



# Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc

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## May Chapter Meeting 10 June 2023 Minutes

### Opening

The meeting was opened with The Ritual at 11:25 AM.

The following brothers were in attendance:

Alexis Horn	Fred Corbin	Brice Dudley
K. Scott (SAAC)	Johnathan Gilliard	Tyrone Welch
Robert Baker	Aundre Piggee	Francis lawson
Joshua Davis	John Belcher	Kadron Johnson
Javion Lee	Patrick Bingham	

### Correspondence

No correspondence was received.

### KOR Report

The KOR Report was reviewed by the brothers assembled. A motion was made to accept the minute by Brother Dudley and seconded by Brother Gilliard. The motion passed.

### KOE Report

The KOE report was reviewed by the brothers assembled. A motion to accept the KOE report was made by Brother Welch and seconded by Brother Gilliard. The motion passed.

### Old Business

#### **Officer Report**

The chapter was able to submit the new officer report before the June 1 deadline, so no fine should be incurred.

#### **86<sup>th</sup> grand Chapter Delegate Form**

The chapter was able to successfully submit the delegate form for the upcoming Grand Chapter Meeting. Brother Welch is now officially listed as the chapter's delegate, and Brother Dudley is listed as the alternate.

### SWP Updates

#### **JimmyFor35 Donation**

Brother Dudley that the TNMKC made a donation to Brother McMikle's fund on behalf of all clusters.

#### **25 Year Blazers**

The SWP blazers for 25-year members have not gone into production yet. The vendor and IHQ are having discussion on whether the Coat of Arms or SWP log should be placed on the blazer. Once that decision has been made, chapter should be able to start ordering blazers shortly thereafter.

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## **Chapter Expansion**

The Grand Chapter has approved the petition to charter the New Braunfels (TX) Alumni Chapter. Also the SWP Board has approved the start of a petition to charter the Cancun (MX) Alumni Chapter. More details to come.

## **45<sup>th</sup> CRWLC**

The 45<sup>th</sup> CRWLC is scheduled for September 21-23 in Little Rock, AR. Chapter officers, including Polemarch, KOR, KOE, MTA Chairman, Guide Right Chairman, and members of the BOD are required to attend. Online registration will open on Monday 6/10.

## **New Business**

### **Scholarship**

Brother Lawson provided an update on scholarship. No applications were received. AKELF met and decided that for next year's scholarship efforts, the applicant pool will be expanded to include RRISD, Hutto ISD, Liberty Hill ISD, and local area churches. This year, the committee will reach out to previous scholarship recipients to see if they would like to apply for additional assistance (a 1-page essay and transcripts will be required).

### **Brotherhood**

The chapter BBQ is scheduled for Sunday, June 25<sup>th</sup> (starts at 12:30pm) at Gilleland Creek Pool and Park (700 North Railroad Ave, Pflugerville, TX 78660). Approximately 75 people have RSVP'd.

### **Social Action**

The chapter will not participate in the Juneteenth Parade, but we will submit the entrance fee as a sign of our support.

### **NPHC**

The chapter submitted our annual dues by check. The Austin NPHC planning offsite will take place on 6/24. Officer elections have already taken place.

### **Community Service**

Brother Johnson will work with our Adopt-a-Highway contact to get the available dates for our cleanup project. A motion to schedule the cleanup project for Saturday 7/8 was made by Brother Dudley and seconded by Brother Gilliard. The motion passed.

### **Guide Right**

Brother Welch thanked all brothers who were able to serve and assist with Guide Right activities this fraternal year. College Signing Day took place on 6/7 for Sean Goodley (KL president). He will be attending Texas State University. The Dress for Success and Table Etiquette seminars took place in May. Brother St. Julien will serve as Director of Guide Right moving forward. Eight young men have expressed interest in joining the Austin Kappa League program.

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## **Chapter Awards**

The board finalized nominations for the 2022-2023 award categories:

Brother of the Year:	Lawrence Britton
New Brother of the Year:	Alvin Merritt Boyd, III
Honorable Achievement Award:	Dexter Brown, Herbert McMillian

The awards will be presented at the chapter retreat.

## **Undergraduate Affairs**

### **Gamma Lambda**

The chapter will request to participate in the next MTA session on behalf of the Gamma Lambda chapter.

### **Iota Delta**

Similar to Gamma Lambda, the chapter will request to participate in the next MTA session on behalf of the Iota Delta chapter.

## **AKELF**

### *Chapter Dues Pass-Through*

The chapter paid the dues passthrough via check in the amount of \$1,050 at the June chapter meeting.

### *Elder Care Fan Drive Chapter Contribution*

The chapter has \$600 budgeted to support the fan drive. We don't have any more checks, so Brother KOE will send the funds via CashApp to Brother Baker, and he will get it to the AKELF via check.

### *Ronald McDonald House Community Service Event*

There are still two open volunteer spots the upcoming service project on Saturday 7/1 at 10:30AM. Any brothers interested in service should contact the AKELF immediately.

### *Operating Budget & Expenditure Report*

Brother reviewed the operating budget & expenditure report on behalf of the AKELF.

## **Senior Kappa Affairs**

No update this meeting. The senior Kappa committee is standing by and ready to participate in the upcoming Adopt-a-Highway service project.

## **Light Lessons**

The June Light Lesson, titles "Guard Rails", came from Philippians 4:6-7.

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## **Officer Installation**

The following brothers were elected and installed to serve in the new chapter administration:

Polemarch	Tyrone Welch
Vice Polemarch	Kadron Johnson
Keeper of Records	Dexter Brown
Assistant Keeper of Records	Patrick Bingham
Keeper of Exchequer	Johnathan Gilliard
Assistant Keeper of Exchequer	John Belcher
Parliamentarian	Lawrence Britton
Historian	Alexis Horn
Board Member 1	Lawrence Britton
Board Member 2	Brice Dudley
Board Member 3	Francis Lawson
Board Member 4	Alexis Horn

## **For the Good of Kappa**

- Brother Dudley thanked Brother Baker for donating beverages to the Alpha Sigma get-together
- Brother Welch is now a Life Member of the Fraternity

## **Adjournmen:**

The meeting was closed with the Ritual. The June chapter meeting was adjourned at 1:01 PM.