

The By-Laws of the Alpha Chapter of the Alpha Gamma Kappa Fraternity

Article I

Quorum

Section 1. A majority (51%) of the members on the roll of this most honorable shall constitute a quorum.

Section 2. a quorum must be at any meeting at which business is transacted by a vote taken committing the fraternity to any proposal or action. Without a quorum, meetings may be held at which the members may engage in discussion of fraternal interests.

Article II

Rights and Duties of Members

Section 1. Members in good standing may vote upon all business brought before the assembly.

Section 2. To be in good standing a member must have gone through initiation and paid their yearly dues.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of each member to notify the secretary (or another officer) in advance if he/she is not going to attend the next regular meeting.

Article III

Duties and Requirements of New Members

Section 1. Every new member must individually swear solemnly to obey, preserve, uphold, and abide by the rules and regulations set forth in the By-Laws of this Fraternity.

Section 2. Failure of new member to pay dues before the time set forth by the Officers will prevent participation in initiation and consequently result in member not achieving "good standing" status.

Article IV

Impeachment of Officers

Section 1. An officer may be impeached by the unanimous vote of the other officers and may be removed from office by a two-thirds (2/3 rds) vote of the enrolled members in good standing.

Article V

Dues and Assessments

Section 1. The annual dues and payment date shall be decided by the officers following evaluation of the budget.

Section 2. Candidates for membership in the Fraternity shall be required to pay to the Treasurer by the date specified by the officers to be eligible to participate in that ritual.

Section 3. Exception to the time payment shall be determined by the Treasurer.

Article VI
The Order of Business

Section 1. The order of business at the meetings shall be: Roll Call, Approval of Minutes, Reports of Officers and Committees, Old Business, New Business, Announcements, Adjournment.

Section 2. The order of business may be suspended or changed at any time by a majority vote of the assembly, provided a quorum be present.

Article VII
Duties of Officers

Section 1. The PRESIDENT shall conduct all meetings and made the necessary appointments of committees. He/she shall hold meetings of the officers to discuss matters of fraternal interest. He/she shall hold meetings of general membership to discuss matters of fraternal interest and keep the members informed of any new information. The PRESIDENT also will be responsible for attending the Leadership meeting held by the IPMSA or other College associated meetings in which their attendance is necessary.

Section 2. The VICE-PRESIDENT of ACADEMIC AFFAIRS shall fulfill the duties of the President when that officer is absent. He/she shall be responsible for organizing workshops, lectures, test-files, and additional academic events.

Section 3. The VICE-PRESIDENT of SOCIAL AFFAIRS shall organize social events, oversee the acquisition of new members, and organize initiation. The Vice President of Social Affairs in conjunction with Treasurer shall oversee fundraising.

Section 4. The TREASURER shall have charge of the funds of the Fraternity, and shall keep an accurate account of all receipts and disbursements. He/she shall present the Secretary with the names of all members who have become delinquent in payments of dues and shall give a financial budget report upon request. The treasurer shall assist the Vice President of Social Affairs with fundraising.

Section 5. The SECRETARY shall keep an accurate account of the minutes of each meeting and also Call the Roll. He/she shall notify the President of all members who are delinquent in paying in dues and subsequently do not have voting rights. He/she shall be responsible for all correspondence for the Fraternity.

Article VIII
Amending the By-Laws

Section 1. These By-Laws may be amended or changed by a majority vote of the assembly, provided notice has been given at the preceding regular meeting of the chapter

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As adopted by the Alpha Chapter, October 12th, 2001.