# All Things Greek

FRATERNITY AND SORORITY LIFE NEWSLETTER



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## Fraternity and Sorority Life Office Update

Congratulations, we've made it through another successful semester! You have accomplished so much this semester, and I cannot wait to see what you have planned for the fall. The last few weeks have been focused on celebrating your amazing accomplishments throughout the last year, and I have enjoyed watching you receive every accolade. I was thoroughly impressed with the awards you took home at the Student Affairs Night on Fire event. So again, I say congratulations! Enjoy your summer break, and come back in the fall with as much fire and passion as you showed this semester! Graduating seniors, again we will miss your contributions to our community and we hope to see you back soon!



Congratulations to our very own

**Madison Beaumarchais!** 

She will be receiving her

Master of Education degree in Higher Education Leadership.

## Council President Updates

#### Interfraternity Council (IFC)

**CANNON GEORGE** 

IIFC Is getting ready to finish up this Spring semester and is starting to get ready for the upcoming Fall semester! We finished up our annual IFC Cup which was won by Sigma Chi with Delta Chi coming in with a close second. We have already begun preparations for Fall rush, and we are hoping for the largest recruitment we have had in recent years.





#### College Panhellenic Council (CPC)

**PARKER HEIL** 

The step show was very successful. In total, we raised \$6,169.33 which was an almost \$4,000 increase from last year. College Panhellenic Council would like to congratulate the ladies of Chi Omega for winning first place and the ladies of Phi Mu for winning second place. We look forward to next years step show. Have a great summer and go blazers!

## Council President Updates

### **National** Pan-Hellenic Council (NPHC)

DASHON WALTON

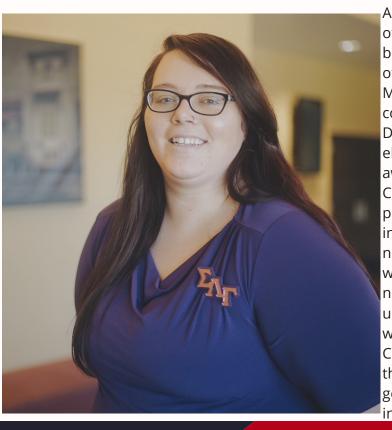
**Greetings Blazers,** 

This semester has been one to remember featuring our NPHC Greek Weeks. Ending with the men of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity inc (April 22-28). Going into finals week, we will be premiering one of our most anticipated videos called "Welcome To The Yard". The video will display the councils versatility and show how much we love being apart of our chapters. On behalf of NPHC I would like to invite all VSU blazers to come support our social and community service events.



### **Multicultural Greek Council** (MGC)

**KAY CAVENDER**As the semester comes to a close, this marks the first year of the Multicultural Greek Council on our Campus. It has been a truly awe-inspiring experience watching the growth of our Chapters and Council lay a foundation so that more Multicultural Chapters can one day join us. Our semester concluded with our Inaugural Awards Banquet, "Una Noche De Familia". During this banquet we swore in our newly elected 2018 -2019 executive board and gave out various awards. During this banquet we also raised money for our Council Educational Scholarship. We were able to award a phenomenal young woman \$200. She will be attending VSU in the Fall. We will be taking the summer to transition our new Executive Board and plan for the upcoming year. They will officially take office on June 1st. Our main focus for the next year is finalizing our foundation and focusing on upholding our council values and MGC expansion. We would like to fully thank other Councils and individual Chapters that have supported our endeavors and hope that the entire Greek community continues to put in a genuine effort of Greek unity by becoming more immersed in our own campus community.



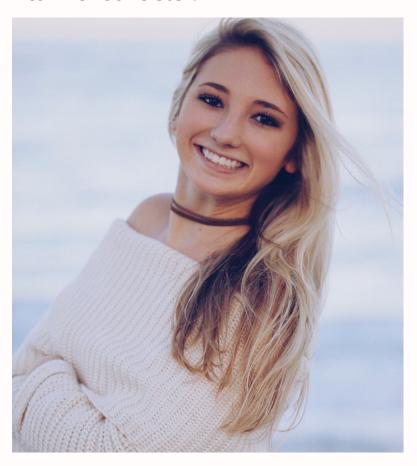
## Chapter Member Highlights

### **Kendra Crosby**

#### Sigma Gamma Rho

Kendra is a senior Political Science major and African American Studies minor. She currently serves as the Financial Secretary and Parliamentarian of the Lambda Beta Chapter here at VSU. Kendra is also heavily involved in other on-campus organizations such as the Black Student League. Kendra is hardworking and fun to be around. She is always there when in need of a helping hand. She is truly appreciated, and we are so proud to call her our sister!





#### Amber Wilke Kappa Delta

Amber Wilke is from PC '17 and is a very special member of our chapter. As a freshman she holds the position of Vice President Finance on our executive council. She is a nursing major and also has two jobs outside of school and Kappa Delta. We are very lucky to have such a sweet and hardworking member like Amber in our chapter!

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# Greek Awards





# Chapter Updates The Multicultural Greek Council



#### Congratulations to the 2018 - 2019 EBoard!

(Right to Left)

President: Dillon Hyatt

Executive Vice-President: Deven Fuller

VP of Marketing: Davina Hurt

Secretary: Karizma Grant

VP of Public Relations: Marcus Colón

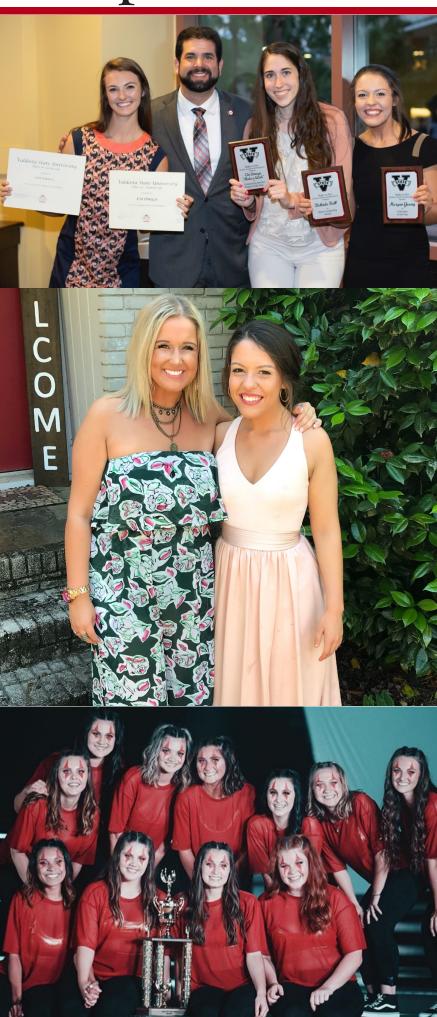
VP of Finance: Bryce Suggs

VP of Community Service: Kendall Mason VP of Risk Management: Kristal Wynn

# Chi Omega

As the semester is coming to a close, Chi Omega continued to make a lot of great memories. To start things off we had a lot of fun, hanging out with our Panhellenic sisters at 2 different events! The first event was with the amazing ladies of ADPI and Phi Mu, we listened to Katie Bulmer speak about how sorority women can change the world. We also enjoyed a chacos and tacos Sisterhood with the fun ladies of ADPI. This month Chi Omega celebrated 123 years of sisterhood on April 5th. We had our Wish Week to raise money for Make A Wish Georgia, and we were so excited to see a lot of campus and Greek life participation. Chi Omega was so blessed to initiate 3 new beautiful sisters into our sisterhood! We kept the excitement rolling through as our Step team got to show their skills in the CPC Step Show and brought home 1st place for the 2nd year in a row! Chi Omega also had the privilege to honor our Parents at our annual Parents' Weekend. It was a great time showing our parents how much we appreciate them. Our sisters enjoyed our annual Carnation Ball this past weekend at Gin Creek. It was a beautiful night full of dancing! Lastly we wrapped up the month with many accomplishments from both the Greek Awards Banquet and the Student Life Night on Fire Awards Banquet. Chi Omega received Chapter of Excellence and Community Service Project of the Year. We also had individual sisters honored for their hard work including: Maddie Pittman as CPC New Member of the year, Morgan Young as Volunteer of the Year, and Belinda Bell as Greek Achiever of the Year and Blazer Leader of the Year. It's been a great semester for Psi Lambda

and we can't wait for what is to come in the Fall!



## Alpha Phi Alpha



The Mu Omicron Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. welcomed ten new members this past month.

Sigma Lambda Gamma



We would like to extend a warm welcome to the five women of Gamma Line Jasmine Change, LaDaezjah Warrens, Daisia Bailey, Davina Hurt, and Nastassia Sanks. Welcome to Greek Life!!

We will be sending out invitations to various GLO and Non GLO organizations on campus in order to host our annual Pulse Blood Drive on June 16th at the red cross in order to remember the innocent lives that were taken during the domestic terrorist attack in June of 2016. Please be on the lookout for that email or email the current president, Kandice G. Smith at vstategammas@gmail.com, kansmith@valdosta.edu or slg.anima13@gmail.com.

Thank you so much! We look forward to your participation!



# Phi Beta Sigma

The Kappa Delta chapter of Phi Beta Sigma had an amazing April. The chapter received the Gold Membership Award within their region for their continuous effort towards Membership Growth and Retention. The chapter welcomed 7 new brothers into their wondrous band: Samuel Scott, Gerald Njorgoe, Markus Turner, Bryceland Brown, Jacques Johnson, Brian Bogues, and Josaphat Gaubert.



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## Alpha Delta Pi



This semester has FLOWN by for the ladies of Alpha Delta Pi, we have had a month filled with fun memories and accomplishments. We took home the award for Chapter of Excellence at the Greek awards Banquet, had an early celebration of the founding of our chapter on VSU's campus (May 3, 1958), had fun raising money for the Ronald McDonald house through a Chick-fil-a percentage night, and through our annual, "Pie a Pi," philanthropy event. Our step team worked so hard and had a blast performing in the CPC step show for Circle of Sisterhood. We enjoyed getting to spend time with the sisters of Chi Omega at our, "Chaco's and Taco's sisterhood," and also had a ball at our, "Derby Down South," spring formal. We can't believe that the year is already coming to a close! The ladies of Alpha Delta Pi wish everyone good luck on their finals and a BIG congratulations to all graduating seniors!

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Iota Phi Theta



The Delta Phi chapter of lota Phi Theta Fraternity, Inc. welcomed six new members this Spring 2018 semester.

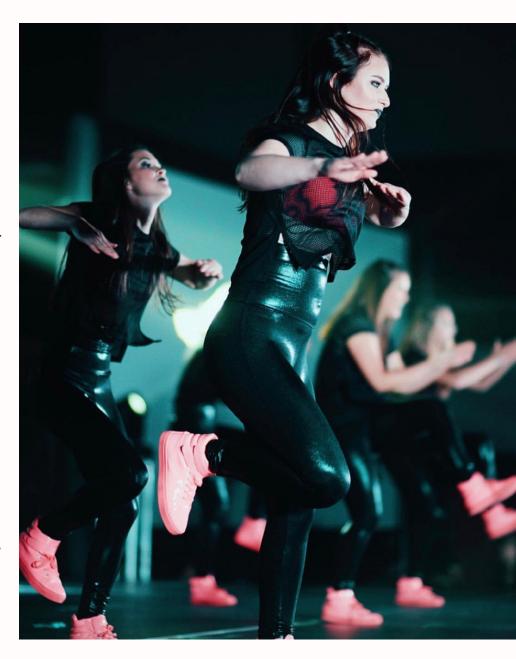


This semester, the first Miss Class and Culture pageant was hosted by Iota Phi Theta Fraternity, Inc. Congratulations again to our winners:

Miss Class and Culture: Shantanea Walker
Miss Brown and Gold: Austin Smith
Miss Delta Phi: Courtney Rose

## Phi Mu

This April has been filled with a multitude of fun and exciting events, starting out the month with informal and formal! We also participated in the CPC Step Show and came out with second place! We are so proud of our hardworking girls who put months of practice into their routine! We had to postpone our annual Love for Lizzie cookout due to weather, but we look forward to still honoring Lizzie's legacy and continuing to raise money for the Elizabeth Joy Lohmar Scholarship. We ended the moth with our senior service, recognizing our seniors and showering them with love before they take on their new journeys! We will miss them so much. Summer here we come!





**Shaquaja Washington** Sigma Gamma Rho Major: Mass Media



**Tanner Gordon** Alpha Delta Pi Major: Healthcare Administration



Jasmine Jackson Alpha Kappa Alpha Major: Exercise Physiology



**Ashilee Thomas** Sigma Lambda Gamma Major: Chemistry Concentration in Biochemistry

The tassel was worth the hassle! Congratulations to the Class of 2018!



Morgan Farquhar Kappa Delta Major: Public Relations



Allison Holmes
Phi Mu
Major: Dental Hygiene



**Ryan Nobles**Phi Beta Sigma
Major: Spanish- Foreign Language Education



**Jourdan Brown**Alpha Delta Pi
Major: Communications and Public Relations



Sigma Lambda Gamma Major: Nursing



**Jacob Obande** Phi Beta Sigma Major: Interdisciplinary Studies



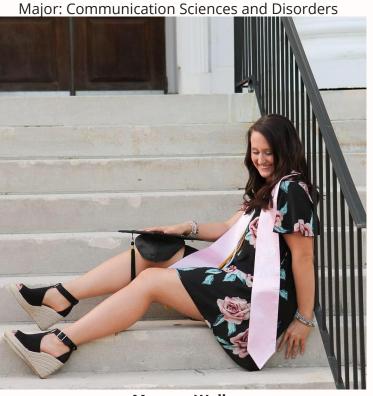
Alpha Kappa Alpha Major: Communication Sciences and Disorders



**Sydney Chick** Kappa Delta Major: Finance & Econ



Alpha Delta Pi



Meagan Wall Phi Mu Major: Business Management



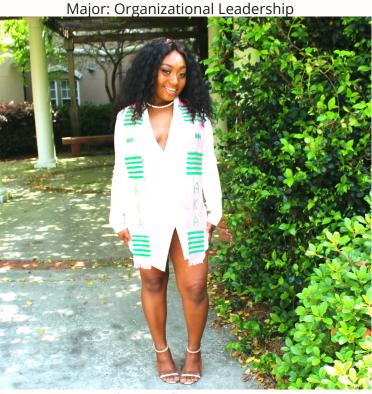
**Jaquavious Ezell** Phi Beta Sigma Major: Healthcare Administration



**Jasmine Reid** Alpha Kappa Alpha Major: Healthcare Administration



Kappa Delta



**Iyanna Burton** Alpha Kappa Alpha Major: Criminal Justice | Minor: Spanish



**Angel Michaels** Alpha Delta Pi Major: Psychology



**Alexis Farley** Sigma Lambda Gamma Major: Communication Sciences and Disorders



Sigma Lambda Gamma Major: Business with a Concentration in Economics.



**Caroline White** Phi Mu Major: Communication Sciences and Disorders



**Meagan Sherman** Alpha Kappa Alpha Major: Public Relations



Alpha Delta Pi Major: Criminal Justice



**Anna Kate Sprites** Kappa Delta Major: Public Relations



Jetta Kaimachiande Alpha Kappa Alpha Major: Nursing



Sigma Lambda Gamma Major: Communication Sciences and Disorders



Kaitlyn Kudela Phi Mu Major: Sociology

The tassel was worth the hassle! Congratulations to the Class of 2018!



Ashley Casey
Alpha Kappa Alpha
Major: Business Management



**Maggie Wisenbaker**Phi Mu
Major: Middle Grades Education



Allison Hinson Alpha Delta Pi Major: Psychology



Jasmine Change Sigma Lambda Gamma Major: Biology



Julie Masonheimer Kappa Delta Major: Biology



**Monica Van Deventer** Phi Mu Major: Psychology



Kanya Lewis Alpha Phi Alpha Major: Physical Therapy



**Kyle McRae** Alpha Phi Alpha Major: Healthcare Administration

## Senior Highlights

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Congratulations to the Class of 2018!

#### **Nicholas McPherson**

Sigma Lambda Beta

Major: Music | Concentration: Education.

#### Nicholas A. Gills

Sigma Lambda Beta

Major: Mass Media | Concentration: Media Writing & Cinematography.

#### **Robert Murphy**

Phi Beta Sigma

Major: Biology

#### **Kenneth Alexander**

Phi Beta Sigma

Major: Interior Design