



Alpha Epsilon Lambda

Green Terror Newsletter

Exclusive April Issue



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Cards For a Cure:

Even if we're stuck at home, service is still possible. Our service VP, Danielle, decided that making cards for hospitalized kids is a great way to keep on serving our community while staying safe.



The New Brothers:

- Jack Bayne
- Renee Dupre
- Hailey Grzemkowski
- Lavi Hotea
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McDaniel APO Chapter Just Got Bigger:

On April 19th, the active chapter of APO inducted a total of 12 students into the group. Despite the weirdness of doing the whole ceremony through zoom it was a great moment. That being said this newsletter is exclusively for introducing these new Brothers and who they are.

Jack Bayne

From: Lutherville, MD

Major/Minor: Environmental
Science Major/ History Minor

Graduating Class: Class of 2022

Hobbies: I like to Hike, play
baseball, and travel

Why APO: “I joined APO to be apart
of an active and respected
organization on campus.”



Renee Dupre

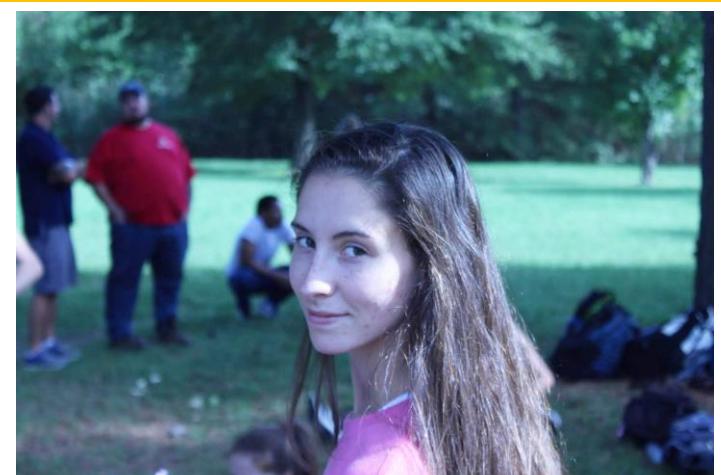
Hometown: Hagerstown, Maryland

Major(s): Chemistry and Kinesiology

Graduating Class: Class of 2023

Hobbies: Running, baking, painting

Why I joined APO: “I love getting involved and serving others. I want to look back on my college years and know that I made a difference for my school, the organization, and the community.”



Hailey Grzemkowski

From: St. Mary's County, MD

Major/minor: Biology Major with a environmental specialization

Graduating Class: Class of 2023

Hobbies: Paddleboarding, 4H, and lately drawing.

Why APO: "I joined APO to build lasting friendships and community connections, all while growing as a professional and a leader."



Lavi Hotea

Major: Biology major and chemistry minor

From: Westminster, Md.

Graduate: in 2023.

Hobbies: are studying, gardening, arts and crafts.

Why APO: “I joined APO because I am always looking for ways to help others. I believe in the same values and principles my brothers believe in, and I just felt like in a family every time I met for events. “



Ricki Lebowitz

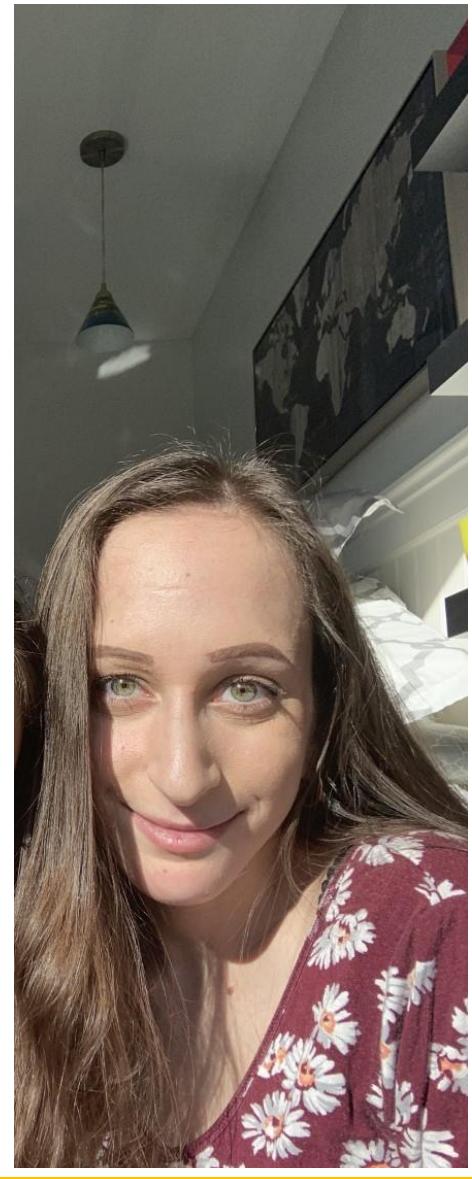
From: Princeton, New Jersey

Major/minor: Sociology and criminal justice major with a minor in psychology.

Hobbies: Singing, watching netflix, and hanging out with my friends.

Graduate Class: Class of 2023

Why APO: "I joined APO because I wanted to get involved with an organization on campus but I didn't feel like I'd fit in with any of the sororities. I have had positive past experiences with community service and I wanted to continue that in my college career."



Audrey McCohomas

From: Salt Rock, WV

Major/minor:
Kinesiology Major and
ASL Minor

Graduating Class: Class
2022

Hobbies: Crochet, Watch
TV Series, Hang out with
Family, Play with dogs

Why: “I joined to help
hold my self accountable
for doing more
community service
projects, to be involved
in a Greek organization,
and to help fill my free
time.”



McKenzie Noble

Hometown: Tracy's Landing, MD

Major: Art

Minors: K-12 Education and Art History

Graduation Class: 2022

Hobbies: Photography and hiking

Why I joined APO: “I joined APO because I love serving others. I wanted to get involved at McDaniel and in the community and help out. I also love the idea of brotherhood and being a part of something that has members all over the 9+501.”



Melissa Onate

From: Quito, Ecuador

Majors: Business Administration and Psychology

Graduation Class: Class of 2021

Hobbies: Photography and editing

Why APO: “I joined APO because I wanted to meet new people, be able to give back to my community and connect with different local organizations.”



Jessica Thomas

Hometown: Mount Airy, MD

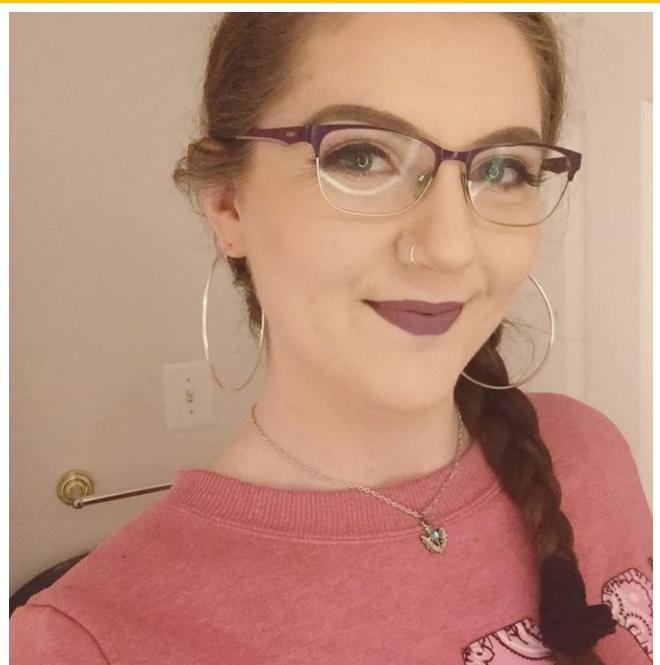
Major: Business Administration

Minor: Communication

Graduating Class: Class of 2021

Hobbies: Dancing, reading, video games

Why APO: “I wanted to expand my service opportunities and find a new support system on campus.”



Steffi Webster

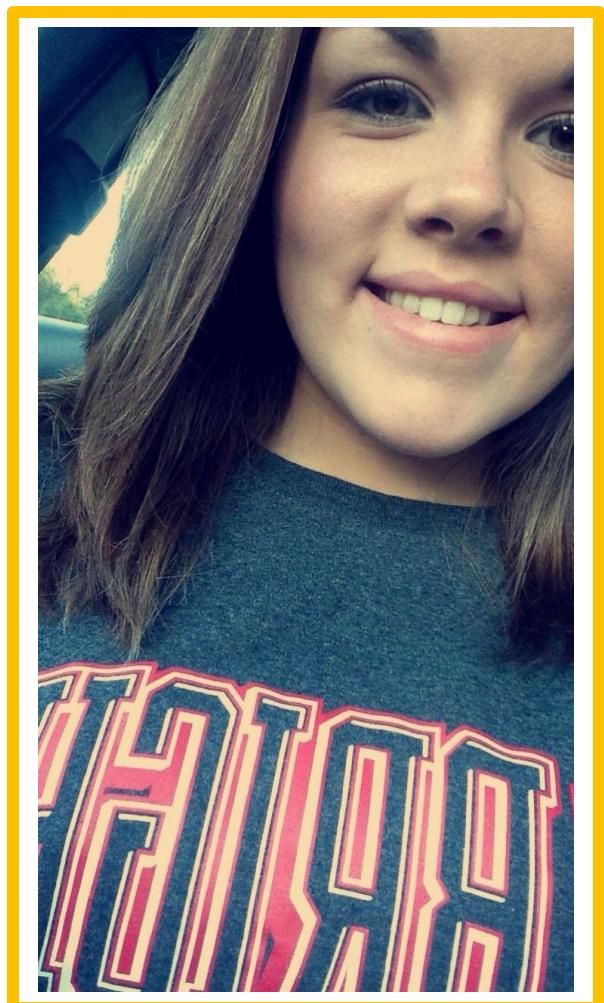
From: Cambridge Md.

**Graduating Class:
Class of 2022**

**Major/minor: biology
major with a pre-
dental track and a
chemistry minor**

**Hobbies: I like to
swim, fish and
sketch/ draw. I am
currently a dental
assistant.**

**Why APO: “I joined
APO because I wanted
to connect more with
the brothers at
McDaniel and
because I love
volunteering and
serving the
community.”**



Brooke Wier

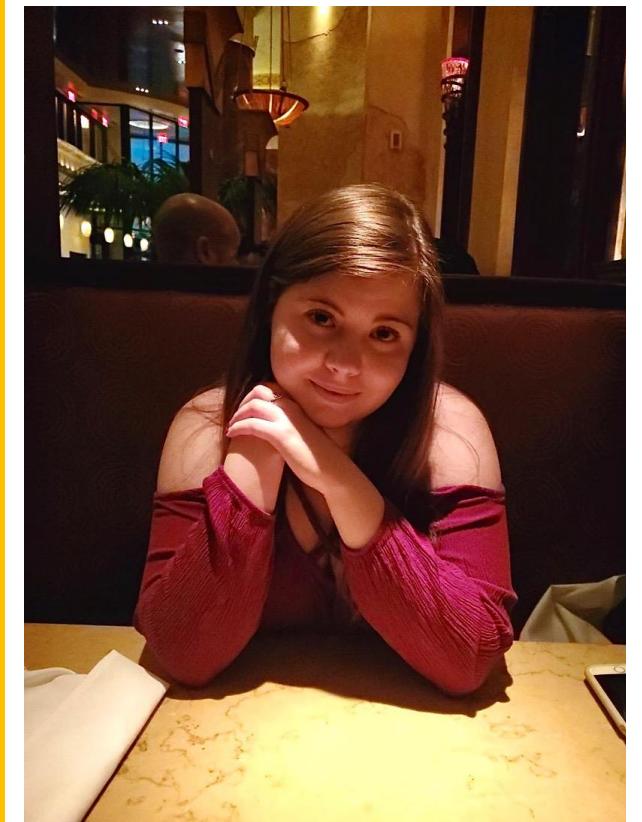
From: Dallas, Georgia

Major/minor: I plan to major in Spanish with a minor in Education

Graduation: Expected to graduate in 2023

Hobbies: Being with friends, and meeting new people I guess (I never know what to say when people ask me that).

Why APO: “I joined APO because I was being interviewed for an on campus job. I mentioned how I liked helping others, community service, and how I was considering going Greek. During the interview it was recommended to me to join APO; and I couldn’t be happier.”



Andy Witten

**From: Holland
Pennsylvania**

**Major/Minor: Business
Administration Major
and Sports Management
Minor**

**Graduating Class: Class
of 2020**

**Hobbies: I enjoy playing
sports (I'm on the
football team, Playing
golf, Hiking and enjoying
the outdoors, and
teaching/ learning from
others**

**Why APO: “I joined APO
because I am an Eagle
Scout and have been
looking for a good
opportunity that provides
community service and a
strong sense of a family
community.”**



Closing Remarks:

I would like to start by saying I had fun holding this position. Creating the newsletter was always fun, and it was wonderful getting to know the alumni of our chapter. After elections that took place on April 26th, my position, Sergeant at Arms and Secretary has had some leadership change. Next semester, I will not be the Alumni Relations Chair; that job will be held by Erika Lucas. As for the other positions, Sergeant at Arms will be Gabi Cohen and Secretary will be Anna Huhn. All of these brothers are excellent, and I believe they perfect for APO leadership.

Furthermore, as this newsletter showcased, the new brothers look bright-eyed and bushy eared to enact our cardinal principals. Sadly they didn't get to have the full pledge experience, but they look forward to getting back to campus to see how our APO chapter runs in a normal situation. I am excited to see what new things they will bring to the group and how they will influence our dear organization.

Finals are here, which means due dates and loads of studying. The group has been silent since the beginning of May, but we are still connected. I hope that everyone stays safe and healthy, and has an enjoyable summer considering the circumstances that we find ourselves in.

Thank you, everyone, for the enjoyable experience this semester.

In Leadership, Friendship, and Service.

Jaden Jefferson

