



Atlanta Tuskegee Alumni Club

Date: May 15, 2021

Location: Zoom

Call to Order	Quionna Allen called the meeting to order at 1:05 pm
Adoption of Agenda	The agenda was properly adopted by the body.
Inspiration & Prayer	Lisa Head-Walker led us in inspiration and prayer.
Minutes of Previous Meetings	Minutes from the April meeting were presented and approved with no corrections.
TNAA Greetings & Updates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● TNAA Presidential Update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Virtual Bi-annual Convention <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 300 alumni registered and attended ▪ Dr. Morris spoke during the convention <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● There are 51 proposed changes to the TNAA Constitution and Bylaws. ○ 2022 Northeast Region will be in New York the 1st week in August. ○ Graduation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ School of Vet. Medicine 59 Graduates on May 1 ▪ TU Commencement (Summer 2019 – Spring 2020) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 1200 undergraduate students invited with 725 registered to attend. ● Crampton Bowl May 30 ▪ Student received 4 tickets and the event was live streamed ▪ TNNA will be in attendance to give pin and cards to graduates. ▪ Commencement Sunday Convocation – Bakari Sellers will be the speaker. ○ Strategic Planning Committee is meeting. Expect to more information sometime during the summer. ○ Search committee formed for the Provost and VP of Academic Affairs position. Lillie Lanier, as the TNAA President, is on the search committee. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ No update on president ○ TU loans were forgiven by US federal government in the amount of \$150M. ○ Dr. Morris wants to bring students back from Auburn. Wants to put Commons back online. Her priority areas are 1) Residence Life 2) Kellogg Center 3) Infrastructure – rewiring buildings for wi-fi.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Greater St. Louis Club was reactivated. ○ A new professional association was chartered - College of Art and Sciences Professional Association ○ There is a plan to raise \$1 million to update Armstrong Hall ● ATAC President's Report <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ TNAA The SE Regional Conference is scheduled for July 23 – 24th. It will be virtual. ○ The proposed bylaws changes for TNAA will be reviewed <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Will schedule a meeting for club to talk about ● Will vote at 2022 convention ○ Update information in CRM <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ All paid members added ▪ Login and validate membership ○ Mention TU Alumni Association separate from TNAA <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ They are reaching out to people to recruit ▪ Not sanctioned by university ▪ Discussion tabled for the end of meeting
Treasurer's Report	<p>See Treasurer's Report for Chase Checking and Citizen's Trust Bank. Accounts were reviewed for 4/1/2021 through 4/30/2021.</p> <p>Chase Bank (April) Opening Balance: \$20,586.23 Register Balance as of 4/30/2021: \$21,175.26 Restricted Funds: \$4,393.45 Reg Bal Less Restricted Funds: \$16,781.81</p> <p>Chase Bank – Tag (April) Opening Balance: \$18,262.23 Register Balance as of 4/30/2021: \$19,257.35</p> <p>Citizen's Trust Bank (April) Opening Balance: \$4,742.69 Register Balance as of 4/30/2021: \$4,742.88</p>
Correspondence	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● None to report
Recognition of Visitors	<p>Visitors were given a moment to speak and introduce themselves.</p>
Committee Reports	<p>Membership: – Charlotte Hopkins Since 5/15/2021 – 156 members; Goal: 200 2 members since April, prorated Crimson and 1 Gold</p> <p>Gold: 28 Crimson: 51</p>

	<p>Basic: 77</p> <p>Level Up Campaign. If you have been a graduate for 10+ years; “level up” to the next membership level. Example Basic to Crimson</p> <p>Recruitment: Deidra Challenging with no face-to-face events but everything is virtual. Upcoming freshmen will be invited to Back to School event in July. We will give out gift cards. Not sure of the amount, waiting on final numbers and budget. There are 100 Atlanta students attending Tuskegee this fall.</p> <p>HBCU Alliance – Willie Johnson The HBCU 5K Walk/Run registration still open. We are in 15th place. Morris Brown coming in at 31 people. Shirts will be mailed out.</p> <p>GA Tag/ Plate – Quionna Allen Current 606 GA Residence Need 350 Tags to reach goal. Will have a table at July event and will give information to Lillie for graduation. Please continue to spread the word</p> <p>Please go to www.tutagga.com to register your name and vehicle.</p> <p>Scholarship – Lillie Lanier The total amount of the endowment as of June 30, 2020 is \$695,408.99. We received 20 applications from students in the Metro-Atlanta area to apply for the Endowed Scholarship for the 2021-2022 Academic year.</p> <p>We have \$30, 396.35 to award in scholarships for the 2021-2022 academic year.</p> <p>Book Scholarship applications scholarship report shows that \$3,530.87 in the book scholarship at Tuskegee University. This was sent with the POC last year in a separate check.</p> <p>The committee has received the applications and are reviewing them. We will notify recipients of the scholarship award by the 1st week in June.</p> <p>We will invite the scholarship award recipients to ATAC’s July 10th event.</p>
<p>New Business</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 2021 -2022 Budget <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Treasurer presented the 2021-2022 proposed budget to General Body. ○ Motion from the body to include the Scholarship expenses in the proposed budget. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Motion made by Tomika Bullet ▪ Gwendolyn Cummings seconded the motion. ○ The motion to approve the proposed budget was passed. ● SE Regional Conference

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Motion made to use up to \$600 to cover the SER Ad and pay for 10 ATAC members to attend the SER Conference. Ad cost is \$50 and virtual conference fees are \$42.50 per person. ○ Motion made by Alexandria Wilkerson. Seconded by Walter Robinson. ○ Motion was approved. ○ Members were asked to use sign-in sheet to let us know if you are interested in attending as an ATAC representative.
Announcements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Register for the HBCU Alliance 5K Walk – there’s still time. ● Register to join us for the July 10th – Pre-Homecoming Tailgate event ● Register for the upcoming Southeastern Regional Conference on July 23rd – July 24th.
Closing	Meeting adjourned at 2:31pm.

Submitted by Alexandria Wilkerson