



College Park/Sandy Spring Alumni Chapter
Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc.
9th Administration
2022 - 2023



Reclamation & Retention Report
August 9, 2022

“Charting Our Path, Controlling our Legacy”

Brothers of College Park/Sandy Spring Alumni Chapter:

Greetings! As Chairman of the CPSS Reclamation & Retention Committee, I am honored to send you the first Reclamation & Retention Report of the 2022-2023 fraternal year. I plan to use these reports to keep all CPSS brothers up to date on ongoing chapter events and activities.

This past weekend, on August 6, 2022, over 24 brothers participated in the **Sagamore Rye Whiskey Distillery** tour. Following the tour, an additional number of brothers gathered at **Nick's Fish House** for fellowship over great food, drinks, and cigars on the waterfront. Thanks go out to Andre Gladden, Ron Taylor, Jon Byus, and Ean Vessels for organizing the event and to Gerald Holland with assisting in tracking payments.

Per Brother Taylor, “...the tour at Sagamore was enlightening and the Rye was surprisingly good. Nicks had great food with a chill, laid back vibe. The weather cooperated and we got some breeze off that water. As always it was a good day hanging with the Nupes!” Thanks to all of you who attended!



Photo 1: Brothers on the tour



Photo 2: Brothers taste-testing the rye



Photo 3: Brothers fellowshiping at Nick's

As you may be aware, the **2022 CPSS Planning Retreat** will be held on **August 12th – August 14th, 2022** at the [Washington Dulles Marriott Suites](#) in Herndon, VA.

The 9th Administration planning retreat meeting is at **no-cost** to all dues paying Fully Financial brothers of CPSS.

On Friday evening, there is an opportunity for fellowship open to all brothers at [Top Golf \(Ashburn\)](#). Brothers will be gathering in the Top Golf Bar. For details, please contact Sean Osborne at 301-502-7364. On Saturday evening after the retreat, there will be a dinner at Bourbon Boulevard (Chantilly VA). Brothers are expected to pay individually for their food and drink.

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Upcoming Events: There is a robust schedule of upcoming events and activities in development in coordination with the Events Committee. This schedule will be finalized during the retreat and updated throughout the year. It is known that brothers cannot attend every event and activity, however the schedule is intended to provide awareness for planning purposes.

It is color coded so events and activities of interest can be identified easily whether they be community service, frat/chapter business, or Guide Right/Kappa League.

The full schedule is on the Reclamation & Retention page on the CPSS website:

<https://www.cpsskapsi.org/reclamation-and-retention/>.

Month	Date	Event	Sponsoring Organization	Purpose
August	6	Chapter Fellowship Outing at Sagamore Sprits Distillery	CPSS	Reclamation & Retention
August	12-14	Chapter Retreat (Chapter Annual Budget Submitted)	CPSS	Frat/Chapter Business
August	27	Province Officer's Workshop @ Virginia State University	Eastern Province	Frat/Chapter Business
August	29	Chapter School Welcome Back	CPSS	Community Service
All Year	Varies	Weekly Chapter Prayer Zoom Call, Sundays 7pm	CPSS	Spiritual Renewal
September	3	Monthly Kappa League Session	KCDF/CPSS	Guide Right/Kappa League
September	3	UMD Football Tailgate	CPSS	Reclamation & Retention
September	3	Events Committee Game Night Location TBD	CPSS	Events committee
September	9	Monthly Happy Hour	CPSS	Reclamation & Retention
September	10	Rainbow Food Distribution	CPSS/RCDC	Community Service
September	11	Events Committee First NFL Sunday fellowship	CPSS	Events committee
September	14	Events Committee Monthly HH location TBD	CPSS	Events committee
September	16	Monthly Chapter Meeting	CPSS	Frat/Chapter Business
September	17	Monthly Kappa Walk	CPSS	Health and Wellness
September	17	UMD Football Tailgate	CPSS	Reclamation & Retention
September	17	Kappa League (KL) registration	KCDF/CPSS	Guide Right/Kappa League
September	18	Top Golf/March of Dimes Fundraiser - Top Golf Oxon Hill	CPSS	Community Service
September	22	Events Committee Cigar Night	CPSS	Events committee
September	24	Fish Fry	CPSS	Reclamation & Retention
September	24	Rainbow Food Distribution	CPSS/RCDC	Community Service
September	25	HBCU Night Out: Washington Commanders Game & Tailgate	CPSS	Reclamation & Retention
September	30	CBC Reception - Marriott Marquis DC	Metro DC Chapters	Reclamation & Retention

Thank you for reading. I look forward to continued communication with you and to see you at upcoming events and activities. If you have any questions or feedback, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours in the Bond,

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