## Phi Kappa Phi Chapter 260

## **Memorial Hall 201**

## April 27, 2017 Meeting

**Welcome** -- President Marge Phillips called the meeting to order at approximately 6:00 pm. She welcomed new student members, faculty, and introduced officers that were present (officers listed at the end of the minutes).

Secretary's Report -- Minutes have been posted to the website: semo.edu/pkp

Comments and Suggestions for Induction for 2018 -- It was suggested that we have a photo booth area where family and friends can take pictures with our new members. The comments about having the induction in the Ballroom of the University Center were all positive.

**Ushering at Commencement** – **May 13** – Phi Kappa Phi will be ushering at Commencement on May 13, 2017. We will need volunteers for the two ceremonies. For the morning ceremony you will need to be the Show Me Center at 8:45 am to place programs on the floor seats, distribute programs to guests, and direct students to the Rec Center for their lineup. Volunteers should be finished by about 10:15 am. For the afternoon ceremony volunteers should arrive at the Show Me Center by noon to perform the same duties as in the morning session. Volunteers are usually finished by 2:15 pm. If you would like to usher for one or both ceremonies, it would be wonderful. Please contact Marge to volunteer.

**Students Vice-Presidents --** We need at least two student vice-presidents for next year. Kayla Rivers and Jo Nell Cougill volunteered to be student vice-presidents. If others are interested, they can volunteer at our first meeting in the fall semester.

**Born to Read Project --** Since we have become joint-sponsors with the Jackson Regional Library, we need bigger labels in order to be able to put both names on them. Mary Elizabeth Ambery showed a few samples of different labels and sizes to decide which ones look better. Doris Dumey will print labels to be placed in the books that the Jackson Regional Library purchased.

**Homecoming Parade, October 14 --** We have participated in the parade in previous years. If there are enough interested Phi Kappa Phi members, we will participate on October 14. We will decide at our next meeting.

**Fall Membership Drive** – It was decided that we would have a membership drive in the fall semester. We will start this drive soon after the semester begins in August.

**Next Meeting** – We will have a meeting in September. As soon as the date is decided, an email with the date, time, and place will be sent out to all members.

There being no further business and no objections, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully,

Cecilia V. Larson, MA Secretary

## 2016-2017 Phi Kappa Phi Officers

- Marge Phillips, President (2015-2017)
- Doris Dumey, President-Elect (2015-2017)
- Shawn Guilling, Treasurer (2016-2018)
- Cecilia Larson, Secretary (2016-2018)
- Jayanti Ray, Public Relations (2016-2018)
- Suhair Amer, Past President (2015-2017)
- Student Vice Presidents:

Katie Bader (2016-2017) Ann Downs (2016-2017)