

Lambda Kappa Omega Legacy Program



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Membership Office

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Building a Legacy of Sisterhood Across Generations

Program Overview

The Lambda Kappa Omega Legacy Program was established to honor family traditions, strengthen generational bonds, and ensure the continued growth of the organization through the recruitment and mentorship of qualified family members. The program provides an opportunity for eligible women to experience the values of Lambda Kappa Omega while preserving family legacies within the sorority.

The Legacy Program recognizes that sisterhood extends beyond friendship—it can become a family tradition passed from one generation to the next. Through mentorship, education, and intentional engagement, the program prepares Legacy Candidates to become active, knowledgeable, and dedicated members.

This initiative also provides financial incentives that encourage participation while maintaining the integrity of the organization's membership standards.

Mission Statement

To preserve and strengthen the legacy of Lambda Kappa Omega by fostering generational membership, developing future leaders, and creating lifelong family connections through mentorship, education, and service.

Vision Statement

To establish a thriving multi-generational sisterhood where every Legacy Member continues the traditions, values, and mission of Lambda Kappa Omega while inspiring future generations.

Program Goals

- Strengthen family connections
- Increase membership
- Preserve traditions
- Create mentoring relationships
- Encourage conference attendance
- Increase retention
- Develop leaders
- Promote service
- Celebrate multi-generational membership

Definition of a Legacy

Eligible relationships include Mother, Daughter, Granddaughter, and Sister. Members of Kappa Gamma Omega, Lambda Crystallites. Future expansion may include additional relationships as approved by the National Board.

Eligibility Requirements

To qualify as a Legacy Candidate, applicants must:

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- Be sponsored by an Active Member.
- Complete the Legacy Application.
- Attend all required educational sessions.
- Attend Rush and Learn
- Attend all required meetings.
- Attend the National Conference.
- Successfully complete the Membership Ceremony.

Legacy Member Responsibilities

- Complete the Legacy Application.
- Be sponsored by an Active Member.
- Pay all required administrative fees.
- Meet all membership qualifications.
- Attend all required educational sessions.
- Attend Rush and Learn
- Attend all required meetings.
- Attend the National Conference.
- Successfully complete the Membership Ceremony.

Legacy Sponsor Responsibilities

- The sponsoring member agrees to:
- Submit the Legacy Candidate information.
- Serve as the candidate's mentor.
- Assist throughout the intake process.
- Encourage conference attendance.
- Support participation in chapter activities.
- Model the principles and values of Lambda Kappa Omega.

Legacy Membership Process			
Step 1	Legacy Sponsor submits:		• Name • Email Address • Relationship • Chapter
Step 2	National Membership sends:		• Legacy Application • Program Overview • Membership Requirements • Important Dates
Step 3	Applicant completes:		• Application • Administrative Fees • Required Documentation
Step 4	Applicant attends:		• Membership Rush • Learn Sessions • Required Meetings

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Financial Benefits

National Membership Fees to join are waived. Members remain responsible Legacy Members remain responsible for:

- Local Chapter Dues (Not due until first annual Renewal)
- Application Fee (Due during Submission)
- Shipping Costs (Due at the time of Shipment, (Learning Materials & Packages)
- \$50.00 for the First Renewal Year, Donations thereafter.

Educational Requirements

Complete instruction in history, mission, leadership, protocol, service, chapter operations, and sisterhood.

Mentorship

Each Legacy Candidate will be paired with one of the following:

- Legacy Sponsor
- Mentorship Committee
- Chapter Mentor

Mentors Will

- Hold monthly check-ins.
- Provide educational guidance.
- Answer questions.
- Monitor progress.
- Encourage participation.
- Prepare candidates for active membership

Conference Requirement

Attendance at the National Conference is required because the Membership Ceremony occurs there.

- Educational Workshops / Leadership Training
- Sisterhood Activities
- Networking
- Membership Ceremony

Legacy Recognition

- Legacy Members will receive:
- Legacy Certificate
- Legacy Recognition Pin
- Welcome Gift
- Recognition during Conference
- National Website Recognition (optional)

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- Family Legacy Recognition

Chapters are encouraged to welcome Legacy Members with gifts appropriate to the intake process.

Program Administration

The Legacy Program shall be administered by:

- National Membership Office
- Legacy Program Coordinator
- National Executive Board

Responsibilities include:

- Maintaining Legacy records.
- Tracking participation.
- Managing applications.
- Monitoring compliance.
- Reporting annual statistics.

Timeline

Applications:

Rush and Learn:

Learning: Intake Process

Conference & Ceremony: December

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Honoring Our Heritage. Building Our Future. One Generation at a Time.

Frequently Asked Questions

Does being a Legacy guarantee membership?

Legacy Candidates receive priority consideration but must still complete all educational requirements and membership expectations.

Can a Legacy skip the learning process?

No. Every Legacy Member must complete the organization's traditional learning process.

Can National fees be waived?

Yes. Local dues and certain administrative fees remain the responsibility of the member.

Is conference attendance required?

Yes. The Membership Ceremony is conducted during the National Conference.