

SUMMER 2023

ATLANTA VIOLETS

Sigma Kappa Atlanta Alumnae Chapter



Italy From Tip to Toe

PRIVATE WINE TASTING CLASS & FUNDRAISER

Explore the many distinctive wines of Italy, from sparkling Proseccos and crisp Pinot Grigios, to the Sangiovese-based wines of Tuscany, to the rick, dark reds of Sicily.

- When: Saturday, July 22, 3pm – 5 pm
- Where: Total Wine & More - 124 Perimeter Center West
- The class is limited to the first 20 people to sign up.
- Cost: \$25 All proceeds go to the Sigma Kappa Foundation.
- Appetizers will be provided.
- For those who would like to continue to visit afterwards, we are planning to go somewhere nearby for dinner after.

RSVP on our Facebook page or to sigkapatlalum@gmail.com and we will send you a payment link.



It's Football Season!

KICKOFF PARTY

College football is just around the corner, and we'll be kicking off the season with a party for alumnae and friends. Meet up with us at Taco Mac Cumberland in your favorite team colors and meet Sigma Kappa sisters from around the SEC and beyond.

Saturday, August 26th – 4-8pm

RSVP on our Facebook page or to sigkapatlalum@gmail.com

Dollar\$ for Scholar\$

AAPA EVENT

The Atlanta Alumnae Panhellenic Association Foundation will host its annual Fall Tailgate & Fashion Show Luncheon on Friday, September 29th at the Druid Hills Golf Club. We will share registration information as it becomes available!



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OR FACEBOOK.COM/ATLANTASIGMAKAPPAS



Drivin' n Cryin'

FREE CONCERT MEETUP

This old favorite college band is still going strong and still going straight to you know where! If anyone is interested in meeting up for this free concert September 9th at the amphitheater in downtown Woodstock, please email sigkapatlalum@gmail.com and we will coordinate on meetup place and saving chairs in advance (it's a thing there).

Fundraising Success!

BELK CHARITY DAY

For the past several years, the Atlanta Alumnae Chapter has participated in Belk's semi-annual Charity Day sales at stores around Atlanta. We had volunteers selling tickets at six stores around metro Atlanta for the spring sale, and raised just over \$1600 to support the chapter. Thanks to everyone who volunteered their time or donated!

Paying Your Dues

IMPORTANT INFO

Dues are important, as they help us offer chapter events and support the foundation and our local charities.

- National alumna dues are \$35 annually and can be paid at sigmakappa.org.
- Local dues are \$25 annually (\$20 for chapter officers and national volunteers) and can be paid at atlantasigmakappas.org.
- Local dues are waived for the first year after you graduate!

Join Our Team for the ALZ Walk!

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4TH

This year's walk will be on Saturday November 4th at the Battery at Truist Park. Sigma Kappa has one of the most active national teams, and it's always a great day. Sign up to join our team or make a donation to support us at <https://bit.ly/SKATLALZ>.



Save the Date for Founders Day Brunch

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5TH

Save the date for Sunday November 5th for our annual Founders Day brunch and be on the lookout for an exciting chance to support the Foundation and win a case of Sigma Kappa wine from One Heart Napa Valley.

Holidays with Sigma Kappa

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5TH

This has become a fun annual tradition, so save the date for Saturday December 9th – Details to follow.





Spending Time with Seniors

MOUNTAIN VIEW VISITS
COMING UP THIS FALL

Each month, members of Sigma Kappa Atlanta Alumnae visit the Mountain View Personal Care Home in Decatur to play bingo with the residents and bring birthday cards, treats, and needed donations.

We take a break in the summer, but fall dates will be September 16th, October 14th, November 11th and December 16th. If you are interested in participating, please reach out to Lisa Simmons-Hall at ocean_wistful@bellsouth.net.



Ideas and Opportunities

HELP MAKE OUR CHAPTER GREAT!

We need people for a variety of leadership positions in the alumnae chapter. please let us know if you'd be interested in serving. We're also always trying to think of new opportunities to get together, meet new friends and serve our community and sisterhood. Drop us a message at least email sigkapatlalum@gmail.com if you have ideas or want to help lead and grow our group of amazing sisters!



Share Your News With Us

WE WANT TO KNOW WHAT YOU'RE UP TO

In future issues of this newsletter (and on our social media too), we'd like to feature news about our members.

If you got that great new job, tied the knot, added to your family, or did something amazing that you'd like to share, let us know at sigkapatlalum@gmail.com - please include photos when you can!

Supporting our College Chapters During Recruitment

HOW YOU CAN HELP

We asked our local chapters what we can do to help support them during formal recruitment. Our Kappa Lambda chapter at the University of North Georgia has formal recruitment in January, so look for info on how to support them in our next issue!

Epsilon Epsilon – University of Georgia

- Recruitment begins on August 12th, concluding with Bid Day on August 20th.
- Recommendations can be sent to skugarecs@gmail.com or to ABS Susan Hadden at @SPARKI77@comcast.net. They prefer a résumé and photo if possible.
- If you would like to make a donation for meals/snacks during pre-recruitment week or flowers, you can Venmo to Susan at [@Susan-Hadden-3](https://venmo.com/@Susan-Hadden-3).
- They don't need any volunteers during recruitment, but if anyone would like to volunteer to help out on Bid Day, you can reach out to Susan.

Kappa Tau – University of West Georgia

- Recruitment begins on August 17th and Bid Day is August 20th.
- Recommendations can be sent to advisor Alex Swinney at skalexswinney@gmail.com.
- Mock recruitment practice is on August 6 – moms and alums are invited to come and help out. Reach out to Alex if interested.
- The chapter is looking for donations for meals/snacks for pre-recruitment and cleaning supplies to help get the house looking nice. You can visit their Amazon wish list at <https://amzn.to/46q0nua> or Venmo donations to advisor Meitra Perry [@meitraperry](https://venmo.com/@meitraperry).

Kappa Lambda - University North Georgia

Formal recruitment is in January -- Look for info in our next issue on how you can help out!

