THE PEARLS & IVY CORNER

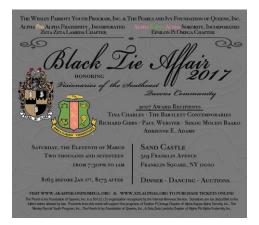
March 2017



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!*





Tickets - \$175.00 Chapter - \$150 to March 4, 2017

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.

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

REMINDERS

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