

29 September 2016

Write-in for Interim External Philanthropy Chair

To whom it may concern,

My name is Sierra Palmer, and I am highly interested in the interim External Philanthropy Chair position for B-term of 2016. I would like to hold this position due to the fact that I love being involved in and around campus. I hope to be able to plan events with other chapters on campus as well find service opportunities for sisters that would make them excited about being involved in the community.

I have goals that I think would benefit our chapter greatly if we try and implement them with our community service. One of these goals would be to raise more money or awareness by creating competitions with our events, since our sisters tend to get competitive (i.e. Assassins). We could run a can drive around Thanksgiving and put sisters into table sitting teams where they compete to see which team can bring in the most amount of cans during their combined table sitting times. I think this would make the girls excited about getting involved because it has that little bit of competition that would make them determined to bring in as many cans as possible, which will go to a good cause.

I could also work with Missy to see how she planned a food packing event and either try to plan one for this term, or do something along those lines, especially with the holidays coming in B term. Another idea is to find a shelter that could benefit from a hat or jacket drive, especially with the weather getting colder. I would also continue to keep up the amazing job that Missy is already doing in keep sisters knowledgable about what is going on in and around campus to get involved.

Experience that would qualify me for this position are actual positions as well as actions I have made in organizations. I have worked with local food banks at home to organize can drives at the schools I was attending at the time. I also know how to plan events and get the word out. This is through taking a leading role for the Nu class philanthropy event last year as well as being a class representative, where I have to work with Julia to gauge what the sisters in our

class would be excited about and plan accordingly. One last thing that makes me experienced to work with other chapters to plan events would be that I worked mostly by myself with the president of the URI Chapter of AXiD in order to plan our ice skating event in Providence in November.

My only time commitments for D-term are varsity soccer, which only meets about 3-4 weeks next term, and Alpha Xi Delta. I will be able to hold Philanthropy committee every week and be able to meet with council as well. I would really enjoy taking this position because it can help me to realize how much of an impact our chapter can make on our community.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Sierra Palmer

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