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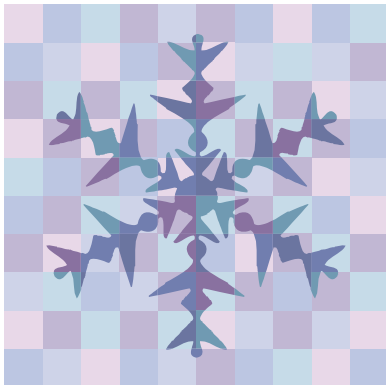
President's Corner

Ladies,

Happy New Year! I hope you all had a wonderful holiday. I'm excited to announce that CAP won two awards from NPC in October. We were named an Outstanding Alumnae Chapter and also received Excellence in Programming. I want to thank everyone for your participation and support--we wouldn't have our great reputation without our members!

We have some fun events coming in the next couple months, so keep your eyes out for Evites. Also check the Calendar at the end of the newsletter for upcoming events.

With Panhellenic love,
Jackie ☺



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CAP Updates

- ☺ **WANTED:** Scholarship Chair and Public Relations Chair. We are still looking to fill the Chair positions for Scholarship and Tea. Email us at chicagopanhellenic@yahoo.com with any questions or if interested.
- ☺ **CAP Happy Hour!** We are going to change up the days of the week for the Happy Hours to see if we can fit more schedules. See the calendar for upcoming dates.
- ☺ Thanks to everyone who attended the CAP Roundtable! Courtney put together a terrific event!
- ☺ In March, we will have a **business meeting**. It is open to all members. We will discuss the Tea, Silent Auction, and the Nomination Committee for the 2008-2009 Executive Board Elections. We will also discuss the scholarship.
- ☺ CAP's website has been updated! Check us out at www.chicagopanhellenic.org
- ☺ CAP Scholarship application will be on the website in the next week or so. Please publicize our scholarship to the collegiate sorority women in your life. The deadline is March 1st.
- ☺ Scholarship Tea & **Silent Auction**→As has been done in the past, each chapter will be expected to donate a basket to the Silent Auction (min. value \$35). You can have businesses donate items for recognition in the program. More details to come.

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 and we will include it in the next newsletter

Calendar

Upcoming Events

January 10	CAP Happy Hour (Coffee/Tea) at 5:30
February 19	CAP Happy Hour (Cocktails) at 5:30
March 3	Open Business Meeting at 6:30 at Argo (by Wicked) <i>Open to all members; will discuss Tea, Elections, etc.</i>
March 18	CAP Happy Hour (Coffee/Tea) at 5:30
April 27, 2008	CAP Annual Tea and Silent Auction at The Drake
May	Year-End Dinner (Date and Location TBD)

2007-2008 Executive Board

President: Jackie Manley, ΦΜ
Vice President: Courtney Scott, ΧΩ
Secretary: Lauren Rector, ΧΩ
Treasurer: Maggie Ross, ΧΩ

2007-2008 Chairs

Pre-Recruitment: Ann Melichar, ΣΚ
Social: Courtney Scott and Lauren Rector, ΧΩ
Public Relations: OPEN
Webmaster: DoriAnn Basaraba, ΔΦΕ
Scholarship: OPEN
Tea: Katharine Jarasius, ΣΚ

The CAP newsletter will be published on a monthly basis during CAP's year. If you have an article, event, or other item to include in the newsletter, please email chicagopanellenic@yahoo.com by the 20th of each month to make it into the next newsletter.



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.chicagopanellenic.org

\$500 SCHOLARSHIP offered by Chicago Alumnae Panhellenic, Chicago, Illinois

The Chicago Alumnae Panhellenic Association is offering a non-restrictive \$500 scholarship for the 2008 academic year to sorority women in need of financial assistance. Each applicant must matriculate and remain in their NPC chapter throughout the 2007-2008 academic year.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

1. For Greek women attending a higher education institution college/university in Illinois **or** Greek women who are graduates of an Illinois high school attending a higher education institution college/university outside of Illinois.
2. Is a freshman, sophomore, junior, or senior requiring a fifth year for completion of her major attending an accredited 4-year college/university.
3. Be an initiated member in good standing of a National Panhellenic Conference.
4. Have a grade point average sufficient of 3.2 or higher.
5. Demonstrate financial need.
6. Demonstrate on-going involvement in her sorority.

HOW TO APPLY/CHECKLIST

1. Obtain application materials from the Chicago Alumnae Panhellenic Web Site, www.chicagopanhellenic.org
2. Complete the forms thoroughly and ensure all items are received on time. We cannot accept late or incomplete applications.
3. Return the Three (3) page Application and an Official College/University Transcript to:

Jackie Manley, CAP President
544 West Melrose #467
Chicago, IL 60657
E-mail: chicagopanhellenic@yahoo.com

4. Make sure your materials are **postmarked no later than MARCH 1, 2008.**

The awarding of scholarships will take place at our annual Scholarship reception held in April 2008.

APPLICATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

CHICAGO ALUMNAE PANHELLENIC
2008 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

INSTRUCTIONS: Complete ALL portions of the 3-page application. NO RESUMES ACCEPTED.
If an item does not pertain to you, please put N/A or a dash on the line so we are aware that no
answer applies. PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY. Use a separate sheet of paper when needed.

Birth

date: _____

Name: _____ Sorority: _____

Last First Middle Initial

Home Address: _____ Phone: _____

Street City State Zip

High School Attended: _____ Graduation Date: _____

High School: _____

City County State Zip

FAMILY STATUS:

Mother's Name: _____ Father's Name: _____

Mother's Address: _____ Father's Address: _____

Street Street

City County State Zip City County State Zip

Mother's Occupation: _____ Father's Occupation: _____

Employer: _____ Employer: _____

How many children, including you, are dependents: _____

Are your parents assisting any other members of your family to attend college next year? ___ Yes

___ No

If yes, to what extent? _____

COLLEGE:

College currently attending: _____ Registrar's office phone: _____

Your College address: _____

E-mail: _____ Phone Number: _____

Degree Sought: _____ Status: ___ 1st yr ___ 2nd yr ___ 3rd yr ___ 4th yr ___ 5th yr

Major(s): _____

Cumulative G.P.A.: _____ (An Official Transcript is Required)

Which address can you be reached at in April 2008? COLLEGE MOTHER FATHER OTHER

Phone # you can be reached at in April 2008? _____ When is Final Week? _____

COLLEGIATE ACTIVITIES:

List membership in organizations, including name, description of each if necessary, offices and chairs held and approximate hours per week spent in each activity.

SORORITY (Chapter Activities/Offices/Committees) Academic Year Hours/Week

CAMPUS ACTIVITIES Academic Year Hours/Week
(Organizations...include sports/teams - collegiate or intramural)

COLLEGIATE ACADEMIC HONORARIES AND RECOGNITIONS (Societies)

NON-ACADEMIC HONORARIES AND RECOGNITIONS (Societies)

VOLUNTEER WORK (In addition to sorority involvement)

Including Campus/Community/Church/Synagogue Year(s) Hours/Week

FINANCES:

List scholarships, grants, loans received currently giving amount, source and duration.

LOANS

Total amount outstanding to date: _____

EMPLOYMENT:

List your past and current employment record of the last 3 years, including dates:

Are you employed during the school year? _____ Yes _____ No. If yes, in what capacity (include campus employment)? _____

Place of employment: _____ Hours/week: _____

Amount earned: _____

Please answer the following questions on a separate sheet of paper. Be specific as possible. No more than 3 pages double spaced for each answer.

- DESCRIBE YOUR REASONS FOR APPLYING FOR THIS SCHOLARSHIP.
- YOUR GOALS AND PLANS FOR THE FUTURE

DEADLINE: Send this THREE (3) PAGE APPLICATION and an OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT by March 1, 2008 to:

Jackie Manley, CAP President, 544 West Melrose #467, Chicago, IL 60657