

THE PHOENIX



THE OFFICAL ORGAN OF ALPHA PHI ALPHA FRATERNITY, INC. RHO ZETA LAMBDA CHAPTER 2<sup>nd</sup> Qtr. Jan. 2022

## CONTINUING







### SERVE





### TAU DELTA LAMBDA



### "AND NEVER AGAIN WILL I BE LONELY FOR I HAVE BROTHERS EVERYWHERE"

Charter Members: Bro. Juan Calixto (E $\Phi$  '84), Bro. Norman Hernandez (NE '84), Bro. Anibal Vega (MAA '12), Bro. James Ramos (I $\Delta$ A '10)

Welcome the 976<sup>th</sup> house of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. San Juan, Puerto Rico

#### **CULTURAL ENRICHMENT**

On October 16, 2021, Alpha Quest mentees participated in a field trip to the Du Sable Museum of African American History. Mentors engaged with youth in providing a thorough understanding of the importance of cultural awareness and African American history as is relates to their personal growth, development and the structure of American society past and present.

Jpha Quest Youth Mentoring Program



#### **LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT**

### **BOYS TO MEN**

As black communities continue to struggle with the upsurge in youth violence, increasing homicide rates and declining academic achievement amongst young African American males, it is of great importance to remember that we as men of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. have a responsibility to lead and provide our young men with the necessary knowledge, skills and abilities needed to navigate the social challenges they current face and the obstacles that await them on their journey to become productive African American leaders.

On November 27, 2021 mentors/role models engaged youth in a variety of discussions on topics of sex education, academic achievement, relationships and more. Such engagement is designed to teach the importance of integrity, respect and accountability. Characteristics and tools necessary in making the transition from boys to men.





# FALL ???? ALPHAVERSARIES

Bro. Carlos Johnson IAA September 1, 1982
Bro. Chris Olds HH October 13, 1973
Bro. Veo Taylor NP November 4, 1989
Bro. Miguel Jones Jr. HT November 14, 2009
S.S. 5 D.R. PZA November 15, 2008
Bro. Jason Moore HH November 16, 2013
Bro. David Edwards NE November 17, 2013
Bro. Blair West-Keyes NE November 17, 2013
S.S. 6 S.O.L. PZA November 17, 2013
Bro. Arthur Cotman BK November 19, 1989
Bro. Reginald Greenwood Sr. EΦ November 21, 1981
Bro. Corey Bulluck ΓΨ December 3, 1983
Bro. Victor Netter NA December 4, 1993
Bro. Stephen Cosey AX December 8, 1989



**Happy Alphaversary Brothers** 





# CONGRATULATIONS BRO. VEO TAYLOR

**DOCTORATE INFORMATION ASSURANCE** 

# SERVANTS OF ALL

### WESTCHESTER FOOD PANTRY



### "Doing that which is conducive to the business of ALPHA" Bro. Montgomery Proffit

On November 6, 2021, Bro. Archie Hubbard, Bro Montgomery Proffit and Bro. Arthur Cotman provided service and assistance to the Westchester Food Pantry. Westchester Food Pantry provides food for Chicago's near west suburban communities.



Operation Young Santa Alpha Questors create holiday Christmas care packages for the less fortunate. December 18, 2021 Maywood, H

### **ANGEL TREE**

Bro. Chris Weinum takes the lead in generating gifts and donations for the Salvation Army ANGEL TREE program that provides Christmas gifts for families in need during the holidays.



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## **FELLOWSHIP KNOWLEDGE** BROTHERHOOD

# **BOOK CLUB**





Bro. G. Bradley-Bey, Bro. A. Muhammad, Bro. C. Colston, Bro. A. Cotman, Bro. J. Bundy Bro. C. Bulluck



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For nearly two years the Rho Zeta Lambda chapter book club has provided an outlet for brothers to continue to engage in fellowship and brotherhood amid the social disconnection brought about by the pandemic crisis we continue to encounter.

As the book club continues to grow, brothers are encouraged to participate and contribute to a fun social component of our chapter that has the potential to be around for a long time.

# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

### **Alpha Quest Mentoring Program:**

February 18, 2022 College Life and Career Exploration Guest Speakers

March 18, 2022 Stock Investing Game Introduction

April 9. 2022 Embodi Program (Delta Sigma Theta, Glen Ellyn)

Tau Delta Lambda (Puerto Rico)

Alpha Week (TBD)