

college panhellenics conversations

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To: All Fraternity/Sorority Advisors:

It is hard to believe that recruitment is over for some Panhellenics and many others are about to begin the process. If you are using the RFM procedures, please be aware that the Specialist assigned to your Panhellenic is expecting to be consulted regarding the exact number for Quota and also for any Quota Additions. There are several reasons for this, but the most important reason is that the Specialist is the one who is able to answer any questions that may come up from one of the 26 inter/ national organizations who may inquire about the process. She will be there to help you to analyze the data and will be able to give an historical perspective or examples that worked well on another campus. She is also able to consult with other Specialists when there are difficult situations that arise. Her experience is an important aspect of the RFM procedures.

The Specialist is expecting to be called even if it is a late night call. Not only is she expecting to be consulted, I assure you that each of the 26 member groups is expecting you to consult with the Specialist in determining the Quota and for Quota Additions. Even those Panhellenic Advisors who have gone through the RFM training and are also RFM Specialists use another Specialist to determine the quota and for quota addition questions. This is an expectation that each Panhellenic should meet. IF you have questions, please do not hesitate to contact me or your Area Advisor. Together we can make the best decisions for your Panhellenic's recruitment.

Interfraternally,



NEW HAZING HOTLINE

Twenty groups composed of 10 NPC sororities and 10 NIC fraternities are cosponsoring a HAZING HOTLINE. The line is in effect now and is being housed in Cincinnati at the Manley, Burke law firm. The line will be monitored daily and notification will go out to those organizations that are reported whether they are a sponsor or not. Manley, Burke, the publisher of FRATERNAL LAW will also be able to send the appropriate laws of the state to the organization when they send the report of the call.

Please be certain that you let all fraternity and sorority members, as well as new members, know that they may call anonymously or they may give their name for follow up. All callers must identify the college or university involved or there will be no way to investigate the alleged violation.

The number is 888 NOT HAZE or 888 668-4283.

RECRUITMENT COUNSELOR HANDBOOK FINALLY READY TO SHIP!

Believe it or NOT! The Recruitment Counselor Handbook is off the press and ready to be shipped. Originally, we had hoped to ship the handbook with the August mailing. However we soon realized that the mailing was too large. We decided to send the book separately so that there was less chance that it would be misplaced. While it is too late to be used this fall for Recruitment, we hope that those with delayed or deferred recruitment will be able to make good use of the handbook very soon. You will note that there is a portion of the book where the pages can be removed and copied for each recruitment counselor and that there are pages that may be copied for each PNM. **One free copy of the book will be sent** this month to each dues paying Panhellenic. Additional copies may be ordered from the NPC Office.

Please take time to go through the handbook with the officer in charge of the Recruitment Counselors for your Panhellenic. We appreciate your making certain that the handbook gets into the hands of the correct officer and that she uses the book to train the Recruitment Counselors.

START MAKING PLANS FOR BADGE DAY IN MARCH

Has your Panhellenic begun to make plans for Badge Day? If not, begin to make those plans now. March is chosen as the time for Badge Day since that is Women's History Month. Invite ALL womens' fraternities on your campus to celebrate Badge Day!!

NPC WOMEN GROW, GIVE, LEAD & SUCCEED!



from the NPC college panhellenics committee chairman