

March 8, 2015



Iota Phi Theta Fraternity, Inc.
Alpha Nu Omega Alumni Chapter
March Business Meeting-3/3/2015

- Meeting called to order at 6:35 pm by Polaris John Branch
- Parliamentarian Brother Freddie Green Jr. led the brothers in prayer.
- Recitation of Stars led by an ANO Brother.
- A motion to accept the agenda with flexibility was moved and properly seconded.
- Committee Reports
 - Community Service
 - WHAM-Last service had 3 brothers, 2 hearts, Elsik High School students.
 - Bro. Pierre Barthe has contacted the National Association of Blacks in Criminal Justice. There is a meeting in the works.
 - Mental Health Seminar-May 30, 2015
 - Tentative Locations-Bro. Donald Wright's church/ Holman St Baptist Church. 10am-12pm or 11pm-1pm.
 - Alpha Beta Sigma Chapter of Phi Beta Sigma will co-host.
 - Bro. Freddie Green Jr. proposed a question to change the venue of the Chapter's community service.
 - Bro. Raymond Sholes proposed that a survey to evaluate the type of community service the brothers would like to do.
 - NPHC-Houston
 - NPHC Greek Picnic is May 1-3, 2015.
 - Iota and Zeta are in charge of planning annual meeting.
 - \$15.00 tickets and ANO is responsible to sell 10 tickets.
 - Scholarships for undergraduate and high school seniors will be presented.
- Events and Fundraising
 - Gala
 - Gala will be in same location as last year
 - November 1, 2015 @7pm
 - Add 7 vendors to event

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- Change date from November to April/May
- Dancing with the Greeks
 - joint event with Sigma Gamma Rho
 - Tentative date- March/April 2016
 - Tentative place-Advantage BMW
- Spring Equinox
 - March 21, 2015 @Vintropolis City of Wine 6-8pm
 - tickets are on sale (\$15 in advance/\$20 at door.
 - 2 vendors are confirmed: Pink Zebra and Pizazz Accessories
 - models will be in attendance to assist with serving of wine.
 - Bro. Green suggested event survey be sent after event
 - Bro. Richardson suggests we use QR codes.
- Treasurer's Report
 - By Treasurer Bro. Torrie Richardson
 - Chase:\$3996.74, PayPal:\$250.00=\$4594.79
 - Chapter is financial for 2015
 - 21 brothers are locally financial
- National and Regional Information
 - Super Regional Conference
 - New Orleans, Louisiana
 - March 26-29, 2015
 - One active undergrad must attend for intake to take place
 - International Conclave
 - August 3-9, 2015
 - Bros. John Allen and Allester Taylor will be ANO delegates
- Intake
 - Bro. Torrey Thompson presented a proposal and schedule for intake.
 - motion to accept both intake proposal and schedule for ANO Intake was moved and properly seconded by Bros. Hightower IV and Dalencort. Motion carries
- Undergraduate Reports
 - Epsilon Alpha will have no activity until Spring 2017.
 - Zeta Omicron is inactive until Spring 2016.
 - Zeta Eta
 - interest meeting was March 4, 2015
 - Lambda

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- approved for intake
- 2 individuals
- start on March 16, 2015
- intake will be lead by Bro. John Allen.
- University of Houston-Victoria
 - charter in Fall 2015
 - Bro. Allester Taylor will be advisor
- Old Business
 - Black history step show at Alief Elsik High School will be rescheduled.
 - Polaris Branch will inform us of the date change.
- New Business
 - Bro. Torrey Thompson proposed we donate \$50.00 to the Southern Region Sweethearts Silent Auction for Super Regionals. The motion was moved and properly seconded by Bros. Freddie Green Jr. and Torrey Thompson. (Motion Carries)
- Houston Iota Youth Alliance (I.Y.A.)
 - Bro. Torrie Richardson has a group of students who he is mentoring. Going forward he will put together a protocol and calendar of events for brothers to help with mentoring and sponsorship.
- Parliamentary Procedure (Robert's Rules of Order)
 - After a brief presentation by Parliamentarian Freddie Green Jr. a motion was moved and properly seconded that the ANO Chapter pay \$8.00 for a personal copy of the book to be given to every financial brother in the chapter. The motion was moved and seconded by Bros. Freddie Green Jr. and Torrey Thompson. (Motion carries)
- Motion to approve allocation of funds of \$60.00 for purchase of ANO Chapter banner was moved and properly seconded by Vice Polaris Ryan Johnson Sr. and Secretary Justin S. Manuel (Motion Carries)
- Meeting adjourned at 8:35 pm by Polaris Branch Jr.

Meeting Minutes submitted March 10, 2015 by:
Secretary Justin S. Manuel