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- * Represented at first Cleveland Alumnae Panhellenic Association Meeting on May 15, 1914

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A Note from Alison

Fall is here with colorful leaves, cooling breezes and a hint of pumpkin spice. We are all bubbling with anticipation of holiday fun with family and friends. Our Social and Ways & Means committees have teamed up plan the perfect kick-off to the holiday season. Our Holiday Happening-Girls' Night Out for Scholarships will be Wednesday, November 20 from 5:30- 7:30 pm at the Independence Holiday Inn. Bring your sorority sisters, your real sisters, and your friends- this event is open to everyone.

A Wine Pull, Silent Auction and Door Prizes will offer a jumpstart on finding holiday treats for your loved ones or to treat yourself! Our Tackiest Holiday Jewelry Contest gives you a chance to show off your most garish treasures and maybe win a more tasteful replacement.

All this fun plus Hors d'oeuvres and Happy Hour deals on drinks for \$25 per person with \$5 going directly to CAPEF scholarship fund. You can register using this link:

www.clevelandpanhellenic.org/join-cap-a-nov-20th-for-annual-holiday-happening/

or mail in the reservation form on the invitation emailed with this newsletter.

Hope to see you there!

Alison Borodkin
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CAPA President

Hello and Goodbye

Welcome to New CAPA Delegates

Susie Winter-Alpha Xi Delta
Barbara Sindyla- Delta Zeta
Sarah Sternbach-Kappa Delta
Mary Lou Currivan-Kappa Delta
Mary Ganim-Phi Mu
Allison Bunsey-Sigma Kappa

Fond Farewell to Retiring Delegates

Cheryl Weaver-Kappa Delta
Carolyn Beears-Phi Mu



CAPA Community Service Project 2019-2021

Jordan CRC gives women chance to break free from human trafficking, opioid addiction

Founded in Cleveland 15 years ago, Jordan Community Resource Center (CRC) helps survivors of dire life situations develop hope and start a new life. "It's named for the Jordan River," Executive Director Tenisha Gant-Watson explains during a presentation to the Cleveland Alumnae Panhellenic Association at the October delegate meeting. It comes from the Bible, she adds, "where you have to cross the river to the promised land."

Jordan provides a safe, stable environment for women, by women with whom they can identify. It's a place to heal. Jordan CRC incorporates comprehensive substance abuse treatment along with spiritual support and trauma recovery services.

CAPA delegates and their groups are invited to contribute items from Jordan's Wish List (on next page). Please bring your donations to the November 12 meeting. The items must be NEW. They include small personal items that the women who reside at Jordan's facilities could use while they are there and larger items to make the stay more comfortable.

Monetary donations are also welcome and are used for program support and overhead expenses to provide recovery housing, transportation and food. *Jordan CRC is a 501 (c) (3) tax exempt agency founded in 2004. For more information, please visit Jordan's website www.jordan4change.org

Jordan CRC Wish List

Toilet Paper and Paper Towels
Towels: Bath & Hand-Sized
Bed Linens (Twin-Sized): Sheets, Blankets & Pillowcases
Cleaning Supplies: Clorox, Lysol, Mr. Clean, Dishwashing Liquid, Windex, Laundry Detergent & Dryer Sheets
Feminine Products: Sanitary Napkins, Shampoo, Combs, Brushes & Soap
Clothing: T-Shirts, Socks, Underwear & Bras, Robes, Pajamas, Gowns (all sizes), Pots & Pans
Coffeemaker
Bus Passes
2 Washers & 2 Dryers (New)
Patio Furniture (2 Sets).
TOYS for children of ages 0 – 17 are also welcome and will be used for Jordan's annual Christmas party for the women and their children.

NPC News: A New Journey for NPC

On July 1, the National Panhellenic Conference transitioned to a [new organizational and governance structure](#) designed to make the Conference more nimble and responsive to the most pressing challenges facing students, campus partners and the greater Panhellenic community. The new structure includes a seven-member Board of Directors with an elected chairman, a Council of Delegates with one delegate from each

of NPC's 26 member organizations, many opportunities for NPC committee and volunteer service and an enhanced staff.

The NPC Board of Directors consists of five members elected to service by the Council of Delegates and two directors appointed by their member organization on a rotational basis. The directors lead NPC and have authority and responsibility for overseeing the affairs of the Conference by establishing corporate policy, setting the strategic direction, overseeing and securing resources and monitoring organizational performance. The Council of Delegates elects the NPC chairman.

The 2019-21 NPC Board of Directors include:
Carole Jones, chairman, Alpha Omicron Pi
Cheri De Jong, treasurer, Sigma Kappa
Mary Baker, Alpha Chi Omega
Laura Doerre, Kappa Alpha Theta
Rie Hoehner, Alpha Gamma Delta
Malaea Seleski, Zeta Tau Alpha
Laura Sweet, Sigma Sigma

The NPC Chief Executive Officer, Dani Weatherford, serves on the NPC Board of Directors as corporate secretary with a voice but no vote. This [historic change in governance](#) will equip NPC to be a stronger, more strategic ally to our campus-based colleagues on topics such as changing demographics, college affordability, different educational experiences that impact our organizations and the relevancy of lifetime membership when more and more of our members are looking for a transactional experience. As Panhellenic communities continue to look to NPC as a resource and a convener, this new organizational structure reflects our desire to further expand our capacity to serve such a role.

An important component of the new structure is the addition of the chief Panhellenic officer (CPO) for each member organization. The CPO now is the primary member organization contact for NPC and the 26 member organizations for campus issues and directs all incoming and outgoing communication regarding chapter and alumnae issues specifically as it relates to College and Alumnae Panhellenics.

As we embark on this new journey in NPC, staff and volunteers will partner together to accomplish their work ensuring that greater resources and staff-level engagement will focus on

priorities ranging from recruitment and membership growth, enhanced data collection and communication efforts advocating for the sorority experience.

News & Notes

. Congrats to [Kappa Delta](#) Cleveland West for winning an Excellence Award at their national convention in Dallas Tx this summer. Additionally, John Carroll Senior Megan Frankenberger was one of 22 national recipients of the Corre Anding Stegall Collegiate Leadership Award, presented each year to the top echelon of Kappa Delta student leaders. Awards are based on high academic performance, exemplary leadership within the chapter, on campus and in the community.

The Longwood College Four, the four sororities founded at Longwood College will be having a joint craft evening on Wednesday, November 13th, making fall wreaths. [Alpha Sigma Alpha, Kappa Delta, Sigma Sigma Sigma and Zeta Tau Alpha](#) will be elbow high in burlap, ribbon and fun!

[Sigma Sigma Sigma](#) awarded \$27,600 in national scholarships to 29 undergraduates. There were 200 applicants. Two Case Western Reserve University students were among the recipients. Ruxuan Chen was awarded the Doris Hiles Schroeder Scholarship and Farrah Gao was awarded the Emily Lewis Lee Scholarship.

It's time for [Tri Delta's](#) annual Poinsettia Sale Fundraiser! Beautiful blossoms provided by Maria Gardens in North Royalton! All orders must be placed by November 13th, 2019 and plants will be delivered to you on November 24, 2019. Please see attached flyer/order form for details. Thank you for your support!

[Tri-Delta's](#) Poseidon's Readers Book Club will hold their 2020 Planning Meeting & Book Drive on November 17 at 2 pm at Max & Erma's in Middleburg Heights. All Panhellenic women are invited!

CAPA Groups Out & About for Philanthropy

Beautiful Fall weather means fundraising walks are in the air. Many CAPA groups have been walking and running to raise funds for charity: **Delta Delta Delta** took part in the St. Jude Walk/Run on Sept. 28, **Sigma Kappa-Northeast Ohio** participated in The Walk to End Alzheimer's in Kirtland on Sept.29 and **Chi Omega** was at the Make-A Wish walk at the zoo on October 5

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month and on Saturday, October 12th, Zeta Tau Alpha collegians & alumnae volunteered in the Survivor Tent for the American Cancer Society's MAKING STRIDES AGAINST CANCER Walk at Public Square. Zeta is a national sponsor of ACS' Survivor experience through their Think Pink® efforts all month long.

Zeta also passed out pink ribbons at the Oct. 13 Browns Football game as part of the NFL "A Crucial Catch: Intercept Cancer" campaign.

Recipe Corner

PORTILLO'S CHOPPED SALAD

The delicious salad Wendy Stummer brought to our October meeting

YIELD: Party Size

INGREDIENTS:

- 1 head each of Iceberg lettuce and Romaine lettuce
 - 1 small bag shredded red cabbage
 - 1 small red onion, finely chopped
 - 1 bunch green onions, thinly sliced
 - 1 small head cauliflower
 - 1 cucumber, peeled and seeded
 - 3 tomatoes, seeded and diced (optional)
 - 1 lb. box ditalini pasta, cooked according to directions, drained and cooled
 - 8 oz. gorgonzola cheese, crumbled
 - 1 lb. bacon, cooked and crumbled
 - 1-2 jars Marzetti Sweet Italian Dressing
 - 2 c. cooked and diced chicken breasts
1. Wash and dry lettuces. Chop lettuces into small pieces. Place in a large bowl.
 2. Chop remaining ingredients to similar size as ditalini. Add remaining ingredients to bowl except bacon.
 3. Just before serving, add salad dressing and bacon. Toss well.

GREEN GODDESS DRESSING

From the CAPA Summer Picnic

INGREDIENTS

- ½ cup mayonnaise
 - 1/3 cup buttermilk
 - ¼ cup chopped fresh chives
 - ¼ cup coarsely chopped flat leaf parsley
 - ¼ teaspoon Herbes de Provence
 - 1 tablespoon fresh lemon juice
 - 2 anchovy filets packed in oil (drained, chopped)
 - 1 or 2 garlic cloves (chopped until smooth)
 - kosher salt
 - freshly ground black pepper
- Blend everything in food processor. Makes about 1 cup.

This Space Could be Yours!

Share your News!

Fundraisers, Events, Service Projects, Awards for your Alumnae and Collegiate Chapters and accomplishments of your members but as alums and in the community.

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Panhellenic Connections Online

CAPA email;

clevelandpanhel@gmail.com

CAPA website

www.clevelandpanhellenic.org

CAPA Public Facebook group:

<https://www.facebook.com/Cleveland-Alumnae-Panhellenic-Association-121982544537080/>

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Closed Group (closed Facebook group for CAPA members):

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/178918292246942/>

National Panhellenic Conference

Website: www.npcwomen.org

Facebook:

-NPC Alumnae Panhellenics

-National Panhellenic Conference

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October Anniversaries

Alpha Phi

October 10, 1872

Kappa Kappa Gamma

October 13, 1870

Alpha Chi Omega

October 15, 1885

Zeta Tau Alpha

October 15, 1898

Kappa Delta

October 23, 1897

Alpha Epsilon Phi

October 24, 1919

Delta Zeta

October 24, 1902

November Anniversaries

Alpha Sigma Tau

November 4, 1899

Sigma Kappa

November 9, 1874

Gamma Phi Beta

November 11, 1874

Delta Delta Delta

Thanksgiving Eve, 1888

Phi Sigma Sigma

November 26, 1913

2019-20 Calendar

Tuesday, November 12

Delegate Meeting

Independence Library

Social Time-5:30 p.m.

Business meeting-6:00 p.m.

Tuesday, January 14

Delegate Meeting

Parma-Snow Library

Social Time-11:30 a.m.

Business meeting-12 noon

Tuesday, February 11

Delegate Meeting

Independence Library

Social Time-11:30 a.m.

Business meeting-12 noon

Monday, March 9

Delegate Meeting

Independence Library

Social Time-5:30 p.m.

Business meeting-6:00 p.m.

Tuesday, April 14

Delegate Meeting

Parma-Snow Library

Social Time-5:30 p.m.

Business meeting-6:00 p.m.

Tuesday, May 5

Delegate Meeting

Location TBA

Social Time-5:30 p.m.

Business meeting-6:00 p.m.