

The period covered by this report is Jan. 1–Dec. 15, 2019.

1. The chapter should approve the completed report and submit it by Dec. 15.
2. Keep the original hard copy for the Marshal's files.
3. Email one copy of this report and a copy of your chapter's annual newsletter to Kylie Smith, Archivist/Museum Director, at [ksmith@kappa.org](mailto:ksmith@kappa.org).
4. Email one copy of this report to the Ritual Adviser.
5. Email one copy of this report to your Ritual and History Specialist.

Summarize the previous calendar year, scholarships, group honors/awards, Convention awards, traditions, special events, philanthropic involvement, chapter goals, challenges and how they were overcome, and world/local events the chapter participated in or helped with (e.g., presidential campaigns, natural disasters, etc.).

**Sisters moved back into the house on January 18. In the month of February, we made Valentine's Day cards for veterans. We also tabled on campus, selling Kappa Kisses (hershey's kisses) for national philanthropy, Reading is Fundamental. In March, we hosted a date party at club Lit on the 23rd. We partnered with Theta Chi to raise money for FTK at their annual benefit concert by selling KKGilled cheese at the event. In April, we hosted our annual formal at local restaurant Porta on April 19. During Greek Week, we had pie a frat guy with TKE at our house raising money for FTK. We also participated in the annual Dance Marathon for FTK in which many sisters stayed for the whole 12 hours. To finish out the semester, we hosted a new event organized by our philanthropy chair Kaeli Armstrong called Kappa Kones in which we had an ice cream sundae bar on the front porch of Kappa. Money raised by Kappa Kones went to the Ellie Fund. In September at the start of the semester, sisters participated in the FTK carnival getting people to sign up for dance marathon. Recruitment was September 12-17. In October, we hosted our annual Kappa Krush on October 11 at the Hadley Farms Meeting House. We had a "Think Pink" week where we tabled on campus selling pink bracelets to raise awareness for breast cancer and the money raised was for our local philanthropy, the Ellie Fund. Our chapter had an event with Alpha Epsilon Phi to make holiday cards for Baystate children's hospital. A handful of sisters also went to the local Amherst Elementary School to read to the children as part of the Boys and Girls Club. We had a movie night as a sisterhood event where we watched Twitches. In November, the new member class of Fall 2019 was initiated on November 9. Delta Nu hosted our annual Kappa Kappuccinos event at the house raising money for the KKG Foundation Hurricane Relief. We had a sisterhood event hosted at Pinz in Hadley; super fun bowling and game night! On November 16, we had a buffet style breakfast with Kappa fun facts to celebrate Founder's Day since the weekend of Founder's day was a long weekend that no one was on campus for.**

Describe the recent changes on campus and describe the chapter's overall nature.

**In January 2019, UMass finally opened the new Isenburg building, also known as "The Hub". During the summer of 2019, all of the third floor bedrooms were repainted to the light grey color, the rest of the rooms will be done during the summer of 2020. Also during the summer of 2019, the formal living room was repainted and redecorated.**

### Chapter Philanthropy

What organization does the chapter support? Reading is Fundamental, the Ellie Fund, KKG Foundation, For The Kids

Why did the chapter choose this organization? We chose to support the Ellie Fund because we like that we know where our money is going and we like that we are directly helping families affected by breast cancer.

### Founders Day

How did the chapter celebrate Founders Day? Please attach any photos. We had a buffet breakfast one Saturday morning with Kappa fun facts on the tables.



### Sesquicentennial Celebration

How has the chapter begun to celebrate Kappa's 150th anniversary? Share what you have done this year and are planning to do in 2020. Keeping up with weekly facts about Kappa history as part of Minerva Minutes presented by the Marshal during house meetings.

### Photographs

Are there any interesting photos in the chapter archives that you would like to share?



Date read to the chapter and approved by a chapter vote: 12/10/2019

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