Prince William County Virginia | Pi Lambda Lambda | Third District – On June 15th, 2024, the Omega U Program participated in the Dumfries Slave Cemetery Clean up.

This cemetery was established in the 19th century for the local African American community. In 2009, archaeology was conducted to delineated the cemetery, locating fieldstones (potential burial markers) and grave shafts indicating burials. Prince William County Public Schools gave the Prince William County NAACP entry rights to the cemetery for purpose of restoring, landscaping, and maintaining the cemetery.

In June 2018, members of the community established the non-profit organization "Friends of the Dumfries Slave Cemetery".



Omega U and members of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity Inc participated in the cemetery clean up with other organizations in the community.



"It is easier to build strong children than to repair broken men"

~Frederick Douglas~

The cemetery includes graves of original pioneers of Dumfries from 1667. It also contains unmarked graves from the Civil War. It's up to the community to keep the history alive for future generations to learn about our past.

Omega U will continue to provide mentorship to the students in Prince William County, teaching them to strive for more than the boundaries that are set around them.







