

Denton County Alumnae Chapter of Alpha Omicron Pi

President's Message

The Denton County Alumnae Chapter was colonized in Denton, Texas in February of 1998. Since then, our membership has grown to include sisters in the Denton, Dallas, Collin, and Tarrant counties. We are very excited about the future of AOII and the DCAC and hope you will join us. There is a place for every AOII Alumna or new Initiate within our chapter.

This year, our calendar has a range of events with something for everyone. We've planned one event each month, including a family picnic, silent auc-

tion, cookie exchange, girls night out, tea party, and more. Of course, there are always opportunities for just hanging out with your sisters!

It is now easier than ever to connect with Alpha Omicron Pi and the Denton County Alumnae Chapter. With our recently updated website, www.qoii.net, we are able to provide a constant source of chapter news and sisterhood to all of our current and potential members. Additionally, we can still be found on inCircle, AOII's



newest networking tool, where you can meet and mingle with your sisters online. All of our chapter events will be posted on our group page through <https://incircle.alphaomicronpi.org>. Check us out in both locations!

Please join us at any of our events this year or through our online resources and discover the amazing sisterhood we have to offer! We look forward to connecting with you!

Alpha Love,
Betsy Compton
President, Denton County Alumnae Chapter

AOII is Growing

Collegiate Extensions and Colonization

Alpha Omicron Pi is pleased to announce the installation of its 182nd chartered chapter. The Lambda Alpha Chapter of Alpha Omicron Pi at the University of La Verne was installed don May 5, 2007. Susan Danko, AOII International President, served as the installing officer.

Thirty women were initiated into AOII membership, including twenty-seven collegiate members and three alumnae initiates. The members chose the phrase, "Lasting Acceptance," as their sub-motto, a name that will typify the chapter's unique character indefinitely. Saturday's initiation and installation activities concluded with the Rose Garden Reception for the new initiates and their families at Fasnacht

Court on the campus of the University of La Verne.

Alpha Omicron Pi is pleased to announce the installation of its 183rd chartered chapter. The Delta Xi Chapter of Alpha Omicron Pi at Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology in Terre Haute Indiana was installed don May 19, 2007. Susan Danko, AOII International President, served as the installing officer.

Twenty-eight women were initiated into AOII membership, including twenty-six collegiate members and two alumnae initiates. The members chose the phrase, "Driven to Excellence," as their sub-motto, a name that will typify the chapter's unique character indefinitely. Saturday's

initiation and installation activities concluded with the Desert and Tea Reception for the new initiates and their families in the Faculty Dining Room on the Campus of the Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology.

Alpha Omicron Pi Fraternity will soon be the third NPC group to join the Greek system at Columbus State University. Colonization for the chapter is slated for Fall 2007.

The decision was a result from Panhellenic's vote to open for extension in order to permit a local chapter, Alpha Delta Omega, to affiliate with an NPC group. There are currently two NPC groups on campus: Delta Zeta and Phi

Where Sisters Unite

2007 Convention

Alpha Omicron Pi's 49th International Convention was held in Phoenix, AZ. Over 600 AOII's and special guests attended to reflect on the past, plan for the future, and to commemorate several Fraternity milestones.

Each day was filled with fun, sisterhood, and lifelong memories in the making. Denton County Alumnae Chapter received the Pearl Award this year for meeting a number of Standards of Excellence.

Due to financial reasons, no members of DCAC were able to attend. Special thanks to those who donated money to help send a representative for our chapter. Your money has been put in a fund so that we can hopefully attend Convention 2009.

If you would like to contribute to our convention fund, send your checks payable to DCAC to:
Monalisa Daniels
2104 White Oak Rd.
McKinney, TX 75070

Whether you donate \$5 or \$100, no donation is too large or too small. Thank you in advance for any donations received!

Mu. With an average chapter size of 44 and a campus total of 40, both groups are over campus total. The campus boasts three additional NIC groups, seven NPHC groups, and one local sorority. The Greek Letter origination are not housed: therefore, meeting space would be available on campus for a new NPC group. For more information, see the University's website at www.colstate.edu.



Calendar 2007-2008



September 6-8, 2007

Delta Theta Recruitment
Texas Woman's University
Denton, TX

Support your local collegiate chapter!

Please contact Julie at jewlee57@yahoo.com for details.

October 7, 2007

4:00-7:00pm
AOII Family Picnic
Leonard Johns Park
1850 Timber Creek Rd.

Flower Mound, TX

Bring your friends and family and come BBQ with us! We look forward to meeting you and the ones you love!

November 4, 2007

Delta Theta Initiation
Texas Woman's University
Denton, TX

Brush off your whites and support your newest AOII members!

November 10, 2007

AOII Silent Auction and Panda Drive
Location and time TBA
Denton, TX

Come have a drink with your AOII sisters and bid on great prizes. This will be a fun way to shop for Christmas! All items will be donated from area businesses and a portion of the proceeds will go to arthritis research. If you would like to donate money or items for the auction, please contact Kristina Jimenez, alphapi55@hotmail.com

December 9, 2007

1:00-3:00pm
Christmas Cookie Exchange
Monalisa's house
McKinney, TX

Bring your favorite cookies and leave with dozens more. Nothing's better than sisterhood and chocolate.

Want to be a member of DCAC?

Just pay your dues

Dues for the fiscal year are \$42.00 plus and optional \$5.00 donation to the AOII Foundation.

If you are a Life Loyal Member, you do not have to pay the Alumnae Operating fee. Your dues are only \$26.00 plus an optional \$5.00 donation to the AOII Foundation.

Dues should be sent to our Chapter Treasurer:

Monalisa Daniels
2104 White Oak Rd.
McKinney, TX 75070

Checks should be payable to DCAC.

January 2008

Founder's Day
Location and Time TBA

Help us celebrate the women who brought us all together.

February 23, 2008

Girls Night Out
Location and Time TBA
Fort Worth, TX

Join us in a fun night out on the town!

March 9, 2008

1:00-3:00 pm
Tea Party
Christina's house
Denton, TX

Bring a tea cup and enjoy just catching up!

April 9, 2008

7:00 pm
Dinner at Snuffer's
Southlake, TX

Bring a date and enjoy good food!

May 17, 2008

Arthritis Walk
Time TBA
Dallas, TX

Help us fight arthritis!



Lunch Bunch to honor the Charter Members of DCAC