



Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated®
Rho Kappa Omega Chapter

Joint General Body Meeting Agenda
 May 21, 2016 @ 11am

Mary McLeod Bethune Center 140 Martin Luther King Drive, Jersey City, NJ 07305
 Rho Kappa Omega Basileus Cimeron Bryant, Presiding

<u>Time</u>	<u>Agenda Item</u>	<u>Responsible Soror</u>
11:00	Meditation	Soror Cimeron Bryant, Basileus (PKQ)
11:03	Adoption of Agenda	Soror Cimeron Bryant, Basileus (PKQ)
11:04	Approval of Minutes	Soror Shevon Armstrong, Grammateus (PKQ) Soror Elisheva M.R., Basileus (TS)
11:09	Reading of Ivy Beyond the Wall Resolution	Soror Sobande F. Afolabi (PKQ)
	Officers' Reports	
11:14	Basileus	Soror Cimeron Bryant (PKQ) Soror Elisheva M.R. (TS)
11:18	Epistoleus	Soror Vanessa Jean-Louis (PKQ) Soror Cashonda Grant (TS)
11:22	Pecunious Grammateus	Soror Tynesha Banks (PKQ) Soror Elisheva M.R. (TS)
11:26	Tamiouchos	Soror Sobande F. Afolabi (PKQ) Soror Cashonda Grant (TS)
11:30	Hodegos	Soror Vaidra Johnson (PKQ)
11:35	Committee Reports (Updates and Questions Only)	
	Program, Archives, Connection, Membership, Standards and Sisterly Relations (PKQ and TS Committee Chairmen)	
11:43	Bylaws	Soror Darcell Medley-Stokes, Chairman (PKQ)
	New Business	
11:49	Action Item	Soror Cimeron Bryant, Basileus (PKQ)
11:53	Spring Mailing	Soror Elisheva M.R., Basileus (TS) Soror Cimeron Bryant, Basileus (PKQ)
12:03	NARC Delegate Report	Soror Cashonda Grant (TS)
12:07	Boule Alternate Delegates	Soror Cimeron Bryant, Basileus (PKQ)
12:12	Publicity and Technology Workshop	Soror Tiffany Riddick, Chairman (PKQ) Soror Cashonda Grant, Chairman (TS)
12:27	Protocol Workshop	Soror Vaidra Johnson, Chairman (PKQ)
12:42	Joint Sisterly Relations Activity	Tau Sigma Chapter
12:52	Philacter Report	Soror Andrea Wright, Philacter (PKQ) Soror Elisheva M.R. Basileus (TS)
12:56	Announcements	Joint General Body (PKQ and TS)
1:00	International Hymn & Pledge	Joint General Body (PKQ and TS)
1:05	Adjournment	Soror Cimeron Bryant, Basileus (PKQ)



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Rho Kappa Omega Chapter

General Body Meeting Minutes

Basileus Cimeron Bryant, Presiding

Date: **April 16, 2016**

Location: Mary McLeod Bethune Center 140 Martin Luther King Drive Jersey, City, NJ

28 Sorors attended and attendance sheet attached **9:08 a.m.** - meeting called to order
Basileus Bryant asked everyone to bow heads in moment of silence for Soror Patricia Bryant

Meditation -provided by Soror Christina Davila

Adoption of agenda- by general consent

Approval of minutes- adopted by general consent

Officers Reports

Basileus- provided by Basileus Bryant- read her newsletter (newsletter on file)

Epistoleus- provided by Soror Vanessa Jean- Louis- updates to report include- 1. Jersey City Kappa's having an event. 2. Tau Sigma having a book bag drive 3. Tau Sigma comedy show May 30, 2016 for \$20. -report on file

Pecunious Grammateus- provided by Soror Tynesha Banks- read report summary (March 2016) - report on file

Tamiuchos- provided by Soror Sobande Afolabi- read summary of report- (March 2016) - report on file

Hodegos- provided by Soror Vaidra Johnson- no report- committee would be doing workshop on Protocol

Committee Reports

Program- verbal updates- Soror Sallie Brown wanted to thank committee members of previous two programs (Soror V. Hope Powell and Soror Tamra Sanchez) - read correspondence from speakers about event. Thank you letter from speaker Michael Weitzman – read by Soror Tamra Sanchez. Scholarships applications due May 9, 2016- asking Sorors to get anyone to complete scholarships. Asking for location to start Ascend program-, Update on Sustainable Conference program, looking for volunteers and fill out sign-up sheet- Report on file

Courtesy and Protocol- protocol workshops next month-

Bylaws- provided by Soror Darcell Medley- Stokes- no updates- report on file. Will vote on amendments at next chapter meeting

Publicity and Technology- provided by Soror Lyndsay Christian- report on file

Archives- provided by Soror Heather Spencer- report on file.

Graduate Advisory- provided by Soror Corinne Rivers- report on file.

Connection- provided by Soror Gwendolyn Anthony- report on file.

Fundraising- provided by Soror Sabrina Riley- report on file.

Standards- provided by Soror Tamra Sanchez- report on file

Sisterly Relations- provided by Soror Charlotte Rogers- Brown- report on file.

New Business

Action Items

- 1. Recommendation to ratify the Fundraising Committee decision to change the previously adopted movie feature Best Man Wedding to Barbershop Next Cut due to movie release date being delayed- Soror Angela Mason moved to accept recommendation as presented. - Motion carried.**

Boule Delegates- Basileus shared information about Delegates and Automatic Delegates: PKQ has 43 members so we are entitled to four delegates. Basileus and Graduate Advisor are automatic delegates and the chapter would need two more delegates- Soror Sabrina Riley and Soror Sobande Afolabi volunteered to be delegates. Soror Darcell Medley- Stokes and Soror Shevon Armstrong volunteered to be alternate delegates. **Motion made by Soror Dolores LA Curtis that the names submitted for Boule delegates and alternates be approved. Main motion amended by Soror Andrea Mason to insert after delegates the names Sabrina Riley and Sobande Afolabi and to enter after alternate delegates Shevon Armstrong and Darcell Medley- Stokes. - Motion carried. Main Motion with amendment – Motion carried**

Philacter Report- No late fines collected no alarms.

Announcements

- 1. Soror V. Hope Powell thanked everyone for supporting the Financial Workshop**
- 2. Soror Angela Mason wanted to publicly thank everyone for her NARC experience**
- 3. Soror Vanetha Wood- Stradford announced Soror Siiera Robinson was inducted into Kappa Delta Pi, International Educational Honor Society.**
- 4. Soror Andrea Mason – announced Step 4 Step -May 7th line dance- see her tickets**
- 5. Soror Sharmelle Hunte- announced information about stage managing a musical and asked Sorors to support her reading at Church of Incarnation- 68 Storm Avenue 4- 6:30 pm**
- 6. Soror Shevon Armstrong asked for support on the book bag drive and us supporting Hudson County Book bag drive**
- 7. Soror Andrea Mason followed up with water lead issue provided by West Kinney and her organization gave 200 cases of water to Quitman Street Community School in Newark.**
- 8. Soror Andrea Wright- presented participation awards to Chapter Sorors for coming to previous events the chapter has held for the year.**

Basileus Bryant-Shared info about Ivy Beyond the Wall ceremony that will be next week April 23, 2016.

International Hymn & Pledge

Adjournment- Meeting adjourned at 10:11 a.m.

Rho Kappa Omega Attendance Sheet

General Body Meeting

April 16, 2016

1. Soror Altamese Drummond
2. Soror Andrea Mason
3. Soror Andrea Wright
4. Soror Angela Mason
5. Soror Christina Davila
6. Soror Cimeron Bryant
7. Soror Corinne Rivers
8. Soror Darcell Medley- Stokes
9. Soror Dolores L.A. Curtis
10. Soror Doris Taylor
11. Soror Gloria Felder
12. Soror Gwendolyn Anthony
13. Soror Heather Spencer
14. Soror Janet Chavis
15. Soror Lyndsay Christian
16. Soror Sabrina Riley
17. Soror Sallie Brown
18. Soror Sharmelle Hunte
19. Soror Shevon Armstrong
20. Soror Siiera Robinson
21. Soror Sobande Afolabi
22. Soror Tamra Sanchez
23. Soror Tonia Slay- Daniels
24. Soror Trudy Miles
25. Soror Tynesha Banks
26. Soror Vanessa Jean- Louis
27. Soror Vanetha Wood- Stratford
28. Soror Vernetha Hope Powell



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Sisterly Greetings from the Basileus

Greetings Sorors!

Happy Mother's Day to our Rho Kappa Omega mothers, grandmothers, mothers-to-be and aunties. Hope you all had a relaxing and enjoyable day.

Welcome Tau Sigma Sorors to our first joint chapter meeting in 2016. Thank you for your participation in helping to facilitate this meeting.

May is "Celebrating Legacies" Month. We would like honor our **Mother/Daughter Legacy Sorors**: Soror Janet Chavis and Soror Jahari Jacobs; Soror Tonia Slay-Daniels and Soror Maya Daniels; Soror Angela Mason and Soror Andrea Mason; Soror Trudy Miles and Soror Altamease Drummond; and Soror Sabrina Riley and Soror Renada Williams. Thank you sorors for your legacy and service to our great sisterhood.

Immediately following May's joint chapter meeting, Rho Kappa Omega will host our 2nd **AKA 1908 Playgrounds Mobilization Day** where we will help refresh, restore and renew Arlington Park in Jersey City. This year, we partnered with several local organizations and businesses in the community to help make this program a family fun day in the park. PKQ wants to put the **PLAY** back in playgrounds and ensure children have a safe and inviting place to play.

Sisterly,
Soror Cimeron

Email: pkqbasileus7@gmail.com

Phone: (201) 310-3914

Basileus Itinerary for May

May 12th: Alpha Kappa Alpha Budget Forum Webinar
May 14th: Meet the Greeks Event
May 15th: Executive Board Meeting
May 18th: Basilei Council Meeting
May 21st: Joint General Body Meeting with Tau Sigma Chapter
May 21st: AKA 1908 Playgrounds Mobilization Day Program

- 2016 Officers
- BASILEUS**
Cimeron Bryant
- ANTI-BASILEUS**
Sallie E. Brown
- GRAMMATEUS**
Shevon Armstrong
- ANTI-GRAMMATEUS**
Jazmin Gooding
- PECUNIOUS GRAMMATEUS**
Tynesha Banks
- TAMIOUCHOS**
Sobandé F. Afolabi, Esq.
- EPISTOLEUS**
Vanessa Jean-Louis
- HODEGOS**
Vaidra Boston
- PHILACTER**
Andrea Wright
- PARLIAMENTARIAN**
Darcell Medley-Stokes
- IVY LEAF REPORTER**
Tiffany M. Riddick
- CUSTODIAN**
Vanetha Wood-Stradford
- HISTORIAN**
Heather Spencer
- GRADUATE ADVISOR**
Corinne E. Rivers, Esq.
- CHAPLAIN**

In the News



Cluster IV Updates:

Help make history by purchasing a New Jersey AKA Specialty License Plate. The cost is \$100. For more information, please Madame Basileus.

The North Atlantic Region Cape is now available for Pre-Order. The cost is \$75. For more information, please visit the region's website.

SAVE THE DATE

67th Boule **July 9 - July 15, 2016** in Atlanta, GA.
Registration fee - \$400. Deadline for registration is **May 31st**.

Cluster IV Leadership Conference - **Saturday, October 8, 2016** at Brookdale Community College in Lincroft, NJ.

North Atlantic Leadership Meeting, **January 7, 2017**. More information to follow.

86th North Atlantic Regional Conference **April 26-30, 2017** in Baltimore, Maryland.

Other Updates:

Revised Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. manuals are available for purchase on the corporate office website at www.aka1908.com.

Please keep Soror Karin Bryant, Soror Tiffany Riddick and Charter Member Soror Doreen Haynes and their families in prayer as they mourn the loss of their loved ones.

Monthly Calendar of Chapter Events

May 21st: Joint General Body Meeting & AKA 1908 Playgrounds Mobilization Day Program



May Birthdays

11th - Soror Tiffany Riddick
15th - Soror Altamease Drummond
25th - Soror Gwen Anthony
31st - Soror Christina Davila

2016 Committee Chairmen

PROGRAM - Sallie E. Brown
BUDGET & FINANCE - Sobande F. Afolabi
COURTESY & PROTOCOL - Vaidra Johnson
BYLAWS - Darcell Medley-Stokes
PUBLICITY & TECHNOLOGY - Tiffany Riddick
ARCHIVES - Heather Spencer
CONNECTION - Gwen Anthony
EAF Captain - Sabrina Riley
FUNDRAISING - Sabrina Riley
LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT Vernetha Hope Powell
MEMBERSHIP - Tonia Slay-Daniels
STANDARDS - Tamra Sanchez
STRATEGIC PLANNING - Janet Chavis
SISTERLY RELATIONS - Charlotte Rogers-Brown

AKA - lades

Soror Maya Daniels received a Masters of Business Administrator from Hampton University.

Soror Vanessa Jean-Louis received a Masters in Social Works from Columbia University.

Soror Siiera Robinson received a Masters in Special Education from New Jersey City University.

New Jersey City University - Tau Sigma Chapter

Congratulations to Soror Elisheva M.R. who is one of the 39 undergraduate sorors in the North Atlantic Region inducted into the Region's 4.0 Club for earning a 4.0 last semester.

Soror Maya Bryant received a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration with a concentration in Management.

Soror Camita Doctor received a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Criminal Justice.

Soror Kendra Lee received a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Psychology.

Congratulations to all our graduates!!!

To be featured in the monthly newsletter for promotions, births, marriages, engagements, etc. Please contact Basilues Bryant at pkqbasileus7@gmail.com. We would love to acknowledge your accomplishments!



Rho Kappa Omega

May 2016 Correspondence Report

- From: Soror **Danette Anthony Read**
What: Re-Election advertisement for Supreme Tamiouchos
Notes: Flyer available upon request
- From: **Alpha Kappa Alpha/ Corporate Office**
What: Spring Mailing Package
Notes: N/A
- From: **Already Gear**
What: Advertisement for Greek apparel
Notes: Flyer available upon request
- From: **AKA/ Pi Kappa Omega Chapter**
What: Invitation to attend 30th Anniversary Gala on Saturday/ June 25, 2016 at ESPACE 635 West 42nd St. NY, NY. Ticket Price is \$150
Notes: Journal advisement pricing chart was also enclosed
- From: **Morgan State University/Att: Sobande Afolabi**
What: Domestic Return Receipt
Notes: N/A
- From: **Rutgers University/ Att: Sobande Afolabi**
What: Domestic Return Receipt
Notes: N/A
- From: **Soror Elisheva M.R/ Att: GAC**

What: Thank you card: "I would like to personally thank the GAC for the gift they have given me due to being inducted into the 4.0 Club. It means a lot to me and is very much so appreciated. Sisterly, Soror Elisheva M.R"

Notes: Card available upon request

- From: **Soror Tammy Williams**

What: Thank you letter for attending the Anna Easter Brown Marker Unveiling in West Orange, on 2/5/16. A commemorative DVD was created, if the members of the chapter would like a personal copy of the DVD, please contact Soror Tammy directly at 973.219.7687

Notes: All contributions go towards the Anna Easter Brown Scholarship Endowment

- From: **Food Bank of New Jersey**

What: Donation Request

Notes: N/A

- From: **Soror Antoria C. Fraier, UMAL Candidate**

What: Election advertisement for Undergraduate Member-at-Large.

Notes: Flyer available upon request

- From: **Jersey City Public Library**

- What: Response to the "Application for Use of Meeting Rooms"

Notes: The notes attached states that they are unable to accommodate PKQ, please call the Director's office for explanation at 201.547.4508

- From: **NAMI**

What: Thank you letter for \$50.00 contribution

Notes: N/A

- From: **American Cancer Society**

What: Advertisement for donation

Notes: N/A

- From: **Renaissance Institute**

What: Scholarship application for Niani Vonce

Notes: All supporting documents were enclosed in the package

- From: **Novak/ Henry Snyder High School**

What: Scholarship application for the following students: Malia C. Robinson, Rachel Z. George and Rahjetta B. Mix

Notes: All supporting documents were enclosed in the package

- From: **Infinity Institute**

What: Scholarship application for Khairi Cody

Notes: All supporting documents were enclosed in the package

- From: **Brianna Thomas**

What: Scholarship application

Notes: All supporting documents were enclosed in the package

- From: **Jihane Touil**

What: Scholarship application

Notes: All supporting documents were enclosed in the package

- From: **A. Lincoln High School**

What: Scholarship application for the following students: Raya J. White, Margarita Guzman, Ashshunyt A. Muhmuwd, Tahjanae D. Banks, Kiashia L. La Sane, Elizabeth L. Rivers, Brittany A. Britto and Raissa W. Kenah

Notes: All supporting documents were enclosed in the package

- From: **PNC Bank/ Att: Att: Sobande Afolabi**

What: New Visa business debit card with chip technology to further protect your debit card information

Notes: Card ending in 4917

- From: **PNC Bank/ Att: Sobande Afolabi**

What: New Visa business debit card with chip technology to further protect your debit card information

Notes: Card ending in 7532

- From: **Community Food Bank**

What: Advertisement for donation

Notes: N/A

- From: **AKA/ Pi Xi Omega Chapter**

What: Invitation to their "Diamonds and Pearls 30th Fubilee" on June 11, 2016 at 7pm-11pm at Barnyard and Carriage House/ 754 Totowa Road, Totowa, NJ. Also request to purchase journal advertisement: Full page \$75, Half page \$50, Quarter page \$25, all ads must be received on or before May 28th, 2016

Notes: Two tickets were enclosed.

- From: **Soror Keniece Gray, Second Supreme Anti- Basileus Nominee**

What: Election advertisement.

Notes: Flyer available upon request.

- From: **American Cancer Society**

What: Request to donate money.

Notes: N/A

From: **AKA/ Pi Theta Omega Chapter**

What: Invitation to 30th Anniversary, "Afternoon Gala" on Sunday, June 12, 2016 at 2pm-6pm. Hanover Marriott/ 1410 Route 10 East, Whippany, NJ. Ticket are \$100.00

Notes: Journal advisement pricing chart was also enclosed, deadline to submit ad is May 23, 2016.

Respectfully,

Soror Vanessa Jean-Louis

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc
Rho Kappa Omega
Pecunious Grammeteus Report April 1 - April 30, 2016

Account Name	Name	Amount	Check #/Cash	Receipt #	Date Received	Date Submitted	Purpose	Notes
Operating	Soror Sabrina	5.50	Cash	785648	4/16/2016	4/16/2016	2016 NARC Table	

Total Operating Account 5.50

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Fundraising	Lenice Jones	30.31	PayPal	8CJ88957V/55283 60W	4/5/2016	4/20/2016	Movie Ticket (2)	Soror Tamera Sanchez Assessment Met
Fundraising	Soror Maya Daniels	30.00	Cash	262202	4/7/2016	4/10/2016	Movie Ticket (2)	Assessment Met
Fundraising	Soror Tonia Slay Daniels	45.00	Cash	262203	4/7/2016	4/10/2016	Movie Ticket (3)	Assessment Met
Fundraising	Patrice Johnson	15.00	Paypal	5P62817FE508565 49	4/8/2016	4/20/2016	Movie Ticket (1)	
Fundraising	Nicole Hudson	15.00	Paypal	1XD45456474875 11M	4/13/2016	4/20/2016	Movie Ticket (1)	
Fundraising	Barbara Washington	15.00	PayPal	6D5034231A1890 33C	4/13/2016	4/20/2016	Movie Ticket (1)	
Fundraising	Soror Sobande Afolabi	30.00	Cash	262205	4/10/2016	4/10/2016	Movie Ticket (2)	Assessment Met
Fundraising	Soror Tynasha Banks	30.00	Cash	262204	4/10/2016	4/10/2016	Movie Ticket (2)	Assessment Met
Fundraising	Soror Cimeron Bryant	30.00	#5566	262206	4/15/2016	4/20/2016	Movie Ticket (2)	Assessment Met
Fundraising	Soror Sallie Brown	30.00	Cash	262207	4/15/2016	4/20/2016	Movie Ticket (2)	Assessment Met
Fundraising	Soror Corinne Rivers	45.00	Cash	262208	4/15/2016	4/16/2016	Movie Ticket (3)	Assessment Met
Fundraising	Soror Tonia Slay Daniels	105.00	Cash	262209	4/15/2016	4/16/2016	Movie Ticket (8)	Assessment Met

Account Name	Name	Amount	Check #/Cash	Receipt #	Date Received	Date Submitted	Purpose	Notes
Fundraising Soror Gwendolyn Anthony		60.00	#1252	262210	4/15/2016	4/16/2016	Movie Ticket (4)	Assessment Met; credit 2 tix for Soror Doloris Curtis
Fundraising Soror Renada Williams		30.00	Cash	262211	4/15/2016	4/16/2016	Movie Ticket (2)	Assessment Met
Fundraising Soror Sabrina Riley		120.00	Cash	262212	4/15/2016	4/16/2016	Movie Ticket (8)	Assessment Met
Fundraising Soror Sonia Monet Pleasant		30.00	Cash	262213	4/15/2016	4/16/2016	Movie Ticket (2)	Assessment Met
Fundraising Soror Vanessa Jean-Louis		30.00	Cash	262214	4/16/2016	4/16/2016	Movie Ticket (2)	Assessment Met
Fundraising Jhan-Lon Motely		15.00	PayPal	3CG08662653565 619	4/14/2016	4/20/2016	Movie Ticket (1)	
Fundraising S.H.E Designs		60.91	PayPal	0TT55319H7825 94V	4/15/2016	4/20/2016	Movie Ticket (4)	
Fundraising Nicole Whitson		15.00	PayPal	7NW52665N2836 9416	4/15/2016	4/20/2016	Movie Ticket (1)	
Fundraising Soror Shevon Armstrong		15.00	PayPal	3V991427149898 94H	4/15/2016	4/20/2016	Movie Ticket (1)	
Fundraising Jennifer Collins		15.00	PayPal	2YJ658540C2342 45R	4/15/2016	4/20/2016	Movie Ticket (1)	
Fundraising Soror Verneetha Powell		30.31	PayPal	3MX92507BG421 605J	4/15/2016	4/20/2016	Movie Ticket (2)	Assessment Met
Fundraising Soror Natalie Cox Russell		30.31	PayPal	5KH12656K86006 45A	4/15/2016	4/20/2016	Movie Ticket (2)	Assessment Met
Fundraising Soror Janet Chavis		15.00	PayPal	3MX92507BG421 605J	4/15/2016	4/20/2016	Movie Ticket (1)	Assessment Met
Fundraising Soror Sabrina Riley		15.00	PayPal	7CK54157KL4651 44U	4/15/2016	4/20/2016	Movie Ticket (1)	
Fundraising Renee Dixon		15.00	PayPal	4HB976329G3184 93D	4/15/2016	4/20/2016	Movie Ticket (1)	
Fundraising Soror Andrea Wright		30.31	PayPal	31H254318H2111 71J	4/15/2016	4/20/2016	Movie Ticket (2)	Assessment Met
Fundraising Soror Andrea Mason		15.00	PayPal	0W785021P79884 849	4/15/2016	4/20/2016	Movie Ticket (1)	
Fundraising Odara Designs		30.31	PayPal	54059892JA42335 4P	4/15/2016	4/20/2016	Movie Ticket (2)	

Account Name	Name	Amount	Check #/Cash	Receipt #	Date Received	Date Submitted	Purpose	Notes
Fundraising	Soror Andrea Mason	15.00	PayPal	8VL49504YR5939 908	4/15/2016	4/20/2016	Movie Ticket (1)	Assessment Met
Fundraising	Soror Andrea Mason	30.31	PayPal	7SD24780LR2673 54F	4/15/2016	4/20/2016	Movie Ticket (2)	
Fundraising	Vanetta Solomon	15.00	PayPal	8L770840KK5914 62U	4/16/2016	4/20/2016	Movie Ticket (1)	
Fundraising	Briad Ristaurant Group LLC.	156.26	#0000389882	262215	4/16/2016	4/16/2016	Dining to Donate	
Fundraising	Soror Vanetha Wood-Stradford	30.00	Cash	262216	4/16/2016	4/16/2016	Movie Ticket (2)	Assessment Met
Fundraising	Soror Sierra Robinson	30.00	Cash	262217	4/16/2016	4/16/2016	Movie Ticket (2)	Assessment Met
Fundraising	Oceanon Ave Baptist Church	100.00	#1800	262218	4/23/2016	5/2/2016	Donation Playground Project	
Total Fundraising Account		1369.03						

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Rho Kappa Omega
Recuritious Grammeteus Report April 1 - April 30, 2016

Total Scholarship Account
0.00



**Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.
Rho Kappa Omega Chapter
Tamiouchos Report
Operating Account
April 1 - April 30, 2016**

		Beginning Balance	\$19,742.72
<u>Income:</u>			
Rec'd	Deposit		
4/5/16	4/20/16	T. Miles (\$359), 2016 Chapter Dues and late fee for Altamease Drummond; C. Bryant (\$8), Philacter Fines collected at March 19, 2016 Chapter Meeting	\$367.00
4/16/16	4/20/16	S. Riley (\$5.50), NARC 2016 Gala Table Reservation	\$5.50
4/11/16	4/11/16	Online Transfer from Fundraising Account for Non Sufficient Fee reimbursed by chapter member but erroneously deposited into Fundraising Account	\$12.00
Total Income			\$384.50

<u>Disbursements:</u>			
Date	Posted	Check #	A/C #
4/9/16		1911	5270
		Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.: Ivy Leaf Submission with photo	\$150.00
4/10/16	4/15/16	1912	5510
		Sanon Global: Rental Space for March 2016 Executive Board Meeting	\$40.00
4/10/16	3/23/16	1913	5080
		Vanetha Wood-Stradford: Rolling bag for transporting items to/from storage unit	\$39.58
4/16/16	4/18/16	1914	5060/5910
		Corinne Rivers: NARC-related expenses including Registration, Undergraduate Luncheon ticket, GA certification fee; hotel expense; gift for 4.0 Club inductee	\$459.75
4/16/16		1915	5010
		Cimeron Bryant: NARC-related expenses including gifts for chapter attendees and Sister to Sister honoree	\$95.00
4/16/16		1916	5010
		Cimeron Bryant: NARC-related expenses including hotel expenses, Sister to Sister Luncheon ticket, ticket to Regional Director's Dinner	\$429.47
4/16/16	4/28/16	1917	6100
		Shevon Armstrong: Reimbursed for Sister to Sister Luncheon (Chapter Honoree)	\$55.00
Total Disbursements			\$1,268.80

Summary

Beginning Balance	\$19,742.72
Total Income	\$384.50
Total Disbursements	\$ (1,268.80)
Total Balance to be carried forward	\$18,858.42
Carry Over Balance	\$18,858.42
Outstanding Items	\$793.15
	1849/\$20, 1902/\$9, 1903/\$9, 1905/\$9, Manual #03/\$32.10, 1911/\$150, 1913/\$39.58, 1915/\$95, 1916/\$429.47
OUTSTANDING DEPOSIT	\$0.00
Bank Balance	\$19,651.57



**Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.
Rho Kappa Omega Chapter
Tamiouchos Report
Fundraising Account
April 1 - April 30, 2016**

Beginning Balance			\$17,039.61
<u>Income:</u>			
Rec'd	Deposit		
4/10/2016	4/20/2016	Purchase of 8 movie tickets	\$135.00
4/16/2016	4/20/2016	Purchase of 36 movie tickets (\$540); proceeds from Dining to Donate Fundraiser (\$156.26)	\$696.26
4/29/2016	PENDING	Online transfer from Paypal account for 29 movie tickets	\$437.77
Total Income			\$1,269.03

<u>Disbursements:</u>					
Date	Posted	Check #		A/C #	
4/9/2016	4/11/16	1519	Sabrina Riley: Thank You gifts for 4/16/16 Movie Event	4710	\$91.96
4/9/2016		1520	The National Coalition of 100 Black Women Inc.: E-journal Chapter Ad	1800	\$100.00
4/9/2016	4/18/16	1521	NAMI-NYC Metro: Speaking Donation for Mental Health Awareness Program	2300	\$50.00
4/9/2016	4/18/16	1522	Michael Weitzman: Speaking Donation for Mental Health Awareness Program	2300	\$50.00
4/9/16		1523	Mental Health Association of New Jersey: Speaking donation	2300	\$50.00
4/9/16		1524	Monumental Baptist Church: Donation for room rental	2300	\$100.00
4/9/16	4/25/16	1525	Tamra Sanchez: Reimbursement for expenses related to Mental Health Awareness Program	2300	\$51.92
4/10/16	4/14/16	1526	Sallie Brown: Gift cards for presenters at Financial Fitness Workshop	2700	\$89.85
4/11/2016	4/11/16	TRANSFER	Online Transfer from Fundraising Account for Non Sufficient Fee reimbursed by chapter member but erroneously deposited into Fundraising Account		\$12.00
4/16/16	4/19/16	1527	AMC Theatre: Movie tickets for fundraiser	4710	\$370.15
4/16/16	4/25/16	1528	Vernetha Powell: expenses related to Financial Fitness Workshop	2700	\$117.85
4/16/16		1529	VOID: Check written for wrong amount		
4/16/16		1530	Heather Spencer: Refreshments for Mental Health Awareness Program	2300	\$76.99
Total Disbursements					\$1,160.72

Summary

Beginning Balance	\$17,039.61
Total Income	\$1,269.03
Total Disbursements	\$ (1,160.72)
Total Balance to be carried forward	\$17,147.92
Carry Over Balance	\$17,147.92
Outstanding Items	1520/\$100, 1523/\$50, 1524/\$100, 1530/\$76.99 \$326.99
OUTSTANDING DEPOSIT	\$ (437.77)
Bank Balance	\$17,037.14



Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.
Rho Kappa Omega Chapter
Tamiouchos Report
Scholarship Account
April 1 - April 30, 2016

	Beginning Balance	\$1,544.55
	<u>Income:</u>	
Rec'd	Deposit	
	Total Income	\$0.00
	Adj Income: Stop payment will be placed on Check #1014	\$1,000.00
	Total Adjusted Income	\$1,000.00
	<u>Disbursements:</u>	
Date	Posted Check #	
4/13/16	4/20/16 1015 Rutgers University: 2015 Scholarship Recipient Rogina Gerges	\$1,000.00
4/13/16	4/21/16 1016 Morgan State Univ.: 2015 Scholarship Recipient Saria White	\$1,000.00
	Total Disbursements	\$2,000.00

Summary

Beginning Balance	\$1,544.55
Total Income	\$1,000.00
Total Disbursements	\$ (2,000.00)
Total Balance to be carried forward	\$544.55
Carry Over Balance	\$544.55
Outstanding Items	
Bank Balance	\$544.55

**Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.
Rho Kappa Omega Chapter
Chapter Operations
Tamiouchos Report
Comparison of Budget to Actual 2016**

As of April 30, 2016

**Approved Budget
\$23,630.00**

A/C#	Category	Approved Budget	Actual YTD	Remaining in Budget
<u>Officers' Expenditures</u>				
5010	Basileus	\$2,200.00	\$820.61	\$1,379.39
5020	Grammateus	\$75.00		\$75.00
5030	Epistoleus	\$73.00		\$73.00
5040	Tamiouchos	\$40.00		\$40.00
5050	Pecunious Grammateus	\$100.00		\$100.00
5060	Graduate Advisor	\$1,317.00	\$274.75	\$1,042.25
5070	Other Officers' Expenditures	\$50.00		\$50.00
5080	Custodian	\$200.00	\$39.58	\$160.42
<u>Standing Committees' Expenditures</u>				
5200	Standards Committee	\$45.00		\$45.00
5210	Membership Committee	\$350.00		\$350.00
5220	Connection Committee	\$50.00		\$50.00
5230	Archives Committee	\$255.00		\$255.00
5240	Leadership Development Team	\$600.00		\$600.00
5250	Awards Committee	\$255.00	\$81.90	\$173.10
5260	EAF Committee	\$125.00		\$125.00
5270	Publicity	\$870.00	\$305.00	\$565.00
5280	Graduate Advisory Committee	\$200.00		\$200.00
5290	Courtesies	\$800.00	\$57.60	\$742.40
5300	Sisterly Relations Committee	\$250.00		\$250.00
5310	Other Standing Committees' Expenditures	\$50.00		\$50.00
<u>Other Expenditures</u>				
<u>Administrative Expenditures</u>				
5500	Bank service charges	\$75.00	\$174.31	\$ (99.31) (4) See Below
5510	Monthly Meeting (room rental)	\$1,800.00	\$126.25	\$1,673.75
5520	Officers' Bonding	\$300.00		\$300.00
5530	P.O. Box Medium	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$0.00
5540	Storage Facility	\$1,800.00	\$1,691.65	\$108.35
5560	External Audit	\$500.00		\$500.00
5570	Pan Hellenic Council Dues	\$85.00		\$85.00
<u>Corporate Office Expenditures</u>				
5700	Chapter Tax	\$300.00		\$300.00
5710	Per Capita Tax	\$4,140.00	\$1,890.00	\$2,250.00 (1) See Below
5720	EAF Dues	\$490.00	\$220.00	\$270.00 (2) See Below
5730	Reactivation Fees	\$360.00		\$360.00
5740	Constitution & Bylaws/ Manual of Standard Procedure	\$55.00		\$55.00
<u>Conference Expenditures</u>				
5900	North Atlantic Region & Boule Assessments	\$100.00	\$75.00	\$25.00
5910	NARC Delegates	\$649.00	\$185.00	\$464.00
5920	Boule Delegates	\$1,365.00		\$1,365.00
5930	Other Conferences (Roundup and Cluster)	\$620.00		\$620.00
<u>Other Expenditures</u>				
6100	Contingency	\$1,891.00	\$155.00	\$1,736.00
6140	Tau Sigma Contingency	\$770.00		\$770.00

**Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.
Rho Kappa Omega Chapter
Chapter Operations
Tamiouchos Report
Comparison of Budget to Actual 2016**

As of April 30, 2016

Chapter Activities

6300	Founders' Day	\$100.00	\$17.40	\$82.60
6310	Membership Intake	\$125.00	\$0.00	\$125.00
	Total	\$23,630.00	\$6,314.05	\$17,315.95

YTD Philacter Fines collected \$66.00 (3) See Below

YTD Chapter Members Only Internal Fundraiser

Notes:

- (1) 1/28/16-- Per Capita paid for 16 sorors; 1/30/16-- Per Capita paid for 2 sorors; 1/31/16-- Per Capita paid for 1 soror; 3/1/16-- Per Capita paid for 2 sorors
(2) 1/28/16-- EAF paid for 16 sorors; 1/30/16-- EAF paid for 3 sorors; 1/31/16-- EAF paid for 1 soror; 3/1/16-- Per Capita paid for 2 sorors
(3) 1/16-- \$24; 2/20--\$16; 3/19--\$18; 4/5--\$8
(4) NSF of \$12 was erroneously transferred from Paypal to Fundraising Account. The NSF will be transferred from Fundraising to Operating in April 2016.
\$33 Bank Service Fee was charged for stop payment on check #1869, payable to US Postal Service. Replacement Check #1898 in the amount of \$200 was issued on 2/20/16. \$129.31 was charged for printing new supply of bank checks.

**Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.
Rho Kappa Omega Chapter
Program / Fundraising / Scholarship
Tamiouchos Report
Comparison of Budget to Actual 2016**

As of April 30, 2016

**Approved Budget
\$14,450.00**

A/C#	Category	Approved Budget	Actual YTD	Remaining in Budget
Chapter Programs				
1100	Back to School Health and Safety Fair	\$1,500.00		\$1,500.00
1200	Martin L. King Jr. Day of Service Program	\$300.00	\$125.00	\$175.00
1400	Rho Kappa Omega Scholarship	\$7,700.00		\$7,700.00
1500	Making Strides Against Breast Cancer	\$500.00		\$500.00
1600	Go Red for Heart Health	\$350.00	\$133.95	\$216.05 (1) SEE BELOW
1800	Program Advertising	\$800.00	\$100.00	\$700.00
1900	Africare	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$0.00
2100	1908 Playgrounds Mobilization	\$400.00		\$400.00
2200	The Longest Day Alzheimer's Support	\$400.00		\$400.00
2300	Mental Health Awareness Day	\$500.00	\$378.91	\$121.09
2400	Childhood Hunger Awareness	\$500.00		\$500.00
2500	Contingency	\$550.00	\$150.00	\$400.00 (1) SEE BELOW
2700	Fiscal Responsibility Workshop	\$450.00	\$207.70	\$242.30
2800	Seasonal Wraps	\$200.00		\$200.00
2900	Thanksgiving Dinner	\$200.00		\$200.00
	Total	\$14,450.00	\$1,195.56	\$13,254.44

**Approved Budget
TBD**

Fundraising Events				
4100	Bowling For AKA	\$1,600.00	\$0.00	\$1,600.00
4710	Movie Event 2016	\$100.00	\$462.11	\$ (362.11) (2) SEE BELOW
4720	Skating Party			\$0.00
4730	Themed Dinner Party			\$0.00
	Total	\$1,700.00	\$0.00	\$1,600.00

Notes:

(1) On January 16, 2016, the chapter voted to increase Go Red for Heart Health Program from \$200 to \$350, with \$150 coming from program contingency.

(2) \$370.15 was taken from the proceeds generated from this fundraiser.

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.
 Rho Kappa Omega Chapter
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 Monthly Financial Statements
 Operating Account
 For the Period Ending April 30, 2016

CURRENT MONTH ACCOUNT SUMMARY

Account Balance as of April 1, 2016		\$19,742.72
<u>Income</u>		
Income from Chapter Operations	\$384.50	
Total Income		\$384.50
<u>Expenses</u>		
Expenses for Chapter Operations	\$1,268.80	
Total Expenses		<u>\$1,268.80</u>
Account Balance as of April 30, 2016		<u>\$18,858.42</u>

Y-T-D ACCOUNT SUMMARY

Account Balance as of January 1, 2016		\$18,312.07
<u>Income</u>		
2016 Income from Chapter Operations	\$8,125.44	
Total Income		\$8,125.44
<u>Expenses</u>		
2016 Expenses for Chapter Operations	\$7,579.09	
Total Expenses		<u>\$7,579.09</u>
Account Balance as of April 30, 2016		<u>\$18,858.42</u>

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RECONCILIATION TO BANK STATEMENT

Balance per Bank Statement as of April 30, 2016	\$19,651.57
Plus: Deposits in Transit	\$0.00
Less: Outstanding Items	\$793.15
Less: Pending Bank Reconciliation	\$0.00
Adjusted Bank Account Balance as of April 30, 2016	\$18,858.42

OUTSTANDING ITEMS

<u>Payee</u>	<u>Check #</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Amount</u>
North Atlantic Region	1849	9/24/15	\$20.00
Kelle Coleman	1902	2/20/16	\$9.00
Trudy Miles	1903	2/20/16	\$9.00
Tiffany Riddick	1905	2/20/16	\$9.00
Tanya Ginn Brown	Manual #03	3/13/16	\$32.10
Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.	1911	4/9/16	\$150.00
Vanetha Wood-Stradford	1913	4/10/16	\$39.58
Cimeron Bryant	1915	4/16/16	\$95.00
Cimeron Bryant	1916	4/16/2016	\$429.47
Total Outstanding Items as of April 30, 2016			\$793.15

DEPOSITS IN TRANSIT

Pending Deposit	\$0.00
Pending Deposit (Paypal)	\$0.00
Total Deposits in Transit as of April 30, 2016	\$0.00

STATEMENT OF ASSETS

<u>Type of Account</u>	<u>Account Number</u>	<u>Balance</u>
PNC Bank - Business Checking (Operations)	xxxxxxx841	\$19,651.57
Total Assets as of April 30, 2016		\$19,651.57

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.
Rho Kappa Omega Chapter
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Fundraising Account
For the Period Ending April 30, 2016

CURRENT MONTH ACCOUNT SUMMARY

Account Balance as of April 1, 2016		\$17,039.61
<u>Income</u>		
Income from Self-Sustaining Activities	\$1,269.03	
Total Income		\$1,269.03
<u>Expenses</u>		
Expenses for Self-Sustaining Activities	\$1,160.72	
Total Expenses		<u>\$1,160.72</u>
Account Balance as of April 30, 2016		<u><u>\$17,147.92</u></u>

Y-T-D ACCOUNT SUMMARY

Account Balance as of January 1, 2016		\$16,901.95
<u>Income</u>		
2016 Income from Self-Sustaining Activities	\$2,101.03	
Total Income		\$2,101.03
<u>Expenses</u>		
2016 Expenses for Self-Sustaining Activities	\$1,855.06	
Total Expenses		<u>\$1,855.06</u>
Account Balance as of April 30, 2016		<u><u>\$17,147.92</u></u>

Fundraising Account
For the Period Ending April 30, 2016

RECONCILIATION TO BANK STATEMENT

Balance per Bank Statement as of April 30, 2016	\$17,037.14
Plus: Deposits in Transit	\$437.77
Less: Outstanding Items	<u>\$326.99</u>
Adjusted Bank Account Balance as of April 30, 2016	<u>\$17,147.92</u>

OUTSTANDING ITEMS

<u>Payee</u>	<u>Check #</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Amount</u>
The National Coalition of 100 Black Women	1520	04/09/16	\$100.00
Mental Health Association of NJ	1523	04/09/16	\$50.00
Monumental Baptist Church	1524	04/09/16	\$100.00
Heather Spencer	1530	4/16/2016	<u>\$76.99</u>
Total Outstanding Items as of April 30, 2016			<u>\$326.99</u>

DEPOSITS IN TRANSIT

Pending Deposit	\$437.77
Pending Deposit (PayPal)	<u>\$0.00</u>
Total Deposits in Transits as of April 30, 2016	<u>\$437.77</u>

STATEMENT OF ASSETS

<u>Type of Account</u>	<u>Account Number</u>	<u>Balance</u>
PNC Bank - Business Checking (Fundraising)	xxxxxxx892	\$17,037.14
Total Assets as of April 30, 2016		\$17,037.14

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.
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For the Period Ending April 30, 2016

CURRENT MONTH ACCOUNT SUMMARY

Account Balance as of April 1, 2016		\$1,544.55
<u>Income</u>		
Income for Scholarships	\$1,000.00	
Total Income		\$1,000.00
<u>Expenses</u>		
Expenses for Scholarships	\$2,000.00	
Total Expenses		<u>\$2,000.00</u>
Account Balance as of April 30, 2016		<u><u>\$544.55</u></u>

Y-T-D ACCOUNT SUMMARY

Account Balance as of January 1, 2016		\$2,544.55
<u>Income</u>		
2016 Income for Scholarships	\$1,000.00	
Total Income		\$1,000.00
<u>Expenses</u>		
2016 Expenses for Scholarships	\$2,000.00	
Total Expenses		<u>\$2,000.00</u>
Account Balance as of April 30, 2016		<u><u>\$1,544.55</u></u>

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.
Rho Kappa Omega Chapter
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RECONCILIATION TO BANK STATEMENT

Balance per Bank Statement as of April 30, 2016	\$544.55
Plus: Deposits in Transit	\$0.00
Less: Outstanding Items	\$0.00
Adjusted Bank Account Balance as of April 30, 2016	\$544.55

OUTSTANDING ITEMS

<u>Payee</u>	<u>Check #</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Total Outstanding Items as of April 30, 2016			\$0.00

DEPOSITS IN TRANSIT

Total Deposits in Transits as of April 30, 2016	\$0.00
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STATEMENT OF ASSETS

<u>Type of Account</u>	<u>Account Number</u>	<u>Balance</u>
PNC Bank - Business Checking (Scholarship)	xxxxxxx497	\$544.55
Total Assets as of April 30, 2016		\$544.55

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.
Rho Kappa Omega Chapter

May 2016 Committee Report

There was a Program Committee call on May 4, 2016 @ 8:00pm

2016 Program Committee Goals:

Increase community awareness of Rho Kappa Omega Programs
Increase Chapter participation to over 50% with all Programs
Increase community participation
Provide incentive for Soror's participation in programs
Increase collaboration with other sororities, fraternities and organizations with our programs

AKA Community Impact Days

AKA 1908 Playgrounds Mobilization Day on May 21, 2016
The Longest Day (Alzheimer's Association) on June 20, 2016
Childhood Hunger Awareness Day on October 16, 2016

Upcoming Program:

- AKA 1908 Playgrounds Mobilization Day on May 21, 2016
- The Longest Day (Alzheimer's Association) on June 20, 2016 at the Salem Lafayette

Committee Conference call was called to order at 8:05pm.

- ASCEND First Planning Meeting will be held on May 22, 2016 from 2 :00pm to 4:00pm at Sanon Global, Inc. at located 151 Martin Luther King Drive Jersey City, New Jersey
- 2016 Boule Service Project: Little Dresses for Africa we are asking all seamstress and crafters to come out to make dresses for the service project on June 5, 2016 from 3:00pm to 6:00pm. Please bring your sewing machines, threads, laces, ribbons and pillowcases. The

project will take place at Sanon Global, Inc. located at 151 Martin Luther King Drive Jersey City, New Jersey

- Longest Day for June 20, 2016 any ideals for the program and there will be sub-committee meeting conference call on May 25, 2016 @ 7:00pm and next call will be on June 8, 2016 @ 7:00pm and the call in number is (712)775-7031 and the PIN Number is 476-587-395#
- Backpack Donations for 2016 Boule and the amount that the chapter is to donate and please bring your donations to June's Chapter.
- On August 14, 2016 from 2:00pm to 5:00pm there will be Program Committee Planning Meeting 2017 Programs at Sanon Global, Inc. located at 151 Martin Luther King Drive Jersey City, New Jersey
- Continue to increase Soror's participation in Service Projects
- All correspondences for any programs must be approved by the Basileus before sending out

Next Program Committee Meeting Conference call will be held on June 1, 2016 @ 7:00pm and the conference number is (712)775-7031 and the PIN Number is 476-587-395#

Sisterly,
Soror Sallie E. Brown, on behalf of the Program Committee



Alpha Kappa Sorority, Inc.
Rho Kappa Omega Chapter
Archives Committee Report
May 2016

Conference Call Number 641-715-3276, Code 553545#
1st Tuesday of each month at 9pm

Attendees: Soror Heather Spencer, Soror Vanetha Wood-Stradford

Goals for 2016

1. Identify a repository or locked display cabinet, as in a University, where Rho Kappa Omega artifacts can be displayed for public viewing.
2. Create a procedure and a form for Sorors to complete detailing how the Soror would like her AKA property handled in the event that she becomes an Ivy Beyond the Wall.
3. Compile PKQ Chapter history quarterly and present a PKQ historical fact in the Archives Committee Report

The Archives Committee is brainstorming ideas for the Rho Kappa Omega Chapter's 28th Anniversary Celebration. Sorors can email Soror Heather with ideas and interest in assisting in the planning.

“Don't Throw It Away.” The inventory of PKQ artifacts, property and supplies welcomes your submission. Please email Soror Heather and Soror Vanetha the list of items you have for submission. Soror Heather can clarify whether or not the item should be maintained and Soror Vanetha will coordinate the transfer with you.

If anyone has photos or memorabilia of visits of International Officers please email them to Soror Heather. Please include names of those in the photo with the date, location, and description of the event.

**** PKQ Historical Fun Facts

Rho Kappa Omega chapter has consistently participated in _____ program for the last eight years and beyond?

PKQ has held numerous successful Financial Fitness workshops over the years. At one event, the entrepreneurs in the chapter were spotlighted and they demonstrated their business wares. Name four of the entrepreneurs present. _____, _____, _____, _____.

*Respectfully Submitted on Behalf of the Archives Committee
Soror Heather Spencer, Rho Kappa Omega Chapter Historian*



Rho Kappa Omega Connection Committee Report May 2016

A.C.T.I.O.N.-Advocate, Communicate, Train, Influence, Organize, Network and Be The Voice Campaign.

Meeting- April 20, 2016 via teleconference

AKA Day at the Capitol - State House, Trenton, NJ

-Sorors from the Cluster IV met with State legislators. They provided information on voter rights, voter registration and deadlines. The representative from the NJ NAMI gave an overview of the services provided. Sorors were able to sit in on assembly session. Rho Kappa Omega sorors in attendance were Gwen Anthony, Dolores LA Curtis, and Basileus Cimeron Bryant.

NARC Connection Committee Workshop

Voter Registration/Social Justice at the Polls.

Six voters were registered at the Financial Fitness Workshop at New Jersey City University on March 26, 2016. Soror Sabrina Riley will assist Soror Denise Ridley on April 23, 2016 at a Voters Registration Drive at Curries Woods Housing Unit. There will be a Voter Registration table at the Playground Mobilization Day on May 21, 2016. **The Primary Election is June 7, 2016. The deadline to register is May 17, 2016.**

Social Justice in The Courts

Upcoming Education

---An Overview of the Grand Jury Process to be scheduled at a chapter meeting.

ACTION ITEM: A motion to include a program on Social Justice to collaborate with the Program Committee on Domestic Violence tentative for October.

-- -Presentation by Soror Nancy Valdez on running for elected office and what the criteria and qualifications are. She would speak on her position as Prosecutor for Passaic County.

Submitted by Gwen Anthony Garnett
2016 Connection Committee Chairman



Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Incorporated
Rho Kappa Omega Chapter
Membership Committee Report

May 2016

Meeting held on Monday May 2, 2016

Sorors Participating: Shevon Armstrong, Sallie Brown, Sabrina Riley,
Tonia Slay-Daniels Chairman

Goals Set for 2016

1. Host 1 Reclamation event
2. Create and implement a Soror Membership Satisfaction Survey

Discussed

- New member orientation class to held at 10:30am on the day of the June chapter meeting all Sorors joining PKQ in 2016 are asked to attend.
- 2016 Reclamation event planned in conjunction with Sisterly Relations and Fundraising committees set for Saturday June 4th location and time TBA
- Motion was made and carried that PKQ not pursue a 2016 MIP.

All senior seniors have been assigned a Soror Buddy thank you Sorors Heather, Shevon and Sabrina.

Respectfully Submitted,
Soror Tonia Slay-Daniels on behalf of the Membership Committee



Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.
Rho Kappa Omega Chapter
Standards Committee Report
May 2016

Members are Sorors Tamra Sanchez (Chairman), Sabrina Riley, Andrea Mason, & Andrea Wright

2016 Goals:

- *Ensure that the chapter's standing rules are followed*
- *Increase Soror participation in completing evaluations*
- *Utilize feedback and areas of deficits from 2015 Chapter Self-Assessment to provide recommendations for successful program operations*
- *Increase Soror participation in order to achieve a high standard in completing Chapter Self-Assessments*
- *Conduct Mid-Year Chapter Assessment*
- *Work collaboratively with the Membership Committee*

Program: The Barbershop: Next Cut (Movie Viewing)

Date of Event: 4/16/16

Guest Evaluations: 0

Soror Evaluations: 4

*Guest evaluations were not provided

Evaluation Summary

Sorors enjoyed the viewing and commented positively on the accessibility, location and inexpensive fundraising opportunity. Some sorors expressed the disappointment in the movie selection/change as well as the need for sorors to have sold more tickets.

Committee Recommendations

In order to avoid last minute changes and the potential to lose out on an opportunity to fundraise, movie selections should be guaranteed in the future, or add a disclaimer to the flyer stating that the viewing "is subject to change".

Program: Sustainability Conference

Date of Event: 4/23/16

Guest Evaluations: 33

Soror Evaluations: 13

Evaluation Summary

Participants commented on the wealth of information that was shared during the program and would like to see more conferences such as this in their communities.

Committee Recommendations

Although participants found the information conveyed to be valuable, several sorors commented on the lack of information on the flyer. The flyer did not accurately depict what the conference would entail or provide an address or location. Lastly, sorors commented on the short notice in which the flyers were circulated. In the future, collaborators should ensure pertinent information such as the location and a brief description is included in public advertisement in order to gain the interest of interested participants and the community.

Standard Committee Tidbit:

The Standards Committee will maintain copies of all certifications and certificates obtained during Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. conferences. This information should be forwarded to the Standards Chairman by the recipient.

Respectfully Submitted,

Tamra Sanchez

Soror Tamra Sanchez
Standards Chairman



Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Incorporated
Rho Kappa Omega Chapter
Sisterly Relations Committee Report
May 4, 21016

The Sisterly Relations Committee met via conference call on May 4, 2016 at 8:05pm.

Sorors who participated on the call were, Sallie Brown, Angela Mason, Sabrina Riley, Shevon Armstrong and Charlotte Rogers-Brown.

May's Target

Theme: Celebrating Legacies:

Honor is defined as giving respect to someone you admire. Our legacy sorors have shown much they honor their legacies, and who they are by following in their footsteps and becoming members of Alpha Kappa Alpha. They have demonstrated their love for Alpha Kappa Alpha and for one another, sharing two common bonds of love. The month of May will be a time to celebrate legacies and honor their contributions to our sisterhood.

PKQ Legacies we honor you:

Soror Trudy Miles – Soror Altamease Drummond

Soror Janet Chavis - Soror Jahari Jacobs

Soror Tonia Slay-Daniels – Soror Maya Daniels

Soror Sabrina Riley - Soror Renada Williams

Soror Angela Mason – Soror Andrea Mason

What's coming up?

The sisterly relations committee along with the membership committee will be hosting a Jewelry Making event June 4, 2016. Further details on this program TBA.

Meeting Date and Time

The Sisterly Relations Committee will meet every 1st Tuesday of the month at 8 pm via conference call. Please feel free to join us.

Sisterly submitted,

Soror Charlotte Rogers-Brown

Chairman, Sisterly Relations Committee on behalf of the Sisterly Relations Committee



BYLAWS COMMITTEE

Greetings Sorors,

The chapter bylaw amendments that was presented in April will be voted on in June due to May being a joint chapter meeting with Tau Sigma. The chapter will also vote on the proposed amendments to the Alpha

Kappa Alpha Constitution in June as well.

The Rho Kappa Omega Bylaws were reviewed by the Regional Parliamentarian and her recommendations were received. The Committee will discuss and make the necessary changes at the Committee meeting in June.

Did you Know?

A quorum must be present to transact business at an Executive Board meeting. Five (5) Executive Board members shall constitute a quorum. The Basileus, or her designee, and the Grammateus, or her designee, must be present at all Executive Board meetings.

(Rho Kappa Omega Chapter Bylaws (Article VI, Section 4))

2016 BYLAWS COMMITTEE MEMBERS

*Soror Darcell
Medley-Stokes,
chairman*

Soror Janet Chavis

*Soror Dolores L.A
Curtis*

Soror Andrea Mason

Soror Angela Mason

*Soror Corinne E.
Rivers, Esq.*

****Always
remember your
documents.****

Respectfully submitted by Soror Darcell Medley-Stokes on behalf of the Bylaws Committee

Soror Cimeron Bryant, Basileus

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.
Rho Kappa Omega Chapter

ACTION ITEMS
from Executive Board Committee
to be presented at May 21, 2016 General Body Meeting

1. Recommendation that expenses incurred for Ivy Beyond the Wall ceremonies are reimbursed with funds coming from contingency.