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The Official Membership Intake Newsletter for the Alpha Sigma Chapter

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Special Note:

This Newsletter is not to be shared beyond its intended recipients (Alpha Sigma) without the expressed written permission of the Membership Chair to maintain the integrity of the current T.O.R.C.H. program. Please contact the Anti-Basileus Soror Shira Amos, at alphasigma1922membership@gmail.com, if you have any questions. Thank you!



Alpha Sigma Spring 2019 Formal Rush

On Mon., March 4th, 2019 Alpha Sigma's Membership Committee hosted its Spring 2019 Formal Rush on the campus of Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis (IUPUI) in the University Library room UL1126 led by the Membership Chair Shira Amos and the 2018-20 Membership Committee. The Formal Rush was also supported by Basileus Dawn Wright, 1st Anti-Basileus Ti'auna Williams, and Sorors Nickeo, Samuels, Turner, Mattox, Norman, Greer, Yelder, C. Williams, Howard, McGrady, Tiggs, Woods, Ligon, Haynes, Forbes, Hoggs and Gilbert. Twenty women were invited to the Rush with twenty in attendance. The ladies were greeted by Sorors Gilbert and Woods to verify their credentials and were welcomed by refreshments and sounds of excitement as they entered the room. Once the program began, it was straight to business! A good time was held by all and the tone was set for an amazing T.O.R.C.H. process!

Thank you to all of the interviewers for your assistance we were able to do 20 interviews in two days. Special thank you to Sorors Mattox, Turner, Samuels, Norman, Haynes, Howard, Moore, Clayton, D. Davis, C. Harris, Alcime, & Yelder.

Spring 2019 Candidates





































LEGACY SPOTLIGHT

Dorothy "Dee Dee" Williams is the daughter of Charlene Williams a member of the Beta Beta Chapter at Indiana State University from Fall of 1989. Soror Williams recently reactivated this February 2019 and has been on the move with Alpha Sigma since. "Dee Dee" is very quiet but outgoing. She enjoys giving back to the community through mentoring or just being a listening ear. She has a two year old son with a crazy personality and is a high school Assistant Coach at Lebanon & an AAU Coach.

Building Incredible Mentors

Thank you to all Sorors who joined the "Defining Mentorship" webinar. This webinar defined the role of the Membership Committee, discussed new member needs and key factors of Mentors while also defining mentor qualifications deemed by the Membership Committee. If you did not attend the webinar, the information was sent out to the financial body and can be sent out to you. Contact the Membership Chair at alphasigma1922membership@gmail.com for more information.

To become an incredible mentor this workshop was the first step of being Level 1 Certified; once you complete the webinar and ten question quiz. After completion you will receive a certificate of completion which verifies you know the expectations and clearly defined goals of a successful Mentor/Mentee relationship.

The next webinar will be available to Mentors who have been chosen as a Mentor for the Spring 2019 T.O.R.C.H. Alpha Sigma class; You're a Mentor Now, What's Next. Be on the lookout for the Save the Date.

Spring 2019 Formal Rush Photos











DEFINING MENTORSHIP webinar



REGISTER: HTTPS://GOO.GL/YALG5U VIDEO CONFERENCE: HTTPS://IU.ZOOM.US/J/142831730 MEETING ID: 142-831-730 OR TELEPHONE: +1 646 558 8656 (US TOLL)





March T.O.R.C.H. Activities

Alpha Sigma's T.O.R.C.H calendar has begun! We have completed workshops as of March 20th, however Modules have began. Thank you to all of the Sorors who are facilitating workshops and modules, your time and dedication to the process are truly appreciated. We are looking forward to an amazing and productive T.O.R.C.H. program. As a reminder the Affirmation Ceremony, Formal Tea and the Induction are the only events that can be attended by the chapter. Please take a look at the T.O.R.C.H. calendar to save the dates. Please be mindful you must be Financial AND T.O.R.C.H. trained to support these events.

March

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2
3	4 Formal Rush Interviews	5 Interviews	6	7	8	9
10	11	12 Workshop 1: Anti-Hazing Workshop 2: Conflict Resolution Practices	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20 Workshop 3: Time Management	21	22	23 Affirmation Ceremony & Tea Module #1: History & Structure
24	25	26	27	28 Module #2: Greater Service, Greater Progress	29	30
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Message from the Membership Chair...

As a new Anti-Basileus my vision for the 2018-19 sorority was to support the reactivation, reclamation and recruitment of new members while also providing training and development opportunities for our sisterhood. I wanted to bring my creative personality into the role to provide new opportunities but also support the foundation that was created prior to. Soror Norman has been there to support me throughout this journey among other Sorors and I thank you all very much. I also have an amazing team that keeps me on my toes and who understands the goals, vision and needs of Alpha Sigma. I am appreciative to them because they have my back and tell me no if I get carried away, lol. I could not do this role successfully without my team of leaders, rubies, life members, seasoned and new Sorors. Just know they are the bomb.com! Sorors I appreciate you for engaging in this journey with me, just know I may make a few mistakes but your support will be helpful for the success of our new and reactivating members and Alpha Sigma as a whole. Take the time to enjoy this journey with me; be innovative, join a committee, get to know a Soror that you are unfamiliar with, sit somewhere different at chapter next month and come out to events. The sorority year is almost over so lets go out with a BANG!



The "Rhoyal Tea"















SAVE THE DATE



SATURDAY, MARCH 23, 2019 | 1-3PM FAIRBANKS HALL AT IUPUI 340 W 10TH ST, INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46202

Rhoyal attire is being requested for this affair to

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The "Rhoyal Tea" Part II"























Committee Shout Out's



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