

MINUTES OF University of Delaware COLLEGE PANHELLENIC ASSOCIATION

May 18, 2020

The regular meeting was called to order by President Tori Sedlock over Zoom at 7:04pm. The roll was called by Secretary Courtney Auer.

ROLL CALL: Alpha Delta Pi: Y Alpha Epsilon Phi: Y Alpha Phi: Y

Alpha Sigma Alpha: Y Alpha Xi Delta: Y Chi Omega: Y Delta Delta Delta: Y Delta Gamma: Y Gamma Phi Beta: Y Kappa Alpha Theta: Y Phi Sigma Sigma: Y Pi Beta Phi: Y Sigma Kappa: Y

GUESTS: The following guests were present: None

PREVIOUS MINUTES: The minutes of the meeting 5/11/20 were approved as distributed.

TREASURER'S REPORT: The Treasurer reported as follows:

Beginning balance [5/11/20] \$500

Revenue \$0 Expenses \$0

Ending balance [5/18/20] \$500

The following bills were approved for payment:

OFFICER REPORTS

President, Tori Sedlock (udpanhel.president@gmail.com)

- Question of the day: what is a summer goal you have?
- Submitted our annual report to NPC:)
- Good luck with finals:) feel free to reach out for any reason this summer:)

Vice President of Standards, Mekenna Passner (udpanhel.vpstandards@gmail.com)

- Continuing working with IFC throughout the summer once we hear from the University as to what's going on with Fall semester
 - o I'm really happy with our progress and what we've worked together to come up with and we will be updating chapters on everything in August!
- Sent out another email regarding COVID-19 & Social Distancing for those who decided to go back to campus
 - Key Points:
 - Those who decided to go back should not be gathering in large groups or partying - there's still a stay at home order
 - Keep in mind what could be perceived as a chapter event University's definition is 'a reasonable outside person's perception'

- So if someone was walking by would they think it was a chapter event?
- Newark police is giving out citations with fines that are up to \$500 for those who
 are found breaking the stay at home order it's not worth it
- Your members are always representing your chapter, even over the summer while social distancing is likely still going to be in place
- I encouraged all of your presidents/standards chairs to have a conversation to your chapters about this - it's really important
- There are many people in our community who have been affected by this pandemic in one way or another, whether a parent lost their job, a family member or close friend has gotten the virus, or they could be working on the front lines of this pandemic. Many of our chapter alumni are working on the front lines of this pandemic as well, and if we break social distancing just to party we're really letting them down.
- I appreciate all of your time this semester and your patience as we figured out what was happening with everything due to the pandemic! Good luck on finals:)

Vice President of Communications, Courtney Auer (udpanhel.vpcommunications@gmail.com)

- Made a good feelings Spotify playlist for UD Panhellenic
 - https://open.spotify.com/playlist/4j8laU9ScHjTDbaEal89v2?si=G0Oqyz1R 6Kyz94E9M0Vw
- Should be finishing senior spotlights soon
- Will begin philanthropy phridays posts this summer
- Want to start new insta post ideas
 - o "I'm a sorority woman and..."
- Also maybe a what your sorority has given you type of thing
 - o (lifelong friends, networking opportunities, job experiences, internships, etc)
- Have a wonderful and relaxing summer!! I love you all <3

Vice President of Internal Recruitment, Sami Fleischner (udpanhel.vpinternalrecruitment@gmail.com)

HAGS<3 (no report)

Vice President of External Recruitment, Meredith Roberts

(udpanhel.vpexternalrecruitment@gmail.com)

- No report :)
- Have a great summer !!!

Vice President of Finance, Nicole Barlow (<u>udpanhel.vpfinance@gmail.com</u>)

- No report
- Good luck on finals cuties

Vice President of Programming, Lauren Zablo (udpanhel.vpprogramming@gmail.com)

- I am going to miss you all. Thank you for an amazing semester. I am so grateful for this
 experience and it has been so great to work with you all! Keep doing amazing work and
 improving our community everyday! I love you all
 - Catch me crying in the club </3 sami
 - o Here 4 a silly goose time -nicole
 - Strictly silly goosing around -tori

Vice President of Philanthropy and Service, Rebecca Goldberg (udpanhel.vpphilanthropy@gmail.com)

- 4 chapters still have no applicants for the CoS committee, if you are in or know people in Alpha Phi, Phi Sigma Sigma, Sigma Kappa, or Gamma Phi Beta and think they would be good on the committee please reach out to them and encourage them to apply, I really want every chapter represents on the committee
 - I will officially close the application on Wednesday unless someone contacts me or my director Lauren letting us know they need more time
- Thanks for a great semester and good luck on finals!

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES None

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES None

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Alpha Epsilon Phi offers the motion to approve the Resolution to Approve Delta Gamma Fraternity Proposal for Recolonization by University of Delaware College Panhellenic Council. Pi Beta Phi seconded the motion.

"...Therefore, Be it resolved that Delta Gamma Fraternity will be the NPC member organization to recolonize at University of Delaware during the 2024-2025 school year or as soon as mutually agreeable. Be it further resolved that Delta Gamma Fraternity stay in contact with the fraternity/sorority advisor and University of Delaware College Panhellenic Council no less than annually as it prepares a recolonization plan."

Voting in the affirmative: Alpha Delta Pi, Alpha Epsilon Phi, Alpha Phi, Alpha Sigma Alpha, Alpha Xi Delta, Delta Delta, Gamma Phi Beta, Kappa Alpha Theta, Phi Sigma Sigma, Pi Beta Phi, Sigma Kappa

Chi Omega abstained from voting Voting in the negative: None

The ayes have it, the motion passes, and the Resolution to Approve Delta Gamma Fraternity Proposal for Recolonization is approved.

NEW BUSINESS

None

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following announcements were made: None Chapter news:

Alpha Delta Pi, Elizabeth Schreier (eschrei@udel.edu)

- We had our last zoom yoga class this past Saturday.
- Trying to plan and brainstorm ideas for next semester.
- Focusing on our seniors for their last two weeks.

Alpha Epsilon Phi, Barrie Berger (barrierb@udel.edu)

- Today we had our last chapter on zoom : (Where we gave out our senior superlatives
- Next week we are having sisterhood week for the last week of the semester.
 - Monday = netflix party
 - Tuesday = cooking night
 - Wednesday = game night
 - Thursday = workout together
 - Friday = paint night

- Saturday = morning yoga
- Sunday = pet show and tell

Alpha Phi, Anastasia Makedon (anmake@udel.edu)

- Senior send off tonight at 8
- We had our last chapter on sunday
- Planning on posting some senior superlatives on instagram

Alpha Sigma Alpha, Julie Meraglia (juliemer@udel.edu)

- Our last Zoom yoga class was so much fun!
- We started issuing dues reimbursements from this semester
- Our sisters have been working really hard to send out academic resources and tips and also self care tips

Alpha Xi Delta, Liat Oz (<u>liatoz@udel.edu</u>)

- We had our last chapter yesterday
- Sister shoutout during our zoom chapter
- Last exec meeting yesterday

Chi Omega, Natasha Kalwachwala (natashak@udel.edu)

- Made our senior video with everyone's fams saying bye!
- Made yearbooks for our seniors with memories since their bid day (the cutest thing ever we're obsessed)
- Good luck with finals everyone!!
- Last exec meeting today

Delta Delta, Shelby Luria (udtridelta.vpcommunityrelations@gmail.com)

- We had our \$8k in a Day for St. Jude yesterday and raised over \$10,000 in 24 hours!!!!!
- Finished our new member education on Thursday
- Exec is working on planning summer sisterhood events virtually
- Have an amazing summer everyone miss u all <3

Delta Gamma, Libby Baird (ebaird@udel.edu)

- We had senior wills and senior superlatives on Friday
- We had our final chapter on Sunday

Gamma Phi Beta, Hayley Foglia (hayleygf@udel.edu)

- Sent out our last chapter vlog yesterday:(
- Gamma Phi internationals is having an online senior celebration with all our chapters
- So proud of Sam Laba for outstanding sorority leader & our sisters for receiving chapter of the year :))

Kappa Alpha Theta, Danielle Schwartz (dis@udel.edu)

- Our Exec board voted for and approved our new UDance Chapter Reps!
- We are working on a tiktok to show some sisters getting ready for what would have been our formal on Monday, 5/18

Phi Sigma Sigma, Noelle Murgida (noellem@udel.edu)

- We received an honorary mention from the FSLL awards for the backpack build we did during recruitment!
- Held our philanthropy event that was successful!
- Our scholarship chair is encouraging our members to reach out to each other during these stressful times and providing our members with resources to succeed for finals week.
- Good luck on finals and have a great summer!! <3

Pi Beta Phi, Alli Cortright (dealphapd@gmail.com)

• Tonight (5/18) is our senior farewell over zoom

Sigma Kappa, Perry Salberg (psalberg@udel.edu)

- Special goodbye packages sent to our seniors!
- Had senior superlatives zoom
- Continuing to post on social media to keep everyone involved!

Advisor Update, Amne Harrington

- Happy last day of classes everyone! Please make sure to utilize the resources from the UD Library and Office of Academic Enrichment to help you be successful during finals.
- Congratulations to all the award winners! And thank you to all those who applied for awards. It truly was difficult to make most of our final decisions because so many chapters and individual students are doing phenomenal work. It's not fun to make those tough decisions but it makes me proud that it is so hard because it means there's so much good happening.
- FSLL held our Council Leaders Training yesterday with the council executive boards of IFC, MGC, PHC, and SIGC focused on helping folks get to know one another, consider the role of a governing council, learn about each of the councils, review job descriptions, and discuss fall plans. Our staff was happy with the feedback and it gives us hope that if we have to do Fall Leadership & Learning Academy over Zoom, we can make it work.
- Please don't forget to submit the Chapter Officer Update Form by June 15th. Here is the link: https://studentcentral.udel.edu/submitter/form/start/228671
- Encourage your seniors to participate in the Blue Hen Celebration video capsule https://udel.capsule.video.
- Thank you to Lauren for her service on exec! I am sorry you aren't able to continue but all you've
 done in this short time to bring real, honest perspective to conversations and the purpose you've
 given to Panhellenic programming planning is really important and would've been a loss for us if
 you hadn't done it.
- Thank you to Delta Gamma for 25 years of contributions to UD and beyond. Thank you for all you've done in the 5 years I've been here and for all the ways you've helped elevate the sorority experience at UD. I've truly enjoyed each and every interaction I've had with members of Delta Gamma over the years, I will truly miss getting to work with your chapter. This is a sad moment but hopefully the community can work on itself so that when Delta Gamma returns in the future, the chapter can join a stronger, more positive community.
- Thank you to all of YOU for all you've done this semester! No one has ever had to deal with this
 type of situation before, so your patience and participation in keeping the Panhellenic Council and
 community going is much appreciated.
- Good luck on finals and take care of yourselves and each other!

The next meeting will be Fall Semester

ADJOURNMENT
The meeting adjourned at 7:51pm.
Courtney Auer, VP of Communications

Approval: Fall Semester