

# FORGET ME NOT

RICHMOND & CENTRAL VIRGINIA ALPHA PHI ALUMNAE

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Pay your 2018-19 local alumnae dues online with PayPal! Click the link on our website or log in to [www.paypal.com](http://www.paypal.com), select "Send Money", and enter [alumni@richmondalphaphi.com](mailto:alumni@richmondalphaphi.com).

## President's Letter

Fall is definitely my favorite time of year, even though it ends up being the busiest as well. But I always make time to spend with my Alpha Phi sisters and enjoy the camaraderie and laughter we share!

We've got some new superstars on our Executive Board this biennium, and some great events planned for the next year. Hope you can join us for food, friends and fun! See you soon!

Alpha Phi love and mine,  
[Diana M.](#) (*Eta Pi*)

## Lifetime International Dues Installment Plan

Alpha Phi is pleased to offer a monthly installment plan to assist members in achieving lifetime membership status through manageable monthly payments.

Here's how the program works:

- Instead of paying the one-time membership fee of \$450, you may pay in twelve equal installments of \$37.50 plus a surcharge of \$1.13 per installment for a total monthly charge of \$38.63 (totaling \$463.56 over twelve months). Credit card payments only.
- For more information or to sign up, visit

[www.alphaphi.org](http://www.alphaphi.org) and type "lifetime dues installment plan" into the search bar.

## Welcome 2018-2020

### Executive Board

Our new Board was installed in April 2018!

- ☞ President – **Diana M. (Eta Pi – Richmond)**
- ☞ VP Membership – **Krissie G. (Eta Pi – Richmond)**
- ☞ VP Communication and Outreach – **Ann J. (Epsilon Phi – NC State)**
- ☞ Treasurer – **Leanne P. (Gamma Nu – Miami)**
- ☞ VP Ways and Means – **Lynn N. (Delta Alpha – East Carolina)**
- ☞ Panhellenic Representative - **Sue R. (Epsilon Epsilon – Longwood)** and **Tara K. (Theta Phi – Christopher Newport)**

If you are looking for a way to get involved with our local alumnae chapter, please speak to one of our Board members at any upcoming event! We'd love to have your help!



## Why support your local Alpha Phi Alumnae Chapter?

In addition to your yearly dues to Alpha Phi International, your local Alpha Phi Alumnae Chapter depends on your financial support. Your dues allow the chapter to:

- ☞ Support collegiate Alpha Phi chapters in Virginia.
- ☞ Keep in touch with Alpha Phi alumnae (you!) in the area with our newsletter and emails, and plan special events and activities in the Richmond area.
- ☞ Make an annual donation to the Alpha Phi Foundation.
- ☞ Recognize alumnae anniversaries. Any *dues paying member* of our alumnae chapter will receive an Alpha Phi commemorative pin for 10, 25, 50 or 75 years as our gift to you.



***We need you! Be a part of our sisterhood!***

✂ \_\_\_\_\_

Please make check payable to **Alpha Phi Richmond Alumnae Chapter** and contact [Leanne P.](#) for her mailing address. Or pay online at [www.paypal.com](http://www.paypal.com).

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

First

Maiden/Middle (circle one)

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ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

COLLEGIATE CHAPTER \_\_\_\_\_

YR OF INITIATION \_\_\_\_\_

YR OF GRADUATION \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF BIRTH: \_\_\_\_\_

**LOCAL DUES: Please join us at one of the following levels:**

<b>Ivy level</b> - New grads: \$15	\$
<b>Bordeaux level</b> – standard membership: \$25	\$
<b>Silver level</b> – outstanding membership: \$35	\$
<b>OR: define your own level of support</b>	\$

**TOTAL** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please circle one:      I am willing to host an event at my home: **Yes / No**

I am willing to bring food or beverage to an event: **Yes / No**

*All dues paying members will receive a small thank you gift and be recognized on our web site at [www.richmondalphaphi.com](http://www.richmondalphaphi.com). Remember .... Alpha Phi Lasts a Lifetime!*

## Upcoming Events

*Evites will be sent for each event; remember to RSVP!!!*

**October 14, 2:00 pm**

*Founders' Day Tote Bags*

[Leanne P.](#)'s House

Chesterfield

Celebrate our Founders while designing and decorating a Bordeaux tote bag!

This event is open only to Alpha Phi sisters.

**November 15, 6:00 pm**

*Happy Hour/Dinner*

[Triple Crossing Brewery Rocketts Landing](#)

5203 Hatcher St., Richmond

Let's check out one of Richmond's local breweries! Visit the website at <https://triplecrossing.com/> for their pizza menu!

**December 16, 2:00 pm**

*Cookie Party*

[Sue R.](#)'s House

Midlothian

We'll be putting together our cookie tins for our Holiday Fundraiser (see details at right under Alpha Phi News.) Please bring 6-8 dozen cookies to contribute.

**January 13, 2:00 pm**

*Bowling*

[Uptown Alley](#)

6101 Brad McNeer Pkwy., Midlothian

Bring your family and friends and enjoy an afternoon of upscale bowling. Visit the website at

<http://uptownalleyrichmond.com>. Games are \$4.50 pp, shoe rental is \$4.

Don't forget: **National Wear Red Day** is **February 1, 2019**. So wear your favorite red sweater, red shirt, red dress or your red dress pin!



**February 6, 6:00 pm**

*Hibachi Dinner*

[Kabuto Japanese House of Steak](#)

8052 W Broad St., Henrico

Join us for Ladies' Night at our favorite Hibachi place! Bring your family and friends! Visit the website at

[kabutowestend.com](http://kabutowestend.com).

**March TBD**

*Frances Willard Day of Service*

TBD

Check your email for updates!

**April 27, 4:00 pm**

*Volunteer at [Richmond Heart Ball](#)*

Main Street Station

1500 E. Main St., Richmond

This will be our 9<sup>th</sup> year helping to raise money for the American Heart

Association. If you are interested in volunteering with us, please contact

[Diana M.](#)

**May 5, 2:00 pm**

*Annual Exec Business Meeting/*

*Cinco de Mayo Celebration*

[Tara K.](#)'s House

Midlothian

All current exec members required; all other Alpha Phis invited. Our hostess will be serving her special Cinco de Mayo fare! This event is open only to Alpha Phi sisters.

**July 20, 11:00 am**

*Tour and Tasting (and Lunch!)*

[New Kent Winery](#)

8400 Old Church Rd, New Kent

Join us for a tour and tasting at a local winery! We'll find a nearby hot spot for lunch after the tour. Visit the website at

<https://newkentwinery.com> for more information. Wear comfy shoes!

☞ *Remember, family, friends, co-workers, etc. are always welcome at our events unless designated as sisters only! What a great way to introduce others to Alpha Phi!!!*

## Alpha Phi News

☞ Congratulations to the following sisters who celebrated milestone anniversaries and received commemorative pins: **Meghan B. (Alpha Lambda- 10); Kelly S. (Alpha Lambda – 10); Diana M. (Eta Pi – 25); Krissie G. (Eta Pi – 25) and Leanne P. (Gamma Nu – 25).**

☞ In September, we used our wands and our brains to escape the School of Wizardry at Nick of Time at the Ironbridge Sports Park! With several hints, we emerged with only moments to spare! Look for another escape room event to pop up soon!

☞ Our Holiday Fundraiser will again be our homemade cookie tin sales!

~ In the month of November, we will take orders for tins of homemade cookies, priced at \$10. Each tin will contain approximately 2 dozen small cookies.

~ Ask your family and friends to buy tins! These make great gifts.

~ Our December event will be a "cookie party!" We'll put the cookies in fancy tins and wrap them up as gifts. We will include a small note in each tin to thank the purchaser for supporting the Alpha Phi Foundation and women's heart health.

~ Order forms can be downloaded from our website: [www.richmondalphaphi.com](http://www.richmondalphaphi.com).

~ Contact [Lynn N.](#) for more information or if you would like to volunteer to bake cookies.

☞ Are you on Facebook? Look for our group page **(Richmond/Central VA Alpha Phi Alumnae)** to find additional information on upcoming events. <http://www.facebook.com/groups/247786605232320/>

### E-mail Updates

We have reduced our carbon footprint and have gone digital! If you know of a local alum who is not receiving our newsletter in her e-mail, but who wishes to, please contact us at [richmondalphaphi@gmail.com](mailto:richmondalphaphi@gmail.com). And as

always, if you wish to be removed from our list, please let us know!

### Dinner Club

(formerly Craft N Chat)  
1st Wednesday, held monthly, 6pm  
All are welcome for a mid-week dinner out! Contact: [Diana M.](#) to get on the email reminder list for this event and to stay updated on location as we try different spots around the city.

- Oct. 3**
- Nov. 7**
- Dec. 5**
- Feb. 6**
- Mar. 6**
- Apr. 3**
- May 1**

- Jun. 5**
- Jul. 10\* (this is a change)**
- Aug. 7**

**Check out the newly revamped website for Alpha Phi International Fraternity at [www.alphaphi.org](http://www.alphaphi.org)!!!**

