



Atlanta Tuskegee Alumni Club

Date: 2/16/19

Location: Holy Temple Deliverance Church

Call to Order	Quionna Allen called the meeting to order at 1:08pm.
Adoption of Agenda	The motion to adopt the agenda as presented was made by Gwen Cummings and 2 nd by Lillie Lanier. The motion carried to adopt the agenda.
Inspiration & Prayer	Minister Clements
Minutes of Previous Meetings	Minutes from January meeting were presented and approved with no corrections. The motion to accept the minutes was made by Oliver Hunter and 2 nd by Tony Haney.
President's Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognition <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Thank you to Willie Johnson and Betty Neal for serving as the POCs for Tuskegee with the HBCU Alliance and keeping us informed. The mixer was in January 2019; 14 tickets were sold. Several TU alumni were in attendance and had a nice time. ○ HBCU College Fair alumni participants – Alpha Kappa Alpha and Alpha Phi Alpha sponsored a college Fair at Meadowcreek High School. Thank you to Oliver Hunter who was on the planning committee and to Willie Jones, Adrienne Gillis who attended. ○ UNCF Gala – ATAC member, Robert Steward received an award as an outstanding young Alumni. • President Inauguration March 15-16 additional mailing sent with detailed agenda • ReTool you School contest – Home Depot, Campus Improvement grant. Voting 2/25 – 4/14; Twitter is one of the best way to increase votes, but participants can also vote via Facebook and Instagram. • TNAA election results were challenged and there will be a hearing on 3/11/19. • TNAA SE Regional Conference will be held in Fort Lauderdale, FL 8/1-8/4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ All of the SE Regional offices are currently up for election. ○ Mona Jackson is he contact is you are interested in running for office. ○ Early bird registration ends on 5/1 ○ \$275 – Early registration fee ○ \$250 – Young Alumni (graduated after 2014) ○ \$225 - Golden Alumni (graduated before 1970)

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ \$425 – Alumni Couples (early registration only) 										
Treasurer’s Report	<p>Donations Received: UPS Foundation donation \$2,000 Murphy Family - \$1,000 Network for Good (Facebook Fundraiser) - \$102 2018 – HBCU 5K – \$1,768.75</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%;"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th style="text-align: right;">Period Ending January 2019</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Chase Checking</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$16,716.36</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td style="text-align: right;">2/10/19 register balance - \$19,134.10</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td style="text-align: right;">Restricted Funds: \$5,375.55 for Housing Software Fundraiser</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Citizens Trust Now Checking</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$10,958.50</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>A motion to receive the budget for audit was made by Martha Gamble and 2nd by Gwen Cummings. Motion carried.</p>		Period Ending January 2019	Chase Checking	\$16,716.36		2/10/19 register balance - \$19,134.10		Restricted Funds: \$5,375.55 for Housing Software Fundraiser	Citizens Trust Now Checking	\$10,958.50
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Correspondence	President Inauguration details – see mailing; events held March 15-16										
Recognition of Visitors	Deborah Givens ‘72 Adrienne Gillis ‘94 Carl Lee ‘84’ Margaret Gamble Julius Williams ‘90 Cheney Cook ‘92 Penny Clark ‘93 Mechele Miller ‘91										
Committee Reports	<p>John Garrett – Housing software Fundraiser Housing Software will help with rooming assignments; we are trying to collect 20K; are currently at 5K; will restart this program and continue with fundraising. Each captain has a link to where they can donate. The 20K would provide funding for the first year, plus one additional year. of eRezLife Software is the company that has been selected.</p> <p>Cheryl Hawkins, John Garrett, and Dr. Ben Hibbler have met and/or exceeded their target individual \$1K target, and Betty Neal/Sherida Brown are nearing their \$1K target with \$850 raised.</p> <p>White Party Fundraiser – April 27th day party. Last year \$1,600 was raised, looking to increase the amount this year.</p>										

Committee Reports**Membership – Mattie Robinson**

164 - active members

Ouida Hampton-Taylor has agreed to serve as the membership co-chair. Quionna has been on LinkedIn and reaching out to local alumni. The membership committee will create a plan to increase membership. Encourage alumni to update their information online

Recruitment – Felita Hood

Creekside HS from 9-1 PM

Spring Open house 3/23; as of 2/15 we have 9 members registered.

Alumni are encouraged to spread the word

The bus is secured and donations are requested for student sponsorships and snacks. Charlotte Hopkins will be the co-chair and support the bus trips.

Scholarships – Lille Lanier

Awarded 9 books scholarships for Spring 2019 for \$300

The book club budget has been expended and the book scholarship has been removed for he Fall 2019. WE currently have \$610.43 for book scholarships

2019-2020 scholarship flyers have been posted to the website and send o he University Affairs office. Here will be a bi-monthly email blast send to the student body and the deadline is 3/29/19 11:59 PM EST

Other scholarship information sent to students:

- Cascade UMC
- Apple HBCU Scholars program

Jazz Brunch 5/25/19– Walt Robinson

Marriott Gateway Hotel and AV quotes are coming in. Pioneer Award honorees that we are contacting are: AD James, LaTasha Lewis, Rudy Deveaux, Major Hollins, Phyllis Kitchens, group award Veterinarians in Union City, Paul Jones, UniverSol Cirrus owners , possibly a young alumni

Tickets – need to be returned by 4/20. Tickets are \$75

Lisa Walker will be he marketing lead to assist with selling tickets.

12 Vendor spaces have been confirmed as available for the Jazz Brunch; we are trying to increase to 15. John Fuller has indicated interest, and inquiry has gone out to the “Hey Tuskegee” book author Robert Constant.

Ad and Sponsorships -4/30 is the deadline for ads. Rosemary will review all adds and bios before they go in the souvenir journal

Silent Auction is being led by Martha Dollar – encouraging alumni to secure items.

	<p>Mistress of Ceremony outreach; Cynne Simpson was not available, will reach out to Fred Blankenship.</p> <p>The band is secured and the travel club pays for that.</p> <p>Tuskegee Tags Traci Jerald -</p> <p>Ride with Pride Tag campaign - Phase 1 - We are about to submit the interest form; no money is required at this time. We cannot move forward without 1200 interested. Alumni should share the link to ensure. All presidents throughout GA will be able to access the link. Phase 2 - production phase. Phase 3 - if we want to get funds from each tag, the request has to go through the state legislature. We would get up \$19 per tag.</p> <p>The TU Marketing director will support the design of the tag.</p> <p>Willie Johnson - HBCU Alliance HBCU mixer - sold 14 tickets HBCU walk/Run June 29, 2019 - Early Reg until 4/30; there is a meeting on 2/19 for additional information HBCU Day with the Hawks - 2/23/19; Get seats in section 208 and 210</p>
Announcements	<p>2/23/19 - HBCU Night at the Hawks - State Farm Arena 3/9/19 - HBCU College Fair - Cobb Galleria 3/15 & 3/16 - Inauguration of TU's 8th President, Dr. Lily McNair - Tuskegee, AL & Montgomery, AL 03/23/19 - TU Spring Open House 6/29/19 - HBCU 5K 8/1-8/4 - SE Regional Conference - Fort Lauderdale, FL</p>
Closing	<p>Meeting adjourned at 2:27 PM</p>

Submitted by acting Recording Secretary, Felicia Williams

Action Items

- Look into link to share with Atlanta Alumni on how to update their contact information with the University.