

CHAPTER SPOTLIGHT

2021 – 2023

Omega Chapter “Active Educator Appreciation Project”



Omega Member **Kristen Carr** with Items for Active Educators

In times of a crisis, *Omega* sisters have been known to rise to the challenge. “**Teacher Appreciation Week**” offered a unique opportunity for *Omega* retirees to step up and do just that for their sister educators who have been working in this unprecedented time of havoc, upheaval and health risks. Going from real to virtual practically overnight did not come without its share of frustration and stress.

To show their appreciation to their sisters for going above and beyond normal expectations in a difficult time, *Omega* retirees gifted their 12 active educators with baskets of personal and professional items carefully selected to fill needs and help alleviate stress. Baskets included a variety of items such as: scented candles, gift cards for coffee, take out and spa indulges, extension cords for multiple devices, flowers, professional and literary books, and bottles of water and prizes for students. Each basket was tailored to the educator's individual "wish list."

Omega retirees give *kudos* and *thanks* to our sisters "in the trenches" who have worked tirelessly to adjust, adapt, create and innovate to ensure that their students remain engaged and motivated learners in a challenging time.

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