



# CAP E-Newsletter

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## President's Corner

Happy Holidays! I hope everyone had a safe and relaxing Thanksgiving.

Our December event has been changed from prior newsletters. I was contacted by a sorority alumna who invited the CAP members and their friends to a FREE wine tasting event on December 7 from 6-8 PM at Alhambra located at 3737 North Southport. We couldn't pass up free food and wine, especially with all the holiday expenses. Also at the event, there will be professionals on hand to answer any of your holiday decorating questions. Please feel free to stop by and bring your friends! Thanks to Amy for putting this event together!

We are working on a chocolate event for January and hope to have the evite sent out in the next week or so. Please let us know if you have any suggestions or ideas for events.

If I can be of assistance to you or your chapter, please contact me at [psuprincess88@hotmail.com](mailto:psuprincess88@hotmail.com) or at 773-718-6216.

I wish you all a safe and happy holiday season.

Interfraternally,  
Jackie ☺

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## **Looking to meet other sorority women in Chicago? CAP is an excellent resource to network with sorority women from 26 NPC chapters.**

### **What Is CAP?**

The Chicago Alumnae Panhellenic (CAP) is one of the most well represented alumnae panhellenics in the Midwest region. CAP was established in June 2001 and chartered by the National Panhellenic Conference (NPC) in May 2002. The purpose of the Chicago Alumnae Panhellenic is:

1. To inform collegiate women about the 26 NPC organizations and NPC's membership process.
2. To provide a networking system for alumnae women in the Chicago area.
3. To provide scholarships for deserving collegiate women from Illinois or women attending a college in Illinois

### **Structure, Meetings and Events**

1. Chicago Alumnae Panhellenic council: One delegate and one alternate delegate representing each of the 26 NPC organizations.
2. CAP Business meetings: Periodic business meetings for the council members to discuss upcoming activities and important business matters
3. Social events: Monthly social event **that is open to all sorority women**. Delegates are encouraged to facilitate information on upcoming CAP events to their members.

Since its creation, Chicago Alumnae Panhellenic has established a presence in the downtown Chicago area. Currently, CAP's main focuses are social, networking and alumnae chapter support events. Philanthropy, programming, and pre-recruitment activities will be included in the near future.

Check out our calendar of events and updates online at  
[www.chicagopanhellenic.org](http://www.chicagopanhellenic.org)

# Chapter Notes

- ☺ If you would like to share a chapter event or let us know about the happenings in your chapter, please email [chicagopanhellenic@yahoo.com](mailto:chicagopanhellenic@yahoo.com) and we will include it in the next newsletter.

## CAP Updates

- ☺ The 2007 CAP Scholarship Application will be on the CAP website shortly. We have already received emails from interested sorority women who are awaiting the new application! Again this year, the scholarship is available for sorority women who attend a university in Illinois or who graduated from an Illinois high school, but currently attend a university outside of the state. If you know sorority women who would be interested, please direct them to the CAP website for additional information, [www.chicagopanhellenic.org](http://www.chicagopanhellenic.org).
- ☺ The Fourth Annual CAP Tea and Silent Auction will be here for we know it. Our past-president is working on the location and nailing down the date, though we are hoping for Sunday, April 29, 2007. In January or February we will be starting the sign up for the Silent Auction baskets that each chapter donates. As you are doing your holiday shopping, check out the gift baskets in the stores and get some ideas. Heather can always use help with the Tea, so please email us at [chicagopanhellenic@yahoo.com](mailto:chicagopanhellenic@yahoo.com) if you're interested. You can help as much or as little as you have time for!

### Calendar

**December 7**

**Free Wine Tasting at Alhambra 6-8 PM  
3737 North Southport Avenue**

**March 2007  
April 29, 2007**

**CAP Roundtable  
CAP Silent Auction and Scholarship Tea**

\*We are still working on events for January and February 2007. If you have any ideas or suggestions, please email us at [chicagopanhellenic@yahoo.com](mailto:chicagopanhellenic@yahoo.com)

## Spotlight on CAP Members

If you want to brag about the accomplishments of a CAP member or your chapter, email us at [chicagopanhellenic@yahoo.com](mailto:chicagopanhellenic@yahoo.com)

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