



*Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.*

*Rho Beta Beta Chapter*

*P. O. Box 652 \* Houston, Texas 77001-0652*

## **Rho Beta Beta Monthly Chapter Meeting**

November 3, 2017

### **Agenda**

1. Call to Order – 7:00 pm
2. Opening Prayer – 7:02 pm
3. Roll Call – 7:05 pm
4. Consent to Approve Agenda – 7:07 pm
5. Reading of the Minutes & Correspondence – 7:10 pm
6. KRS' Report – 7:15 pm
7. Chaplain's Report – 7:17 pm
8. Financial Report – 7:20 pm
9. Basileus' Report – 7:35 pm
10. National/District Notifications – 7:45 pm
11. Committee Reports – Bro. Scott Harrell, Vice Basileus (moderating) – 7:50 pm
12. Old Business – 8:15 pm
13. New Business – 8:20 pm
14. Announcements – 8:30 pm
15. Brother's Heart – 8:40 pm
16. Adjournment – 8:50 pm
17. Closing Prayer
18. Repast

**THE NEXT CURRENTLY SCHEDULED MEETING IS DECEMBER 1, 2017 AT THE FRAT HOUSE. PLEASE ATTEND THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETING SCHEDULED FOR NOVEMBER 22, 2017 TO PLACE SPECIFIC ITEMS ON THE REGULAR MEETING AGENDA FOR EFFECTIVE TIMING OF THE MEETING.**

# Rho Beta Beta Chapter

## 2017 – 2018 Financial Roster

### Executive Council (Fiscal Year 2017-2018)

Bro. Antonio Brown	Basileus
Bro. Scott Harrell	Vice-Basileus
Bro. Joel McEwen	Keeper of Records and Seal
Bro. William Parker	Keeper of Finance
Bro. Fred Maxie	Parliamentarian
Bro. Xavier Gerald	Chaplain
Bro. Sam Gilmore	Keeper of the Peace
Bro. Russell Francis	Public Relations Director
Bro. Gregory Williams	Immediate Past Basileus

### Current Financial and in Good Standing Brothers of Rho Beta Beta as of 11/01/2017 [NL = National Life, DL = District Life, CL = Chapter Life]

1	Allen	James	NL		
2	Anthony	Nelson	NL		CL
3	Archie II	Thomas			
4	Atchison	Andrew			
5	Aurel	Jean Claude	NL		CL
6	Ball	Clarence			
7	Barnes	Ralph	NL		
8	Benford	Michael			
9	Benifield Jr.	Albert	NL	DL	CL
10	Bishop	Arnathan	NL		
11	Blanton	Ahmad	NL		
12	Blanton	Devell	NL		
13	Brooker	Quinon			
14	Brooks	Richard			
15	Brown II	Edward	NL		CL
16	Brown Sr	Antonio			
17	Burroughs	John			
18	Burroughs	Orrin		DL	
19	Burroughs Jr.	Herman		DL	CL
20	Byrd	Leon			
21	Carter	Russell	NL		
22	Caviel	Rhett			
23	Chadwick	Chad			
24	Cole	Randle			
25	Comeaux Jr.	Learon			
26	Cooper	Henry			
27	Crump	Matthew	NL	DL	

28	Davis	Dyrren	NL	DL	CL
29	Davis III	Austin			
30	Davis Jr.	Lamar			
31	Edmond	Ronald			
32	Ekanem	Nick			
33	Facison	Cedric			
34	Flowers	Dwayne			
35	Floyd	Quantas			
36	Francis	Russell			
37	Fruge	Cliffen			
38	Gardner	Damiane	NL		CL
39	Geason	Lester			
40	Gerald	Xavier			
41	Gilmore Jr.	Samuel			
42	Glover II	Bruin			
43	Gossett	Garland	NL		
44	Grant	George		DL	
45	Green	Demetris	NL	DL	CL
46	Griffen	Troylon			
47	Harrell	Scott			
48	Hatten Jr.	Curtis			
49	Hatter, Jr.	Donald	NL	DL	
50	Hawthorne	Leonard			
51	Hayward	Austin			
52	Hebert	Michael			
53	Hollowell	Johnny	NL		
54	Holly	Spergeon	NL	DL	CL

55	Hunt	Vernon	NL	DL	
56	Jackson	Carlos			
57	Jackson	Edward			
58	Jackson	Kevin			
59	Jackson	Michael			
60	Jarmon	Lloyd	NL		
61	Johnson	Isiah			
62	Johnson	Robert			
63	Jones	Adam	NL		
64	Jones	Derrick			
65	Jordan	Raleigh	NL		
66	Lewis	Derico			
67	Manuel	Damian	NL		
68	Maxie	Fred			
69	Mayfield	Darryl			
70	McEwen	Joel	NL	DL	CL
71	McKinney	William	NL		CL
72	McKinnies	Johnny	NL		
73	Meads	Quinn	NL	DL	CL
74	Melancon	Raoul			
75	Mikell	Brandon			
76	Mitchell Jr.	CJ			
77	Morgan	Jack			
78	Nicholas	Ronald			
79	North	Frank	NL	DL	CL
80	Norwood	Casey			
81	O'Berry	James	NL		
82	Onwudiegwu	Ugonwanne			
83	Parker	Randall	NL		CL
84	Parker	William "Billy"			
85	Parker III	Walter			
86	Parks	Michael			
87	Pierre	James			
88	Pumphrey	Kenneth		DL	CL
89	Reed III	Grady	NL		

90	Richards	Jason			
91	Robinson II	Gary			
92	Ross, Jr.	Clarence	NL	DL	
93	Scott II	Charles			
94	Shackelford	Ray L			
95	Shackelford	Ray B			
96	Simpers	Delbert			
97	Smallwood	Kenneth			
98	Smith	Thornton		DL	CL
99	Sonnier	Marshall			
100	Speller	Charles			
101	Speller	Chris			
102	Spriggins	Anthony	NL	DL	CL
103	St. Rose	Antonio			
104	Stephney III	Raymond	NL		CL
105	Stevenson	Chris			
106	Stevenson, Sr.	Rodney			
107	Tate	Michael			
108	Taylor	Anthony			
109	Thomas, Jr.	Lonnie	NL		
110	Thornton	Dennis	NL		
111	Thornton	Peter			
112	Turner	Howard	NL		
113	Wade	Clifton			
114	Weston	Felix			
115	Williams	David			
116	Williams	Gregory			
117	Williams, Jr.	Willie			
118	Willis	Lee	NL	DL	CL
119	Woods II	Larry			



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October 6, 2017 Chapter Minutes

**Presiding Officers**

Bro. Antonio Brown, Basileus  
Bro. Scott Harrell, Vice-Basileus  
Bro. Joel McEwen, Keeper of Records & Seal  
Bro. William Parker, Keeper of Finance  
Bro. Xavier Gerald, Chaplain  
Bro. Sam Gilmore, Keeper of Peace  
Bro. Russell Francis, Public Relations Director  
Bro. Frank North, Parliamentarian

**MINUTES** – A scheduled formal meeting of Rho Beta Beta Chapter of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. was held on Friday October 6, 2017 at ONPEC facility. The meeting was called to order at 7:19 p.m. by Bro. Basileus Antonio Brown.

**OPENING CEREMONY** – Lead by Bro. Antonio Brown.

**ROLL CALL** – Roll was called by Bro. Joel McEwen. At roll call a quorum was not established. Later established at 8:06 pm.

**APPROVAL of the AGENDA** – A motion was made to approve the agenda for October's meeting after quorum was established. Motion was carried.

**READING & APPROVAL OF MINUTES** – A motion was made to accept the minutes for August 4, 2017 with one correction after quorum was established. Motion was carried.

**READING of CORRESPONDENCE** – None

**KRS' REPORT** – Bro. Joel McEwen reported that 117 brothers have paid their 2016-2017 dues. Informed brother that you will be able to pay your dues online and that dues will lose the early discount and gain late fees starting December 21, 2017. We are moving away from PayPal to our new credit card system. Bro. McEwen created a Chapter Activity Report form that will be used to track our events. Fraternity cards are available.

**CHAPLAIN'S REPORT** – Bro. Xavier Gerald reminded the brothers of Bro. Bernard Forrester funeral on 10/6/2017. Please be there by 9:30 am. Keep Brother Ironside, Brother CK and the Thornton brothers in your prayers. Bro. T Cole house burned down please keep him and his family in your prayers. If you have or know of anyone with prayer request please contact Bro. Gerald.

**FINANCIAL REPORT** – Bro. William Parker gave a financial report. He answered any questions.

**BASILEUS REPORT** – Bro. Antonio Brown thanked the brothers for stepping up to help the city and brothers after the storm. Special thanks to Bro. Harrell for all his work. Bro. Brown handed out checks from IHQ for brothers who had damages from the storm. He informed brothers that we are now entering the 3<sup>rd</sup> and final year

for housing assessments and chapter life has 9 spots left. He informed the body that the new website will handle all credit card payments. Bro. Brown and Bro. Brooker spoke at the 9<sup>th</sup> District Undergraduate Summit. He is asking to chapter to continue the work we are doing. Monday Night fellowship has been a success. Please come out and bring a brother with you.

**NATIONAL/DISTRICT NOTIFICATIONS:** Bro. Dyrren Davis District Marshal informed the chapter there are 32 different committees for District Meeting. Please look out for communications and ways to sign up to help.

### **COMMITTEE REPORTS** (Bro. Scott Harrell, moderating)

*Scott Harrell* - gave information about the new chapter website coming. He informed the brothers that our site might be down for a little while when the upgrade is taken place. Bro Harrell is look for pictures of any events held this year.

*Boat Ride:* Bro J. Richards gave details on the event being cancelled. We are going to take a financial loss for this event. The committee was able to recoup most of the expenses besides the food catering. Caterer is going to provide service in the future for the fund already paid. Details still have to be worked out. Bro. Richards gave details on the plans moving forward and answered questions.

*Health Committee:* Bro. Dr. Green report gave details on the cancelled Men's Health Symposium. All parties involved agreed it was in the best interest to not have the event. The next event will be the Heart Health Symposium that will be held with the Fort Bend Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta.

*Social Action:* Report gave details on the new Lamplighters Program at Booker T. Washington. Tomorrow we are going to be giving information to parents at the school. On October 28<sup>th</sup> at 10 am we meet to have interviews. The plan is to meet every 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday. The Fatherhood Initiative is October 13. We need volunteers for this date. The Que Cut is scheduled tomorrow from 8:00 to 11:00 am. Bro. Harrell went over the events planned for next year.

### **OLD BUSINESS:**

- Lone Star State Ques meeting will be the 2<sup>nd</sup> weekend February. We are looking for committees chairs right now. The meeting will be held at the Hyatt. The chapter need to work on making this event a success.

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

- Brother Antonio Brown presented the Reclamation coins to brother who have been reclaimed.
- The chapter retreat is scheduled for Oct 20<sup>th</sup>-22<sup>nd</sup> in Galveston, TX. The Sunday will be a family day.
- The following Monday Oct 23<sup>rd</sup> is the chapter anniversary at the Mitchell's (Omega Chapter) house.
- Chapter Elections was held. The only contested position was for Basileus. Antonio Brown 46 votes to Chad Chadwick 11 votes. FY 2017-2018 elected positions are: Basileus – Antonio Brown, Vice Basileus – Scott Harrell, KRS – Joel McEwen, KF – William Parker, Keeper of Peace – Samuel Gilmore, Chaplin – Xavier Gerald, Parliamentarian – Fred Maxie.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

- Ω Melissa Williams from Fit Fab Pajama Party came and spoke to the chapter about an event they are having Oct 14<sup>th</sup>.
- Ω Aubrie Lawton is running for Harris Count Justice of the Peace Pct. 7, Place 2. She spoke and asked the brother for their support.
- Ω Bro. D. Blanton stated he has been traveling since the end of July for funerals. He thanked the brothers for the support.
- Ω Bro. L. Thomas thanked the brother who visited him.

- Ω Bro. V. Hunt stated that the Space City Ques is trying to close out the Golf Tournament. His asking the brothers to honor their commitments.
- Ω Bro. B. Mosley stated he was grateful for the Chapter in helping him in his time of need. He presented a check from Omicron Upsilon for the amount of \$400 to help support those in need.
- Ω Bro. F. North on behalf of TE Project announced for homecoming Tau Epsilon will be honoring the decade years. See him if you can contribute and come out if you can't.
- Ω Bro. U. Onwudiegwu announced that the Tax deadline has been extended. See him if you have questions.

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS** – none.

**Brothers Heart** – for those at the meeting.

**ADJOURNMENT** – A motion was made to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 11:09 p.m.

**CLOSING CEREMONY AND HYMN**

Date: November 3, 2017

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Submitted by Joel McEwen, KRS