



Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.

94th Annual Eastern Regional Convention

April 15-19, 2026 | Atlantic City, New Jersey

Theme: "FRATERNITY FORWARD: The Era of Value, Impact, and Progress"

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 2026

12:00 PM – 3:00 PM	Community Service Event
4:00 PM- 5:30 PM	Registration & Delegate Certification
6:30 PM – 9:00 PM	Eastern Region Executive Board Dinner/Staff Reception, <i>Location TBD</i>

THURSDAY, APRIL 16, 2026

8:00 AM – 5:00 PM	Registration & Delegate Certification,
8:00 AM – 5:00 PM	Solutions Center
8:00 AM – 5:00 PM	Convention Office,
8:00 AM – 5:00 PM	General Headquarters Office
8:00 AM – 5:00 PM	Leadership Development Institute
9:00 AM – 11:30 AM	Open Plenary Session (<i>NJPAAC DD, Bro. Alexander McLucas</i>) <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Call to Order● Invocation● Roll Call and Delegate Check-in● Welcome from Host Chapters● Report of Rules & Credentials● Adoption of Agenda● Adoption of the Minutes of the 93rd Eastern Regional Convention (20 min)● District Director Reports
12:00 PM – 9:00 PM	Vendors Expo – Merchandise/Partners
12:30 PM – 1:45 PM	Lunch on your own
2:00 PM – 3:00 PM	General Business Meeting I, (<i>ONECA DD, Bro. Jason Asirifi</i>) <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Special Report of the Membership Committee● Special Report of the Fraternal Standards● Initial Report of the Budget & Finance Committee & Fiscal Officers
3:15 PM – 4:15 PM	General Business Meeting II, (<i>IAAC DD, Bro. Dr. Steven Carter</i>) <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Elections● Elections Committee & Nominations ERAVP (20 min)



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- 4:30 PM – 5:30 PM District Caucuses
- District I - IAAC
 - District II - ONECA
 - District III - NYACOA
 - District IV - NJAAPAC
 - District V - PAAC
 - District VI - MAAC
 - District VII - VACAPAF

- 4:30 PM – 12:00 AM Miss Black & Gold Preliminary
10:00 PM – 2:00 AM Convention Hospitality
10:00 PM – 12:00 AM Local Host Committee Social Event

FRIDAY, APRIL 17, 2026

- 7:00 AM – 5:00 PM Senior Brother Lounge,
8:00 AM – 5:00 PM Registration & Delegate Certification
8:00 AM – 5:00 PM Solutions Center,
8:00 AM – 5:00 PM Convention Office,
8:00 AM – 5:00 PM General Headquarters Office,
8:00 AM – 8:00 PM Vendors Expo – Merchandise/Partners,
8:30 AM – 9:30 PM Collegiate Scholars Bowl Preliminaries

- 9:30 AM – 11:00 AM General Business Meeting III, *(MAAC DD, Bro. Mtokufa Ngwenya)*
- IMPACT Day Kick General Forum

- 11:00 AM – 12:30PM IMPACT Workshops (AM Sessions)
- *Understanding Military Benefits & Compensation 101 (Military)*
 - *AI Literacy & Justice: The New Jim Code (All)*
 - *College Chapters and Marketing/Branding 101 (College Brothers)*
 - *Civic Engagement: Act Today & Prepare for Tomorrow (College Brothers)*
 - *Secure the House: Finding and Planning for a Fraternal Facility (All)*
 - *Financial Planning For The Future: Know Your Worth (Chase Manhattan, All)*



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12:30 PM – 2:30 PM	The O. Wilson Winters Life Members Luncheon
12:30 PM – 2:30 PM	Lunch on your own (For those not attending the Life Members Luncheon)
2:30 PM – 4:00 PM	IMPACT Workshops (PM Sessions) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Understanding Military Benefits & Compensation 102 (Military)• A Healthy Alpha is a Productive Alpha (All)• Bridging the Gap: Creating Better Bonds Between College Chapters and Universities (College Brothers, Advisors, Alumni Brothers)• Next Levels - Planning and Paying for Graduate School (All - Panel)• Building Your Future, Finding Your Home (All)
4:00 PM – 5:00 PM	College Brother's Caucus
6:00 PM – 8:30 PM	Public Program: State of the Black Agenda <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Panel Discussion led by Brother Ras Baraka (Mayor of Newark, New Jersey) with guest speaker/moderator, Brother Marc Morial (CEO of National Urban League)
8:30 PM – 10:30 PM	Vice President's Reception
9:00 PM – 12:00 AM	Convention Hospitality
10:30 PM – 2:00 AM	LOCAL HOST AFTER PARTY

SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 2026

7:00 AM – 5:00 PM	Senior Brother Lounge
8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Registration & Delegate Certification
8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Solutions Center
8:00 AM – 4:00 PM	Convention Office
8:00 AM – 4:00 PM	General Headquarters Office
8:00 AM – 7:00 PM	Vendors Expo – Merchandise/Partners
8:00 AM – 12:00 AM	Miss Black & Gold Preliminary



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- 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM College Neophyte Workshop
- 8:00 AM – 10:00 AM Military Affairs Breakfast
- 10:30 AM – 11:30 AM General Business Meeting IV, (PAAC DD, Bro. Leonard Wakefield)
- Report of Rules & Credentials
 - Final Report of Budget & Finance Committee
 - Special Recognition of our 25 and 50-Year Brothers
 - Omega Recognition
 - Time & Place
- 11:45 PM – 1:00 PM General Business Meeting V, (VACAPAF DD, Bro. Kevin Glover)
- Introduction of the General President - led by Brother Eastern Regional Assistant Vice President, Brother Jeremy Henderson
 - General President's Address
- 1:00 PM – 2:30 PM Njisane Omawale College Brothers Luncheon & Belford V. Lawson Oratorical Competition
- 3:00 PM – 4:15 PM General Business Meeting VI, (NYACOA DD, Bro. L. Scott-Blackmon)
- Final Report of Rules & Credentials
 - Election Results for ERAVP
 - Report of the General Counsel
 - Report of the General Comptroller
 - Report of the General Treasurer
 - Report of Executive Director
- 4:30 PM – 5:45 PM General Business Meeting VII, (NJPAAC DD, Bro. Alexander McLucas)
- Introduction of the Eastern Regional Assistant Vice President
 - Report of the Eastern Regional Assistant Vice President
 - Introduction of the Eastern Regional Vice President
 - Report of the Eastern Regional Vice President



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- 7:00 PM – 10:00 PM AlphaEast College Talent Showcase
- Miss Old Gold & Black Pageant
 - Step Show
- 10:00 PM – 12:00 AM Convention Hospitality
- 10:00 PM – 2:00 AM Local Host Committee COLLEGE BROTHERS Social Event

SUNDAY, APRIL 19, 2026

- 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM Ecumenical Service
- 10:30 AM – 1:00 PM Old Gold & Black Awards Brunch
- 1:30 PM – 2:30 PM Convention Wrap Up Meeting (Virtual During the Week Following)

Convention Schedule is Subject to Change