

ALPHA SIGMA ALPHA ALUMNAE BOOK CLUB DISCUSSION QUESTIONS
JUNE 2019 – “WHERE THE CRAWDADS SING” BY DELIA OWENS

1. What was your favorite moment in Kya’s journey through the book?
2. Kya overcame all odds in surviving on her own, learning to read and becoming a published writer. Have you ever personally known someone who overcame all odds to reach success?
3. While reading the book, who did you think killed Chase? Did your thoughts change as you continued reading the book?
4. What was your reaction to finally learning who killed Chase? Did it make you think of that character any differently?
5. Kya’s connection to the marsh and nature is a large theme in the book. What do you think was the most important part of this theme? Did the vivid descriptions of nature contribute to your overall enjoyment of the book?
6. What did you think of the relationship between Kya and Chase? Since he continued to wear the seashell necklace, did you think Chase had true feelings for Kya?
7. How did you feel about Kya and Tate’s relationship? Did you like the way their storyline came together?
8. Kya’s family walked out on her, but she found family-figures in Jumpin and Mabel. What were your thoughts on these different relationships, and did any of their actions shock you?
9. What were your thoughts on the way womanhood and coming-of-age were depicted in the novel? Did you find the depiction accurate given Kya’s situation?
10. Were you satisfied with the ending of the story?