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2008-2009 Report

<<NHAA, Inc. Alumni Council Meeting>>

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Accomplishments: Identify the activities that have been successful over the first six months of this fiscal year. Specify the results that were achieved and provide any additional pertinent comments about the activity.

Activity	Outcome	Comments
Canned Food Drive	Collected and donated large boxes of canned foods	This is something that we would like to do more often because of the bad economy.
Chapter Worship Service	Wonderful turnout.	Great opportunity to come together as a chapter.
Scholarships	\$7500 given in scholarships this year. Chapter also donated over \$5000 to the TJ Foundation	
Chapter Christmas Party	Nearly 50 chapter members attended with their families and friends	Membership applications given out at this event. Good opportunity to recruit new members. State of the chapter provided to those in attendance.
Mystics Fundraiser	Chapter members raised money by attending a Mystics game	Turnout was a little low for our chapter. We hope to communicate the event better in the future.
Chapter meetings	Chapter meets monthly	

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Issues and Opportunities: Identify issues that your Region or Chapter has faced during the first six months of this fiscal year. Also identify any opportunities that you have or plan to take advantage of this year.

Issues	Opportunities
Chapter Meetings- finding a regular meeting place was difficult. We have resolved this issue by changing the date of the meeting.	At the beginning of the year, we sent out 300 membership letters and donation forms to alumni in the Northern Virginia area.
Getting members to reactivate or join the chapter. We have approximately 50 members but there are at least 800 alumni in the Northern Virginia area.	At each of our events (chapter worship service & Christmas party), we obtain email addresses and contact information for people who are not members so that we can communicate with them.

Upcoming Activities: Identify activities that will be implemented by June 30, 2009.

Activity	Date	Expected Outcome
30 th Anniversary Dinner Dance	March 21, 2009	Raise \$15,000 for scholarships
Chapter Picnic for alumni, students, and incoming students.	June 2009	Have a great time!
Wizards Fundraiser	January 2009	Raise money for scholarships

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