

Virginia Association of Chapters of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.  
82nd VACAPAF Convention  
*Ladies Program*  
Schedule of Events

**Thursday, January 30, 2025**

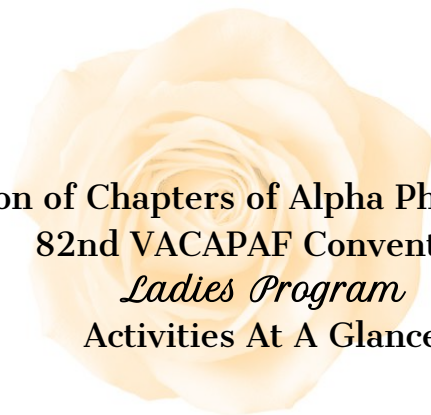
Convention Registration	Time: 3pm-7pm	Location: Omni Mezzanine
President's Reception	Time: 5pm-6:30pm	Location: Omni Magnolia & Wine Bar
Public Program	Time: 7pm-9pm	Location: Omni James River C&D

**Friday, January 31, 2025**

Convention Registration	Time: 8a – 9a	Location: Omni Mezzanine
Breakfast	Time: 8a – 9a	Location: Omni Roanoke Room
Board Transportation	Time: 9:30a	Location: Outside Omni
Black History Museum	Time: 10a – 12p	Location: Richmond
Board Transportation	Time: 12p - 12:15	Location: Outside Southern Kitchen
Lunch	Time: 12:15p-1:15p	Location: Southern Kitchen
C&G Luxury Candles	Time: 2p – 4p	Location: Stony Point Fashion Park
Verseau Bistro	Time: 4p–5p	Location: Stony Point Fashion Park
Board Transportation	Time: 5p	Location: Stony Point Fashion Park Lot
Pageant / Step Show	Time: 7:30p–10p	Location: Omni James River C&D

## **Saturday, February 1, 2025**

Convention Registration	Time: 8a – 9a	Location: Omni Mezzanine
Breakfast	Time: 8a – 9a	Location: Omni Roanoke Room
Board Transportation	Time: 9:30a	Location: Outside Omni
Ezibu Muntu Drum Class	Time: 10:30a – 11:30a	Location: Richmond
Board Transportation	Time: 11:30am	Location: Outside Ezibu Muntu
Lunch	Time: 12p-1:15p	Location: Lillie Pearl
Board Transportation	Time: 1:30p	Location: Outside Lillie Pearl
Ashton Creek Vineyard	Time: 2:30p – 4:30p	Location: Chester
Board Transportation	Time: 4:45pm	Location: Outside Ashton Creek Vineyard
Black & Old Gold Cocktail Hour	Time: 6:30p – 7:30p	Location: Omni James River Prefunction
Black & Old Gold Awards Gala	Time: 7:30p – 10p	Location: Omni James River Ballroom



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Activities At A Glance

*Black History Museum and Cultural Center of Virginia*

The Black History Museum & Cultural Center of Virginia – featuring interactive, educational permanent and traveling exhibitions – preserves and honors Virginia’s African American history and culture. The museum’s dedication to the collection, documentation, and study of the history and culture of African Americans highlights stories that are often untold and forgotten, and actively contributes to the ongoing narrative through scholarship and curation.

*Southern Kitchen*

Southern Kitchen restaurant, a locally owned and operated restaurant in Richmond, Virginia, has since 2014 turned the love and passion of southern-style cuisine into a boasting family-owned and operated establishment for all to enjoy. Southern Kitchen, owned and operated by Shane Roberts-Thomas, has created an authentic culinary experience for families and visitors.

### *C&G Luxury Candles*

Enjoy a creative and luxurious scent experience at C&G Luxury Candles, where you'll learn about candle-marking and leave with a custom candle to enjoy. C&G's expert instructors are passionate about soy wax candle making procedures, and this class is designed to cater to participants of all skill levels.

### *Verseau Bistro*

Verseau Bistro, a European-style cafe, provides the RVA area with delicious sweet and savory cheesecakes; premium charcuterie using quality meats, exquisite locally sourced cheeses and breads (including Gluten-Free!), homemade whipped feta, spiced nut blends, tasty jams and pickled veggies as well as beer, wine, coffee, water kefir and other non-alcoholic beverages.

### *Ezibu Muntu*

Ezibu Muntu, (Ēzi-Bu Mūn-tū) in the Yoruba language means "Universal family." Ezibu serves as an educational and cultural sacred space for children and community members offering musical performances, theater and education to connect to African Culture through African Dance, drum & cultural traditions. Join us for a traditional West African Drumming Class. With every beat of the drum, we honor our ancestors.

### *Lillie Pearl*

Lillie Pearl is a place for celebration of food, spirits, friends and family. The food starts with homage to Owner/Chef Michael Lindsey's grandmothers Lillie Pearl and Hattie. Chef Mike takes West African heirloom ingredients and his North Carolina roots of Southern African American Cuisine through his culinary journey of global influences. Mixing traditional recipes with modern execution creates an inventive take on New American cuisine.

### *Ashton Creek Vineyard*

Ashton Creek Vineyard is a locally-owned & family-operated Vineyard, Tasting Room & Event Center located just 20 minutes South of Richmond, Virginia Our Tasting Room offers something for everyone with an extensive wine list, seasonal beers on tap, and farm-to-table fare to enjoy over 9 acres of vineyard views in our corner of Virginia Wine Country.

