



Lambda Log

CHI OMEGA AT THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS

THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE HOME

Just a few of the exciting updates to our Lambda home: new carpet on the stairs and new chairs in the upstairs study. You can support projects like these and more by making a donation to the Lambda Owl Foundation by scanning the QR code or going to tinyurl.com/LambdaOwlFoundation!



Have you been receiving Lambda's email blasts?



We are missing emails for about 1,300 alumnae. Email chammond@penningtonco.com with "XO KU Email Update" in the subject line from your preferred address today to be sure you're being included!

Check out our newly initiated sisters inside!



From left: Model Initiate Sarah Schloegel '23 with sister Mia '19, Chapter Advisor Jen Mueller Alderdice, Kappa Alpha '91, mother Bebee Zuniga Schloegel '90, and sister Elle '21.

2023 Chapter Officers

*Thank you for your service to
Lambda Chapter, 2023 Officers!*

President
Ava Lemon '21

Vice President
Sejal Thapa '20

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New Member Educator
Emma Cass '21

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House Manager
Jeanne Eckels '21

Social Chairman
Katie Raymond '21

FALL 2023 INITIATION

LAMBDA CELEBRATES OUR NEW MEMBERS
ON INITIATION DAY!



CHAPTER GOALS

RECEIVE Top of the Hill for fall 2023.

INCREASE Lambda's outreach to other organizations on campus.

CONTINUE the long-lasting legacy of strong leadership at Lambda by slating a great new executive board.



*Marci Magnuson Knoff '91 with
her daughter, Grace Knoff '23.*

Sisterhood Is in Season

It brings me immense happiness to share the recent accomplishments and happenings that continue the legacy of Lambda. With the fall semester winding down, let's reflect on our recent achievements, our flourishing sisterhood, and the exciting events that lie ahead.

First and foremost, we are thrilled to share that we achieved the coveted "Top of the Hill" status last spring! This prestigious recognition (for the highest Chapter GPA in the Panhellenic community) is a testament to our commitment to academic excellence—which is not just encouraged but celebrated. Congratulations to every sister who contributed to this remarkable accomplishment!

We must also celebrate the success of this year's fall formal recruitment. Through countless hours of hard work and determination, we welcomed 87 new members into our sisterhood. Each new member brings unique talents and passions that will undoubtedly enrich our Chapter. Thank you and congratulations to Director of Recruitment **Claire Savage '21** and New Member Educator **Emma Cass '21** for their hard work and dedication.

The semester has yet to slow down from there. We had a beautiful initiation weekend in October, hosted Dad's Day on November 4, slated a new executive board at the end of November, and have a few formals in the works. As you can see, there is never a dull moment at Lambda!

Sharing Thanks for a Wonderful Year

As my time as president comes to an end, I want to express my sincerest gratitude to everyone who supports our legacy. Especially our incredible advisors and House Corporation Board; their unwavering support and dedication is inspirational and much appreciated. Our sisterhood is incredibly special and one that many hold near and dear to their hearts. I hope the fall season is a time of great happiness and the holiday season brings comfort and joy to all of you!

Loyally,
Ava Lemon '21
Outgoing Chapter President

WELCOME, NEW MEMBERS

Elena Akerberg | Crystal Lake, Ill.
Abby Allen | Overland Park, Kan.
Leah Anstaett* | Quinter, Kan.
Alexis Antolik | Columbia
Martha Arvanitakis | Shawnee, Kan.
Abigail Assaad* | Elmhurst, Ill.
Bailey Babbitt | Lawrence, Kan.
Lauren Barnett | Wheaton, Ill.
Brooklyn Bartz | Chaska, Minn.
Annie Bastien* | Leawood, Kan.
Kate Beaulieu | Leawood, Kan.
Abby Bleish* | Overland Park, Kan.
Frankie Book* | Shawnee, Kan.
Martina Bova | Harrisonville, Mo.
Olivia Cairns* | Lenexa, Kan.
Camille Chaffin | Olathe, Kan.
Sami Cohen | Parker, Colo.
Riley Cornell | Olathe, Kan.
Elizabeth Crane | Lenexa, Kan.
Isabella DeGeorge | Omaha, Neb.
Jade Devine | Fayetteville, Ark.
Poppy DiFranco | Leawood, Kan.
Hannah Dunfee | Overland Park, Kan.
Alison Fisher* | Olathe, Kan.
Jacquelyn Freeman | Chicago, Ill.
Lauryn Frerichs | Clive, Iowa
Katherine Fritz* | Topeka, Kan.
Abigail Gilreath | Omaha, Neb.
Aleah Gollier | Ottawa, Kan.
Kayla Graveline | Bellevue, Neb.

Emma Hale | Olathe, Kan.
Rachel Hanna* | Dallas, Texas
Lauren Harding* | Afton, Kan.
Emma Holton* | Lenexa, Kan.
Regan Hoyt | Tulsa, Okla.
Annika Jaworski | Lenexa, Kan.
Carly Kaiser | Seymour, Ind.
Asees Kang | Lenexa, Kan.
Hayden Kjar | Lincoln, Neb.
Lilly Kneafsey | Tulsa, Okla.
Grace Knoff* | Leawood, Kan.
Katherine Koplik | Overland Park, Kan.
Maddie Le | Lakeville, Minn.
Ava Lerner | Basehor, Calif.
Lauren Liebl | Hutchinson, Kan.
Annie Lund | Edina, Minn.
Margaret Marshall | Kansas City, Mo.
Alexandra Martin* | Stilwell, Kan.
Lida Martin | Leawood, Kan.
Elsa McGrain | Omaha, Neb.
Karsyn McMaster | Topeka, Kan.
Faron Medhi | Omaha, Neb.
Samantha Miller | O'Fallon, Mo.
Gracie Mutuku | Lawrence, Kan.
Josslyn Rose Nartey | Edmond, Okla.
Annaliese Nguyen | Lenexa, Kan.
Annika Pennington | Olathe, Kan.
Tristen Porter | Leawood, Kan.
Greta Priest | Severna Park, Md.
Allie Puetz | Leawood, Kan.

Kabyanjali Pyakuryal | Westwood, Kan.
Kylee Pyle | Highlands Ranch, Colo.
Tigist Quinn | Overland Park, Kan.
Alexandra Reiland | Hugo, Minn.
Kasiah Richmond | Wellington, Kan.
Ava Rygg | Wichita, Kan.
Madeline Schindlbeck | Brooklyn Park, Minn.
Sarah Schloegel* | Leawood, Kan.
Libby Seifert* | Edina, Minn.
Carly Sellhorn | Lincoln, Neb.
Leiah Semaan | Shawnee, Kan.
Kate Shatel | Omaha, Neb.
Maren Sheesley | Highlands Ranch, Colo.
Megan Shepherd | Aurora, Colo.
Carly Smith | Andover, Kan.
Abigail Stout | Linn Valley, Kan.
Elizabeth Strathman | Shawnee, Kan.
Margaret Sullivan* | Northfield, Ill.
Kate Taunton | Fayetteville, Ark.
Zoe Truax | St. Joseph, Mo.
Marguerite Tujague* | Shawnee, Kan.
Olivia Turner | Fayetteville, Ark.
Alyson Weinberg | Minnetonka, Minn.
Callie Williams | Fayetteville, Ark.
Elizabeth Williams | Columbus, Neb.
Briella Wrench | Sussex, Wis.
Ava Wright | Bellevue, Neb.

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Lambda Home Centennial

If you haven't already, please mark your calendars for the 100-year celebration of our Lambda Chapter House!

Event details are in the works, and we'll share them soon. For now, we encourage you to start planning your visit to Lawrence and coordinating pledge class gatherings around the April 12 event!

In case you missed it...Mollie Mitchell '80 was featured in KU Endowment's Fall newsletter.

Scan here to read about her family's "Tickets for Teachers" program.



WE HAVE
TONS OF
GREAT PICS
INSIDE!



Back to the nest! Members of the 2007 pledge class stop by the fountain on a campus trip.



New members enjoy their time in the fountain on Bid Day!



New members have a blast during their retreat at Clinton Lake!



Our Chapter House decorations for Bid Day 2023. The theme was "New Bids on the Block!"