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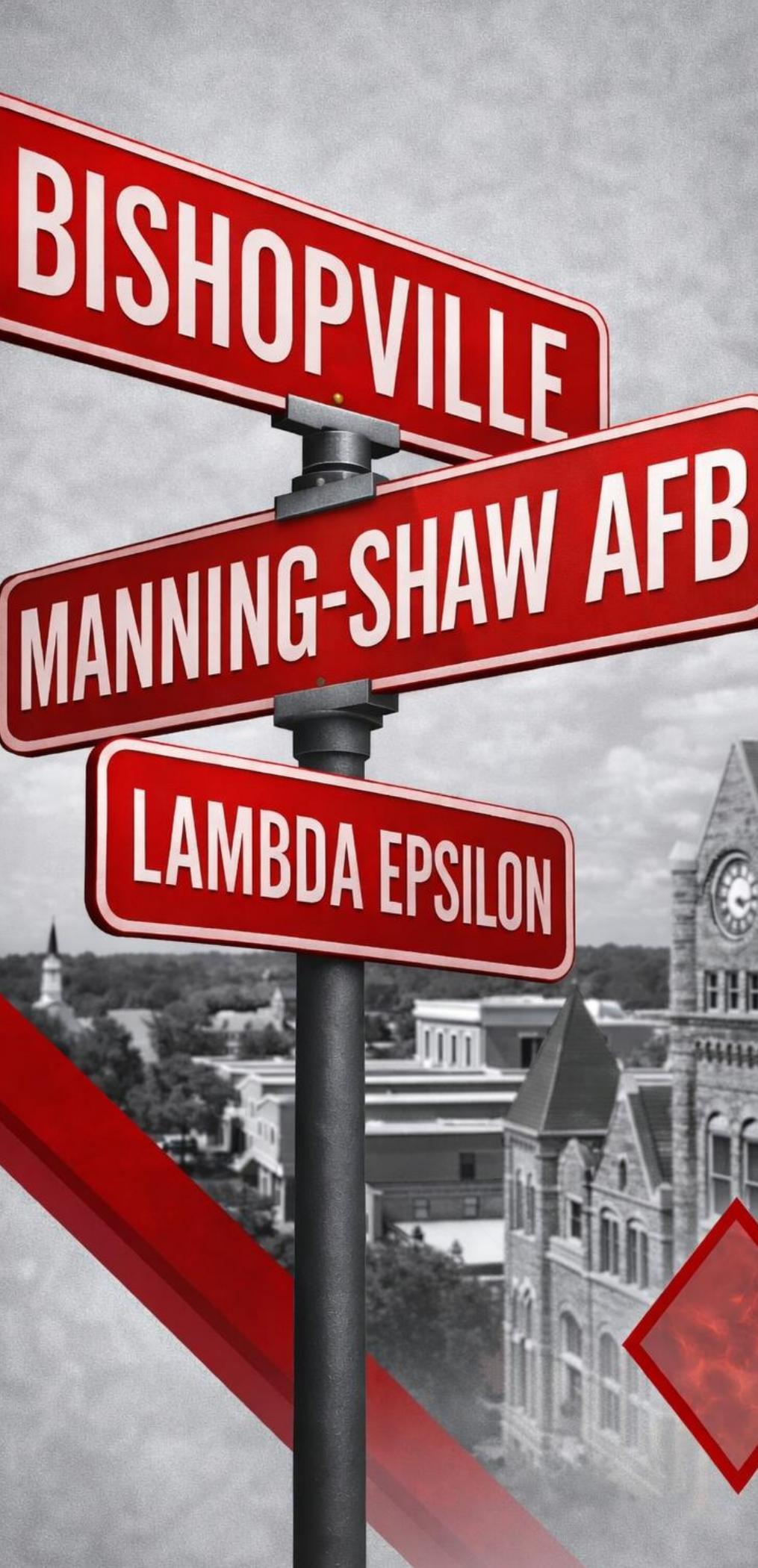
ALUMNI CHAPTER

KAPPA ALPHA PSI FRATERNITY, INC.

MID-YEAR CHAPTER RETREAT

MORRIS COLLEGE

JANUARY 10, 2026 | 10AM



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January 10, 2026

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Morris College- Forensics Center

Our Mid-Year Retreat served as our
Chapter Meeting for the month of
January

DECEMBER MINUTES INCLUDED

**DECEMBER EXCHEQUER REPORT
INCLUDED**

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Bishopville-Manning-Shaw AFB (SC) Alumni Chapter
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Retreat Purpose

Increase Alumni Engagement and Development

This retreat is designed to:

- *Reflect on the first four months of the fraternal year (September–December)*
- *Strengthen the understanding of the business and operations of the BMS Chapter*
- *Align brothers with the mission, initiatives, and expectations of Kappa Alpha Psi*
- *Strategically plan for the next six months, including 2026 officer elections*
- *Build sustainable leadership, accountability, and engagement.*



MID-YEAR PLANNING RETREAT

“Rebirth, Reclaim, Recommit, by Leaving No Brother Behind.”

January 10, 2026

Morris College- Forensics Center

- **Breakfast & Fellowship**
Opening remarks (Polemarch/ Vice Polemarch)
- **Session I Location: Forensics Center**
 - Fraternity Structure & Governance
 - Understanding How Kappa Alpha Psi Operates

- **Session II Location: Forensics Center**
The Business of BMS: Chapter Operations

Lunch Break

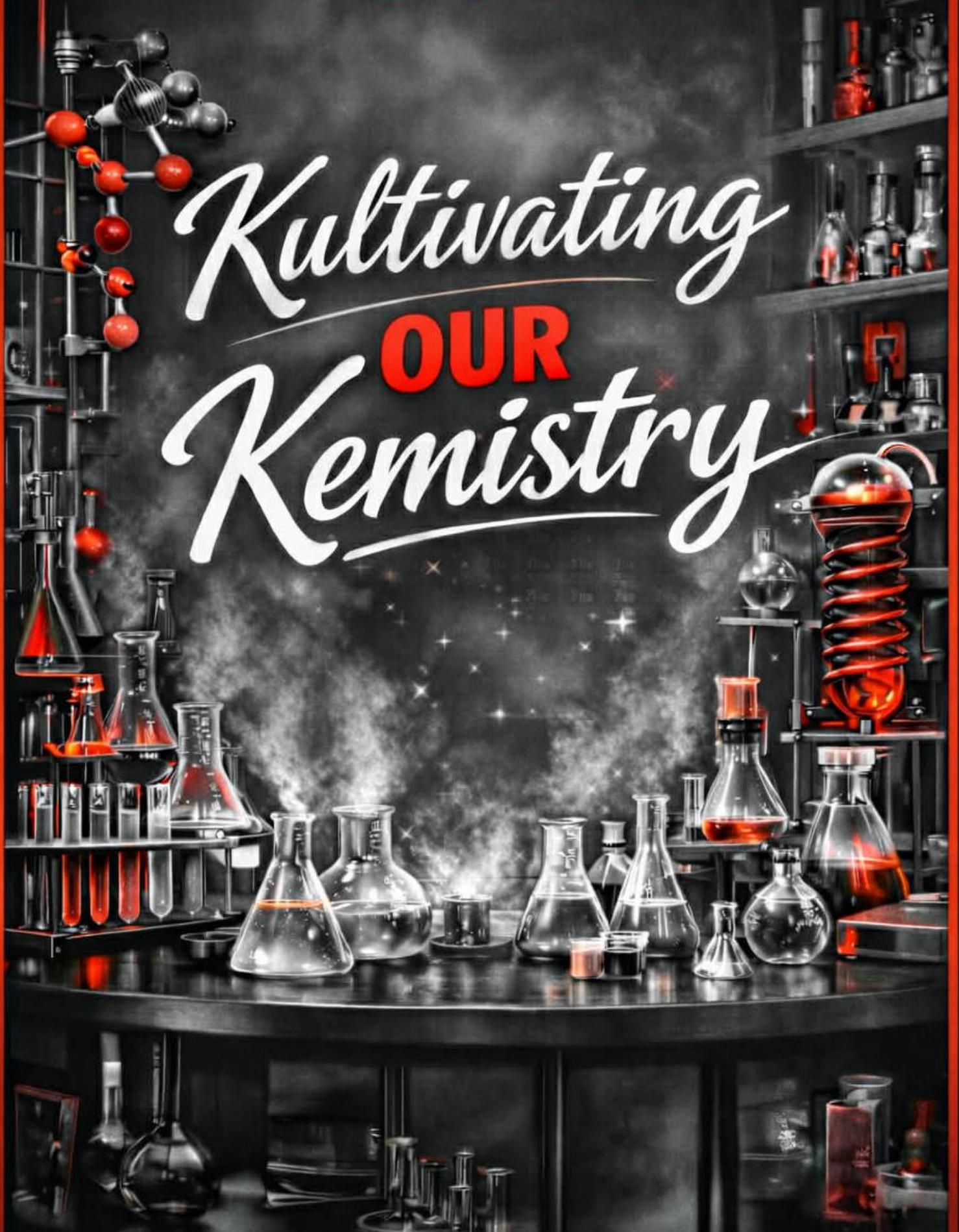
- **Session III Location: Forensics Center**
 - SWOT Analysis & Chapter Reflection
 - Looking Back to Move Forward
 - Chapter-wide SWOT Analysis
- **Session IV Location: Forensics Center**
 - Parliamentary Procedure, Elections & Planning Ahead

Closing Session



BMS Retreat Ice Breaker

Kultivating
OUR
Chemistry





Everyday compounds—water, salt, steel—exist because different elements come together in harmony. Likewise, goodness in society often emerges when people with diverse strengths unite with intention and care. Alone, we may be limited; together, we become essential.

A Metaphor for Human Collaboration

In the periodic table, many elements on their own are unstable, dangerous, or incomplete. However, when the right elements come together, they form compounds that are safe, useful, and essential to everyday life. This scientific principle mirrors what happens when people collaborate with shared purpose and goodwill.

Just as elements must bond in the right proportions, people must collaborate with:

- Balance (valuing differences)
- Purpose (working toward good)
- Connection (mutual respect)

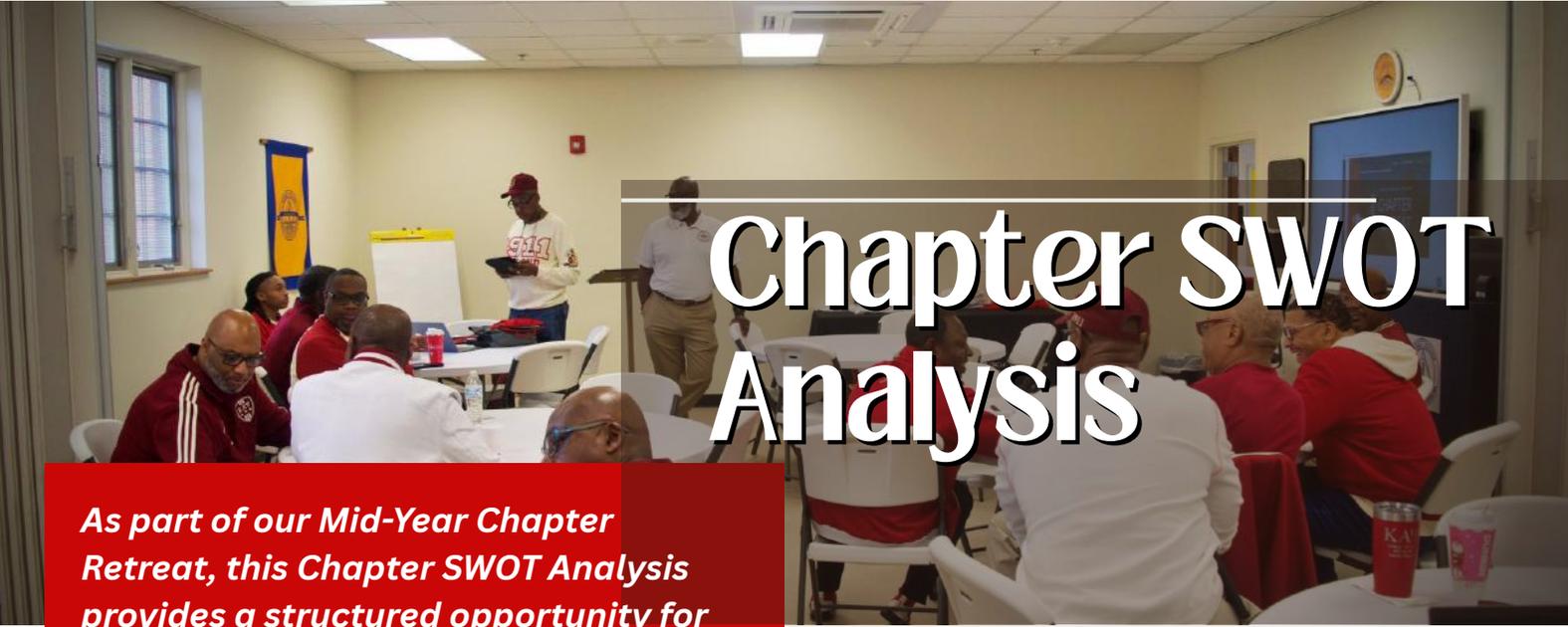
When this happens, the result exceeds the sum of its parts.

CHAPTER

SWOT ANALYSIS

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Chapter SWOT Analysis

As part of our Mid-Year Chapter Retreat, this Chapter SWOT Analysis provides a structured opportunity for intentional reflection, candid dialogue, and strategic planning.

By examining our Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities, and Threats, we collectively assess our current position and how we can move forward with clarity and purpose.

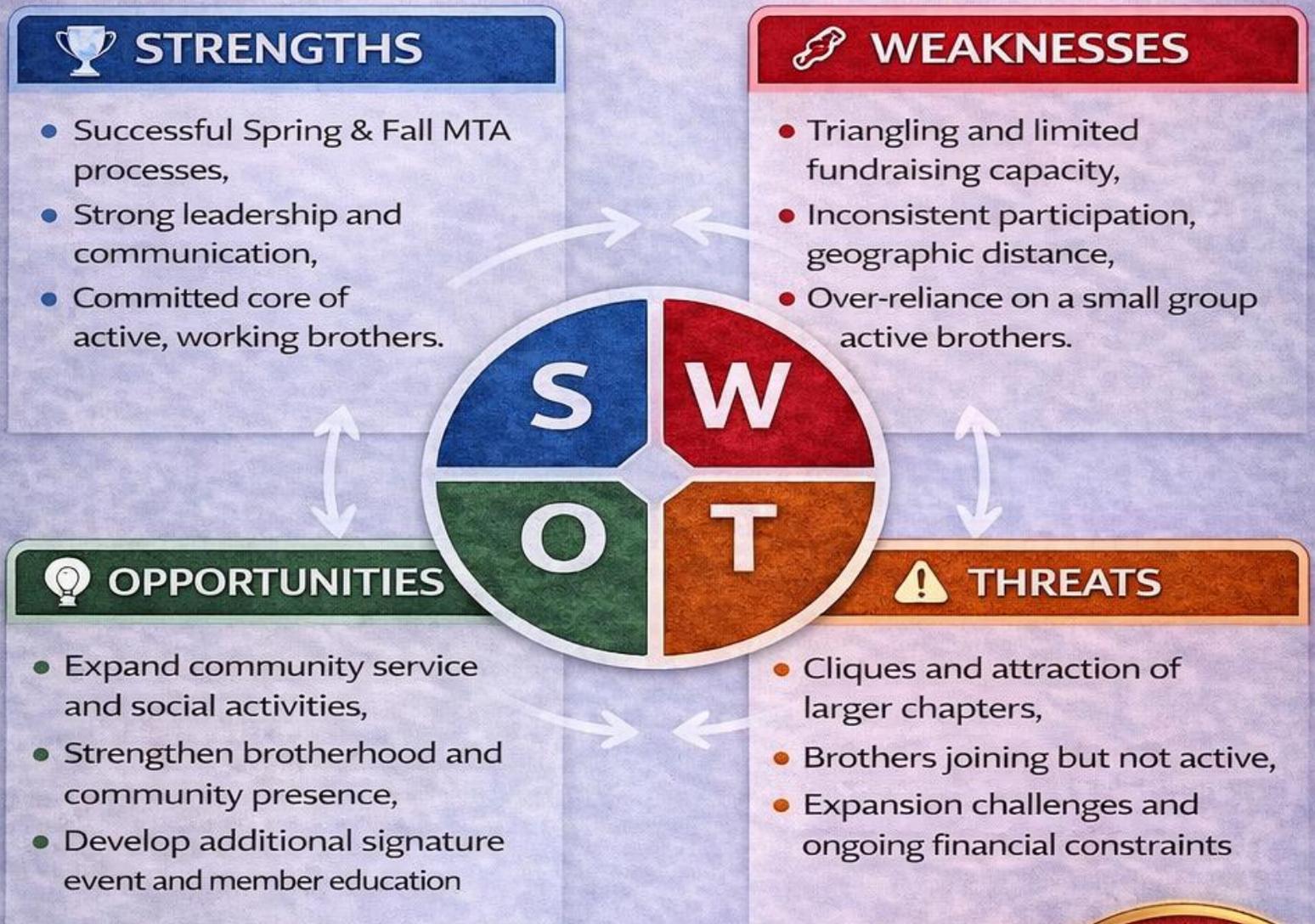
This exercise encouraged open participation, accountability, and forward-thinking discussion. It allows us to celebrate what we are doing well, acknowledge areas that require growth, identify opportunities for expansion and impact, and recognize external or internal challenges that may affect our sustainability and success.



The insights gathered during this session will directly inform chapter planning, goal-setting, and decision-making for the remainder of the year and beyond. Through this process, we recommit ourselves to excellence, unity, and the continued advancement of the Bishopville-Manning-Shaw AFB (SC) Alumni Chapter.

CHAPTER SWOT ANALYSIS SUMMARY

Key insights to assess the overall effectiveness and growth of the Bishopville-Manning-Shaw AFB (SC) Alumni Chapter join Chapter.



Capture our chapter's strategic insights

Leverage our strengths, address weaknesses, seize new opportunities, and mitigate threats for a thriving and sustainable future.



