



Montgomery County, Maryland Chapter

CHATTER



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From the Chapter President



May is a special month for so many reasons. There's Mother's Day where we show love to the person who helped raise us into

who we are today, there's Memorial Day where we celebrate those who have lost their lives fighting for our country and it also includes graduation weekend where many young students become alumni.

This graduation weekend was a special one for me as I celebrated my 20 year reunion (ONXYV) and attended my first reunion weekend! As I stood there at the reunion dinner singing our Alma Mater with fellow alumni of all ages, I realized being a Hamptonian is much more than just holding a degree from Hampton University. It's about giving back, showing love for our school and truly being a part of an alumni family.

So as we close out our Chapter year, thank all of you for being a part of our MoCo family and I hope that you continue to support us as we continue to grow our family for years to come!

Jonathan
Chapter President

Montgomery County
Chapter Picnic

11 AM, Saturday,
---, 2022

Chapter Picnic

Come One, Come All to MCMD Chapter's ...



Get Acquainted with Your New Leadership!

--- Park,

Silver Spring, MD 209--

RSVP by Wednesday, July 13 to -- at 301---

Last Call for the President's Endowment!

Great News, Alumni!

As of May, as estimated \$9,100 has been donated from to current and former chapter members to The Montgomery County Chapter NHAA scholarship endowment (although this amount has yet to be confirmed by the Hampton University Office of Development)! An anonymous donor has committed to a dollar-to-dollar match of donations received up to \$12,500, equal to half the minimum \$25,000 required for our endowment. That leaves a \$3,400 balance to be raised over the next 5 months (February-June 2022) to meet our goal!

Needless to say, your generous support is still needed!

Most of you remember the chapter embarking on this effort in September 2020 to establish its first endowed scholarship to commemorate our 20th anniversary. The two-year goal was to raise the minimum \$25,000 by July 1, 2022, roughly 5 months from now.

We've almost there, alumni – let's get the job done!

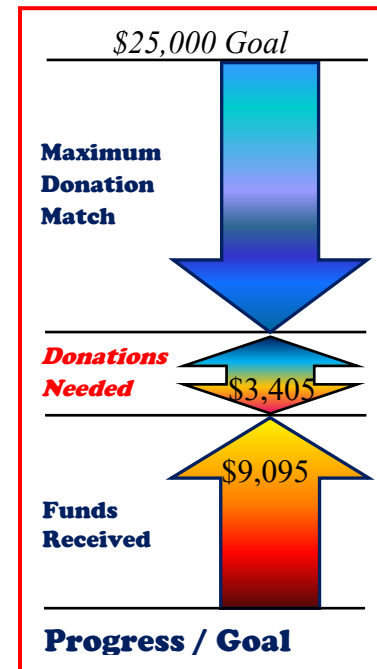
Twenty alumni and friends donating \$34/ month from February to June, or making a one-time donation of \$170, would do it! Consider sharing a RMD (required minimum distribution). However you decide to contribute, please dig deep and give what you can to help your chapter to reach this milestone!

Donate through the university website. That way it will automatically count toward your annual giving total. *Here's how with some additional steps!*

- **Step One:** Go to the www.hamptonu.edu home page and select the "GIVE NOW" button
- **Step Two:** Select the "GIVE NOW" button at the top or on the lower part of the page
- **Step Three:** Select "GIVE Online" on the Ways to Give
- **Step Four:** Select the blue "OTHER" box
- **Step Five:** Enter the amount of your donation under "Gift Amount."
- **Step Six:** Go to "Selection of Designation of My Choice", scroll down in the window and select "Other Endowed Scholarship"
- **Step Seven:** Enter the Name of Your scholarship. (enter "MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MD CHAPTER NHAA PRESIDENTS ENDOWMENT" under "Please specify want fund:" and in the "Comments" box).
- **Step Eight:** Enter complete donation payment information.

Please remember email a copy of your donation documentation to email **Gwen Jones, Chapter Treasurer** at gwendolyn_jones@verizon.net so we can track our progress.

Help your chapter finish the race in a rousing fashion, alumni!



Jonathon Gunn
Jonathon Gunn 02' President

2022 Chapter Elections

Dues-paying Alumni!

The time has come for dues-paying MoCo NHA Chapter members to elect their offices for the 2022-2023 academic year! Here is the current slate of officer candidates:

- President -
- Vice President -
- Treasurer -
- Recording Secretary -
- Assistant Recording Secretary -
- Financial Secretary -
- Chaplain -

The president-elect will fill the rest of the offices listed below by appointment. To cast your ballot ... ? If you would like to volunteer to serve in one of the remaining offices, please email your name, phone numbers and the office that you are interested in to mcmdnhaa@gmail.com.

MoCo Chapter continues to needs your participation in its leadership to continue to grow!

COVID-19 Care

Here are links with information about getting FREE rapid COVID-19 test kits and masks.

<https://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/covid19/testing/rapid-tests.html>

<https://www.covidtests.gov/>

2021-2022 Chapter Officers & Committee Chairs

Jonathon Gunn '02, President Jonathan White '11, Vice President

Gwen Jones '80, Treasurer
 Daarel Burnette II '06
 Recording Secretary
 Joye Saxon, '92,
 Assistant Recording Secretary
Budget Secretary - YACANT
Financial Secretary - YACANT

Parliamentarian - YACANT
 Tyren Sutton '04, Chaplain
 Gayle Washington '74,
 Assistant Chaplain
 Sonya Snedecor '95,
 Alumni Giving Chair
 El-Tonya Duckworth '97,
 Community Service Chair
Fund Raising Chair - YACANT

Mindy Golatt '96,
 Membership Chair
 Godfrey Maynor, Jr. '85,
 Parents Club Liaison
 Arthur Jackson '72,
 Scholarship Committee Chair,
 Chatter E-newsletter Editor
Student Recruitment Chair - YACANT

152th Commencement of Hampton U!



HAMPTON UNIVERSITY	
2022 Class Alumni Giving	
Giving Totals:	
Emeritus Class	\$997,551.94
Golden Class of 1972	\$265,977.50
Class of 1977	\$161,000
Class of 1982	\$108,978.17
Class of 1987	\$81,653.65
Class of 1992	\$111,684.61
Class of 1997	\$54,263.24
Class of 2002	\$41,717.44
Class of 2007	\$15,769.21
Class of 2012	\$3,471.73
Class of 2017	\$698.70
Grand Total	\$2,626,123.64



More pictures featuring chapter members attending in the Alumni Banquet at commencement!

HAMPTON, VA (June 9, 2022) Hampton University announced ...that \$400,000 in scholarship support has been awarded to 18 worthy students. Funding for these scholarships was made possible by a grant from the [New York Life Foundation](#), the charitable arm of New York Life.

"We are grateful for the New York Life Foundation's commitment to Hampton University and its students," said Dr. William R. Harvey, Hampton University President. "This scholarship funding from New York Life champions one of the University's highest priorities and buttresses our effort to increase financial assistance for deserving students."



Scholarships are awarded for the fall 2022 academic school year. ... Sixteen students received \$20,000 renewable academic Scholarships, and two students received \$40,000 academic scholarships, with pre-approved summer internships in New York Life's coveted summer internship program.

Dr. Joyce Shirazi, School of Engineering and Technology Dean, said, "These scholars participated in a rigorous application, vetting, and interview process. Each is well-deserved of the scholarships for which they have been awarded. The committee which worked to manage this process was multi-disciplinary and each member is to be commended for their efforts."

For more information, contact the School of Engineering & Technology at 757.727.5299.

[Follow this link to view the complete Office of University Relations press release.](#)



Follow this link to sign up for the Washington DC Metro HBCU Alumni Alliance, Inc. for our 9th Annual Hybrid 5K Run/Walk and John R. Lewis Community Day at the St. James Wellness and Entertainment Complex in Springfield, VA or any other location (in person or remotely).

Scheduled Chapter Meeting & Activities

Date	Time	Location
2022		
6/25	--	2022-2023 Chapter Planning Meeting <i>Election of Officers</i>

Experience a New Era in HU Athletics!

* HOMECOMING GAME

COME JOIN THE MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND CHAPTER OF
THE NATIONAL HAMPTON ALUMNI ASSOCIATION, INC.

FOR BRUNCH & THE PLAY

GHOST



SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2022

CHECK OUT THE BUFFET MENU AT

[HTTP://TOBYSDINNERTHEATRE.COM/ABOUT-US/WHATS-ON-THE-MENU/](http://TOBYSDINNERTHEATRE.COM/ABOUT-US/WHATS-ON-THE-MENU/)



5900 SYMPHONY WOODS RD., COLUMBIA MD 21044

THE DOORS OPEN AT 10:30 AM.; SHOW STARTS AT 12:30PM

TICKETS - \$75 (INCLUDES TIP)

PAY FOR YOUR SEATS THROUGH CASHAPP, PAYPAL AT WWW.PAYPAL.ME/MCMDHUAA

OR MAIL YOUR CHECK PAYABLE TO MCMD NHAA TO:

MCMD NHAA INC., PO BOX 3334, GAITHERSBURG, MD 20885

PAYMENT DEADLINE: MONDAY, AUGUST 1, 2022

CONTACT GAYLE WASHINGTON AT 301-526-7812 / GAYLEWASHINGTON16@GMAIL.COM

PROCEEDS WILL HELP FUND CHAPTER SCHOLARSHIPS



Montgomery County, Maryland Chapter, National Hampton Alumni Association
WINNER OF THE 2007, 2008, 2010 and 2011 NHAA PRESIDENT'S AWARDS
WINNER OF THE 2013 and 2015 MERIT AWARDS

2022-2023 Membership Form

Greetings Fellow Hampton Alum and Friends of the University!

Help to grow our chapter by paying annual membership dues! Five dollars of your annual dues is sent to the university in your name. Alumni-giving success is measured not only by how much is given but also by how many give. *Can we count on you?*

Please renew your membership today. If you've never been a member, make this the year to join the Chapter. Watch for the monthly "Chatter" newsletter to see what members and the University are doing – social events, fundraisers and community service activities. You'll also have up-to-date information on the meeting schedule.

I look forward to seeing you at a meeting or the next Chapter event!

Name

Graduation Year

Street

City, State & Zip Code

Preferred Phone (Please indicate whether home, mobile or office)

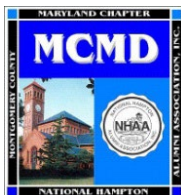
Email Address

CHECK YOUR MEMBERSHIP OPTION (through June 30, 2023)

- Student Membership - *FREE* for 1 year following graduation
- Regular/Associate Membership - \$40 (Hampton Alum/Friend of HU)
- Contribution to the 2021-2022 Chapter Scholarship: (\$25 suggested) \$ _____
- Yes, I'll make a \$_____ (monthly) donation to the Chapter Scholarship Endowment*
- Contribution to Chapter operations : \$ _____

MCMD Chapter is a 501 (c)(3) nonprofit education organization

Make the check payable to MCMD NHAA, Inc. and mail it along with this application to:



MCMD NHAA, Inc.
P.O. Box 3334
Gaithersburg, MD 20885-3334

Pay online via : on PayPal use mcmdnhaa@gmail.com and put your contact information in the comments section, or CashApp: MoCo Hamptonians \$moco Hamptonians1868.

Questions? Contact Membership Chair Mindy Golatt '96, mgolatt@hotmail.com or 917-407-1505 (m).

Please include Chapter Giving Code AACF on all contributions to HU to earn Chapter credit.