



## San Joaquín County Reading Association and the Beta Tau Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma



Invite you to join us for our Annual Winter Tea

Tuesday, February 20, 2018 ~ 4:00pm
Fireside Room- Central Methodist Church
3700 Pacific Avenue, Stockton
We will have tea and nibbles ©, awards, and a fabulous speaker
Free for CRA Members, \$5.00 for non-members, Children FREE
Please RSVP to Lynda Wong, (209) 477-6624 by Feb. 14



## Patricia Newman

is an author from Sacramento and she loves writing books for children! She gets her ideas from being around them and has a great support team to help her come up with ideas! Her sciencebased books are also of great interest to adults! She presents at schools too! A few of her books are:



## Awards



★ International Literacy Association's Celebrate Literacy Award for Exemplar Service in the Promotion of Literacy:

Delta Kappa Gamma: Tau & Zeta Rho Chapters for Books for Babes



Plastic Ahoy! – About the Great Pacific Garbage Patch



**Sea Otter Heroes** – About sea otters that helped their ecosystem



**Zoo Scientists to the Rescue** – About three zoos who are helping save endangered animals and Many More!

## **★**Books for Babes

Books for Babes is a literacy project initiated by the Delta Kappa Gamma Society, a group of key educators in the area. Each month, this community outreach project distributes about 500 "baby's first books" to parents of newborns in three major hospitals in San Joaquin County: St. Joseph's Medical Center, San Joaquin General Hospital, and Lodi Memorial.

