Sorority and Fraternity formals honor new members and graduating seniors

Formals were also a time to reminisce and make new memories. Most people had the option of bringing a date, and some, such as the Phi Mu seniors, who could bring up to three dates, had special privileges in this area.

In addition, most members had some sort of family get together beforehand to mark the growth of their family as well as to honor the matriarch(s) or patriarch(s). Bianchi noted her family activities that night. “My family went out to eat at Kyoto before, which was fun,” Bianchi said. “But then our bus was late picking us up because it got into an accident on the way to the SC to get us! Besides that, everyone just got together, danced, and enjoyed our last formal as seniors,” Bianchi said.

So, a night of formal wear and dancing helped give graduating members a proper send off and a night they would never forget.

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Members of Phi Mu and their dates gather to present the new members, known as Phis, as well as the seniors. Phi Mu held their formal at the Williamsburg Lodge and enjoyed its many amenities.