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## Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. <u>Epsilon Mu Mu Chapter</u>



## A Thanksgiving Thank You

As we head into the Thanksgiving holiday, we (the E-Council) want to express our gratitude to every member of the Chapter for the work you put toward uplifting Omega, Epsilon Mu Mu, the City of Tampa, and Hillsborough County!.

Over the last year, we have achieved so much together. We have succeeded in meeting the standard for all of the mandated programs, lived unselfishly according to our cardinal principles of Manhood, Scholarship, Perseverance, and Uplift. We have identified those who have led the pack in our efforts, and we will celebrate them and all of our service during our Achievement Week awards on December 2nd. We hope to see all of you there.

Our committee chairs and members have done an excellent job in coordinating our many events, all of which were successful. In this new Omega year, we will continue to serve through innovation and new events, highlighted by our Golf Tournament, STEM (STEAM) efforts, our Annual White Party, and of course attending the local, state, district, and international meetings. This is a Conclave year, and it is in our city! Let's get excited and renew our passion for our beloved fraternity and work on the local and national committees to ensure this is one of the best ever.

The chapter, led by the Reclamation committee took steps to improve our communication, which helped grow the chapter. This effort made us a large chapter (70+ brothers) for the first time in the chapters 15-year history. Recently, we've had brothers from across the city come back to the chapter, join due to moving to the city, or changed local chapters. This is a testament to your friendship, sharing Omega's values, and EMM's vision and worth! Let's continue to bring the brothers back or into the fold as we communicate with one another in Friendship.

Every day we are grateful for this team's continuous commitment to fulfilling the founder's vision to hold Omega high and know that it is all predicated-on FRIENDSHIP. As many of us prepare to spend some much-deserved time with our families, we also want to take a moment to thank the powers that be and be grateful, as some of our brothers and friends have suffered the loss of loved ones. We send our sincere condolences to you and your families!

Again, we Thank you for your FRIENDSHIP, commitment to Omega, and Epsilon Mu Mu!

Thank you for everything you do! Happy Thanksgiving!

In Friendship, Brother Roderick R. Cunningham 9<sup>th</sup> Basileus, Epsilon Mu Mu 404-969-7297

