

### **State Representative Report**



# State Of Alabama 7<sup>th</sup> District OMEGA PSI PHI FRATERNITY, INC.

Date: October 19-21, 2018

From: Bro. Christopher A. Brooks
17<sup>th</sup> Alabama State Representative

### **State Officers**

1<sup>st</sup> Vice State Representative Bro. Cary G. Hale 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice State Representative **Bro. Rupert England** State Keeper of Records and Seal Bro. Frankl Benefield **State Keeper of Finance Bro. Dexter Jackson** State Chaplain **Bro. Freddie Washington State Counselor Bro. Brandon Wooten Bro. Sidney Lankford Director of Public Relations Immediate Past State Representative Bro. Jerome Sanders Bro. Stafford Thompson** State Marshal

### **General Information Section**

- Total Financial Brothers in the State of Alabama 1,024 (Undergraduates 193 Graduates 831). This is an increase from last year.
- · Significantly improve chapters quarterly reporting and compliance
- Committee Chair Changes to Alabama State Council
  - Achievement Week Bro. Robert Thomas
  - Scholarship/High School/Essay Contest Bro. Fred Windham
  - Social Action Antonio Wooden
  - NAACP/CEF/Voter Registration, Education & Mobilization Bro. Douglas Bonner
  - Public Relations Bro.Sidney Langford
  - Corporate Sponsorship Bro. Jeremy Spratling
  - Food Drive Bro. James Lovejoy
- Seventh District Council Changes

7<sup>th</sup> District Second Vice District Representative - Bro. Harry Davis 7<sup>th</sup> District Marshal – Bro. George Smith

Grand Officers Changes

Grand Basileus - Bro. Dr. David Marion
First Vice Grand Basileus - Bro. Ricky Lewis
Second Vice Grand Basileus - Bro. Austin Tatum
Grand Keeper of Records & Seal - Bro. Mark Jackson
Grand Counselor - Bro. Benjamin Crump
Grand Chaplain - Bro. Walter T. Richardson

- Attended 2018 Undergraduate Summit Atlanta, GA
- Attended Omega Day at the State Legislature Montgomery, AL
- Alabama State Council Winter Meeting Montgomery, AL
- Attended District Winter Council Meeting Birmingham, AL
- Attended 81<sup>st</sup> District Meeting Atlanta, GA
- Attended 81<sup>st</sup> Grand Conclave New Orleans, LA
- Attended Mississippi State Meeting Jackson, MS
- · Attended Florida State Meeting Stuart, FL
- Attended Georgia State Meeting Augusta, GA
- Beta Eta Chapter University of Alabama represented the 7<sup>th</sup> District and the State of Alabama at the Conclave and won International Undergraduate Chapter of the Year. Congratulations to Beta Eta!
- Beta Mu Nu won 7<sup>th</sup> District (Large) Chapter Reclamation of the Year! Congratulations Beta Mu Nu!
- Rho Alpha was selected to represent History & Archives for the State at the 2018 81<sup>st</sup> Seventh District Meeting where they were recognized and awarded the 2018 Seventh District History & Archives Award.
- Chartered one new Graduate Chapter Upsilon Mu Nu in Troy, Alabama.
- Significant Number of Conference Calls with Executive Council, State Council, Seventh District, Chapter Officers, Undergraduate Advisors, State Committees, Chapters and Chapter Brothers, and University Officials

- Growth and Stability of Our Chapters by encouraging and assisting with reclamation and new members.
- Increase State membership by 15 percent.
- Become more involved with undergraduates. Preparing them for their potential careers and ensuring they know how to handle Omega business
- Increase
- Health Awareness
- Improve Chapter Relationships on University Campuses
- Further ensure that committees are working as a committee rather than a one man operation. (This will continue to get the best out of the committees. Also help educate and offer assistance as needed)
- Make sure the State is in compliance with the National requirements and encourage creativity within the Chapters to meet these goals. (This would include 100% of the Chapters turning in the required reports within the required designated timeframe)
- Continue to Use Conference Calls to Communicate Throughout the State with More Conference Calls with Undergraduate Advisors, and State Council
- Actively Pursue Charters for New Chapters in the State
- Assist Chapter Leadership with the needed data and information that will ensure their success and personal growth



### Alabama 1<sup>st</sup> Vice State Representative



# State Of Alabama 7<sup>th</sup> District OMEGA PSI PHI FRATERNITY, INC.

Date: October 19-21, 2018

To: Bro. Christopher A. Brooks Alabama State Representative

From: Bro. Cary G. Hale

1<sup>st</sup> Vice Alabama State Representative

### **General Information:**

- The main responsibility for me was to perform the duties assigned by the State Representative and the State Council.
- My focus for this year was to continue to be available for counsel with the State Representative, participate in the conference calls and supervise the activities of all standing committees. Also, assist other State Officers as needed.
- Attended the Undergraduate Summit, Atlanta, GA
- Alabama State Council Winter Meeting Montgomery, AL
- Attended the 81<sup>st</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> District Meeting, Atlanta, GA
- Attended Grand Conclave, New Orleans, LA,
- Involved with numerous Conference Calls with Executive Council, State Council, Chapter Officers, and State Committees.
- Preside over the Plenary Session II of the State Council Meeting.
- Assisted as needed in the planning of the 2018 Alabama Statewide Meeting.

### **Upcoming Activities:**

 Continue using my abilities to support the Alabama Statewide Organization and Committee Chairs with their committees to further service Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.

Fraternally, Bro. Cary G. Hale 1<sup>st</sup> Vice Alabama State Representative

### 2018 Alabama State Counselor Report

**TO:** Brother Christopher Brooks. Alabama State Representative Brothers of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc., State of Alabama

FROM: Brother Brandon J. Wooten, Esq. - State Counselor

DATE: October 9, 2018

### 2018 STATE COUNSELOR REPORT

Since becoming State Counselor at the 2017 State Meeting, I have attended the Alabama State Council Winter Workshop in February and attended the 2018 Conclave where I gained valuable insight of the legal issues resonating throughout our fraternity nationally. I have participated in multiple conference calls and investigations, with a focus on performing any duties assigned by the State Representative.

I am pleased to report that to the best of my knowledge there is no pending litigation against the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc in the State of Alabama. However, there have been two investigations by our State Organization and two undergraduate universities, where one of the undergraduate chapters endured disciplinary action.

To my knowledge I have reviewed all contracts signed by the State Organization for the year 2018. Please submit all contracts that are or appear to be legally binding on the Alabama State Organization of the Omega Psi Pi Fraternity, Inc to the State Counselor prior to entering into the agreement.

Brothers are encouraged to utilize insurance provided by the fraternity for your chapter sponsored social events. This is important to minimize your chapter's exposure to being fiscally responsible in the event legal action is consummated. Also, Brothers please be advised that chapter insurance premiums need to be paid promptly by the prescribed deadline.

Finally, I am available for consultation regarding all matters of legal importance. If questions arise regarding insurance, contract issues, fraternal legal exposure, constitutional interpretation or codes of conduct please contact me for assistance. I will continue to make my law firms resources available to support the Alabama Statewide Organization and to further service Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.

Submitted in Service and Duty, Brandon J. Wooten Alabama State Counselor



### **State Chaplain Report**



# State Of Alabama 7<sup>th</sup> District OMEGA PSI PHI FRATERNITY, INC.

Date: October 19-21, 2018

To: Bro. Christopher Brooks
Alabama State Representative

From: Alabama State Chaplain Report for 2018

### **General Information Section:**

These are the following brothers that have entered into Omega Chapter since the last State Meeting:

### Alpha Phi Chapter:

- Bro. George Johnson
- Bro. Donald Solomon
- Bro. Elvis Stephens
- Bro. Haze Thomas

### Kappa Beta Beta Chapter:

- Bro. Joseph K. Jones

### Rho Alpha Chapter:

- Bro. Leon Branch
- Bro. Reginald Brown
- Bro. Prince Jones
- Bro. Fredro Knight
- Bro. Ollie Todd, III

### Theta Tau Chapter:

- Bro. Kenneth Cunningham

### Xi Omicron Chapter:

- Bro. Willie Adams
- Bro. Jeffery Dixon
- Bro. James Gurly
- Bro. Harvey Hamilton, Sr.
- Bro. Charles Jones
- Bro. Claude Martin
- Bro. Dewitt Matthews
- Bro. Xavier Newby, Jr.
- Bro. Reginald Oliver
- Bro. David Smith
- Bro. Wayne Snodgrass



### **State Public Relations Director Report**



# State of Alabama 7<sup>th</sup> District OMEGA PSI PHI FRATERNITY, Inc.

Date: 10/6/2018

To: Bro. Christopher A. Brooks

Alabama State Representative

From: Bro. Sidney R. Lankford, Jr.

Dir. Of Public Relations

### **General Information:**

Installed as the State Director of Public Relations in April after Bro. Sean Bland became Seventh District Director of Public Relations

Focused more on Que View standardization

Looking for a better way to get information to non-financial individuals to bring them back.

Working with the District Director of Public Relations in creating the District Publication "The Pearl"

Working with District Director of Public Relations with the impletation of the State and 7<sup>th</sup> District Team Apps

Creating undergrad/graduate alliance to get information of chapter activities

### **Uncoming Activities:**

Final Que View for the year should be in October

Would like to come up with a state wide calendar for events so that brothers can attend events all over the state.

Creating a stand alone email address for Public Relations related information

### **Announcements:**

• Plan to have quarterly phone calls with chapter reporters to further encourage reporting of chapter activities.

### FOOD DRIVE

November 1, 2017 - October 31, 2018

**Committee Chair: James E. Lovejoy** 

Committee Members: Mark McDowell, Henry Davis, Daryl Bradford

Members at large: N/A

### **Committee's Mission:**

The mission is to provide information and guidance for each Alabama Chapter to plan, organize and conduct the State Food Drive. To feed America's hungry through an Alabama statewide network of fraternity brothers and engage our country in the fight to end hunger.

### Committee Goals and Objectives for Fiscal Year 2017-2018:

- Ensure that all chapters are aware and understand the fraternity's Food Drive Process.
- Create a comprehensive listing of all chapters' commitments.

### **Committee Accomplishments:**

- Established contact Apr 5, 2018 with: Montgomery Area Food Bank: Teressa Vigneault Millwood Fund/Food Drives-Events & Volunteer Coordinator
- Drafted letter to distribute for each Alabama State Chapter. Each Graduate Chapter is being asked to give \$100.00 or the equivalent in canned goods toward this effort and each Undergraduate Chapter is being asked to give \$50.00 or the equivalent in canned good.

N/A
Recommendations/Comments
Continuity Book and or Digital File to be established of past preparation of Food Drive.



### Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. State Organization of Alabama



Founders: Frank Coleman Oscar J. Cooper Ernest E. Just Edgar A. Love

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**Contact:** James E. Lovejoy

Food Drive Committee Chair

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The Sigma Phi Chapter of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity Incorporated, proudly announces the Alabama State Annual Food Drive Project, a Fraternity and community initiative with the Montgomery Area Food Bank, which provide a unique service to the residents here in the Hands over the River Region Area. The Fraternity is inviting the Montgomery County Communities to participate in a canned goods and monetary donation drive that Sigma Phi Chapter will be conducting in conjunction with the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. State of Alabama Meeting to be held on Saturday, October 20, 2018, at the Embassy Suites Hotel on 300, Tallapoosa Street, Montgomery, AL. 36104

On this day, 31 Graduate and Undergraduate Chapters of the Fraternity throughout the Great State of Alabama will convene here in Montgomery Al. for their 2018 Annual State Meeting. As an integral part of this meeting, the Fraternity is conducting a community social action project in collaboration with Montgomery Area Food Bank. **Manhood Inc.** is an ALL volunteer 501 (c) 3 Non-Profit charity organization. They serve the community through varies mechanisms, including: 1) Annual Turkey Donation to Aging Consortium, 2) Community Christmas Toy Give-Away, 3) Food assistance to Homeless Veterans etc.

Each **Graduate Chapter** is being asked to give **\$100.00** or the equivalent in canned goods toward this effort and each **Undergraduate Chapter** is being asked to give **\$50.00** or the equivalent in canned goods. Collection bins for the canned goods will be placed next to the registration station at the Embassy Suites Hotel.

We are encouraging all the Chapters in the State of Alabama to give as much monetarily as you possibly can. During all our **Omega Psi Phi State of Alabama Meetings**, we have made a difference in the hosting city, and we are confident that we will continue to build on our success. Please **make all checks payable to the "Manhood Inc."** If you would like to send your Chapter's monetary contribution in advance of your arrival in Montgomery Al., please mail them to:

Sigma Phi Chapter Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. Attn: Food Drive Project P.O Box 4613 Montgomery, Al 36103

We will be accepting monetary contributions via mail until **October 12, 2018**. Should you choose to wait and deliver your Chapter's monetary contribution when you come for the State Meeting, Brother Fred Brewer, Sigma Phi Chapter Keeper of Finance or Adam Rose Asst: Keeper of Finance, will be on site at the State Meeting registration booth to assist with the collection and documentation of the monetary contributions from each Chapter.

On behalf of the Alabama State Representative, Brother Brooks and the State Council, Sigma Phi Chapter Basileus, Brother Andre Howard, the Executive Council, and the members of the Sigma Phi Chapter of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Incorporated, we would like to thank the Chapters throughout the State of Alabama as well as the community for assisting us in our campaign to put a smile on the faces of thousands of people in the Montgomery County area!

Bro. James E. Lovejoy.

Alabama Food Drive Committee Chair

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Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Incorporated, was founded on November 17, 1911, on the campus of Howard University to promote scholastic excellence; to provide scholarships; to uplift and provide support to the underserved; and to highlight issues and provide solutions for problems in communities. The Fraternity uses its Four Cardinal Principles of Manhood, Scholarship, Perseverance and Uplift to create its national social action mandated programs and initiatives.

### **Montgomery Area Food Bank**

"Feeding Hope Across Alabama" 521 Trade Center Street | Montgomery AL 36108 | 334-263-3784 Since 1986

One out of five of us deal with Food Insecurity, which means four out of five of us could help





PROGRAMS

**FEEDING HOPE** 

**MISSION** 







**AGENCIES** 



Please Accept our Heartfelt Appreciation!



### Regional 1 Representative Report



# State of Alabama 7<sup>th</sup> District OMEGA PSI PHI FRATERNITY, INC.

October 8, 2018

To: Christopher Brooks Alabama State Representative

From: Alex L. Richards

Region 1 Representative

### **REGIONAL 1 REPRESENTATIVE'S SUMMARY**

### **General Information:**

- This report is intended to update the brotherhood of the progress and challenges in the State of Alabama Region I. Region I is comprised four graduate chapters and four undergraduate chapters. The chapters that are represented Region I are Alpha Pi (G), Alpha Delta Beta (U), Gamma Psi (U), Nu Epsilon (U), Psi Kappa Kappa (G), Theta Eta (U), Theta Tau (G), and Xi Omicron (G).
- All chapters that reported within the region are in compliance with national, district, and state requirements of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. Each graduate chapter that reported has submitted their Quarterly Reports in a timely manner (forms 37, 50, and 53). All chapters participated in the 41<sup>th</sup> Annual State Meeting that was held in Huntsville / Madison, Alabama and 7<sup>th</sup> District Meeting that was held in Atlanta, Georgia. All chapters sent delegates to support and vote of the fraternity's tasks.
- To my knowledge, all undergraduate chapters are currently in good standing with the Fraternity and their respective colleges and universities with the exception of Alpha Delta Beta at the University of North Alabama. The undergraduate chapters continue to have high grade point averages as the aspire for higher Scholarship, but still, a few are not as good as they need to be with submitting their reports on time.
- The Region I Representative in concert with the 1<sup>st</sup> Vice State Representative have started communication with The University of Alabama Huntsville (UAH) with the eventual intent of chartering a chapter on their campus. This action, if approved by the University and District Representative would be very beneficial to the Alabama's strength in the 7<sup>th</sup> District.
- All chapters that reported conducted their Mandated Programs or paid associated fees.
- Each chapter provided at least one public service to their respective community.
   Thousands of man-hours donated toward Social Action Projects. Thousands of donations provided to worthy charities and organizations.

- All graduate chapters continued to provide scholarships to deserving college bound students. Over \$20,000 in Scholarships Awarded.
- As a Region, overall, we are not as good as we need to be in reporting, documenting successes and actions. I look forward to a better year of publicizing our efforts on the state, district and international levels.

### **Community Service Highlights: (Selected Highlights that were submitted by chapters)**

- On April 8th, 2018, the Gamma Psi chapter hosted a 3 vs 3 basketball tournament to promote campus unity.
- April 19th, 2018, brothers of the Gamma Psi chapter volunteered and participated in an indoor and outdoor facility cleanup at the Anniston Recreation Center.
- April 28th, 2018, brothers of the Gamma Psi Chapter and Theta Tau Chapter established road blocks to collect donations for the Sickle Cell Foundation in honor of their past advisor that was admitted into the Omega Chapter.
- August 20th, 2018, the Gamma Psi chapter volunteered helping students around the campus move into their dorms during the move-in period.
- September 9th, 2018, brothers from the Gamma Psi and Theta Eta Chapters participated in a Greek mentor day for the Boys and Girls club at Jacksonville University.
- February 8<sup>th</sup>, Theta Eta brothers spoke to the kids from the boys & girls club in Anniston and also took over 20 kids to the Jacksonville State Basketball game.
- In January, Theta Eta brothers helped with voters registration in Anniston at their community center where they help a handful of community residents vote.
- Also in January, Theta Eta Brothers also helped with the MLK day breakfast by
- serving over 100 people breakfast.
- February 16<sup>th</sup>, brothers went to Randolph Elementary school where brothers spoke to a class of 15 students on different career and job opportunity in life.
   Psi Kappa Kappa awarded 10 scholarships to local high school graduating seniors in the amount of \$1,000.00 each. Also, in partnership with the Alabama Omega Foundation, PKK provided 5 additional high school graduating seniors with financial stipends totaling \$2500.
- Psi Kappa Kappa purchased official military uniforms for the ROTC top female & male cadet. These 2 Cadets were commissioned this Summer as 2nd Lieutenant, uniforms were valued at \$1000.00.
- Psi Kappa Kappa partnered with North Alabama National Panhellenic Council on their Annual Christmas Toy Drive. The collective effort allowed over 100 children ranging from ages 7-15 to have something under their tree for Christmas.
- PKK conducted its annual blood drive had several volunteers to be screen but only 8 donors were successful in donating. 24 lives can be saved by the number of units collected.
- PKK conducted and continue to conduct voter's registration/education drives. The number of drives made a difference in the local area.

### **Recommendation:**

• Though communication has improved over the past couple of years between the Regional Representatives and represented chapters, it has still been a strain to keep needed information flowing in both directions. Currently, it is not mandatory that the Region Representative be copied on any information flowing up from chapters or down to the chapters. The Region Representatives are not notified if a chapter requests permission for MSP or even if a chapter is under investigation. I am not sure

how to totally rectify the situation, but I believe that tying the Regional position to the MSP position, even as an alternate, would be a good start.

### **Upcoming Activities:**.

• Chapter Achievement Week Activities.

Finally, I would like to thank our State Representative for allowing me to serve our beloved fraternity as the Region I Representative and look forward to another great year ahead.

Fraternally Submitted,

Bro. Alex L. Richards

Alex Q. Richards

Region I Representative

### Region II Representative Report

November 1, 2017 - October 31, 2018

Committee Chair: Bro. Andre' B. Marvray, I

### **Committee Members:**

- 1. Alpha Tau Graduate Chapter Tuscaloosa, AL
  - a. Beta Eta University of Alabama
  - b. Rho Gamma Stillman College
  - c. Alpha Delta Iota University of West Alabama
- 2. Alpha Phi Graduate Chapter Birmingham, AL
  - a. Eta Epsilon Miles College
  - b. Kappa Delta University of Alabama at Birmingham
- 3. Beta Mu Nu Graduate Chapter Shelby County, AL.

### Members at large:

No members at large.

### **Committee's Mission:**

The mission of Region II is to provide outstanding service to the communities in which we support and provide a vehicle to unite the chapters within the region of Alabama.

### Committee Goals and Objectives for Fiscal Year 2017-2018:

The goals and objectives of Region II are to provide outstanding service to the communities in which we support and provide a vehicle to unite the chapters within the region of Alabama. We strive to reclaim brothers back into the fold by providing opportunities for reclamation through community service programs, social activities, and religious fellowship.

### **Committee Accomplishments:**

Here are the top five events, projects and social endeavors performed by chapters that impacted the communities in Region II.

- 1. Alpha Tau Graduate Chapter Tuscaloosa, AL
  - Omega Closet Project: The chapter collected and gave away clothes to the needy/homeless, which impacted more than 250 people.
  - Omega Preparatory Project: The chapter mentored 35 high school young men for higher educational endeavors.
  - The Soup Kitchen Project: The chapter fed 250 people for the community lunch day.
  - Dance Group Sponsorship: The chapter supported two local girls dance group in Tuscaloosa, which impacted approximately 30 young woman.
  - Mentoring Program: The chapter mentored men and woman within the 5 counties that we serve, impacting over 300 people.

### Beta Eta – University of Alabama

- The chapter won Undergraduate Chapter of the Year for outstanding service during the 81<sup>st</sup> Grand Conclave in New Orleans, LA
- The chapter won Highest GPA among all undergraduate Chapters during the 81<sup>st</sup> Grand Conclave in New Orleans, LA
- The chapter was named State of Alabama Step Show winners at the State meeting in Huntsville, AL
- The chapter was named 3<sup>rd</sup> Place winners for the 7<sup>th</sup> District Step Show competition in Atlanta, GA.
- The chapter won the Diversity & Outreach Award among Greek Council on the campus of University of Alabama.

### Rho Gamma – Stillman College

- The brothers conducted a campus bible study course affecting more than 15 people to strengthen their Christian believe.
- The chapter won the Stillman College Homecoming Step Show.
- The chapter was voted best fraternity on the campus of Stillman College for 2017-2018.
- The chapter led the annual Campus Cleanup Project with more than 20 volunteers.
- The chapter held a food drive and collected over 10 pounds of nonperishable canned food items which was donated to the food bank.

### Alpha Delta Iota – University of West Alabama

### 2. Alpha Phi – Graduate Chapter - Birmingham, AL

- Leadership Lock-In: The chapter hosted its first Omega Lamplighter Leadership Lock-In with hopes of continuing to address the needs of the youth participating in the chapter's mentoring program.
- Voter Registration Drive: The chapter has registered more than fifty (50) new voters throughout the year.
- Financial Empowerment Conference: The chapter donated \$250 to help with refreshments, while brothers provided the physical manpower to set-up for the sixth annual Financial Empowerment Conference hosted by the Omicron Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority and (their) Cultural and Educational Advancement Foundation (CEAF).
- Mental Health Seminar: The chapter co-sponsored a Mental Health Seminar in support of the Omega internationally recognized program "Brother You Are On Our Mind".

• 1st Annual Golf Tournament: The chapter held its 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Golf Tournament and \$1200 of the proceeds went to the Omega Scholarship and Benevolence Fund to provide scholarships to graduating High School students.

### Eta Epsilon – Miles College

- School Supply Project: The brothers of Eta Epsilon Chapter bought school supplies and distributed to students on the campus of Miles College.
- Tail Gate Project: The brothers provided manpower to assist with the staging area for the Mile College Homecoming Tail Gate event.
- Basketball Game: The Brothers of Eta Epsilon Chapter assisted Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc. in hosting their annual campus basketball game.
- Omega Pageant: The Brothers of Eta Epsilon Chapter held a Miles College pageant in Pearson Hall.
- SGA President Week Project: The Brothers of Eta Epsilon Chapter provided leadership, manpower, and spiritual guidance for the SGA President during her presidential week of different activities.

### Kappa Delta - University of Alabama at Birmingham

- The brothers conducted a tie drive to support professional attire at the university community closet which has impacted a hundred plus students who have come and acquired items.
- The brothers held multiple canned food drives where the number of cans collected could feed 5-9 families ranging in size from 2-4 people families affecting approximately 20 people each time.
- The brothers held multiple football tailgates events in order to rally team spirit within the community. These events impacted and fed almost 300 people each time.
- The chapter held a business forum in which many entrepreneurs came and helped to inspire and encourage new and rising entrepreneurs with more than 30 people were in attendance.
- The chapter fed the homeless in the downtown Birmingham area on multiple evenings feeding more than 10 people each time.

### 3. Beta Mu Nu – Graduate Chapter - Shelby County, AL.

- Holiday Giveaway: The chapter provided 21 individuals with deluxe cooked turkey dinners prepared by Publix Super Markets and a wide assortment of toys, games, and gifts for each family member.
- Health Awareness: The chapter served and brought health awareness to 103 community participants. 90 of those participants were tested & educated on their blood pressure & blood glucose levels. They also received information packages on ways to maintain a healthy lifestyle. The remaining 13 participants made generous blood donation to LifeSouth Blood Mobile.
- Our First Annual Community Easter Egg Hunt: The chapter served 225 individuals by providing bikes, Easter baskets, food, and a large variety of toys & games for the families in the community.
- YMCA Hargis Outdoor Retreat: The chapter hosted 60 mentees of the GEAR UP Birmingham of G.W. Carver and Wenonah High Schools during the YMCA Hargis Outdoor Retreat.
- Kickoff Event and a College Visitation of the University of Montevallo: This year's event serviced over 120 mentees.

### **Dates of Committee Calls:**

The committee held conference calls on the following dates 1/15/18, 6/5/18, 7/10,18, and 10/1/18.

### If applicable, are all chapters represented on your committee?

All chapters are represented on the Region II committee.

### **Recommendations/Comments**

Region II has committed to increase the chapters involvement in statewide events and communications. However, the chapters must keep the lines of communication open and act in a timely manner on all National, District, and State initiatives. It is the recommendation that each chapter respond in a timely manner with said announcements, communications, and initiatives set by the State leadership.

It has been an honor and pleasure serving the Brothers of Region II in the great state of Alabama. We have come a long way and made great accomplishments but we have a long way to go to achieve excellence. I look forward to continue to serve as your Region II Representative.

Respectfully Submitted, Bro. Andre' B. Marvray, I Region II Representative

# Regional 3 Representative November 1, 2017 – October 31, 2018

Committee Chair: Clisby Thomas Jr.

**Committee Members:** Brother Hudson R. Hinton and Basilei from each Chapter.

Members at large:

### **Committee's Mission:**

To manage and disseminate information between the International Headquarters, 7<sup>th</sup> District, State of Alabama Council, and Chapters within Region 3. To ensure the Fraternity Constitution and Bylaws, Seventh District Bylaws, State of Alabama Organization Bylaws and Chapter Bylaws are being followed.

### Committee Goals and Objectives for Fiscal Year 2017-2018:

- To establish communication with each chapter.
- To have each chapter communicate on programs and initiative within the region for better team cohesion.

### **Committee Accomplishments:**

- Advised/Monitored the new Undergraduate Advisor at Gamma Sigma improving communication with Alabama State University.
- Assured reporting of IHQ, District, and State reporting for each chapter (Form 37, 50, and 53). Region 3 was 100% in reporting in last 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Qtr
- Attended State Council meeting in February.
- Conducted MSP at Gamma Sigma, Rho Delta Delta, and Sigma Delta.
- Conducted Regional MSP Training in 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter.

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### If applicable, are all chapters represented on your committee?

- Iota Omega: Bro. Rodney Stone;
- Gamma Sigma: Bro. Charles Gibson;
- Lamda Epsilon: Bro. Terrence Mixon, Jr;
- Lamda Mu Nu: Bro. Kelvin Smith;
- Nu Iota Iota: Michael Ransaw;
- Omega Iota Iota: Bro. Abdullah Salaam;
- Rho Delta Delta: Bro. Trevon Sanders
- Sigma Delta: Roderick Mingo;
- Sigma Phi: Bro. Andre Howard;
- Upsilon Mu Nu: Bro. Jamaal Smith

### \*\*All chapters within Region III are represented\*\*

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### **Committee/Officer Report Title**



# State Of Alabama 7<sup>th</sup> District OMEGA PSI PHI FRATERNITY, INC.

Date: August 19, 2018

**To:** Christopher Brooks

Alabama State Representative

From: Bruce Reese

Region IV Representative (Serving since November, 2010)

### **General Information:**

- Region IV consists of Chapters: Rho Alpha, Omega Chi, Kappa Beta Beta, Zeta Kappa, and Rho Delta Delta.
- Region IV Chapters are poor in compliance with reporting, with 50% being current at this reporting.
- There are a total of 111 active Brothers in Region IV: Kappa Beta Beta 16, Omega Chi 18, Rho Delta Delta 17, Rho Alpha 68, and Zeta Kappa 8.
- All Region IV Chapters comply in regard to meeting attendance, sending delegates to the 41<sup>st</sup> Alabama Statewide Organization Meeting in Huntsville, AL, the 81<sup>st</sup> Seventh District Meeting in Atlanta, GA, and the 81<sup>st</sup> International Grand Conclave in New Orleans, LA. In addition, both Undergraduate chapters attended the International Undergraduate Summit.
- Since we last met, there were Membership Selection Processes at 3 of the 5 Region IV Chapters: Rho Delta Delta, Zeta Kappa, and approval of a process for Rho Alpha (in process at the time of reporting).

### **Upcoming Activities:**

• Rho Alpha Chapter will be again inviting the Brotherhood to Mobile for Joe Cain Sunday on March 3, 2019.

 Region IV Chapter Omega Chi will again host the Brotherhood in Selma for the 54<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Selma to Montgomery March, commonly known as Bloody Sunday (date tbd)

### **Announcements:**

• Former Alabama SKRS Brother Joseph Jones (Kappa Beta Beta) entered Omega Chapter on July 31, 2018.

Thank you, Brother State Representative Christopher Brooks, for allowing me to serve the Great State of Alabama, Region IV, and the chapters it represent.

Bruce Reese Region IV Representative

Alabama Membership Chair 1601 Sparkman Drive #206 Huntsville, AL 35816

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October 19-21, 2018

Brother Christopher Brooks Alabama State Representative Brother Cary Hale Alabama 1<sup>st</sup> Vice State Representative

The purpose of this letter is to report on the 2017 - 2018 membership numbers for the state of Alabama. Of the 31 chapters of the state only 28 of them are active and the membership numbers are as follows:

2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018			
Graduate/Financial-897	Graduate/Financial-692	Graduate/Financial-			
689					
Graduate/Non-Financial-124	Graduate/Non-Financial-237	Graduate/ Non-			
Financial-322					
Graduate/Reclaimable-2,983	Graduate/Reclaimable-2,822				
Graduate/Reclaimable-2706					
Undergraduate/Financial-184	Undergraduate/Financial-212				
Undergraduate/Financial-232					
Undergraduate/Non-Financial-45	Undergraduate/Non-Financial-98	Undergraduate/Non-			
Financial-178					
Undergraduate/Reclaimable-126	Undergraduate/Reclaimable-152				
Undergraduate/Recliamable-116					
The rate and total of Alabama is 702. The real sized total of Alabama is 124					

The retained total of Alabama is 702. The reclaimed total of Alabama is 124.

Thus ends the membership report of 2017 - 2018 fiscal year.

Fraternally yours,

Barrington L. Dames

Brother Barrington L. Dames Alabama Membership Chairman

## Corporate Sponsorship November 1, 2017 – October 31, 2018

Committee Chair: Brother Jeremy L. Spratling, Sigma Phi 2000 #2

**Committee Members:** Brother Michael Cavitt

Members at large:

### **Committee's Mission:**

To assist the State of Alabama Council in building and cultivating corporate relationships that will realize monetary, advertising and in-kind donations to the State of Alabama and our State Foundation.

### **Committee Goals and Objectives for Fiscal Year 2017-2018:**

- 1. Increase the number of committee members with at least one person from each chapter.
- 2. Create literature and a website to promote fund raising.
- 3. Raise \$30,000.00 for the fiscal year.
- 4. Partner with the State of Alabama's foundation to utilize the 501-c3 to help raise corporate sponsorship
- 5. Specifically target companies whose mission aligns with our objectives. Actively solicit said companies annually to ensure yearly donations.

### **Committee Accomplishments:**

- -Drafted and distributed letter to various foundations (75) across the State soliciting sponsorship and funding for the State. No responses / monies received to date.
- -Attended conference callwith the 7ht District Corporate Sponsorship Chairman (Aug 18) to discuss spponship for upcoming 2019 District Meeting in Birmingham.

### **Dates of Committee Calls:**

The committee recently had a change of committee chair. We are in the process of scheduling a call.
If applicable, are all chapters represented on your committee?
All chapters will be represented in the upcoming months.
Recommendations/Comments
Committee chair will reach out to the State for assistance in reaching out goals.

# AL History & Archives/African History November 1, 2017 – October 31, 2018 as of September 15, 2018

Committee Chair: Bro. Rufus L. McGhee, III

Committee Members: None

Members at large:

### **Committee's Mission:**

The mission of the History & Archives is to research and make known the identity, life practices, accomplishments and worldly contributions of Omega Men and Chapters in the State of Alabama and give due and just recognition accordingly.

### Committee Goals and Objectives for Fiscal Year 2017-2018:

- Implement plan to ensure Chapter participation in the History and Archives display at the 2018 Montgomery State Meeting;
- Secure funding support for State Meeting winner to represent the State at the 2019 District Meeting thereby establishing a commitment for support and representation at future 7<sup>th</sup> District representation;
- Secure a budgetary line item to support State History & Archives Committee efforts. Specifically, the development/creation/production of an attendee 'take-away' artifact to be available at the 2018 Alabama State Meeting;
- Design and implement the Alabama State Outstanding African American Program in support of the 7<sup>th</sup> District initiative:
- Include a budgetary item for the development and implementation of a 50+ Years of Service Recognition program in support of the 7<sup>th</sup> District initiative. This will require coordination with the State Marshal and the Host Chapter(s) to determine recognition specifics.

### **Committee Accomplishments:**

- Submitted proposal relating to budgetary request and program development issues to AL State Executive for consideration and subsequent directions and concurrence. (March, 2018)
- Participated in and was represented at the 2018 7<sup>th</sup> District Meeting by Rho Alpha Chapter (G) who won the 7<sup>th</sup> District H&A Display competition.
- Developed draft strategies for 2018 State Meeting efforts.

### **Dates of Committee Calls:**



### Alabama Talent Hunt Chairman Bro. Raynard Lawler

### STATE TALENT HUNT PROGRAM FINAL REPORT

The Talent Hunt Program for the Alabama State Meeting was held on Saturday night, October 21, 2017, at the Embassy Suites – Main Ballroom – 800 Monroe Street – located in Huntsville, Alabama 35801. The event was well attended with a total head count of 92 people in attendance. There were (8) contestants that displayed their talents. The 1<sup>st</sup> place winner received a check in the amount of \$750.00 & trophy, 2<sup>nd</sup> place \$500.00 & trophy. There was a tie for 3<sup>rd</sup> place. Both contestants received \$250.00 & trophy.

Rho Alpha (Bro. Derrick Robinson), Psi Kappa Kappa (Bro. Michael Mathis), Nu Epsilon (Bro. Marquis Thomas), Xi Omicron (Bro. Winston Ivey), Nu Iota Iota (Bro. Brandon Morgan), Beta Mu Nu (Bro. Dorian G. Waluyn), Omega Iota Iota (Bro. Abdullah Salaam), Sigma Phi (Bro. Robert Thomas), Alpha Phi (Bro. James C. Smith)

### Adjudicators

Mr. Korie M. Smith – Music Director/Eagles Nest Ministries Church Mr. Kevin Long – Dean & Principal Instructor of Piano/Allegro Music Academy

Reverend Keane Johnson – Music Director/St. Luke Christian Church

### **Program**

The program started at 7:00 p.m. with Bro. Raynard Lawler presiding and Bro. Louis McMillian served as master of ceremony. Bro. Alex Richardson (State Marshall) gave the welcome. The contestants were then presented in the following order:

- Ti-Ara Turner, Booker T. Washington Senior, Piano, performed to "Fantasie-impromptu" by Chopin; (Represented Omega Iota Iota Chapter, Montgomery, AL)
- Natalie Sanders, Beauregard High School Freshman, Dance, performed "Break Away" by Kelly Clarkson; (Represented Nu Iota Iota Chapter, Auburn, Alabama)
- Zoey Archible, Murphy High School Junior, Dance, performed "Feeling Good" by Michael Buble; (Represented Rho Alpha Chapter, Mobile, Alabama)
- Maleah Rhem, Madison High School Senior, Instrumental Solo (Viola), performed "Romanze" by Beethoven, Op. 50; (Represented Xi Omicron Chapter, Huntsville, AL)

- Joshua Davis, Samford University Freshman, Instrumental Solo (Piano), performed "Sonata No. 9, Hob. XV ¼" by Hayden; (Represented Alpha Phi Chapter, Birmingham, Alabama)
- Danteus Brown, University of Alabama Birmingham Freshman,
   Trumpet Solo, performed "Potato Head" by Louis Armstrong and The
   Hot Seven; (Represented Beta Mu Nu Chapter, Calera, AL)
- Melody Handy, Booker T. Washington Magnet High School Senior,
   Piano Solo, performed "Maple Leaf Rag" by Scott Joplin; (Represented Sigma Phi Chapter, Montgomery, Alabama)
- Michael J. Lowder, Virgil I Grissom High School Senior, Piano Solo, performed "Valse oubliee Nr. 1" by Franze Liszt; (Represented – Psi Kappa Kappa Chapter, Huntsville, Alabama)

### Winners

1<sup>st</sup> Place – Ti-Ara Turner, representing (Omega Iota Iota) Montgomery, AL 2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Joshua Davis, representing (Alpha Phi) Birmingham, AL 3<sup>rd</sup> Place – Maleah Rhem, representing (Xi Omicron) Huntsville, AL 3<sup>rd</sup> Place – Michael Lowder, representing (Psi Kappa Kappa) Huntsville, AL (**Please note**) There was a 3<sup>rd</sup> place tie.

### **Tabulators**

Bro. Doug Bonner Bro. Wilbur Parker Bro. Rakanem Milligan

### Follow-Up

Bro. Lawler explained the process that the winners of the nights competition would be expected to follow. The 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> place winners will represent the state of Alabama at the 81<sup>st</sup> Seventh District Meeting to be held in Atlanta, Georgia, from March 22nd thru March 25th, 2018. The 3<sup>rd</sup> place winner will stand as an alternate in case the 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> place winner can not participate. Specific dates and times will be re-communicated to the winners and their parents. While the tabulators were finalizing the scores, each contestant was asked to come back to the microphone to give a brief bio of themselves and introduced their parents, family and any other supporters who traveled with them.



### Committee Officer's Report Alabama Statewide Omega Organization

### 7<sup>th</sup> District

### OMEGA PSI PHI FRATERNITY, INC.

### Credentials & Certification Committee

### **Committee Members**

**Horace W. Moore – Chairman** 

Bro. Frank Benefield - State Keeper of Records & Seal

Bro. Dexter F. Jackson - State Keeper of Finance

Bro. Stafford L. Thompson - State Marshal

Members at Large: Bro. Harry Williams Bro. Willie Smith Bro. Rufus L.

McGhee, III

### **Committee's Mission and Eventual Goal**

To implement the election of officers of the statewide organization in accordance with the guidelines of the International, Seventh District, State organizations of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Incorporated

### **Committee's Objectives:**

- Timely distribution of registration materials for the meeting
- Ascertain from the SKRS up to date, and final financial rosters from the several chapters in the state
- Admonish chapters to return completed Form 36 Group listing chapter delegates (primary/alternate) also
- Chapter state council members ..... and past state representatives
- Meet with the State Marshal to secure space for voting and related incidentals.
- Identify, and encourage brothers (including incumbents) to seek state leadership positions
- Recruit competent poll-watchers, monitors, tabulators
- Complete Committee Report.... Deliverable to the First Vice State Representative

### **Committee's Recomendations:**

- Universal use of Alabama's Form 36 Group by all chapters; discard Form 36
- Penalty of 1-delegate for graduate chapters who do not use Form 36Group
- Penalty of 1-delegate for graduate chapters who is late in filing registration
- Under graduate chapters must be allowed more time to complete registration
- Chapters more than 100-miles from state meeting sites should be allotted one (1) more delegate. Must be ratified by the State By laws committee

### NAACP/Voter Registration, Education & Mobilization (VREM)

November 1, 2017 – October 31, 2018

Committee Chair: Douglas Bonner

Committee Members: Abdullah Salaam, Ransey O'Daniel, Anthony Dotson, and Keiff A Smith.

Members at large:

### **Committee's Mission:**

Mission is to help galvanize, educate, and mobilize members of our communities to go to polls and vote during all elections (local, state, and national at midterm and four year term).

### Committee Goals and Objectives for Fiscal Year 2017-2018:

- 1. Continue effort in 2018 as NAACP and others mobilize for Congressional midterm, state, and local elections.
- 2. Work closely with Omega State and District efforts for liaison with NAACP throughout 2018.
- 3. Grow a stronger cooperative effort for Voter Registration, Education, and Get Out the vote with the Pan Hellenic Council and other organizations.

### **Committee Accomplishments:**

- 1. Provided update to all chapters to emphasize Get Out the Vote efforts for midterm election.
- 2. Provided all chapters copy of OPERATION GROUND GAME briefing compiled for Madison County effort as example for use in their respective counties and cities.
- 3. Provided all chapters copy of 7<sup>th</sup> District Get Out the Vote flyer/slide for use in their chapter efforts.
- 4. Resent chapters initial March 2018 request for representatives and NAACP contacts roster.
- 5. Requested chapters without a VREM representative to designate one and provide information by September 18, 2018.
- 6. Requested chapters' representatives participate in VREM conference call on September 20, 2018.
- 7. Prepared Quarterly reports for March, June, and September 2018.

- -September 20, 2018
- -Future calls for October 2018 will be scheduled.

# Not as of this report; however, communication and requests for representatives was provided to all chapters on March 2, 2018 and September 14,2018. Continued follow-up is ongoing. Recommendations/Comments

# Recommendations/Comments Recommend States and Chapters contact State NAACP organizations and local NAACP Branches immediately to help VREM efforts for 2018 elections.

# Fatherhood Initiative/Stop the Violence Committee November 1, 2017 – October 31, 2018

Committee Chair: Brother Albert Ike, Jr.
Committee Members:
Members at large:

### **Committee's Mission:**

Provide continued support in partnership with the Obama's Fatherhood Initiative & Mentorship Program. Promote fatherhood and the importance of fathers playing an active, responsible role in the lives of their children. Male youth mentorship in the areas of leadership, academic achievement, self-awareness and community service. To develop uniform strategic plans, risk avoidance protocols, enforcement mechanisms, education curriculums and an enhanced zero tolerance policy for all leves of the Faternity that address threates of violence that might be perceived as associated with any Fraternity activity.

### Committee Goals and Objectives for Fiscal Year 2017-2018:

- Collectively work together as a team with the National, District, and local chapter Chairmen to expand the Fatherhood &Mentorship Initiative program to local chapters throughout Alabama.
- Build an undergraduate working relationship to push Future Fathers Program on college campuses.
- Identify, address, reduce and eliminate all forms of violent interactions associated with any aspect of the fraternity's culture, through education on and enforcement of the Fraternity's policies.
- To form collaborations with governmental, non-governmental, civic, social and other organizations dedicated to the reduction and elimination of violence within the African American community.

### **Committee Accomplishments:**

- Partnered with Fatherhood Initiative & Stop the Violence District Chairmen to conduct workshops at the 81st Seventh District Meeting.
- Participated with Brother Robert Fairchild, Brother Jonathan Gaines assisting at 2018 International Undergraduate Summit.
- Quantifying some of the State of Alabama's impact through Fatherhood Initiatives/Mentorship Programs.

Dates of Committee Calls:
Conference Call 03/11/2018: Brother Jonathan Gaines – 7 <sup>th</sup> District Chairman 2018 81 <sup>st</sup> 7 <sup>th</sup> District Meeting – Atlanta, GA
Conference Call 03/12/2018 Brother James Reed – 7 <sup>th</sup> District Chairman 2018 81 <sup>st</sup> 7 <sup>th</sup> District Meeting – Atlanta, GA

### If applicable, are all chapters represented on your committee?

Under the leadership of Brother Jonathan Gaines, 7<sup>th</sup> District Fatherhood Initiatives & Mentorship Chair and Brother James Reed, 7<sup>th</sup> District Stop the Violence Chair, State Chairmen communicate with each other to share ideas and best practices to carry out Fatherhood Initiatives and Mentorship Programs and violence prevention throughout the Fraternity and community.

### **Recommendations/Comments**

- Continue to quantify the impact that State of Alabama Chapters have through fatherhood initiatives/mentorship programs.
- Continue to promote and foster, by word, deed, and example, non-violence, as a core value of the Fraternity's culture and within America's Black Communities.
- Increase article/publications highlighting fatherhood initiatives/mentoring programs.

# **Health Initiatives September, 2018**

Committee Chair: Kenneth C. Brown, M.D.

Committee Members: Rafael Norton

Members at large:

### **Committee's Mission:**

To promote, protect and enhance the health and well-being of the members of the fraternity as well as the members of the communities where we reside.

### Committee Goals and Objectives for Fiscal Year 2017-2018:

Recruit brothers to join the committee, preferably one from each region as well as one undergraduate, thereby increasing the committee's outreach. This will be a focus at the upcoming state meeting in Montgomery.

Improve support for the "Brother, You're on My Mind" mental health initiative.

Improve chapter reporting to the committee.

### **Committee Accomplishments:**

The brothers of Alabama have been extremely active in participating in health care initiatives throughout the state. We have conducted community health fairs, organized fundraising drives and participated in national foundation walks.

Chapters throughout the state have partnered with numerous agencies and foundations including the American Cancer Society, the Alabama Kidney Foundation, the American Diabetes Association, the Alzheimer's Resource Center, the Sickle Cell Foundation and many other organizations.

Multiple chapters facilitated and coordinated Charles Drew Blood Drives, and several brothers donated blood.

Made sure brothers were aware that September is Prostate Cancer Awareness Month as well as Childhood Cancer Awareness Month and encouraged brothers to participate in community activities to promote prostate screening and provide resources to families suffering from childhood cancer.

The committee will continue to promote awareness of October being Suicide Prevention Awareness Month.

If applicable, are all chapters represented on your committee?					
Not yet. There will be a designed effort at the upcoming state meeting to identify the health initiatives chairman for each chapter.					

There were no calls held this quarter. However, there was communication with the State Representative and the

State Marshal regarding health initiatives for the upcoming state meeting in Montgomery.

### **Recommendations/Comments**

Alabama chapters should remain committed to participating in this internationally mandated program and promote good health practices for themselves as well the members of the communities we serve.

Alabama chapters should make an effort to improve reporting of their healthcare initiatives.

Alabama members should dedicate themselves to supporting the Health Initiatives activities at the upcoming state meeting in Montgomery as well as the upcoming district meeting in Birmingham. The chairman has already contacted the district health initiatives chair and efforts are underway to build on the successes of past district meeting health initiative activities.



# State of Alabama 7<sup>th</sup> District Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.

Date: October 20, 2018

**To:** Brother Christopher Brooks, Alabama State Representative

**From:** Brother Roland M. Lewis, State Chairman of Undergraduate Advisors/Activities

### **COMMITTEE REPORT**

### **Undergraduate Chapter Cumulative GPA FALL/SPR**

- 100% of the active Undergraduate Chapters (13 out of 14) submitted GPA Form
- Average GPA of all submitted Undergraduate Chapters in the State 2.84 GPA
- 26 Brothers graduated leaving 171 undergraduate brothers starting the 2018 Fall Semester

Chapter	Chapter Cumulative	GPA FALL 17'	GPA SPR 18'
Nu Epsilon		3.09	2.76
Theta Eta		2.70	2.69
Gamma Psi		3.00	3.08
Alpha Delta Iota		2.59	2.61
Alpha Delta Beta		2.76	2.52
Kappa Delta		2.63	2.90
Eta Epsilon	SUSPENDED	0.00	2.72
Beta Eta		2.96	2.89
Rho Gamma		2.88	2.84
Gamma Sigma		2.64	2.75
Sigma Delta		2.64	2.73
Lambda Epsilon		3.25	3.25
Zeta Kappa		2.80	2.73
Rho Delta Delta		2.50	3.16

Below is breakdown of the brother's cumulative GPA

< 2.0	0
2.0 - 2.49	16
2.5 - 2.99	80
3.0 - 3.49	44
3.5 >	6
No Grades	24

Out of the 171 undergraduate brothers in Alabama there are 69 academic majors being studied.

The top 4 majors are:

Engineering or Related field - 17

Business or Related field- 15

Biology or Related field - 13

Psychology - 11

cc: Bro. Chris Brooks, State Representative

Bro. Frank Benefield, State Keeper of Records and Seal

<Time and Place>

### November 1, 2017 – October 31, 2018

	Committee	Chair (	(Interim)	): Bro	Cary Hale
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Committee Members: Timothy B. Alexander

**Members at large:** Steven Curry, Kelvin Smith (Brother needed Region 1 and Region 4)

### **Committee's Mission:**

	To	provide	<b>business</b>	meeting	venues fo	or the	State	of Alabama
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### Committee Goals and Objectives for Fiscal Year 2017-2018:

To ensure State Meetings are held where it's in the best interest of the State of Alabama. The State meetings have been set up to 2025 by former chairman, Bro. Johnny Harris (Omega Chapter). In hopes of making each Alabama State Meeting successful, I plan to research options on the process of selecting sites/cities for future State Meetings. propose that instead of individual chapters host the State meeting, let the Regions alternate hosting the meetings, utilizing 6 sites: Huntsville, Birmingham, Tuscaloosa, Auburn, Montgomery, and Mobile. Within each region, representatives from each chapter

Committee Members Bro. Timothy Alexander, Kelvin Smith, and Steven Curry has agreed to serve on the Time and Place Committee. Venues have been set for State Meetings up to 2025:

2018: Montgomery: Sigma Phi and Gamma Sigma. Bro. Stafford Thompson, Sr., State Marshal

2019: Tuskegee-Iota Omega and Lambda Epsilon, State Marshal TBA

2020: Calera: Beta Mu Nu, State Marshal, TBA

2021: Dothan: Kappa Beta Beta and Rho Delta Delta, State Marshal, TBA

2022: Tuscaloosa: Alpha Tau, Rho Gamma, Beta Eta, and Alpha Delta Iota, State Marshal, TBA

2023: Birmingham: Alpha Phi, Kappa Delta, and Eta Epsilon, State Marshal, TBA

2024: Huntsville: Xi Omicron and Nu Epsilon, State Marshal, TBA

2025: Mobile: Rho Alpha and Zappa Kappa, State Marshal, TBA

### **Dates of Committee Calls:**

N	0	call	s to	date	esince	being	appoint	ed 1	the	position.
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N/A

Chapters represented Sidney R. Lankford, Jr., Theta Tau, Timothy Alexander, Theta Tau Kelvin Smith, Lambda Mu Nu, Steven Curry, Alpha Phi

# Recommendations/Comments The committee will work to get venues that are conducive to having successful State meetings and other venues that are needed to carry out the business of Omega. One option is that instead of individual chapters host the State meeting, let the Regions alternate hosting the meetings, utilizing 6 sites: Huntsville, Birmingham, Tuscaloosa, Auburn, Montgomery, and Mobile. Within each region, representatives from each chapter

Omega Psi Phi, 7th District, State of Alabama Committee Report

### November 1, 2017 – October 31, 2018

Committee Chair: Bro. Robert L. Thomas

Committee Members: Bro. James Lovejoy, Bro. Henry Davis, Bro. Justine Turner

Members at large: Bro. Fred King

### **Committee's Mission:**

To oversee the successful selection of individuals and Chapters for all Achievement Week Individual and Chapter Awards within the State of Alabama as well as selection of a State of Alabama Winner for each award category - To set up an International Achievement Week Program in which all Chapters in the State of Alabama should participate during a specifically designated period in compliance of the 7<sup>th</sup> District.

### Committee Goals and Objectives for Fiscal Year 2017-2018:

- To successfully implement the newly revised Form 77.
- Ensure that all Chapters within the State of Alabama are in full understanding of the new changes in Form 77 and to assist them to make sure that they are in full compliance with the new guidelines.
- Get as many Chapters in the State of Alabama as possible to submit candidates for awards.

### **Committee Accomplishments:**

- Assisted the 7<sup>th</sup> District Chair for Achievement Week, Bro. Terrance Platt, by successfully grading packages from the States of Georgia, Florida, and Mississippi. All packages will be submitted for the 81<sup>st</sup> Grand Conclave May 17, 2018.
- Established communication with 7<sup>th</sup> District Committee Chairman, Brother Terrance Platt, (404)964-1625.
- Successfully spoke with Brother Terrance Platt on 2/26/18 (Discussed and followed up on the graded packages).
- Successfully spoke with Brother Terrance Platt on 3/13/18 about the submission of the 80N form for the 7<sup>th</sup> District meeting.
- Successfully spoke with Brother Terrance Platt on 5/16/18 about any updates or concerns for Achievement Week.
- Successfully spoke with Brother Terrance Platt on 6/29/18 about any updates or concerns for Achievement Week.

If applicable, are all chapters represented on your committee?	
If applicable, are all chapters represented on your committee	
N/A	
Recommendations/Comments	
None	



# Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.

Founders: Frank Coleman, Oscar J. Cooper, Ernest E. Just, Edgar A. Love

### **Social Action Committee**

# State of Alabama 7<sup>th</sup> District OMEGA PSI PHI FRATERNITY, INC.

Date: October 9, 2018

To: Christopher Brooks Alabama State Representative

From: Antonio B. Wooden
Social Action Committee Chairman

### **General Information**

- The deadline for submitting Social Action Packages in electronic form was September 28, 2018.
- I have contacted all 29 Chapters in the State in regards to our ongoing social action status. To date, 7 chapters responded with reports of 30 social action projects completed and 17,075 man-hours donated.
- \$43,497.00 was donated from the reporting chapters.
- I received Social Action reports from the following chapters: Alpha Phi, Beta Mu Nu, Psi Kappa Kappa, Theta Tau, Alpha Tau, Beta Eta and Rho Delta Delta.

### **Upcoming Activities**

- Requiring chapters Social Action Chairs follow IHQ guidelines.
- Achieving 100% reporting rate.
- Follow up on quarterly reporting to ensure that social action is being addressed and documented throughout the entire year.
- I will work with the local chairs to establish transparency within the social action program by utilizing common reports to gather social data. These actions should lead to more chapters submitting reports to be considered for Social Action Chapters of the Year.

I submit this as the report for the State Social Action Committee 2017-2018

Fraternally,

Antonio B. Wooden

State of Alabama Social Action Chairman