Agenda of Texas Christian University College Panhellenic

August 30, 2017

The regular meeting will be called to order by President Hannah Taylor at 5:00 pm in the AOΠ Chapter House. The roll will be called by Secretary Mattie Boyd. A quorum must be present.

1. Roll Call

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1. Recitation of the Panhellenic Creed
2. The following guests will present:
3. The minutes of the August 23, 2017 meeting were approved as read.
4. The Treasurer reports as follows:
   1. TCU Panhellenic Association Balance:
5. The following bills were approved for payment:
6. Officer Reports
   1. **President – Hannah Taylor (**[**tcupanhellpres@gmail.com)**](mailto:tcupanhellpres@gmail.com))
      1. IT’S HUMP NIGHT! 7pm in front of Frog Fountain
      2. SLA is collecting donations for Harvey
      3. I’m looking for some way to provide relief at Harvey.
   2. **Vice President of Management – Madison Burnett (tcupanhellvpm@gmail.com)**
      1. ☺
   3. **Vice President of Recruitment Operations – Sheridan Hauk (tcupanhellvpro@gmail.com)**
      1. ☺
   4. **Vice President of Finance & Administration – Mattie Boyd (tcupanhellvpf@gmail.com)**
      1. We’re still paying for Recruitment things and waiting on the last invoices to come in, will have the account balances next week!
      2. Presenting a Bylaw change next week ☺
      3. Office Hours: Mondays 3-5 (tentative); this week: Friday 2-4
   5. **Vice President of Member Development – Sabrina Miranda (**[**tcupanhellvpmd@gmail.com)**](mailto:tcupanhellvpmd@gmail.com))
      1. Interview Workshop
         1. Date change: **September 25th (Monday)**
         2. Orgsync RSVP will open next week!
      2. Office Hours: Thursdays 9:30-11:30
   6. **Vice President of Public Relations – Meg Powell (tcupanhellvppr@gmail.com)**
      1. Working on marketing for Because I Said I would
      2. Will set up meeting with each PR Chair and TShirt chairs to discuss licensing and design with TCU
      3. PowerPoints
         1. We will make an exec one
         2. Delegates will make the delegate one (and any other you wish!!)
      4. Office Hours: Fridays 11-1
   7. **Vice President of Service and Philanthropy – Reilly Masterson (tcupanhellvpp@gmail.com)**
      1. Sorority Swap is **Tuesday, Oct. 10th at 5pm**
         1. Have 2-3 members of your own chapter visit another chapter for a philanthropy activity
         2. You will need to have around 30 members total to volunteer
         3. 2-3/other chapter
         4. Make it about your philanthropy but make it fun have food and music! Reach out to as many people as possible
         5. Will send out a planning document (not super formal) and try to have an attendance list so we have as even amounts of people as possible
      2. AmeriCorps Mentoring and fundraiser
         1. Low income or criminal background humans get readjusted to normal life – help with GED program, jobs, etc. there’s a fundraiser TONIGHT at Chipotle from 5-9pm so go!
      3. Trunk show update
         1. The BLUU will let us use it for this event so we will let you know when that happens! Yay BLUU
      4. Circle of Sisterhood week is tentatively **Nov. 27-Dec. 1st**
         1. Wanted to focus on Because I Said I Would
      5. Look for two attachments in the minutes!
      6. Office Hours: Mondays 9-11am
   8. **Vice President of Recruitment Programming – Kaitlin Hendrick (tcupanhellvprp@gmail.com)**
      1. Tell your New Member Educators to look out for an email from me within the next week!
      2. Advice from a former delegate: if you have guests who are coming, text the delegate whose house is hosting so that we have enough chairs for everyone!!
      3. Office Hours: Tuesday 2-4 (tentative)
   9. **Advisor – Devin Gregory (**[**d.gregory@tcu.edu)**](mailto:d.gregory@tcu.edu))
      1. Harvey relief
         1. Everyone wants to help but no one knows how [relief@tcu.edu](mailto:relief@tcu.edu) who are coordinating relief approaching – let’s co support or get involved in other organizations so that we are helping as much as possible
         2. If any of our members needs any kind of help (financial, emotional, etc.) we have options so please have them contact the resources we have! Share this with your exec team!
      2. Chapter meeting space
         1. These chapter houses were a $179MILLION contribution from TCU
         2. Have the conversation with your exec teams because the reason why we built new homes is to have the ability to have chapter meetings here – we are such a large population on campus but there’s a vast majority of people who aren’t involved in Panhellenic so it’s not fair for us to take over all of the public spaces that other organizations can use them
         3. Please use these spaces as much as possible
      3. Branding standards
         1. Please use licensed vendors!
         2. We might get people to come in and train us on what to do and what not to do
         3. Must have permission from TCU to use horned frogs and TCU and that we’re using correct horned frogs and TCU
         4. TCU Athletics own the branding and they really care which is amazing but please keep us in their good graces!
      4. COB
         1. If you’re eligible to COB please make sure your possible new member is eligible to accept it!
      5. Declined bids
         1. If women are declining bids – Devin needs an email! Once they’re initiated that’s another process
      6. Taking care of each other
         1. This is a scary time of year because scary things happen (hospital transports, drunk Temp Bigs, people getting dropped off passed out in an Uber, YIKES)
         2. Challenge your members (especially Temp Bigs) to take care of each other
7. Topic of the Day: True Colors
   1. Pi Kapp Push
      1. XO moves to open
      2. DG 2nds
         1. Send the packet to your Headquarters – it has some hazy (haha) aspects like singling out one group of people, the amount of volunteering (do you force members?)
         2. What does that packet say? We have it coming to y’all soon because Reilly just got the packet
            1. It doesn’t say just new members
            2. Thursday: song/Miss Push America
            3. There’s a lot of room for open interpretation that’s more our bad – but it’s something to think about of what we impose on ourselves
            4. Does say: encouraged highly spirited apparel worn
            5. We’re making new members buy stuff which isn’t fair
         3. Kappa: explains it like sing or stomping – sing is the whole chapter
      3. Meg: seems like a lot of people don’t like pi kapp push – but it’s not even in the description so we’ve put this on ourselves what connotations do you hear when you hear pi kapp push
         1. Negative
         2. Stressful
         3. Great
      4. Theta: if we go back to everyone who wants to can do it, let’s less be less extravagant and the nomination for Miss Push is concerning – popularity contest – prom queen
      5. Dev: it’s literally just Freshman, none of us danced after our freshman year
      6. Zeta: is this packet sent to other fraternities and FSL groups? You don’t see FIJI dancing for pi kapp push
         1. Up to the fraternity
         2. We can’t make them include everyone
         3. If we want that feedback we can always take it and send it to pi kapp
      7. XO – talk to your people in charge of push so that we aren’t objectifying our women with booty drops and stuff
      8. Dev – the competition between chapters has become toxic also – F this chapter was shown to judges and social media
         1. We’re all a Panhellenic community and then we push them to compete against the other chapters
         2. Within new member classes – who’s the prettiest we’ll put them in the front which puts more pressure and competition within classes
      9. Reilly – hesitation is that this draws most people for a philanthropy event which is sad because we have way better events that don’t have as much participation
      10. Kappa – look at it like sing we might have that attention and awe towards it but it might be put on a higher entertainment factor
      11. Theta – it’s not a competition it’s supposed to be a philanthropic event
      12. Hannah – this group has an appreciation for this but I get worried about the practicality about it – does a lot of damage that we do to try to minimize lines between chapters
      13. Most of this event is about how much money we raise –
          1. Not doing Penny wars but could be doing something else like this (pennies were dropped into other chapters so they lose points)
          2. T shirts are the other part
          3. Could we change the money aspect
             1. SK – we as a delegation could have a best practices document that we agree to so that we’re making sure no one’s being overworked and that they aren’t being objectified
          4. We don’t want to hurt the fundraising but we need to frame it in a way that we are more productive
      14. Sheridan – when you talk to your chapter, some people might not ever want to talk in front of a huge crowd – send out an anonymous survey so that people can give real opinions
      15. Meg – if you care about it you as delegates have the power, we can’t make any of y’all do anything we’re here to facilitate – send out guidelines that we hold ourselves and each other to – why are we holding ourselves to something we don’t like?
      16. Dev – it has to be all or nothing – it would be problematic if one or more chapters don’t abide and everyone else does
      17. Starting point – change the outfits and the dancing
      18. Let’s get the presidents involved!
      19. At the end of the day, we need chapter buy in so it’s not “Panhellenic made us do this” “Exec is making us do this”
      20. We’re interested to know what you like and what you do not like
      21. Point out that the packet doesn’t explicitly say all the pressure we have
8. Reports of Standing Committees
9. Reports of Special Committees
10. Unfinished Business
11. New Business
12. Announcements
    1. The following chapter announcements were made:
       1. AXΩ – We are excited about showing our New Members the Alpha Chi ropes and can’t wait for Frog Football to start this weekend!
       2. AΔΠ – We’re so excited for a visit from our international VP of Membership this week! We’re also getting ready to cheer on the Frogs for the football game this week!
       3. AOΠ – Welcome to the Alpha Omicron Pi house! We were founded January 2, 1897 at Barnard College in NY. In a time of antisemitism, our founder Stella was turned away from many organizations, so her 3 friends banded together to form an inclusive fraternity based on character, dignity, scholarship, and college loyalty. Our mascot is the panda, flower is the Jacque-minot and our color is cardinal red!
       4. XΩ – We were able to thank the alumni who worked so hard to decorate our new chapter facility this past weekend and we’re loving getting to use our beautiful home for chapter and new member meetings! Hope everyone has a safe and fun Labor Day!
       5. ΔΔΔ – We have our Big/Little reveal tonight and we’re excited for our first football game!
       6. ΔΓ –  Getting pumped for anchor bowl on the **9th of September**! And of course, our first football game of the season this weekend!
       7. ΓΦΒ – Excited for our first football game and hope everyone has a fun and safe Saturday!
       8. KAΘ – We have an ELC lady here and she’s giving us helpful information and we’re excited for football!
       9. KKΓ – Our LC is here and it’s been a great week with her we’re excited to learn more and we’re pumped for the game this weekend! And we had our pinning
       10. ΦM – So excited for our first chapter meeting and our new member retreat this weekend!
       11. ΠΒΦ – We had our first chapter and new member meeting Sunday and it was so nice to see everyone back in the chapter room after recruitment! There’s an app created called Pocket Points that tracks location based on academic buildings where you lock your phones and after class you can use those points at restaurants and discounts on clothes etc. made everyone a code will be in minutes!! And everyone automatically gets 15 points when you download it – whichever chapter wins they’ll bring dinner for chapter
       12. ΣK – We hope everyone has a great first football game and a happy September!
       13. ZTA – We’re so excited for our Big/Little reveal on Friday! Have a good week! we’re also having a donation collection for Houston victims!!
    2. The following Panhellenic announcements were made:
13. Adjournment