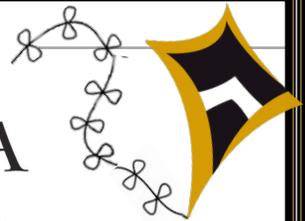


KAPPA ALPHA THETA

College of William and Mary



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Dear Theta,

Summer arrived and the Beta Lambdas left Williamsburg for internships, classes, jobs, and travels across the globe. During our busy spring semester, a new philanthropy event kept us busy and engaged with Colonial CASA, and we anticipate a wonderful fall philanthropy when we return to campus! This summer, COO Katy Brath and I will have the chance to travel to Grand Convention, during which we hope to expand our connections with Thetas from all over the country. Looking forward, we could not be more excited to ring in the new school year with our largest recruitment yet (we have a new Panhellenic chapter on campus!). We are already missing our accomplished sisters of the class of 2016, but we are so excited to welcome a new member class into the sisterhood of Kappa Alpha Theta.

Loyally, Kate Connors
President of the Beta Lambda Chapter
Kappa Alpha Theta

Thetas across globe:

22 Thetas studied abroad during the summer and upcoming fall semester. We look forward to hearing about their worldly adventures!



Like mother, like daughter



William and Mary Theta's fall 2015 pledge class included **three Theta legacies of Sarah Baker '19, Elizabeth Miller '19, and Megan Campbell '19**. These Theta women now share sisterhood with their mothers. Sarah's mom, Rebecca Baker '81 of Mizzou at the Alpha Mu chapter recalls living in the Theta house for three years (bottom left). This year, Sarah will be adding to this tradition and living at

the Theta house at William and Mary! Megan's mother, Lauren Campbell '88 and Elizabeth's mother Ingrid Miller '89 were Thetas at William and Mary's chapter. In photograph (top left), mother Ingrid Miller with Theta shirt holds daughter and future Theta, Elizabeth Miller.

Theta won the scholarship award at the Greek Awards this past semester!



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Theta hosted two successful philanthropy events, starting with dodge ball in the fall. The tournament was hosted on the Sunken Garden on a crisp October morning with costumes and competing teams. In addition, this April marked the debut of Dunk a Theta. William and Mary students, faculty, and members in the Williamsburg community such as CASA representatives purchased tickets for doughnuts and a shot at dunking Thetas in the dunk tank. The event took



place in the yard behind Sorority Court and although it was windy, our Thetas were good sports! Dancing and dunking occurred, all raising money for an important cause. The event was a success, raising \$5,500 for Colonial CASA chapter. We hope to host this again next spring!



What's happening inside of the sisterhood:

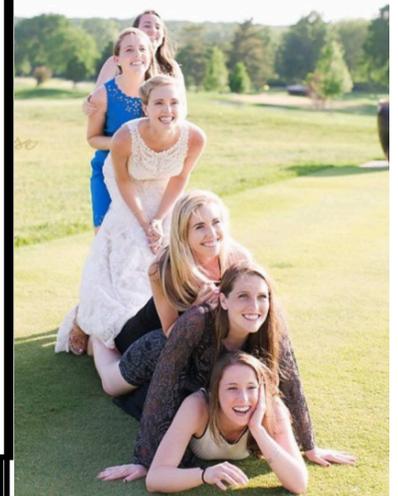
Thetas taking initiative to share interest and stay connected as alumni



Alumni career panel

This spring, Theta hosted a career panel with five talented alumni, Chris Westbrook, Barbara Martinez, Sarah Pope, Rosemary Harold and Kathy Steckelberg. These Theta graduates were part of our chapter between 1977- 1980. They discussed their career paths in Washington, D.C. to our chapter, and their experiences in working in law, on the Hill, intelligence agencies and finance. Current Theta sisters enjoyed their insight and asked extensive questions about their careers, all over a luncheon on a Friday afternoon. We hope to have another event next year!

Wedding bells!



Alumni Sarah Collier wed with five members of her Theta family line this June. Truly Thetas for a lifetime!



Social Engagement Committee

Social Engagement Committee serves as an opportunity for William and Mary Thetas to learn and discuss current global events/issues. We are looking forward to having further engagement with the Williamsburg community. We volunteer with organizations such as Campus Kitchen and Head Start and later discuss how their experiences connect to global issues as

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