



Kappa Theta

Lambda Nu Chapter

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Kappa Theta (KΘ), commonly known as Kapps, is a social fraternity founded at the University of Virginia on March 1st, 1868. Kappa Theta was founded by six undergraduate students: Robertson Howard, Julian Edward Wood, James

Benjamin Sclater Jr., Frederick Southgate Taylor, Littleton Waller Tazewell (Bradford) and William Alexander. Kappa Theta's vision statement is "To set the standard of integrity, intellect, achievement for our members, host institutions, and the communities in which we live." The rituals of Kappa Theta are based on the rituals of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

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The formation of the LambdaNu chapter came shortly after the foundation of University of Lakewood, becoming the first fraternity chapter on campus when a colony was first started in 1944. Kappa Theta has been a long-standing symbol of Greek life on campus, making it one of, if not the, top fraternity on campus.

Members of the Lambda Nu chapter of Kappa Theta are held to a high level of respect on campus due to their social status, prominence within the school, and the brotherhood that is instilled in active members of the fraternity. The members of Kappa Theta are supposedly around the top of the food chain, being some of the most fun yet not the most intelligent students. Due to their *Animal House*-esque attitude, members of this fraternity focus more on parties, the gym, and alcohol than general classroom activities. Brothers of the Lambda Nu chapter of Kappa Theta are often cocky, due to their 'top house' status.

Common places to see brothers of Kappa Theta are the fraternity house, the gym, and at sporting events.

Hierarchy

Chapter President: The Chapter President oversees the day-to-day operations of the fraternity. They are the de-facto leader of the fraternity. All decisions get executed by the Chapter President.

Current President is Adam Lindell (FreshOffThe_Boat)

Chapter Vice President: The Chapter Vice President is the de-facto leader of the fraternity when the Chapter President is not around.

Current Vice President is Dior Monroe (z66ytoven)

Executive Board: The Executive Board consists of active brothers of the fraternity that have been voted in to assume roles within the day-to-day operations of the fraternity. These roles can range from Treasurer to Pledge Educator.

Senior Brother: Senior brothers are experienced members of Kappa Theta. They have spent a couple years in Kappa Theta and are trusted by the Executive board. They assist the Executive board with various tasks, and assist pledges in their entry process.

Active Brother: Active Brothers of Kappa Theta are members of the fraternity that have been through the pledge process and have been initiated. They are the first true role within the fraternity.

Kappa Theta's Dream Girl: The Kappa Theta Dream Girl is one of the many traditions of Kappa Theta. The Dream Girl is a sister of a sorority who brothers believe represents and unconditionally supports the fraternity. The Dream Girl is voted on every year by brothers. While not an active member of the fraternity, she is treated as such by the pledges.

Kappa Theta House Girls: Housegirls are unofficial female members of the fraternity who often hang around the house. They are allowed to roam freely around the house, and are often romantic partners of Executive Board members.

Pledge: Pledges are students who have accepted a bid from Kappa Theta. While not initiated members of the fraternity, they are permitted to hang around the house. They are not allowed to attend chapter meetings and will have tasks they must complete before given full membership into the fraternity

Pledge Guide

As a pledge, you are the general worker bee of the fraternity house. While you are permitted to be in the fraternity house, you are required to follow the instructions of active brothers. If an active brother asks you to complete a task for him, you must

complete it. This can include running errands for the active brother or doing chores around the house such as vacuuming, doing laundry, and sweeping. At parties, you and your pledge class will function as doormen for the house, letting people in and out of the party. You will also act as the muscle for the door, denying those that are not allowed to come into the party. Your pledge class will split up the time at the door accordingly. There **MUST** always be at least two people on door duty at all times. As a pledge, it is **forbidden** to wear the letters of the fraternity or address yourself as an active member of the fraternity. These privileges are exclusive to those that have been initiated into Pi Kappa Alpha. Down the line of your pledgeship, you will be assigned an active brother as your mentor, colloquially called your *big*. Along with being assigned a big, your pledge class will vote on who they deem to be the best leader within the class, allowing them the privilege of pledge class president, also known as *PCP*. The point of pledgeship is to buy-in to the house, and establish your presence within the house. You will work together with your pledge class to build unity within the class.