8; and
- ◆ collaborating with a local charity to raise money for pediatric cancer.

They were featured in an article in the Gainesville Sun,

<https://www.gainesville.com/story/news/education/2021/07/26/buchholz-bobcats-math-team-wins-national-math-competition-again/5374403001/>



Will Frazer, Coach & Sponsor



Snapshot from the video, Buchholz HS submitted

T-SHIRT CONTEST WINNING CHAPTER

Fayetteville High School
Fayetteville, Arkansas
Tieler Driscoll, Sponsor

After narrowing the field to 9 designs and removing identifying information, the Governing Council voted to award the design below the T-Shirt Contest funds. It was an incredibly difficult decision.

No decision has been made in regards to color of the T-shirt and the design may be modified to present the design in the best light.

Once printed the T-shirts will be available for a limited for purchase by Mu Alpha Theta members through their sponsors.



"Math is rated E, it's for EVERYONE!!" ~ Nick V.

More Awards on the Next Page

REGION IV SPONSOR OF THE YEAR

Congratulations to Robert Dodson, who is the sponsor at Strawberry Crest High School in Dover, Florida.

According to one of his recommendations,

Robert joined the Strawberry Crest math family in January of 2021. He immediately brought back to life the Mu Alpha Theta club here at Strawberry Crest. In the 2021-2022 School year, he started training students and built the club to over 70 members who are all either active in competitions or part of groups that tutor students here on campus and at the local elementary school.

The students Robert works with have excelled and continue to bring home awards in every competition they have competed in giving bragging rights to the school. He shows great school pride, and no doubt will do a great job at the state competition where Strawberry Crest will compete for the first time in school history.

Robert has also served as the FAMAT Treasurer.

GOVERNOR'S SERVICE AND LEADERSHIP AWARD WINNERS

This award was established in 2015 by the Governors of Mu Alpha Theta to recognize a graduating member for their outstanding leadership skills and exceptional service to their Mu Alpha Theta chapter. The winner may choose to receive the \$4,000 prize for this award as a scholarship or as a cash prize.

Varsha Jacob, Alpharetta High School, Alpharetta, GA
Ashley Qiu, John Jay Sr. High School, Hopewell Junction, NY

You may apply for the 2023 Governors' Leadership and Service Award starting September 1, 2022. Check at MuAlphaTheta.org then for access to the application.

CHAPTERS COME IN ALL SIZES



Sandra Day O'Connor High School, Helotes, TX



Baton Rouge Magnet High School, Baton Rouge, LA

REMINDER

Students are not nor can they be sponsors. Students should direct all questions to their sponsors rather than the national office.

As a student you should not have access to the sponsor's log in or password.

If you want to order a T-shirt or oth-

er bling for yourself, you may do so only at the public store, <https://mualphatheta.org/content/available-merchandise>

STATISTICS

As of May 31, 2022
MAΘ Chapters: 2,456 MAΘ
Members: 104,586
Chi Alpha Mu Chapters: 239

SEE YOU IN AUGUST!

Lisa Herron MAΘ Past President

Lisa Herron is currently Past President of Mu Alpha Theta. She graduated from Stetson University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Mathematics and a double minor in Computer Science and Education. Lisa also has a Master of Arts in Teaching in Mathematics from Florida Atlantic University. She currently serves as the Mathematics & Computer Science Department chair at Cypress Bay High School, where she teaches Information Technology and Thinking Skills along with mathematics.

Lisa was a member of Mu Alpha Theta while at Coral Springs High School and was honored to have Barbara Nunn as her sponsor. She also had Ann Singleton, Gregg Bantz and Jenny

Negin, former sponsors at Stoneman Douglas, as her teachers in high school!

After transferring to Cypress Bay from Stoneman Douglas in 2005, Lisa became the Mu Alpha Theta sponsor. She also became very active in Florida Association of Mu Alpha Theta where she has served as the Vice President for State Convention, and most recently as Region V director. Lisa has spent the last four years serving the Mu Alpha Theta National Governing Council. During this time of Covid, she served as President-Elect, President, and Past President. Obviously, this was a stressful time, especially since Mu Alpha Theta also lost its Executive Director.

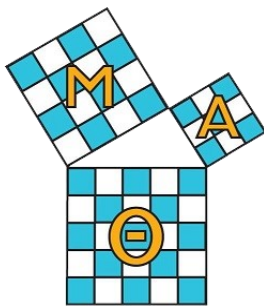


In her spare time, Lisa enjoys reading, quilting, making scrapbooks and cards, cooking, and playing the piano. She is also very active in her church in the choir and orchestra.

We will truly miss Lisa when her term ends after the Convention.

IMPORTANT DATES

- June 20, 2022 Office Closed
- July 1—July 31, 2022 Store closed
- July 8—July 18, 2022 Office closed for Convention



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YOUR CHAPTER COULD BE THE STAR

Please submit a picture of your MAΘ chapter (members, school, some activity your members participated in) and school in jpg or png format to to Kathy@mualphatheta.org with permission to publish the photo. Be sure to include the name of your school in the subject line of the e-mail. If you'd like to be featured, send us a short story (Just a paragraph or two), too!



for a great year!