

# THE PEARLS & IVY CORNER

March 2017



## WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH

Let us celebrate and honor women's contributions in the arts and sciences as well as their efforts in the struggle for equality. ***Our history is our strength!***



## OPERATIONS UPDATES

New members have signed on to the Resource Development and Bylaws committees for the Foundation. **Welcome!**

### Resource Development

**Chairperson: Paula Tudor, Vice President**

- Research and apply for grant and sponsorship opportunities
- Work with EPO Chapter to align programs and events with grants
- Review and research gift matching forms completed by general members to identify additional opportunities to raise funds via general member employer programs and private foundations

### Bylaws

**Chairperson: Kelli Muse, Parliamentarian**

- Review the current bylaws to ensure alignment with non-profit organizations
- Make recommendations to the Board and general members for bylaw amendments.

***If interested in joining either of these committees, please contact the chairperson.***

## GRANTS & SPONSORSHIPS

Regretfully we report that we were not awarded the grants we submitted to Wal Mart & State Farm for Ascend or sponsorship from TD Bank for the Black Tie Affair. However, we can submit every year for these grants. We will resubmit earlier in the year as our submissions were either on or very close to the deadline.

***Don't forget: Home Depot has a community grant available for up to \$5,000.00.*** If there is any EPO committee chair interested in applying for this grant and developing a program to fit the criteria, please contact Vice President, Paula Tudor.

THE WESLEY PARROTT YOUTH PROGRAM, INC. & THE PEARLS AND IVY FOUNDATION OF QUEENS, INC.  
ALPHA PHI ALPHA FRATERNITY, INCORPORATED ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA SORORITY, INCORPORATED  
ZETA ZETA LAMBDA CHAPTER EPSILON PI OMEGA CHAPTER

## Black Tie Affair 2017

HONORING  
*Visionaries of the Southeast*  
*Queens Community*

2017 AWARD RECIPIENTS  
TINA CHARLES · THE BARTLETT CONTEMPORARIES  
RICHARD GIBBS · PAUL WEBSTER · SEKOU MOLEFI BAAKO  
ADRIENNE E. ADAMS

SATURDAY, THE ELEVENTH OF MARCH  
TWO THOUSAND AND SEVENTEEN  
FROM 7:30PM TO 1AM

SAND CASTLE  
519 FRANKLIN AVENUE  
FRANKLIN SQUARE, NY 11010

\$165 BEFORE JAN 1ST, \$175 AFTER  
DINNER · DANCING · AUCTIONS

VISIT [WWW.AKAPSILOMOMEGA.ORG](http://WWW.AKAPSILOMOMEGA.ORG) & [WWW.ZZLALPHAS.ORG](http://WWW.ZZLALPHAS.ORG) TO PURCHASE TICKETS ONLINE  
The Pearls & Ivy Foundation of Queens, Inc. is a 501(c)(3) organization recognized by the Internal Revenue Service. Donations are tax deductible to the fullest extent allowed by law. Proceeds from this event will support the programs of Epsilon Pi Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., The Wesley Parrott Youth Program, Inc., The Pearls & Ivy Foundation of Queens, Inc., & Zeta Zeta Lambda Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.

**Tickets - \$175.00**

**Chapter - \$150 to March 4, 2017**

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*“Our greatest glory is not in never falling but in rising every time we fall.” – Confucius*

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## REMINDERS

**Smile.Amazon:** Make the Pearls & Ivy Foundation your charity of choice. 1% of your purchases helps to grow a scholarship!