The Clayton State University Greek Community

Fraternities



Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.

December 4th, 1906

Tau Epsilon



Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc. January 5th, 1911 Omicron Omega



<u>Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc.</u> <u>January 9th, 1914</u> Beta Beta Beta



The Fraternity of Alpha Kappa Lambda
April 22, 1914
Gamma Xi

Sororities



lpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. <u>January 15, 1908</u> Sigma Sigma



Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. January 13, 1913 Tau Epsilon



Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.

January 16, 1920

Iota Sigma



Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc.
November 12, 1922
Rho Lambda

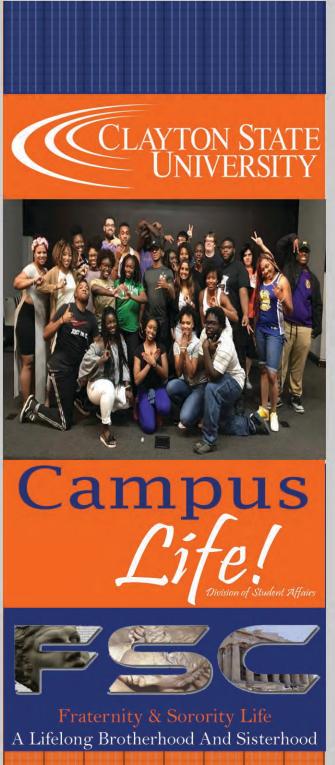
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Ideals

Fraternity and Sorority Life provides students with an opportunity to join national organizations with established histories of service, high scholastic achievement and honor. Committed to excellence in all aspects, Greek Life cultivates student development through:

>Scholarship:

The promotion of intellectual growth and academic excellence through the recruitment and selection of quality students, scholastic programming, educational support, and recognition opportunities. The Clayton State Greek Community maintains a higher Grade Point Average than the overall campus population with a cumulative average of 3.01.

>Leadership:

The development of styles and models of leadership through a self-governing council (Fraternity Sorority Council), cross collaboration opportunities, workshops and ethical decision-making. Many members of CSU Greek letter organizations hold leadership positions in other student organizations including: Student Government Association ,Campus Events Council, Habitat for Humanity, and Americorps.

>Service and Philanthropy:

Encouraging members to become civically involved and actively engaged in the betterment of the campus community, local community and all mankind. All Clayton State Greek organizations volunteer in both local and national programs including voter registration drives, Aids Walk Atlanta, March of Dimes, Lupis Foundation and Cystic Fibrosis Foundation.

>Brotherhood/Sisterhood:

Joining a Greek letter organization is a commitment that connects you to a network of brothers and sisters bonded by common goals and the founding principals of that organization. Members of Greek letter organizations develop a special bond that last beyond their college years. Nurtured by alumni activities and graduate chapters, members are provided networking opportunities and a lifetime of camaraderie.

The Greeks



The North American
Interfraternity Council
(NIC) serves the men's
college fraternity
community through
advocacy, collaboration
and education. Potential
New Members are selected
through a recruitment pro-

cess commonly known as Rush. The Fraternity of Alpha Kappa Lambda is governed by the NIC.



The National Pan-Hellenic Council (NPHC) is a collaborative organization of historically African-American Greek letter fraternities and sororities committed to community empowerment and academic excellence

for its members. New Members are selected through a Membership Intake Process also called MIP. Members of NPHC are Alpha Phi Alpha, Alpha Kappa Alpha, Kappa Alpha Psi, Delta Sigma Theta, Phi Beta Sigma, Zeta Phi Beta and Sigma



Fraternity and Sorority Life at Clayton State University is governed by the Fraternity & Sorority Council (FSC) which functions to foster positive relations on campus through programming and service initiatives; high academic standards and maintaining social and moral deportment.

Frequently Asked Questions

>How do I join?

NIC organizations host a recruitment week at the beginning of the academic year and recruit informally throughout the year. During this time potential new members will be able to ask questions about activities, financial obligations, new member programs, scholarship, community service and sorority life in general. It is important to note that participation in recruitment DOES NOT guarantee an invitation to join a fraternity or sorority, not does it obligate a student to join.

NPHC organizations initiate new members through a membership intake process (MIP). Aspirants must meet certain specific membership requirements including; academic achievement, proven community service and good character. Each organization implements its own process that has been developed by that chapter's National organization and conducts and MIP once or twice during an academic year.

>How much does it cost?

Financial obligations vary by chapter. Membership fee assessments are used to sponsor events, membership recruitment, educational and service projects.

>Will I be hazed or forced to do something I don't want to do?

Clayton State University and its organizations strictly adhere to state legislation outlawing hazing. Therefore, no Clayton State University organization or student shall condone, encourage, or require unlawful acts by its members at any time. Students involved in any aspect are subject to disciplinary action by the national organization, University officials, local and state authorities.

>What if I change my mind, can I join another organization?

The decision to join a social fraternity or sorority is a personal and permanent decision that should not be taken lightly. Once you have become an initiated member of an organization, you will be ineligible to become a member of another social Greek Letter organization.