**1. Advance Excellence in Education**

 **(Compiled from 2013 ADS Chapter Biennial Reports)**

1. **S.E.E. Project - Supporting Early Educators – International Project**
2. **School Safety Issues & Alice Training – Alpha Alpha**
3. **First Book – Trumbull County – Jan Vaughn, librarian, Alpha Omega**
4. **Panel discussion by 4 teachers on what teaching is all about-**
5. **Senator Schiavone- Schools in Ohio – Beta Chi**
6. **Children’s Rehab in Howland, Tutor U program – Beta Chi**
7. **Reading Through the Dewey Decimal System – Painesville Librarian, Mary Burns- Alpha Omega**
8. **Using Selective Questioning to Develop Listening Skills- Gamma Pi**
9. **Dr. Mariane Dove – Speaks on signs of neglect, sexual assault & child abuse law- Gamma Pi**
10. **Obamacare – Gamma Pi**
11. **Speech therapist who writes grants for books – Alpha Iota**
12. **Bullying and Global Food Supply – Alpha Delta**
13. **“We’re Glad You’re In Education” gift with intro. to DKG to early –career educators- Alpha Zeta**
14. **Merit pay, Reading endorsements – Alpha Zeta**
15. **Cedar Bog Butterfly presentation – Alpha Eta**
16. **Civic & Urban Engagement at Wittenberg University – Alpha Eta**
17. **Teacher Evaluations – Alpha Theta**
18. **Therapeutic Horse Riding Program for children with disabilities- Alpha Lambda**
19. **Science Investigations Program thru Ohio University – Alpha Lambda**
20. **Carroll County “Back to School Extravaganza” – Alpha Mu**
21. **Jefferson County Retired Teachers Assoc. – Alpha Mu**
22. **Chalkboard paint on flower pots filled with teaching supplies – Delta Epsilon**
23. **Special Education – Gamma Iota**
24. **Work at Book Fairs- Gamma Xi**
25. **Stalking Program – Beta Chi**
26. **Human Trafficking – Alpha Omega/ Beta Gamma / Beta Chi**
27. **School Violence/ Shooter – Alpha Omega**
28. **Run For the Wall – Beta Alpha**
29. **Cancer Center speaker – Beta Epsilon**
30. **Teen Social Issues- Beta Zeta**
31. **Affordable Health Care Act, Remembering Our Overseas Troops- Beta Kappa**
32. **Right to Work Issues- Beta Lambda**
33. **SPARK Program – Beta Lambda**
34. **Sound Discoveries – Beta Nu**
35. **“Educators In Action” – Beta Rho**
36. **Maltz Museum – Gamma Zeta**
37. **Members critique papers written from career center- Gamma Theta**
38. **Senator Schiavone- Schools in Ohio – Delta Delta/ Beta Chi**
39. **Common Core Standards- Alpha**
40. **Chamber of Commerce – Education Needed for Today’s Jobs- Beta**
41. **Grants to new teachers – invite recipients to Ch. Meetings- Gamma/Alpha Delta/ Alpha Psi**
42. **Volunteering at Schools- Gamma**
43. **State visitation from State Chairmen/ Officers**
44. **Electronic books – Delta**
45. **“Laundry basket books” – local book sharing project – Delta/ Alpha Phi**
46. **Auction of hand-crafted items from members- Zeta**
47. **Local scholarships for college students entering their student teaching- Zeta**
48. **Member sewed a quilt- sold tickets and raffled off at last Ch. Meeting-**
49. **Generation Y(those people born after 1990) Zeta**
50. **Dolly Parton Imagination Library- Iota**
51. **A Chips Project- bags of chips with DKG information and contact information to every teacher- Kappa**
52. **Mentors- Lambda**
53. **Disabilities, Inclusion, handwriting Hot topics – Omicron**
54. **Collection of School Supplies to be distributed to new teachers – Alpha Gamma / Beta Delta**