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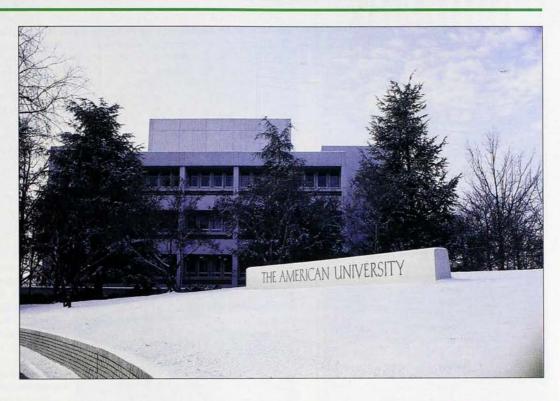
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#### On the cover:

Jamie Pollert '96, community service chairman for Delta Chi Chapter at the University of Nebraska-Omaha, hoists young friend Conner Dana aloft at a philanthropic event for the benefit of the Boy Scouts of America. Pi Kappa Alpha's undergraduates are working harder than ever to contribute and make a difference in their communities. Photo courtesy of the Mid-America Council, Boy Scouts of America. Story on page 13.

#### At Right:

Winter carpets the campus of the American University near Washington, D.C. Kappa Upsilon was recently chartered there as Pi Kappa Alpha's 260th chapter. Photo by Hilary Schwab, courtesy of American University Media Relations. Story on page 7.



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# At Large

#### On the Road with International President John Michael Williams

SEPTEMBER 12, GRAND LAKE, Oklahoma - Today it is my pleasure to attend a meeting of your Pi Kappa Alpha Housing Commission. The Housing Commission provides housing assistance to chapters across North America. The chairman of this very active commission is Jamie Wolff (Eastern Washington, Zeta Nu '67), joined by dedicated members Gregg Ormond (Pennsylvania, Beta Pi '74) and Joe Brown (Kansas, Beta Gamma '50). These brothers have served our Fraternity in a variety of capacities, with Jamie Wolff chairing the 1996 Kansas City Convention Nominating Committee, Gregg Ormond having been an undergraduate Supreme Council member in 1976-77 and having served as Sunshine Regional President, and Joe Brown having served as president of the Educational Foundation and being the recipient of the Fraternity's prestigious Loyalty Award presented in 1996 at the Kansas City Convention. The day-to-day affairs of the Fraternity's housing ef-



John Michael Williams (Oklahoma State, Gamma Chi '68)

forts are in the experienced hands of Executive Housing Officer Dan Corah (Colorado State, Epsilon Theta '83), with assistance from Mark Miller (Southern Methodist, Beta Zeta '92), housing consultant. The Housing Commission's tasks are varied, ranging from the complex world of commercial real estate lending to the vital matter of ongoing chapter house maintenance.

Tomorrow the President's Advisory Forum (PAF) will hold its annual meeting here at Grand Lake. The purpose of the PAF is to promote communication and coordination between the various Fraternity-related entities. Attending will be Gary Menchhofer (Cincinnati, Alpha Xi '65), president of the Pi Kappa Alpha Educational Foundation; Jamie Wolff, chairman of the Housing Commission; Wallace Long (Memphis, Delta Zeta '67), president of the Risk Awareness Foundation, and Executive Vice President Ray Orians (Memphis, Delta Zeta '66), along with myself. There will be over 100 years of Fraternity experience at this meeting, and much good advice for your president.

OCTOBER 24, CINCINNATI, Ohio - This morning I visited the historic house of Alpha Xi Chapter at the University of Cincinnati. The chapter house was constructed in 1894 and was the home of George B. Cox, a major figure in Ohio politics at the turn of the century. It is reported that Theodore Roosevelt danced in the third floor ballroom of this turreted mansion, which is today listed on the National Register of Historic Places. Alpha Xi Chapter has been the source of much leadership for Pi Kappa Alpha, having produced three national presidents: Ralph Yeager '34 (1953), Dr. Bill Nester '47 (1978-80) who went on to be president of the National Interfraternity Council, and Gary Menchhofer (1986-88) who now serves as president of the Pi Kappa Alpha Educational Foundation. Alpha Xi has also produced Supreme Council members Glen Weissenberger '65 (1970-72) and Ted Grofer '55 (1982-86), along with Nick Shafor '57 who ably served for a decade as Great Lakes regional president.

Alpha Xi is in the able hands of SMC Adam Brady '94, whose enthusiasm for rush is exemplified by his recent Pi Kappa Alpha rush presentation to the entire University of Cincinnati football team after its practice. The chapter excels in campus leadership inasmuch as all three of the officers of the senior class are members of Pi Kappa Alpha.

OCTOBER 24, OXFORD, Ohio - This is the birth place of four national fraternities, Beta Theta Pi, Phi Delta Theta, Phi Kappa Tau and Sigma Chi. Delta Zeta Sorority was also founded here. As we all recall from our Fraternity history, learned during our undergraduate years, Beta, Phi Delt and Sigma Chi are called the "Miami Triad," all having been founded at Miami University here in Oxford. Today, Educational Foundation President Gary Menchhofer and I visited the national headquarters of Phi Delta Theta, Phi Kappa Tau and Beta Theta Pi, where we conferred with top officers of each. We can rightly take pride in the accomplishments and innovative programs of our fellow fraternities. We are all a part of the North American Greek movement, and in many respects the success of individual fraternities is greatly influenced by the overall success of all fraternities. We are thus wise to work cooperatively with our fellow Greeks as we confront common challenges.

OCTOBER 25, OXFORD, Ohio - Delta Gamma Chapter at Miami University is celebrating its 50th Anniversary, and it is my pleasure to be a part of the festivities. Loyal alumnus Eric McCarty '48, president of the Dodd Hall Housing Corporation, deserves much of the credit for making this event a reality. Delta Gamma has made many contributions to the national leadership of Pi Kappa Alpha, including former Chapter Consultant Tom Larsen '92, who now attends law school at the University of Dayton and serves as chapter advisor, Tom Husselman '49, who served as president of the Pi Kappa Alpha Educational Foundation (1993-94) and George Zimmerman '50, who served as national music director (1958-62, 1982-88).

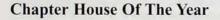
The chapter house at Delta Gamma is the product of a highly effective partnership between loyal alumni acting through the Dodd Hall Housing Corporation and the undergraduate chapter. The

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# Housing

# 1996-97 Chapter House and Chapter Room Awards

he Fraternity acknowledges those groups that do an exemplary job of caring for and managing their houses through a recognition program that includes awards for House of the Quarter, Chapter House of the Year and Chapter Room of the Year. The quarterly winners each receive a \$250 grant for maintenance and improvements, a certificate and recognition in the Fraternity's newsletter, the Forum. The Chapter House of the Year is selected from the quarterly recipients and receives a \$1,000 grant, a trophy and recognition in the Shield & Diamond. Chapter Room of the Year is available to those groups who do not have a "house" per se. The winner of this award receives recognition in this article. a trophy and a \$500 grant.



Theta Sigma Chapter (Winthrop University) was presented the Chapter House of the Year award at this summer's Officers Leadership Academy. Like most chapters, this group does not occupy a palatial mansion, yet they desire to have that type of home someday. They've made the best of their situation by taking aggressive, yet realistic, steps toward achieving the goal of having the "ideal" fraternity house. They're in a system of primarily less than ideal fraternity houses, and lack the resources to acquire an ideal home in the near future. Yet Theta Sigma made the best of what was available to them and now has the top facility on campus. They have also charted a course towards ultimately building their ideal fraternity home

Theta Sigma chapter was chartered in 1980. After renting from a private landlord for several years, they realized they were getting no closer to their dream of owning a beautiful mansion. Unable to establish a profit margin on their lease and save an adequate amount of money, the chapter knew that it was wasteful to rent for even one more year. Their rental house was in an excellent location, with ample space to build someday, so alumni and students worked diligently to take control of their future. From fall 1995 to fall 1996, they created a house corporation, purchased the property they were renting and renovated the house in a manner that will serve their needs well for at least 10-15 years. After that, they plan to raze the existing structure and build their dream home.

Safety, durability and energy efficiency were the priorities of the renovation project. Drawing upon the expertise and manpower of the students, parents, alumni and some of their wives, the group was able to save thousands of dollars. Their 2,500 square foot, wood frame house is over 100 years old and hadn't under-





Before (*left*) and after shots of both front and rear of 1996-97's Chapter House of the Year at Theta Sigma show the work put into making this modest house safe, serviceable and secure.



gone a major renovation in at least 50 years. They conducted a total "gut job" renovation: removed an unusable brick chimney; reconfigured the floor plan; straightened the walls and leveled the floors; replaced the mechanical systems; brought everything up to code; and installed a hardwire fire alert system. The interior walls in the common areas are now sheetrock over plywood; all the doors are now solidcore wood with metal jambs and commercial grade hardware; all windows were either removed entirely or replaced with energy efficient units; there is now a new roof and vinyl siding; insulation was added everywhere possible and the capacity was increased from 11 to 15. With the increased income and the savings in their energy and repair costs, the improvements are already paying for themselves.

By utilizing key management procedures, Theta Sigma is operating the property in a manner that enables them to retire their debt swiftly and prepare for their ultimate project. While spending money on a house they plan to tear down eventually was a tough pill to swallow, given their situation it was only prudent to maximize the income potential and limit operating expenses over the long term.

With the continued support from some of this chapter's founders, such as Robby Cisco and Terry Williams, the ongoing guidance and leadership of their chapter advisor Bill Berry and house corporation president Phil Murdock, and the time and money contributed by the other advisory board members, corporation officers and generous alumni, not to mention the manpower of the students themselves, Theta Sigma took several big steps in a relatively short period of time that not only resulted in a house they can be proud of, but also set them on a course of ultimately achieving their dream home.

#### Chapter Room Of The Year

At the Officers Leadership Academy this summer, for the second consecutive year, Chapter Room of the Year was awarded to Epsilon Iota Chapter at Southeast Missouri State University. The group's house corporation leases the common space of a university dorm floor which is occupied by Pikes. This

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Two views of **Epsilon Iota's** award winning chapter room at Southeast Missouri State University. This two-year winner inspired the president of the University to remark that it was a "model of what a fraternity living area should be."



tographs because we'll do a follow up article highlighting the successes of all the chapters that participate.

includes a beautiful living area with traditional furnishings. The chapter's care and maintenance of the facility not only creates and perpetuates pride in the membership but also impresses all who visit. Following a recent tour, the University president stated that the Pike chapter room was a model of what a fraternity living area should be.

#### 1996-97 Chapter Houses Of The Quarter

- ◆ Zeta Alpha Chapter, "A" and "B" sections (Kettering University, formerly GMI Engineering & Management Institute)
- ◆ Eta Alpha Chapter (Clemson University)
- Theta Sigma Chapter (Winthrop University)
- ♦ Kappa Mu Chapter (Wilfrid Laurier University)

These chapters care for their properties in an exemplary manner and all utilize the following "key" management procedures:

- The chapter rents the property from the house corporation at a flat annual rate (does not fluctuate with actual occupancy)
- Market rate rent is charged to the individual tenants (the room rent is at least equivalent to the rate paid in a comparable dorm on campus).
- A written agreement is used between the house corporation and chapter.
- Written leases are used with the individual tenants and security deposits are required.
- Out-of-house members pay some form of a parlor fee for also having the privilege to enjoy the house.

- A "live-in" requirement is used to help insure 100% occupancy.
- There is a "house manager" who oversees the maintenance of the facility which includes routine cleaning by all members. Work duties are regularly rotated and posted weekly and there is at least one major house clean-up/project day during each school term.

#### Announcing Pi Kappa Alpha's International Chapter House Work Day In April 1998

To renew old friendships and just plain have an excuse to get together, alumni often attend homecoming events, Founders Day celebrations, golf tournaments etc., but occasionally we'll hear about a group that got together to work on the chapter house and had a great time doing it! Coordinated by the house corporation and chapter house manager, an agenda is created and the needed tools and supplies are on hand to do the work. At the end of the day, the barbecue is fired up or pizzas are ordered and everyone reflects on their accomplishments, tells stories and enjoys the camaraderie of spending time with old and new friends. One alumnus said, "It was much more satisfying for me to visit the chapter house and do something constructive rather than just stopping by in a coat and tie at some social function; it was more rewarding from a brotherhood standpoint and I gained a renewed appreciation for the undergraduate members. And the house needed the work!" Pi Kappa Alpha encourages all chapters and house corporations to plan an alumni/ chapter house work day on one of the weekends in April 1998. By January 15, 1998, send the Housing Office at the Memorial Headquarters your chosen day and we'll advertise it in the Shield & Diamond's March issue. Take phoAt Large

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chapter house has been regularly improved and enhanced by the Dodd Hall Housing Corporation, with day-to-day maintenance and responsible use of the chapter house being in the hands of the undergraduate chapter. Special accolades are offered to House Manager Chris Battreall '96, who did much to get the house ready for this 50th Anniversary celebration. Also, special thanks to housing corporation financial advisor, Professor Hal Jasper '49, who for years has ably assisted the Dodd Hall Housing Corporation.

In commemoration of this important chapter anniversary, a 107 page chapter history was published under the stewardship of Tom McGlone '47. This history, entitled The First 50 Years, includes scores of photos and yearby-year accounts of the affairs of the chapter and events in the lives of its alumni. The text explains the origins of the name of the Dodd Hall Housing Corporation. The corporation was named in honor of Charles Forbes Dodd. a class of 1950 pledge, who drowned while swimming in the Tallawanda River. Delta Gamma founder Bainbridge Parker (initiated at Georgetown, Alpha Lambda '43) traveled from Florida for this 50th Anniversary celebration, recounted to all present his experiences in the founding of the chapter, and explained his role in recovery of the body of Charles Dodd. When several brothers learned that grappling hooks would be used to retrieve the body the next day, they set about their own systematic search of the river, and Brother Parker himself located the body. It was thus recovered without disfigurement caused by grappling hooks. Pi Kappa Alpha and each of its chapters are rich with history.

CHAPTER HOUSE OF THE QUARTER: Applications may be submitted to PiKA's Housing Department throughout the year. If your chapter needs an application, contact Housing Assistant Heather L. Huffman at the Memorial Headquarters, 8347 West Range Cove, Memphis, TN 38125. Completed applications may be faxed to (901) 748-3100.

## Expansion

# American University Chartered As Kappa Upsilon Chapter

In the spring of 1996, American University was forever changed when Pi Kappa Alpha Director of Expansion Shad Williams (Oklahoma State, Gamma Chi '90) and Director of Services Jef Meletio (Winthrop, Theta Sigma '91) came to American to establish a chapter. Nearly eighteen months later, after an untold amount of hard work and joy, the Kappa Upsilon Chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha was installed.

The long road began with Williams and Meletio convincing the school and the Interfraternity Council to allow Pi Kappa Alpha the chance to begin a colony. They hand picked the Alpha class of American University colony, and the process began. Under the leadership of SMC Mark Egan, things went well for the colony although over the summer they lost several members. There is no fall rush for freshmen at American, but they came back strong taking a small but superlative fall pledge class of four, including current IMC Jeff Polyak.

The colony pushed on, knowing that the key to establishing themselves as a presence on campus was the spring rush. Under the orchestration of Phillip Cook, Pike's spring rush took an unprecedented nineteen gentlemen—beating every other fraternity in not only size, but quality. The Gamma class provided the necessary life blood and vitality that was needed to move forward towards inspection.

The big day came on a Saturday morning in April. There to inspect the colony were Founders Regional President Russell Alexander (Northern Kentucky, Eta Rho '78), Meletio, and brothers from Johns Hopkins University and George Mason University. After a long and stressful six hours, the verdict came back – American University Colony had passed inspection and would be chartered in the fall.

Over the summer, the colony kept close touch with the help of Internal Communication Chairman Jim Krustapentus. Phillip Cook, now the SMC, and John Glazier began preparations for the chartering ball and celebration. The fall semester started off on the right foot, with the introduction of the Delta class. Another strong fall rush of five, the Delta class members underwent a superb pledge program ran by Pledge Educator Michael Miller. The colony also welcomed Brian Crandall, back from London, as their new IMC.



The brothers of Kappa Upsilon Chapter, American University.

The chartering and installation began on Friday, October 17 with the initiation of all four classes of the colony. On hand to initiate the members were brothers from George Washington University, Johns Hopkins University and George Mason University. Ritual continued on Saturday with part two of initiation and the installation of the chapter. There to perform the installation were Russell Alexander and F. Anderson Morse (William and Mary, Gamma '76), the immediate past international president of the Fraternity.

The ball was held that Saturday evening at the Doubletree Park Terrace in Washington, D.C. The newly installed Kappa Upsilon Chapter celebrated this great moment with dinner and dancing. There again to deliver the keynote speech was Brother Morse, with additional speeches given by Brother Alexander and Brother Cook, Kappa Upsilon's SMC.

This was truly a magnificent moment, not only for the brothers of Kappa Upsilon Chapter, but also for American University. Long into the future, there will be men on AU's campus introducing the meaning of  $\varphi \varphi \kappa \alpha$  into all aspects of life at American.

#### American University History

American University was chartered by an

Act of Congress in 1893. The University opened its doors on May 27, 1914 and graduated its first class in 1916. Located in northwest Washington, D.C., American was used as a military base during World War I and later in World War II under the name of Camp Leech.

Through the years the campus has been the beneficiary of many memorable speeches by prominent world leaders. In 1963, President John F. Kennedy delivered a speech calling for the end of all atmospheric nuclear testing; a speech that marked the beginning of nuclear arms containment. President Bill Clinton spoke at the University's winter convocation in 1993.

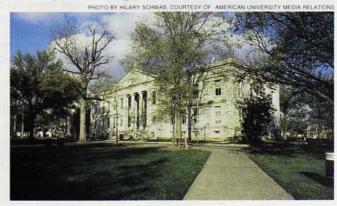
American University is home to approximately 11,000 students, of which 5,000 are undergraduates. American is a private university affiliated with the Methodist Church.

#### Greeks at American

Greek life at American University has been an important part of the college experience for AU students. Located near Embassy Row in D.C., there is no real opportunity for traditional fraternity housing. However, fraternities and sororities are the driving force behind the activities that make the University what it is today – a place to experience the excitement of "The Hill", while still enjoying the benefits of the traditional college experience.

The Interfraternity Council consists of seven fraternities; seven sororities are represented on the Panhellenic Council. Kappa Upsilon Chapter is the newest chapter in a system that hasn't experienced expansion in over 25 years.

Traditional architecture graces the tree-lined campus of American University near Washington, D.C.



# C H A P T E R N O T E S

# Scholarship, Rush Mark 1997 Academic Year

# T TAU CHAPTER North Carolina

Tau Chapter placed third out of all fraternities in GPA for fall 1997, with an aggregate 3.059. The Office of Greek Affairs awarded the chapter a plaque in honor of their achievement. SMC Bill Warren addressed the issue of alcohol abuse on MSNBC's *Internight* program, and spoke in regard to the new measures and preventions taken by UNC. In athletics, Tau Chapter won the fraternity division intramural basketball championship, as well as the overall intramural championship title.

# BK BETA KAPPA CHAPTER Emory

Beta Kappa Chapter is working hard on public relations, hosting a series of dinners with administrators, professors and students. "Dinner with the Pikes" is held each Wednesday at the chapter house. Alpha Kappa Sorority, Greek Life, and favorite professors have enjoyed the brothers' hospitality so far. The brothers are participating in a program entitled On Campus Talking About Alcohol, designed to assess guidelines for changing high risk behavior. The chapter also co-sponsored motivational speaker Dave Westol to address the Emory community on the dangers associated with hazing.

# BY BETA UPSILON CHAPTER Colorado

Beta Upsilon Chapter is proud of an aggregate GPA of 3.058, with the pledges averaging 3.4. Brothers hold prominent positions on campus, and are highly visible in campus sports. This high profile helped Beta Upsilon succeed in pinning 31 out of 33 bids given out recently.



Tau Chapter SMC Bill Warren accepts an award for Chapter Excellence from UNC Board of Trustees member Anne Cates.



Epsilon Sigma Chapter at UT-Martin is the strongest fraternity at the northwest Tennessee university with a pledge class of 53.

# □ GAMMA DELTA CHAPTER Arizona

Gamma Delta started the academic year with an amazing rush, giving out nearly fifty bids. Intramural sports are also a priority. Family weekend at Arizona saw many parents visiting the school, prompting the chapter to plan a fathers' weekend.

# ΓΘ GAMMA THETA CHAPTER Mississippi State

Gamma Theta Chapter ranked first academically among all fraternities on campus this fall with a 2.87 GPA, and won a Most Improved recognition for their scholastic efforts. Three-time weekly study sessions for pledges have begun this semester. The brothers hosted a Greek Council for Christ in October. Summer rush gained 56 rushees. With football season underway, Gamma Theta is represented on the varsity team by four brothers.

# TK GAMMA KAPPA CHAPTER Montana State

Brothers from Gamma Kappa Chapter attended the Western Regional Greek Conference this year, meeting to discuss rush, risk awareness, and alcohol policies. While at the conference, the Montana State Joint IFC and Panhellenic Councils won the award for most improved joint council. The trip was partially funded by generous support from Gamma Kappa alumni. In community service for the Bozeman area, Gamma Kappa sponsors a highway cleanup.

# TO GAMMA OMICRON CHAPTER

Gamma Omicron Chapter is the largest on the Ohio campus with over 130 active members, and 18 recent bids. The brothers also lead academically with a 3.0GPA. Gamma Omicron was paired with Alpha Omicron Pi Sorority for

homecoming, and together they helped with the Save-A-Dog fundraiser for the Athens Pound rescue. Last summer's Officers Leadership Academy saw the Ohio chapter win their sixth Smythe award, as well as the 100+ Man Chapter award, and awards for rush, community service and scholarship.

# F GAMMA XI CHAPTER Washington State

Gamma Xi Chapter produced their first alumni newsletter in October, following their win of the Fraternity's alumni relations award. The house is now at its 72-man capacity, after this fall's rush gained a 24-man pledge class. Renovations to the chapter house include new computers, carpet, a reconstructed BBQ pit, DSS television services and a catered meal plan.

# TY GAMMA UPSILON CHAPTER Tulsa

Gamma Upsion Chapter is highly involved on the Tulsa campus, with members on the Student Association, IFC, Hurricane Sports Medicine Club, and the President Ambassadors Council. Several brothers were instrumental in

In order to have news published in Chapter Notes, chapters must be current with their insurance and General Fund payments.

Look for news of chapter alumni events in the International Alumni Association section, pages 23-26.

The December issue of Shield & Diamond features chapter community service activities on pages 13-15. planning Greek Week '97, and the chapter was heavily invloved in intramurals.

# $\Delta M$ DELTA MU CHAPTER Southern Mississippi

Delta Mu Chapter posted an overall GPA of 2.66; ten brothers made the Dean's List and Chad Lee made President's List. The chapter was awarded an excellence award at the Officers Leadership Academy last summer. Three rush parties and a rush workshop resulted in 22 new pledges this fall. Campus life and athletics are also important to Delta Mu, with brothers representing the chapter in IFC and on varsity teams.

# ΔΞ DELTA XI CHAPTER Indiana

The brothers of Delta Xi Chapter used a unique idea to improve their summer rush program. The idea was the brainchild of Brother Josh Babcock. Rush Chair Darius Guzalaitis obtained a list of incoming freshmen who had indicated an interest in learning more about Greek life. Brothers who lived in proximity to these freshmen worked to establish personal contact and offer transportation to the rush program. Members were also encouraged to bring personal acquaintances as potential rushees. As a result, the summer rush program yielded a much larger number of rushees than in previous years. Activities included a tour of the chapter house, fishing at Lake Monroe, a barbecue, and a social with the women of Delta Gamma.

# EΘ EPSILON THETA CHAPTER Colorado State

The brothers of Epsilon Theta Chapter pledged 24 top quality men after fall rush. An extremely motivated executive council deleted an extreme financial deficit in a matter of months. ThC Bryan Austin has produced a new computerized financial program. On April 20, 1997, Epsilon Theta won the following awards at the Greek Night Out program: Honorable Mention for Highest Percentage of New Members Initiated, First Place for the Overall Athletic Award, and Outstanding Interfraternal Man awarded to Andrew Densing. Epsilon Theta has entered into the final stage towards the chapter's Dream House. They have obtained a third residential house in its prime location, creating the largest property on campus. The active brothers will present Executive Housing Officer Dan Corah (Epsilon Theta '83) with over \$7,000 by the end of 1997 for their Dream House fund. Questions and/or interest about Epsilon Theta's Dream House may be directed to Corah at the Memorial Headquarters.

# EI EPSILON IOTA CHAPTER Southeast Missouri State

Epsilon Iota Chapter's Rush Chairman Kyle Vogt, along with a newly revised rush program, produced 25 pledges this fall. The chapter took first place in homecoming for the thirteenth year; that evening's formal was highlighted by guest speaker Dr. Burton Harris '71. Currently,



Zeta Sigma Chapter at Florida Institute of Technology is proud of winning the Harvey T. Newell Award at the 1997 Officers Leadership Academy.

80% of the chapter is active in various campus organizations including student government and IFC. Athletics continue to run strong with intramural and varsity sports.

# EA EPSILON LAMBDA CHAPTER Murray State

Epsilon Lambda Chapter encourages and rewards scholastic excellence with the Heath Skipworth memorial scholarship, which goes to the pledge with the highest grade point average. On campus, brothers are involved in IFC, student government, student alumni association and the University Center board. On October 9th of this year, Epsilon Lambda was the only fraternity at Murray State to be awarded the Greek Excellence award. In rush, the chapter has gained 21 pledges this fall, more than double the amount of any other fraternity. Alumni speakers and the chapter consultant contributed to their efforts. Surprisingly, the chapter's rush expenses went down 50%, proving that a good rush does not require a high budget.

# E EPSILON SIGMA CHAPTER Tennessee-Martin

This fall, Epsilon Sigma Chapter conducted a remarkably successful rush. This year's rush program proved worthy due to new structure and organization. Out of 180 potential rushees, and competition from seven other fraternities, Pi Kappa Alpha succeeded in pledging 53.

# ZA ZETA ALPHA "A" CHAPTER Kettering University

Zeta Alpha "A" Chapter has a new school name: GMI Engineering & Management Institute has changed its name to Kettering University, in honor of noted inventor Charles F. "Boss" Kettering. This fall, the chapter brought in 18 pledges. In community service, the annual Dribble for Life raised \$2,000 for the Make-

A-Wish Foundation. Intramural sports have also been big, with Zeta Alpha holding the lead in the race for the Greek Cup.

# ZB ZETA BETA CHAPTER Delta State

Zeta Beta Chapter has a number of members involved in organizations and honor societies on the Delta State campus. The brothers also showed school spirit by winning the spirit award at pep rallies. Using traditional rush methods, Zeta Beta pledged 22 associate members and has a number of prospective pledges lined up for spring rush. Varsity and intramural sports also play a large part in Zeta Beta's fraternity life.

# ZP ZETA RHO CHAPTER North Dakota

Zeta Rho Chapter held its Fireman's Ball on October 4, 1997. Alumni speakers Bill



Andy Densing of Epsilon Theta Chapter accepts the Outstanding Interfraternal Man Award from Glen Dezeeuw at Colorado State's Greek Night Out.

# Pikes Get The Opportunity To See The World And Earn Credits

The University of Pittsburgh's Semester at Sea program gave eight brothers of Pi Kappa Alpha the opportunity to take part in an amazing voyage around the world. This unique study abroad program allows students to travel extensively while earning a semester of credit to their home universities. Students enroll in four to five classes from a wide selection of class offerings by professors from all over the world. The classes correlate with situations that students will encounter in various ports of call. The ship also offers recreational facilities to give the students a chance to relax in their spare time. Students can be found doing anything from sunbathing at the pool to just relaxing or playing basketball. Pikes were no exception this semester and made a showing at all events. The Spring 1997 voyage, extending from January

29th to May 10th, had an extensive itinerary. The S.S. Universe Explorer traveled to nine ports of call during the voyage; Venezuela, Brazil, South Africa, Kenya, India, Vietnam, the Philippines, Hong Kong, and Japan. Brothers could be found on the streets of Caracas, celebrating Carnival in Brazil, at the Stellenbosch Winelands, on safari in Kenya, at the Taj Mahal in India, crawling through the Cu Chi Tunnels in Saigon, going to a cock fight in the Philippines, visiting Tian'anmen Square in China, visiting the world's largest outdoor bronze Buddha in Hong Kong, or at Disneyland in Tokyo. These eight brothers came from different universities all over the United States but bonded on their journey across

the globe. The brothers attending were:

Lucas Kovalcik (Cornell, Beta Theta '95)

Christopher Stogel (Southern California, Gamma Eta '95)

Brad Ableson (Southern California, Gamma Eta '94)

Jay Hack (Emory, Beta Kappa '95)

Ben Moser (North Carolina, Tau '95)

Graham Culp (North Carolina, Tau '94)

Christian Drez (Arizona, Gamma Delta '96)

Matt Petree (Colorado, Beta Upsilon '96)

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"We brought our brotherhood to all ends of the Earth and became good friends," Right: Jay Hack, Lucas Kovalcik and Christian Drez visit Tian'anmen Square.



Above: Onboard the S.S. Explorer are (back row, from left) Matt Petree, Jay Hack, Lucas Kovalcik, Graham Culp, Ben Moser, Brad Ableson; (front row, from left) Chris Stogel and Christian Drez.



Elmquist '85 and Paul Antonenko '89 spoke on rush and rebuilding the house that was lost in this year's floods. Without a house, rush was difficult, but active members have determined to double their efforts next spring. The chapter has a temporary cubicle in the University Union as its headquarters, and plans are for construction on a new house to begin in the spring.



ZETA SIGMA CHAPTER Florida Institute of Technology

Zeta Sigma Chapter has established new study

hours and a library sign-in program, earning the brothers the second highest GPA on campus, with the pledge class earning the highest GPA of all Greek pledge classes. The chapter pledged 25 men with rush events that included a Meet the Greeks program, a day at the beach, a dinner, and other activities designed to give brothers and rushees a chance to meet one-on-one. Zeta Sigma maintains high visibility with members on varsity teams, and by winning the President's Cup and the Most Outstanding Greek Organization award. On the international level, Zeta Sigma won a Chapter Excel-

lence award and the Harvey T. Newell Award at the 1997 Officers Leadership Academy.

# HA Clemson CHAPTER

After a long week of rush, Eta Alpha Chapter came away with the most pledges on campus. The 30-man pledge class includes men from twelve different states. As a result, the Clemson Pikes continue a long tradition of having the most diverse group of men on campus. On homecoming day this year, Eta Alpha held a family brunch attended by over 50 families.

C H A P T E R N O T E S

# HE Angelo State

An alumni newsletter is in the works for Eta Epsilon Chapter, thanks to help from alumnus Jim Bean '71, a professional photographer. The chapter participated in Angelo State's homecoming, sponsoring the first Ms. Angelo State contest and a brisket cook-off with entry fees going to the San Angelo United Way. Eta Epsilon made use of freshman dormitory movein day to meet young men interested in Greek life. These potential rushees were invited to the chapter house for refreshments, and a social mixer was held at an alumnus-owned restaurant. The chapter has strict requirements for pledges: they must have at least a 20 on the ACT, a 900 on the SAT, or if they've had more than 12 college hours, a 2.20 GPA. This stringent rush resulted in 12 top quality associates.

# IN IOTA NU CHAPTER Saint Louis

Iota Nu Chapter proudly received the International Scholarship Award at the 1997 Officers Leadership Academy for the highest GPA. Spring 1997 rush and initiation went well, with the spring pledge class GPA a strong 3.5. In the fall semester, Iota Nu used the two-week rush period to good advantage with a barbecue with all the sororities on campus, softball games, and other social activities. In community service, the Pikes volunteer weekly at a soup kitchen, along with the ladies of Gamma Phi Beta. The chapter is well represented in intramural and varsity sports.

# IΞ IOTA XI CHAPTER Chicago

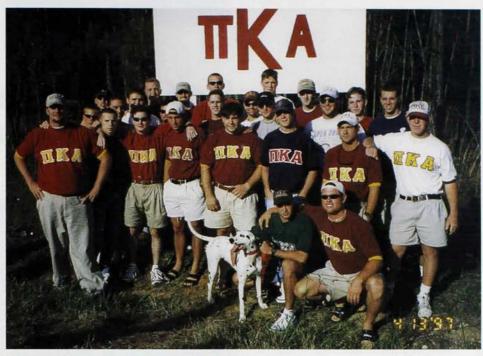
Iota Xi Chapter boasts a solid 3.1 GPA, and is a growing chapter. With 36 members, the brothers have held rush events including a White Sox game and paintball to attract the new pledge class. The chapter participates in a volunteer tutoring program in the inner city on Monday nights. Intramurals are a big part of chapter life, as are varsity sports. Heavy representation in these areas provides the Pikes with great visibility, always an aid in rush.

# IY IOTA UPSILON CHAPTER Georgia Southern

Iota Upsilon Chapter has had a goal, since its chartering five years ago, of obtaining a lot and building a permanent chapter house on Greek Row. This past spring, with the help of Alumni Housing Association President Russ Davis '93, and their chapter advisor, the Pikes have succeeded in buying their property. Fundraising for the construction of the new chapter house is now underway.

# IX IOTA CHI CHAPTER Connecticut

Scholastic performance is a top priority to Iota Chi Chapter. The spring 1997 GPA of 2.85 is well above the Greek average on campus, and also that of the all-men's GPA. Old rivalries returned this year in intramurals, and one of the



Members of Iota Upsilon Chapter at Georgia Southern stand on the site of their future house on Greek Row.

chapter's most rewarding wins was against Sigma Alpha Epsilon on the football field.

# Charlotte Music Festival, and the Rolling Stones Concert.

# IOTA OMEGA CHAPTER Western Ontario

Iota Omega Chapter has publicized the young group's name and reputation with Greek life activities, including social functions with the Western Ontario sororities. Following a successful rush, the chapter pledged 16 outstanding men. High profile involvement in campus leadership also assists the group in rush. Last spring, Iota Omega hosted the Great Lakes Regional Leadership Conference, and is looking forward to the 1998 Convention in nearby Toronto.

# KAPPA DELTA CHAPTER

Kappa Delta Chapter achieved an overall GPA of 3.0+ during the summer quarter, the best Greek average on campus. The presence of Pikes in key positions in campus organizations, as well as in intramural and varsity sports, assisted the chapter in rush, which yielded nine pledges this fall.

# KK KAPPA KAPPA CHAPTER North Carolina-Charlotte

An outstanding rush brought sixteen pledges into Kappa Kappa Chapter, which held the highest Greek GPA on the Charlotte campus. The brothers worked heavily on fundraising this semester, raising money by parking cars for the Carolina Panthers home games, the

# KA KAPPA LAMBDA CHAPTER Western Illinois

Kappa Lambda Chapter had the highest GPA of all student organizations at Western Illinois for fall 1997. An effective study hour program for actives and pledges gives the chapter the scholastic edge. All members of the chapter are involved in campus organizations, with many brothers serving as officers. A new program for the chapter is "Pike Taxi", a service which assures brothers of a safe ride home each weekend night from 10:30 p.m. - 2:30 a.m. Also this semester, the Pikes joined representatives of other fraternities in protesting the Office of Student Activities policy which prohibits new students on probation from rushing or pledging a Greek organization. The brothers reason that Greek groups offer scholarship programs and many have GPAs above the university average. A rush program which recruits scholars, leaders, athletes and gentlemen yielded a fine pledge class with a GPA of 3.1.

# KN KAPPA NU CHAPTER Pacific

Kappa Nu Chapter has the highest GPA of any men's organization on the University of the Pacific campus. New faculty advisor for the Pikes is Bob Hanyak, chairman of the communicative disorders department. The chapter is proud of winning Delta Gamma's Anchor Splash this year, including the title of Mr. Anchor Splash.

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# The Promise Of Pi Kappa Alpha:

# A Response to the Social Capital Study

by Dr. William H. Willimon

The National Interfraternity Conference (NIC) and the National Panhellenic Conference (NPC) joined forces to commission a study to measure the impact of Greek affiliation on college alumni. Specifically, they were interested in knowing whether or not the concept of public, community and university service promulgated by the Greek system carries over into adult life, and whether or not the emphasis on "giving back" to society translates to greater amounts of money donated to educational or charitable entities.

The Center for Advanced Social Research conducted the study. A preliminary report released last spring revealed that Greek alumni contribute more to the development of their communities, in both time and money. The implication is that, as adults, fraternity men and sorority women contribute significant social capital to our society. This study represents an important step toward understanding the real value of the undergraduate Greek experience and the positive role it plays in developing good citizenship.

What follows is Dr. William H. Willimon's response to the preliminary report.

hen I was a lowly pledge (Wofford College, Nu '65) the brothers had each of us write an essay, "What Pi Kappa Alpha Means to Me." Perhaps such essays are still required of pledges. I do not remember the full substance of my essay, however I do remember its central thesis: Fraternities are valuable because, among other virtues, they force you to be with people you don't immediately like.

As I recall, the Pledge Master failed to grasp the profundity of my argument. Still, I stand by it. A fraternity forces you to call perfect strangers "brother." Eventually, given enough time and effort, many of these erstwhile strangers will become brothers. That is the promise of Pi Kappa Alpha.

To a remarkable degree, the promise is kept. Those whom we might not otherwise have regarded as friends become friends. The guy with whom you have nothing in common turns out to be, within the fraternity, your dearest cohort. Thus is fulfilled the promise that is Pi Kappa Alpha.



Dr. Willimon

"Are you going out for rush?" I asked a Duke First-Year-Student.

"I'm not sure," he said, "Frats take a lot of time. I'm not sure I can make the commitment."

I then found myself urging him to rush. "In my experience, you're just the sort of person who could benefit from a fraternity. Fraternities force you to venture out, to become involved with others, to be exposed to a wider array of people than you would have encountered if you had been left to your own devices."

Left to our own devices, we hunker down with our own. We keep safe. Fraternities are about commitment, the commitment to be with persons we might otherwise have avoided. There is no community without commitment.

Thus I am not at all surprised by the results of the Social Capital Study by the Center for Advanced Social Research. Social Capital - a citizen's involvement in the community - has been a hot topic in recent years. You may have read about Harvard sociologist Robert Putnam's article, "Bowling Alone" in which he noted the drastic decline in civic engagement in America during the past two decades. Voter turnout, participation in volunteer organizations, churchgoing, all appear to be in decline. People are staying home, cultivating their own gardens, and disengaging from com-

mitment to what Putnam calls the "moral resource" that enables our communities to work - Social Capital. We are fast becoming a nation of detached, uncommitted strangers.

Except among members of fraternities and sororities. The study of a couple of thousand of us showed that, in life after college, the fraternity members demonstrated an unusually high degree of "Social Capital." Greek affiliation correlates with high student involvement in extra curricular campus organizations. Then, as adults, Greeks belong to more civic and community organizations than non-Greeks. Furthermore, Greeks gave significantly more money to support charitable and religious organizations.

Presumably, those who join fraternities desire a high degree of social interaction. They come to us already making group commitment and social engagement a priority. However, once they are in our fraternity, organizing and motivating others, running and participating in meetings, allocating time and money, and managing commitments are major aspects of Greek life.

Recently a fraternity member expressed surprise that, when he was applying for a job, prospective companies were more interested in his work in his fraternity - organizing a complete Habitat for Humanity work team which built a home in one month - than in any other aspect of his college career.

"We can get people with great grades," one interviewer explained to him. "What's tough is to find college graduates who have had significant experience organizing people, getting people to produce, setting goals and urging others to cooperate in achieving those goals."

"Then I realized," said the student, "that my fraternity life had given me my most marketable skills."

Among those skills are skills which are "Social Capital". A democracy is utterly dependent upon a complex network of intermediary organizations spread throughout the community which make our life together humane. Therefore, we should not at all be surprised that Greek life is a major contributing factor to a lifetime of service.

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# **Community Service Accolades**

# Recognizing Pi Kappa Alpha's Undergraduate Brothers

he true adventure and fullness of life can be experienced only by giving unconditionally of ourselves for the benefit of others. Greek organizations exert tremendous influence in the development of young people. Therefore, giving of one's self is a critical element of the Greek system's curriculum for producing good citizens.

Philanthropic and community service has always been an important part of the Greek system's role in society. Each year, literally millions of dollars and hours are raised and donated to charitable organizations and other worthwhile causes by fraternities and sororities throughout the nation.

Pi Kappa Alpha has always believed that civic and philanthropic service is an important aspect of the undergraduate experience. The Fraternity encourages and supports endeavors of this kind. Awards and recognition are given annually to those chapters that go above and beyond the call of duty in this area.

#### PI CHAPTER

Washington and Lee University – The brothers of Pi Chapter gave over 170 man-hours of their time to charitable causes. Some of their major community service projects included:

Rockbridge Area Conservation Council's Maury River Clean-Up – This annual event involved cleaning trash and debris from the Chessie Trail and the banks of the Maury River, the main river through Lexington. Twenty-two brothers participated this year and collected over 1,000 pounds of trash and debris.

Valentine's Day Dance at Stonewall Jackson Hospital – The men of Pi Chapter teamed up with the ladies of Chi Omega Sorority to show gratitude and appreciation to the elders of Lexington, Virginia with a Valentine's Day celebration at Stonewall Jackson Hospital's Extended Care Facility.

American Cancer Society's Walk for Life

This was the third year that the Washington



Over 3,000 boy scouts and their families enjoyed the world's largest popcorn ball, sponsored by Delta Chi Chapter at the University of Nebraska-Omaha.

and Lee Pikes have participated in the Walk for Life, organized in conjunction with the American Cancer Society and the Catholic Campus Ministry. Pi's house mother proudly took part in the 10k walk along with the broth-

Annual Pledge Class Highway Clean-Up – In March 1997 the pledge class and their pledge educators worked to clean PiKA's one-mile stretch of Highway 11 in Rockbridge County. Traditionally, this on-going clean-up project is chosen as one of the pledge class' community service projects. This year they collected over 50 bags of trash.

#### TAU CHAPTER

University of North Carolina – Tau Chapter completed its 1996-1997 partnership with Habitat for Humanity on April 20, 1997: construction was finished on the house the Pikes worked on along with Delta Delta Delta, Pi Kappa Phi and Sigma Phi Epsilon. After a dedication ceremony, the house was turned over to its new owners, the Rodriguez family.

#### BETA KAPPA CHAPTER

Emory University – The Emory Pikes participated in an AIDS Walk on Sunday, October 19 in downtown Atlanta, Georgia. Additionally, the brothers have purchased jerseys for a local underprivileged boys' basketball team.

#### BETA UPSILON CHAPTER

University of Colorado -The brothers of Beta Upsilon clean a stretch of Highway 36, leading onto the Boulder campus. Also, in conjunction with Kappa Kappa Gamma, the chapter contributed to the Kick for Craig tournament, a philanthropy benefiting the Craig Memorial Hospital. The Pikes continue to help out the local school district through the Adopt-A-School program, in which more than 30 members participate. At Halloween, a Pike "haunted house" gave local children an opportunity for safe trick-or-treating.

#### **GAMMA THETA CHAPTER**

Mississippi State University – Gamma Theta Chapter contributes to the Starkville, Mississippi community with monthy highway cleanups, which have gained the brothers some great recognition on campus and in town. The Mississippi State faculty also received appreciation from the chapter in the form of a free faculty car wash, held in conjunction with Phi Mu Sorority. The Palmer Home for Children is another beneficiary of Gamma Theta's community service. A roller skating party treated the kids to fun, games and pizza. Another party for the Palmer Home was held for Halloween.

#### GAMMA XI CHAPTER

Washington State University – Forty members of Gamma Xi Chapter walked for the benefit of Habitat for Humanity on September 28, 1997, and raised donations of \$200.

#### GAMMA UPSILON CHAPTER

University of Tulsa – Members and pledges at Tulsa participated in Kappa Alpha Theta's annual Theta World Cup soccer tournament for CASA, in Chi Omega's Chi-O Brunch for Call Rape, and in Kappa Kappa Gamma's Kappa 5K Klassic for the American Cancer

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#### The Promise of Pi Kappa Alpha

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Recently I met with four or five different fraternities at Duke. I led them in discussion of a wide range of campus issues. One "hot topic" on our campus is diversity. How can we be a campus which respects differences among people and lives with and even celebrates those differences? Fraternities are often accused of being places which harbor the antithesis of diversity.

"The campus believes that all of us look alike and that's why we're in a fraternity to be with guys just like us," complained one member.

Ironically, life inside a fraternity rarely feels like a pleasant, non-conflicted party with people "just like us." Inside a fraternity, in the frequently intense interaction among members, our differences are exposed, encountered, and negotiated. We learn to deal with our diversity rather than to deny it.

"It's a great challenge," said one chapter president, "to party with, get money out of, and get along with forty guys who are all different from one another."

Quite a challenge. Yet meeting that challenge represents fraternity life at its best. Too often on our campus, "diversity" means, "You've got your culture (or gender, or race, or ethnicity, or religion) and I have mine. That's cool. I won't bother you with mine if you won't bother me with yours." Cool. Detached. Disengagement called "diversity." This isn't much out of which to build a common future.

The promise of Pi Kappa Alpha is that if we dare to commit ourselves to others, if we work at treating one another as brothers, we will be as we profess. We will discover that our differences are part of the fun of being in a fraternity. We will have gained skills of commitment, engagement, negotiation, and civic leadership which will serve our communities well for the rest of our lives. Think of fraternity life as the acquisition of Social Capital which will be expended for the good of the community for the rest of our lives.

That's the promise of Pi Kappa Alpha.

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Society. The Pikes had racked up over 500 community service hours for the fall semester as of October 1st.

#### **DELTA MU CHAPTER**

University of Southern Mississippi – The Delta Mu brothers assist the children of the Dubard School for Language Disorder by entertaining them two or three times each week. On October 19th, the Pikes cleaned a two-mile stretch of highway with the Adopt-A-Highway program. They also participated in a blood drive in November for Mississippi Blood Services.

#### **DELTA CHI CHAPTER**

University of Nebraska-Omaha – On Thursday, September 18, fraternities and sororities banded together to show their support for the Boy Scouts of America at the world's largest popcorn ball. According to Kris Kimmy, SMC of Delta Chi Chapter, the Boy Scouts have been adopted as the chapter's philanthropy.

Brother Jamie Pollert explained how they proposed the PIKE CHALLENGE, asking other Greek groups to sell popcorn to raise money for the Scouts. Greeks involved included Delta Chi Chapter, Theta Lambda Chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha from Creighton University, Chi Omega, Theta Phi Alpha and Alpha Phi Omega. Their combined goal was \$10,000 in sales.

Over 200 men and women worked the event; Delta Chi sponsored a police cruiser and two fire trucks, present to offer fire and safety information to the youth attending. Exploring Executive Jeff Barnhart of the Mid-America Council of the Boy Scouts of America writes, "...Approximately 3,000 Scouters and their families attended this event, showing their support of Scouting. I'm proud to say that Pi Kappa Alpha and their PIKE CHALLENGE stole the show... The fraternity brought excitement as well as education to our scouts and their families. Not only did (the Pikes) show us their support, but they gathered other organizations to do the same."

In addition to their strong showing at the Scouts popcorn ball, the Delta Chi Pikes earned praise from Scout Executive/President Lloyd E. Roitstein of the Mid-America Council for their assistance. Roitstein writes, "The Mid-America Council, Boy Scouts of America, built a new Scout Center in Northwest Omaha... We're in the midst of building a nature and hiking trail along the river on our property. At a recent workday, the Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity volunteered to help deliver woodchips on the trail, plant trees, trim branches and do other work to help us... The fraternity brothers were positive, enthusiastic, hardworking and helped lead some of the other volunteers during the project...."

Mayor Hal Daub of Omaha commends the chapter on their participation in the 1997 Keep Omaha Beautiful Youth Fall Clean Up. This project was sponsored by the Boy Scouts of America, with the help of Delta Chi Chapter. "You have set a high standard of community excellence," Daub writes, "an example I hope all citizens will follow throughout the year."

Russ Roe, Learning for Life Director of the Mid-America Council, comments, "The Pikes enthusiastic dedication to the Boy Scouts is starting to turn some heads. I feel you should know that philanthropy directors such as Jamie Pollert are directing a large number of hands and bodies in a positive direction for the community."

#### **EPSILON THETA CHAPTER**

Colorado State University – Cans Around the Oval is a tradition on the Colorado State Campus, and the Epsilon Theta brothers excel at collecting thousands of pounds of food for the drive. The chapter was recognized nationally for their extraordinary efforts in fundraising over \$10,000 in a four-month time span. They accomplished this feat by working guest relations/security at Colorado Avalanche and Denver Broncos games.

#### EPSILON IOTA CHAPTER

Southeast Missouri State University – Epsilon Iota Chapter won the University's community service award last year by giving over 1,200 hours of service to organizations such as the Red Cross, Ronald McDonald House, Special Olympics and the Humane Society. Already this year, over 400 hours have been documented as the SEMO Pikes work toward a goal of 2,000 hours.

#### EPSILON LAMBDA CHAPTER

Murray State University – The brothers of Epsilon Lambda completed 2,000 hours of community service since fall 1996. These hours included the Super America MS-Walk for multiple sclerosis, work with the Murray City Schools crosswalk, and the Murray-Jaycees Haunted Forest. The Pikes raised \$150 in food for the United Way Needline and helped raise \$3,800 to help the Women's Club of Murray purchase firefighters' helmets.

#### ZETA ALPHA "A" CHAPTER

Kettering University – Zeta Alpha Pikes raised \$2,000 for the Make-A-Wish Foundation, in

addition to participating in an annual blood drive.

#### ZETA BETA CHAPTER

Delta State University – The Pikes at Delta State have taken part in a number of community service events this semester. The brothers engineered two campus clean-up projects and gave the intramural athletics department a big helping hand when they took part in the construction of a volleyball court. Members took part in a canned food drive for a local church in October, and have donated a part of their proceeds from fundraising to United Way.

#### ZETA SIGMA CHAPTER

Florida Institute of Technology – The brothers of Zeta Sigma Chapter participate in the following programs: Adopt-A-Highway, Big Brother/Little Brother, Midnight Basketball coaching in conjunction with the Palm Bay Police Department, and the Boy Scouts Thanksgiving Food Drive.

#### ETA ALPHA CHAPTER

Clemson University – The Pikes of Eta Alpha Chapter opened the 1997 fall semester with a charity event: along with four other fraternities, they sponsored a concert on campus that included Run-DMC, Edwin McCain, and Drivin-and-Cryin. This concert helped raise over \$2,500 for Helping Hands, which benefits underprivileged children.

#### ETA EPSILON CHAPTER

Angelo State University – Brothers Roland Moreno, James Brewer and Benjamin Acosta dee-jayed a dance for a Catholic church youth group. They used sound equipment lent by the Pike lodge to provide the sound. Brother Chris Contreras has volunteered his time to talk to photography students at a local high school about the technical aspects of photography.

#### IOTA PI CHAPTER

University of California-Los Angeles – The brothers of Iota Pi Chapter are heavily involved in a community service project called SHARE. This program sends UCLA students



On April 20, 1997 construction was complete on the Habitat for Humanity house built by the brothers of Tau Chapter at North Carolina, along with Delta Delta Delta, Pi Kappa Phi and Sigma Phi Epsilon.

to underprivileged elementary schools for tutoring. Currently, three SHARE coordinators are Pikes, while 20-25 other members of the house volunteer.

#### IOTA CHI CHAPTER

University of Connecticut – The month of October was especially rewarding for the brothers of Iota Chi Chapter. On the 18th, the chapter sponsored a campus-wide kickball tournament to benefit a 9 year old, Amanda Fedigan, who has been diagnosed with cancer. Amanda is the niece of Brendan Fedigan, a past SMC of Iota Chi. All teams were asked to donate a \$50 fee to participate, and all the brothers helped organize and work the event to make it a great success. The proceeds went to the Amanda Fedigan Trust Fund, and the interfraternal good will benefited all the Greeks on campus.

The chapter's second philanthropy ran all semester long. Graduating senior Lynn

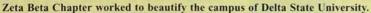
Simoneau, a paraplegic, asked the brothers for their help in raising money to buy a handicapped-accessible van. The Pikes felt they could contribute by collecting cans for recycling. They asked Coca-Cola for help, and got a premium rate for the returned cans. They also encouraged other Greek groups and campus organizations to pitch in. The brothers on the Undergraduate Student Government assisted with campus-wide publicity for the cause. Great results have been obtained so far, and the chapter looks forward to seeing the project through to fruition.

#### KAPPA DELTA CHAPTER

Northeastern University – Kappa Delta Chapter was named the New England Aquarium's group of the year for their long-time support of the facility. This fall, they participated in the aquarium's annual Haunted Halloween event. In addition, the chapter's support of local St. Ann's parish remains strong; the brothers provide weekly clean-up visits to the parish, as well as working on major projects.

#### KAPPA LAMBDA CHAPTER

Western Illinois University – Kappa Lambda Chapter serves the community through the Adopt-A-Highway program. The brothers are responsible for a length of Jackson Street in Macomb, Illinois. Additionally, the chapter has participated in several campus clean-up events with other student organizations. Several brothers coach local youth sports teams, and the chapter as a whole supports the Macomb football league by working yard markers and concessions at all games.





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# Pi Kappa Alpha Educational Foundation

Alumni supporting scholastic achievement, leadership training and personal development since 1948.

# Introducing New Members of the Shield & Diamond and Lily of the Valley Societies

The Pi Kappa Alpha Educational Foundation annually recognizes those loyal, generous brothers who are new members of one of the Foundation's seven giving societies, recognizing their cumulative gift totals.

In this issue, the Foundation is pleased to honor our newest members of the Shield & Diamond Society (cumulative gifts of \$1,000 to \$2,499) and the Lily of the Valley Society (cumulative gifts of \$2,500 to \$4,999).

#### Shield & Diamond Society

#### LEONARD ALEMAN

(Oklahoma State, Gamma Chi '46)

Brother Aleman is retired and currently self employed as a Certified Public Accountant. He and his wife, Mary Lee, live in Gastonia, North Carolina. They have three sons, Jeff, Jerry and Tom.

# R. RUSSELL ALEXANDER (Northern Kentucky, Eta Rho '78)

Brother Alexander has served Pi Kappa Alpha as Founders regional president since 1990. He also serves as chapter advisor to Delta Iota Chapter at Marshall University. As an undergraduate, Brother



Alexander served as vice president of the Cumberland Region and as president and vice president of Eta Rho Chapter. He was the recipient of the Powers Award in 1982. Brother Alexander is a member of the Educational Foundation's **Oak Trust**, and the International Alumni Association. He is a partner with the law firm of Huddleston, Bolen, Beatty, Porter and Copen in Huntington, West Virginia,

and serves in various positions for the local United Way and Huntington Regional Chamber of Commerce. Brother Alexander and his wife, Karen, have a son, Ian and a daughter Rachel.

#### DAVID A. BAGWELL (Oklahoma State, Gamma Chi '62)

Brother Bagwell is owner of the Bagwell Consulting Group. As an undergraduate, he served Gamma Chi Chapter as vice president and historian, and his brother,



Bryan, is also a 1962 initiate of Gamma Chi Chapter. Brother Bagwell is a member of the Educational Foundation's **Oak Trust.** He is president of an on-line small business start-up and volunteers with Meals on Wheels, Habitat for Humanity, and the Tulsa Mayfest. Brother Bagwell and his wife, Cindy, live in Tulsa, Oklahoma. They have two daughters, Laura and Cindy.

#### SCOTT D. BELL (Central Florida, Eta Phi '81)

Brother Bell serves Pi Kappa Alpha as a member of the International Rush Advisory Commission. He is a vice president of the Central Florida region with



Lincoln Property Company in Orlando, Florida. As an undergraduate, Brother Bell served Eta Phi Chapter as president and treasurer. He was also president of the Order of Omega and was named most distinguished student in 1983. As an alumnus, Brother Bell has served as president of the Sunshine Region, a chapter consultant and director of ex-

pansion with the National Fraternity, president of the Central Florida Alumni Association, trustee of the Eta Phi House Corporation and chapter advisor to Eta Phi Chapter. Brother Bell is a member of the Educational Foundation's **Oak Trust**. He and his wife, Lisa, live in Orlando, Florida, and have a son, Parker. Brother Bell is currently president of the University of Central Florida athletic fundraising organization, Knight Boosters.

# THOMAS E. BLANDFORD, JR. (Penn State, Beta Alpha '55)

Brother Blandford is retired and lives in Clearwater, Florida. He is a member of the Belleair Country Club and the Clearwater Yacht Club. He and his wife, Patricia Ann, have five children, Thomas II, Barbara, Nancy, Patricia and Tracy.

#### TURNER W. BRANCH (New Mexico, Beta Delta '56)

Brother Branch is president and senior partner of The Branch Law Firm. As an undergraduate, he served Beta Delta Chapter as president and was also president of the student body. He is heavily involved in community service and civic activities as a member of the Masonic Lodge, the Kiwanis Club, the 100 Club, and the board of directors of the Albuquerque Jaycees. He and his wife, Margaret, live in Albuquerque, New Mexico. They have two children, Brian and Rebecca.

#### GLENN O. BROWN (Rensselaer, Gamma Tau '51)

Brother Brown is vice president of operations for The Idea Works of New York, Inc. As an undergraduate, he served Gamma Tau Chapter as



president and has since worked with the

Gamma Tau Chapter Alumni Advisory Board. Brother Brown currently serves the Village of Pittsford as deputy mayor, is a member of the Rochester Area Chamber of Commerce, and is a director for the U.S. Ski Association. He serves as a trustee of the Rensselaer Alumni Association, and is currently president of the group. Brother Brown has been recognized for his outstanding alumni service to Rensselaer with the Albert Fox Demers Medal, and has received the Westhaven Award from the U.S. Ski Association for exemplary service to International Alpine Skiing Officiating. Brother Brown and his wife, Lynn, live in Pittsford, New York. They have three children, Derek, Wendy and Bradley.

#### VICTOR L. CARY (Missouri-Columbia, Alpha Nu '36)

Brother Cary is retired and lives with his wife, Alice, in Houston, Texas. He served in the United States Army for 32 years, retiring in 1970, at the rank of Brigadier General. After his military service, Brother Cary entered the business world, and retired as president and chief executive officer of the Wortz Company. He was a charter member and past president of the Fort Smith Heritage Foundation (FSHF), and was the first individual to receive the foundation's Lifetime Achievement Award earlier this year for his years of support of the William O. Darby House and Foundation, the W.H.H. Clayton House and downtown Fort Smith, Arkansas. He and his wife have two sons, three grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

#### RICHARD K. DECKER (Nebraska, Gamma Beta '32)

Brother Decker is retired and lives with his wife, Fern, in Burr Ridge, Illinois. Prior to his retirement, he was a partner of counsel in the Chicago law firm of Lord, Bissell and Brook. Brother Decker served Gamma Beta Chapter as president, and his brother, Fred, was also a member of Pi Kappa Alpha. For his outstanding professional and service accomplishments, he was selected by the University of Nebraska for their Alumni Achievement Award.

#### RUSSELL H. FOLK

(Texas Tech, Epsilon Gamma '67)
Brother Folk is executive vice president for

Prudential Resources Management in Valhalla, New York. He has been recognized for his professional work in Who's Who in Industry and Finance and Who's Who in the South and Southwest. He



and his wife, Ginny, live in Ridgewood, New Jersey. They have three children, Kimberly, Reid and Stephen, who is a new member of Gamma Theta Chapter at Mississippi State University.

#### KELLY A. GRANT, JR.

(Northwestern, Gamma Rho '48)

Brother Grant is owner and president of Mel-O-Cream Donuts International, Inc. He is a member of the Rotary Club and his brother, Gerald, and nephew, Kent, are also members of Pi Kappa Alpha. He and his wife, Karen Ann, live in Springfield, Illinois. They have three children, Kelly, Kristine and Kemalie.

#### MARTIN R. GRIEK

(Denver, Gamma Gamma '61)

Brother Griek is operations manager for Luduik Electric Company in Englewood, Colorado. He has served Pi Kappa Alpha on a national level as district president, and was Gamma Gamma Chapter advisor and president of the Gamma Gamma House Corporation. His brother, John, is also a member of Pi Kappa Alpha from Gamma Gamma Chapter. Brother Griek is national director and president of the American Institute of Constructors. He and his wife, Mary, live in Littleton, Colorado. They have three children, Phil, Angie and Mary.

# PAUL A. GUDEN (Duke, Alpha '62)

Brother Guden is president of H.A. Guden Co., Inc. He and his wife, Judith, live in Bay Shore, New York.

# FRED E. HAAS, JR. (Kentucky, Omega '58)

Brother Haas is president of the National Band and Tag Company in Newport, Kentucky. As an undergraduate, he served Omega Chapter in several offices including president. Brother Haas is a



member of the Lions Club and a past member of the Jaycees. He and his wife, Betty Jo, live in Fort Thomas, Kentucky. They have three sons, Kevin, Trey and Brad.

#### JERRY K. HALLEY (Arkansas-Little Rock, Zeta Eta '71)

Brother Halley is senior vice president of Beverly Enterprises and Beverly Health and Rehabilitation Services, Inc. He is a board member of the Missouri Health Care Association. Brother Halley lives in Fort Smith, Arkansas.

#### JOHN W. HANSEN (Cincinnati, Alpha Xi '47)

Brother Hansen is retired and lives in Tucson, Arizona. Before his retirement, he served as senior vice president and chief financial officer of the Tucson Medical Center. Brother Hansen is treasurer of the Catalina Rotary Club, and a board member of the Arthritis Foundation's Southern Arizona Chapter and the Tucson Metropolitan Ministries. He and his wife, Wilma, have ten children, John Jr., Carol, Diane, Steven, Richard, Pamela, Laura, David, Joannie and Sandra.

#### PATRICK F. HAYNES

(Arkansas State, Delta Theta '81)

Brother Haynes is executive director of the Pi Kappa Alpha Educational Foundation. A member of the Foundation's **Oak Trust** and the International Alumni Association, he previously served the Fra-



ternity as Cumberland regional president, and on the Memorial Headquarters staff for five years, including a two-year tenure as executive director. While an undergraduate, he served Delta Theta Chapter as president, rush chairman and alumni chairman.

#### KELLY R. HUGHES, JR.

(Central Arkansas, Epsilon Phi '77)

Brother Hughes is a senior intelligence officer with the Defense Intelligence Agency (DIA). As an undergraduate, he served Epsilon Phi Chapter as secretary, rush chairman, and IFC representative. Brother Hughes has worked in the intelligence community for more than 12 years, and has been awarded the DIA's Director's Award for his outstanding service. He and his wife, Lisa, live in Reston, Virginia. They have a newborn son, John Raymond.

# PHILIP J. IAPALUCCI, JR. (West Virginia, Alpha Theta '83)

Brother Iapalucci is director of corporate accounting for the Eastman Kodak Company. As an undergraduate, he served Alpha Theta Chapter as president, treasurer, rush chairman and pledge educator.



and was twice selected as Alpha Theta's "Pike of the Year". He is a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and is involved with the Notre Dame Club of Rochester. Brother Iapalucci and his wife, Carol, live in Fairport, New York. They have one daughter, Stephanie.

# C. JEROME JOHNS (Florida, Alpha Eta '52)

Brother Johns is president and chief executive officer of the Community State Bank of Starke, in Starke, Florida. He has twice been the exalted ruler of Elks and president of the Starke Chamber of Commerce. Brother Johns and his wife, Geré, have two children, Debra and Philip.

#### WILLIAM H. KUCHEMAN

(Virginia Tech, Epsilon '71)

Brother Kucheman is vice president of corporate marketing for the Boston Scientific Corporation. As an undergraduate, he served Epsilon Chapter as treasurer and was vice president of the Founders Region. Brother Kucheman is a board member of Arizona State University's Services Marketing and Management program and is a special representative to the board of the Health Industry Manufacturers Association. He and his wife, Teri, have two daughters, Annika and Krista.

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#### WILLIAM R. LAING

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Brother Laing retired as division director of the Oak Ridge National Laboratory in 1994, after 44 years of service. He is a member of the American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM). Brother Laing is a past recipient of the ASTM's Award of Merit and is also a past ASTM fellow. He is also a past chairman of the Analytical Chemistry Conference in Energy Technology. Brother Laing and his wife, Jean, live in Oak Ridge, Tennessee. They have two children, Julia and David.

# WILLIAM N. LEARY (Richmond, Omicron '82)

Brother Leary is president of The Leary Management Group, a property management and development firm. As an undergraduate, he served Omicron Chapter as president and secretary. After his



graduation, Brother Leary served as vice president of the Omicron House Corporation. His brother, Thomas, is a 1990 initiate of Delta Tau Chapter at Arizona State University. Brother Leary is a member of the Central Florida Chamber of Commerce, the Florida Citrus Sports Association, and was a recent participant in Leadership Orlando. He and his wife, Tamra, live in Winter Park, Florida. They have two daughters, Alicia and Trina.

#### JOHN A. LEONE

(Penn State, Beta Alpha '53)

Brother Leone is chief executive officer of the Bonney Forge Corporation in Allentown, Pennsylvania. He is a trustee at Allentown College of St. Francis De Jaces, is a Centennial Fellow of Penn State's College of Earth and Mineral Sciences, and is a member of Penn State's Obelisk Society. Brother Wilson and his wife, Wilma, live in Bethlehem, Pennsylvania. They have four children, Rick, Sue Anne, Elizabeth and Jennifer.

# URIEL M. LOVELACE (South Carolina, Xi '54)

Brother Lovelace is an aerospace consultant with his own firm, Lovelace Associates. He retired after nearly 30 years of work with NASA in engineering and technical management positions. Brother Lovelace received NASA's Exceptional Service Medal and numerous other NASA group and performance awards. He is a state trustee and national delegate for Ducks Unlimited, Inc. Brother Lovelace and his wife, Gretchen, live in Williamsburg, Virginia. They have three children, Wanda, Julia and Lynn.

#### FRED T. MAXWELL

(North Texas, Epsilon Delta '61)

Brother Maxwell is president of Signal Well Service, Inc., an independent oil and gas operation in Kilgore, Texas. As an undergraduate, he served Epsilon Delta Chapter as president and attended the 1962 National



Convention in Louisville, Kentucky. Brother Maxwell is a member of the Kilgore Chamber of Commerce and the American Petroleum Institute. He and his wife, Jo, live in Kilgore, Texas. Their two sons, Christopher (Southern Methodist, Beta Zeta '81) and Fred II (Texas, Beta Mu '83), are both members of Pi Kappa Alpha.

#### FRED H. MAY

(Louisiana Tech, Gamma Psi '48)

Brother May retired as assistant director of the Computing Center at Louisiana Tech University in Ruston, Louisiana. Prior to his retirement, he was an active member of the Ruston Lions Club. Brother May and his wife, Annette, reside in Everett, Washington. They have two children, Karen and Kelley.

#### I. WILLIAM MILLER

(Bowling Green, Delta Beta '42)

Brother Miller is retired and lives in Oregon, Ohio. Before his retirement, he worked for 43 years in public education in Ohio. He is a past faculty advisor to Delta Beta Chapter and is a past president of Bowling Green State University's Alumni Association. He and his wife, Florence, have a daughter, Christine.

#### CYRIL J. PORTER

(Auburn, Upsilon '40)

Brother Porter is retired and lives in Hot Springs, Arkansas with his wife, Elizabeth.

#### ROBERT E. PULFORD

(Kansas State, Alpha Omega '58)

Brother Pulford is vice president of Steel and Pipe Supply Company, Inc. As an undergraduate, he served Alpha Omega Chapter as president and has worked with the Alpha Omega House Corporation for the last twenty years. Brother Pulford is an active member of the Optimists Club, the United Way, and the Manhattan Public School Foundation. He and his wife, Carolyn, live in Manhattan, Kansas. They have two children, David and Diane.

#### STEPHEN C. RACKETS

(Texas Tech, Epsilon Gamma '66)

Brother Rackets is director of the western region for UB Networks in Dallas, Texas. As an

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During the recent Officers Leadership Academy held in Memphis, Tennessee, more than 120 of Pi Kappa Alpha's undergraduate brothers showed their support of the Educational Foundation's mission by joining the  $\varphi\varphi\kappa\alpha$  Club. The  $\varphi\varphi\kappa\alpha$  Club is a Foundation giving society created specially for our student brothers who donate at least \$15 each year to ensure the enduring success of Pi Kappa Alpha. Pictured above is that group of the Foundation's newest and most loyal donors. Thank you brothers!

undergraduate, he served Epsilon Gamma Chapter as pledge educator and scholarship chairman. He is a member of the Republican Party of Texas, the Dallas Symphony Association, and Dallas Life Inc. Brother Rackets is a member of the board at Raymond Construction and has been named top manager in North America, and worldwide, on numerous occasions. He and his wife, Sally, live in Plano, Texas. They have three children, Leslie, Lisa and Lane.

#### CHARLES M. ROU (Florida, Alpha Eta '42)

Brother Rou is retired, and is the former president of the wood products services firm, C.M. Rou Services, Inc. He now serves as a private consultant to the wood preserving industry.



Three other members of Brother Rou's family are also initiates of Pi Kappa Alpha, Gordon Tolbert (Florida, Alpha Eta '34), Henry Jennings II (Florida Southern, Delta Delta '58), and Henry Jennings III (Florida, Alpha Eta '81). Brother Rou holds membership in the American Society for Testing and Materials, the Society of American Foresters, and the Canadian Wood Preservation Association. He and his wife, Martha, live in Mobile, Alabama. They have two children, Sandra and Sylvia.

# RICHARD M. SCHORR (Pennsylvania, Beta Pi '72)

Brother Schorr is vice president and chief financial officer of Winstar Wireless, Inc. He is a member of the Institute of Management Accountants and served as an officer, board member, and executive



committee member for the Temple Beth Tovah. Brother Schorr and his wife, Cheryl, live in Oak Hill, Virginia. They have two daughters, Michelle and Abigail.

#### THOMAS C. SHANER (Maryland, Delta Psi '66)

Brother Shaner is president of the Joseph E. Shaner Company, an association management company located in Baltimore, Maryland. As an undergraduate, he served Delta Psi Chapter as president,



vice president, treasurer, and pledge educator. He also serves as financial advisor to Iota Tau Chapter at Johns Hopkins University. Brother Shaner is heavily involved with various association executive groups, as well as with the greater Baltimore community, with service to the Baltimore Zoo, the U.S.S. Constitution, and the Maryland Science Center. He also serves as vice president of the trustees of Baltimore City College. Brother Shaner has two daughters, Melinda and Catherine.

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#### RAY M. SHAW

(Miami, Gamma Omega '50)

Brother Shaw is a certified public accountant in Miami, Florida. As an undergraduate, he served Gamma Omega Chapter as treasurer. Brother Shaw is a member of the Kiwanis Club of Miami and retired as a captain in the United States Naval Ready Reserve after 33 years of service. His brother, Edward, is also an initiate of Pi Kappa Alpha at Gamma Omega Chapter. Brother Shaw and his wife, Patsy, have two children, Pamela and Robert.

# SINCLAIR G. SHORT (Oklahoma State, Gamma Chi '61)

Brother Short is an oral surgeon with the Central Texas Oral Surgery Associates. As an undergraduate, he served Gamma Chi Chapter as vice president, secretary, treasurer and pledge educator. For his



military service, Brother Short has been recognized with the Legion of Merit and Bronze Star. He and his wife, Karon, live in Austin, Texas.

#### PATRICK D. SMITH (Mississippi, Gamma Iota '44)

Brother Smith is currently a writer and lecturer, having retired after more than thirty years of work as a college administrator at the University of Mississippi and Brevard Community College. He served



Gamma Iota Chapter on the executive council while attending Ole Miss, and has since been named by the University to its Alumni Hall of Fame and has received its Distinguished Alumni Award. Brother Smith, the author of six novels, has been nominated three times for the Pulitzer Prize, and nominated six times for the Nobel Prize for Literature. He has two brothers who are also members of Pi Kappa Alpha. He and his wife, Iris, reside in Merritt Island, Florida. They have two children, Jane and Patrick.

#### R. DARIN SMITH (Indiana State, Theta Omicron '84)

Brother Smith is a manager of information technology for the D-A Lubricant Company and Brooks Technology. As an undergraduate, he served Theta Omicron Chapter as president, vice president and secretary. His brother, Roger, is also a 1984 initiate of Theta Omicron Chapter. Brother Smith resides in Indianapolis, Indiana.

#### KENNETH H. THOMAS, JR.

(Emory, Beta Kappa '65)

Brother Thomas is a historian in the Historic Preservation Division of the Georgia Department of Natural Resources. As an undergraduate, he served Beta Kappa Chapter as president. Brother Thomas



has been a member of the Beta Kappa House Corporation for more than twenty years. He is vice president of the Georgia Historical Society's Atlanta region and serves on the board of advisors of the Center for the Study of Georgia History. Brother Thomas is a freelance speaker and writer on genealogy. He writes a weekly column for the Atlanta Journal-Constitution's Sunday edition entitled "Genealogy". Brother Thomas lives in Decatur, Georgia.

#### MANUEL VENTURA (San Diego State, Delta Kappa '57)

Brother Ventura is regional sales manager of Latin America for Ormco Corporation. He is a member of the Hillcrest Lions Club and the Nice Guys organization. Brother Ventura and his wife,



Janice, live in San Diego, California. They have two sons, Jeffrey and Jonathon.

# STEVEN S. VINCENT (Missouri-Columbia, Alpha Nu '83)

Brother Vincent serves Pi Kappa Alpha as director of alumni affairs. He worked as director of expansion for four years, and traveled for a year as a chapter consultant. Brother Vincent served as



a leadership scholarship consultant for Delta Mu Chapter while he pursued his M.B.A. from the University of Southern Mississippi. He is a member of the International Alumni Association. Prior to rejoining the Fraternity's staff he worked for Andersen Consulting in New Orleans, where he was chapter advisor for Eta Chapter at Tulane University. As an undergraduate, Brother Vincent served as vice president and rush chairman. He and his wife, Suzanne, reside in Memphis.

#### HAROLD B. WALKER (Denver, Gamma Gamma '34)

Brother Walker is Minister Emeritus at the First Presbyterian Church in Evanston, Illinois. He was the first president of



Gamma Gamma Chapter. Brother Walker is a life trustee of the McCormick Theological Seminary, established the Harold Blake Walker Chair of Pastoral Theology also at the McCormick Seminary, and is the author of 15 books. He and his wife, Mary Alice, have three children, Herbert, Howard and Timothy.

#### BILLY M. WARD

(Tennessee-Martin, Epsilon Sigma '66)

Brother Ward is the director of public services for the city of Tyler, Texas. He and his wife, Jeannie, live in Lindale, Texas. They have two children, Jena and James.

# JAMES L. WEBB (Kentucky, Omega '62)

Brother Webb is president of Nucite Sales L.P., in West Chester, Ohio. As an undergraduate, he served Omega Chapter as treasurer. Brother Webb serves on the executive committee of the Warren County



Republican Party, is president of the board of the Wildwood Golf Club, and is chairman of the board of trustees of the First Presbyterian Church in Middletown, Ohio. His father-inlaw, J.N. "Bo" McMillen, is a 1932 initiate of Omega Chapter. Brother Webb and his wife, Emily, live in Springboro, Ohio. They have two children, Scott and Ashley.

#### ROBERT M. WHITE

(Missouri-Rolla, Alpha Kappa '57)

Brother White is the retired chairman and chief executive officer of Marketing Communications, Inc. He has served on the board of several organizations in the greater Kansas City, Missouri, area including the University of Missouri-Kansas City's Center for Direct Marketing, the American Resort Development Association, the Kansas City Direct Marketing Association and the Kansas American Bank. He has also held board positions with the Salvation Army, the Boy Scouts and the Multiple Sclerosis Society. Brother White and his wife, Nora, live in Longboat Key, Florida. They have one son, Martin.

# RUSSELL R. WILSON (Transylvania, Kappa '59)

Brother Wilson is president and treasurer of Pro Feet, Inc., a hosiery manufacturer in Burlington, North Carolina. He is heavily involved with community activities including the United Way, the Salva-



tion Army and the Boys and Girls Club. Brother Wilson also serves on the board at Alamance Community College and Elon College. He has five children, Mary Kathryn, Russell, Taylor, James and James David.

# Lily of the Valley Society

JAMES C. ADDY (Wayne State, Delta Nu '64)

Brother Addy is a partner in the machine tools sales firm, Addy-Morand Machinery Co. As an undergraduate, he served Delta Nu Chapter as vice president. He has served as president of the Delta Nu House Corporation, and has been named Delta Nu Alumnus of the Year for his outstanding volunteer service. Brother Addy and his wife, Rose Marie, live in Fraser, Michigan. They have two children, Debra and Steven.

#### SAMUEL ALTIERO

(Seton Hall University, Eta Beta '74)

Brother Altiero is a partner in the New York office of Andersen Consulting. As an undergraduate, he served Eta Beta Chapter as president and pledge educator. He later served as Eta Beta chapter advisor. Brother Altiero and his wife, Kate, live in Randolph, New Jersey. They have two children, Jilian and Sam.

ROBERT N. COX (Southeast Missouri State, Epsilon Iota '64)

Brother Cox serves Pi Kappa Alpha as regional president of the Heartland Region. He was formerly



regional president of the Midwest Region. He has provided more than 25 years of service to Epsilon Iota Chapter as chapter advisor, alumni association treasurer and house corporation treasurer. Brother Cox is a member of the Educational Foundation's **Oak Trust** and is a Charter Life member of the International Alumni Association. He is vice chairman of the Cape Girardeau Planning and Zoning Commission (serving as a director on that board for over 15 years), and is chairman of the Southeast Missouri American Red Cross. He is on the National Alumni Council as well as serving on the Greek Alumni Board at Southeast Missouri University.

#### DELLIE A. MARDIS, JR.

(Mississippi, Gamma Iota '47)

Brother Mardis is the owner of an Oil Independent in New Orleans, Louisiana, where he resides with his wife, Lois. They have one daughter, Linda.

#### GEOFFREY W. MILLER

(Maryland, Delta Psi '76)

Brother Miller is chief financial officer of Lacerte Software in Dallas, Texas. He is currently engaged and lives in Plano, Texas.

#### VINCE V. OWENS

(Weber State, Eta Theta '78)

Brother Owens is a regional sales manager for the Omega Watch Company. As an undergraduate, he served Eta Theta Chapter as vice president. Brother Owens also served as a resident counselor for



the members of Gamma Epsilon Chapter at Utah State University. His brother, Rick, was also a member of Pi Kappa Alpha at Eta Theta Chapter. Brother Owens is president of the Golden Nuggets of Southern California and was on the national steering committee for the Clinton/Gore Campaign 1996. He is currently engaged to Patricia Yglesias, and resides in Yorba Linda, California.

# CHARLES D. PLATT (Nebraska-Omaha, Delta Chi '52)

Brother Platt is currently a private investor residing in Greenwood Village, Colorado. He is the retired president of Alamo Rent A Car and the retired vice president of GMAC. Brother Platt serves as a di-



rector of NationsBank of Florida, the U.S. Grant Association, and the Broward Commu-

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nity College Endowment Fund. He is also treasurer of The Lincoln Forum, and is a member of the International Advisory Board of the Business School at the University of Nebraska-Omaha. He and his wife, Linda, have two children, Murray and Annette.

# ROBERT A. SCHLUTER (Northwestern, Gamma Rho '84)

Brother Schluter is professor of physics and astronomy emeritus at Northwestern University in Chicago, Illinois. He has published in excess of ninety works dealing



with experimental particle physics and is a nationally recognized expert in his field. Brother Schluter serves Pi Kappa Alpha as faculty advisor for Gamma Rho Chapter at Northwestern and as chapter advisor for Iota Xi Chapter at the University of Chicago. He is also a member of the Educational Foundation's **Oak Trust**.

# REX M. WALKER (Washington State, Gamma Xi '50)

Brother Walker currently works in property development and personal investment, after retiring as an attorney in a large Seattle law firm. He serves on the Board of Directors



of Key Bank of Washington. Brother Walker and his wife, Ruth, live in Bellevue, Washington. They have four children, James, David, Melinda and Douglas.



The Pi Kappa Alpha Educational Foundation and International Alumni Association recently recognized Brother Chris Tucker with a handsome plaque for his courageous battle against Lou Gerhig's Disease in a ceremony in his home. Shown left to right are Director of Alumni Affairs Steve Vincent, Dr. Walter Wheelhouse, Chris Tucker, and his wife, Rosemary Tucker.

## **Chris Tucker Scholarship Fund Established**

Under the guidance and direction of Dr. Walter Wheelhouse (Vanderbilt, Sigma '68) of Lawrenceburg, Tennessee, the Pi Kappa Alpha Educational Foundation has established the Chris Tucker Scholarship Fund, in honor of Brother Chris Tucker (Rhodes College, Theta '69) of Springfield. Chris now suffers from amyotrophic lateral sclerosis, more commonly known as Lou Gehrig's Disease, and is totally bedridden and dependent upon a respirator.

Brothers Tucker and Wheelhouse became friends in 1985 while Chris was personnel director of Jesse Holman Jones Hospital in Springfield. Soon thereafter they both realized the common bond of Pi Kappa Alpha, and a closer friendship continues to this day.

Chris and his wife Rosemary are the proud parents of three sons, and are most appreciative of this great honor. Chris has been a dedicated member of the Lion's Club of Springfield for years, and the local club recently honored his membership and years of service with a \$1,000 contibution to this scholarship fund, which has an endowment goal of \$10,000. Proceeds from this endowment will be awarded annually to an undergraduate brother who most epitomizes Brother Tucker's courage and zest for life.

Alumni and friends interested in helping this fund become endowed and operative as soon as possible should send their tax-deductible gifts to:

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## Welcome New Donors!

The following generous alumni made their first annual gift to the Pi Kappa Alpha Educational Foundation's PIKE FUND between July 1, 1997, and October 24, 1997. Thank you brothers!

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(Washington State, Gamma Xi '76)
James M. Corey
(Marshall, Delta Iota '85)

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# Pi Kappa Alpha International Alumni Association

#### Alpha Eta (Florida) Alumni Club

Motivated even further by the winning of the 1997 Nester Award for alumni association excellence, the Alpha Eta Alumni Club hopes to accomplish even more this year. Ten new members, many of them younger alumni, have joined the club. New members Rod Whited '90 and former chapter consultant Chris Peterson '91 organized a Fall Football Reunion for the weekend of the Florida Gators victory over the Arkansas Razorbacks. Over 125 alumni, most of them initiated 1988-93, attended what is certain to become an annual event. Thanks as usual to Larry Ramers '71 for his work with the Alpha Eta Alumni Club.

#### Alpha Nu (Missouri) Alumni Association

Alpha Nu celebrated Super Alumni Weekend '97 on September 27, 1997. For the second consecutive year, the event was a tremendous success. Over 125 alumni returned to Columbia to watch the vastly improved Mizzou Tigers lose a tough one to the mighty Ohio State Buckeyes. Alumni were treated to a recently renovated front section of the Pike House, a receptive and growing chapter, and yet another reunion show by The Jobz, that laughable, lovable house band from the eighties. Thanks to SAW '97 co-chairmen Greg Rebman '83 and Kurt Heinrichs '83 for their great efforts. Super Alumni Weekend '98 is scheduled for September 12, 1998 when Mizzou takes on arch-rival Kansas.

#### Alpha Phi (Iowa State) Alumni Association

The Alpha Phi Alumni Association celebrated its first full year of existence with a successful tailgate party prior to the Iowa State vs. Iowa football game. Only the game's outcome was disappointing. Over 125 alumni traveled from all over the United States, special mention going to the most senior attendees George Haverkamp '39 and Larry Anderson '37. Special thanks to Craig Baurle '87 for arranging football tickets, Bob Roush '88 for manning the grill, and of course Tom Norris 72, Dave Tillinghast '79 and Dana Bentzinger '74. The association wishes success to the current members of Alpha Phi and extends congratulations to Scott Lucas, the first new member in Alpha Phi's recolonization process.



New members of the NSU Pike Alumni Association are welcomed to campus by the current brothers of Theta Epsilon Chapter at Northeastern State University in Tahlequah, Oklahoma.

#### Atlanta Alumni Club

The Atlanta Alumni Club hosted its first annual golf tournament at the Champions Club of Gwinnett in Snellville, Georgia. Nearly 40 golfers, including club president Oliver Porter (South Carolina, Xi '56), Educational Foundation Executive Director Pat Haynes (Arkansas State, Delta Theta '81) and Director of Alumni Affairs Steve Vincent (Missouri, Alpha Nu '83), enjoyed the tournament which was coordinated by John Houston (Pittsburg State, Epsilon Chi '69). Next year's tournament is already scheduled for October 5, 1998.

#### Big Sky (Montana State) Alumni Association

On October 3-4, 1997, the Big Sky Alumni Association of Gamma Kappa chapter celebrated Montana State's Homecoming. The current chapter, which receives from the association academic scholarships and Fraternity conference fees, provided pre-game house tours and a post-game barbecue. In addition to social activities, the alumni association further developed its advisory program which pairs executive chapter officers with alumni. For more information on the Big Sky Alumni Association, please contact Jason Smith '89 (406) 587-9553.

#### Gamma Xi (Washington State) Alumni Association

The Gamma Xi Alumni Association moves forward as one of the best associations in Pi Kappa Alpha. In addition to the quarterly printed newsletter *The Pike Alumni Connection*, President Mike Mathy '80 produces and distributes a monthly e-mail newsletter with over 80 alumni recipients. For those interested in receiving the newsletter, send your e-mail address to wsualum@gte.net. Also, visit the Gamma Xi Alumni Association web site at http://homel.gte.net/wsualum.

#### Eta Alpha (Clemson) Alumni Association

Over 60 Eta Alpha alumni participated in the 11th Annual Homecoming Golf Tournament held at the Boscobell Country Club in Anderson, South Carolina. The team of Peter Thomas '84, Mack McCarter '84, Ken Fennell '83 and Jack Turpin '84 took home the coveted "D.O." trophy. Special thanks go to tournament organizers Brian Garrison '81 and Gordy Farr '85 and their committee of "Hairdaddy" Harrelson '83 and John Flythe '86.

Although the Clemson Tigers came up short against Virginia, alumni thoroughly enjoyed

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the 11th Annual Homecoming Tailgate, just outside Death Valley, hosted in part by Eric Hills '83, Jeff Duckworth '84, Trip Renfro '80 and Mac Renfro '83. Food, drink and the infamous halftime "koozie throw" made for an evening of fun and fellowship.

The Eta Alpha Alumni Association will be officially chartered in the spring of 1998. Goals include coordination of alumni events and production of a quarterly newsletter. The charter will be presented to the chapter for display in the "New Shack" at Founders Day 1998. For information about the Eta Alpha Alumni Association, please contact Bubba Britton at (864) 962-0029.

#### Northeastern State University (Theta Epsilon) Alumni Association

On September 20, 1997 the NSU Pike Alumni Association held its first annual golf scramble at Cherry Springs Golf Course in Tahlequah, Oklahoma. 25 brothers and alumni participated in the inaugural effort, honors going to Eddie Miller '87, Calvin Roberts '90, Lorne Carter '91 and Mark Humphries '96. After the scramble, alumni and chapter members attended the Redmen football game and Parent's Day activities.

On October 18, Homecoming was celebrated by the signing of an alumni association charter petition by 30 alumni. Festivities included a tour of the campus' new "Net Building", picnic lunch, Redmen football game and dinner. Matt Engel '88 won the man-miles award for his journey from Clayton, Missouri. The NSU Pike Alumni Association is looking forward to its March 28 Charter Banquet which will be keynoted by International President John Michael Williams (Oklahoma State, Gamma Chi '68). Thanks to Rick Moore '87 for his many efforts in the establishment of the association.

# Sigma Alpha Delta-Pi Kappa Alpha (Ferris State) Alumni Association

Yet another memorable alumni reunion was held on Mackinac Island, Michigan. Activities included carriage rides, golf, historic tours and euchre. Ken Karsten '66 and Lew Waterfield (Sigma Alpha Delta) were honored for 30 years of service to the alumni association. Thanks to Ken Emery '66 for his exceptional work in coordinating the annual event.

#### Theta Mu (Massachusetts) Alumni Association

The Theta Mu Alumni Association is officially chartered and operating. Goals include two newsletters annually and coordination of alumni related activities. The association has already hosted a golf tournament and assisted in various Homecoming events. Special thanks to Joe Vozza '92 and chapter advisor Craig Fink '91.

# Theta Tau (Sacramento State) Alumni Association

Over 40 alumni participated in the second annual Golf and Hornet Football Game event. On a very challenging course, Greg Lauck '87 earned low net with an impressive 69. Although questioned, Troy Chamberlin '85 won closest to the pin and Bill Purcell '83 took long drive honors. The overall championship went to Chamberlin, Lauck, Mark Sienkiewicz '86 and John Sercu '85 (who actually never showed). Following the tournament, many alumni visited the 2-Me, their old campus hangout. Plans are already being developed for next year's event. Thanks to Doug Stone '84 for his coordination of the excellent outing.

#### **CHAPTER ALUMNI ACTIVITIES**

Tau (North Carolina) - celebrated Founders Day on the weekend the Tar Heels battled Florida State at the newly renovated Kenan Stadium. Following the game, Doug Clary and the Hot Nots band entertained the brothers and alumni. Beta Kappa (Emory) developed an alumni outreach program that matches brothers and alumni by common occupational interests. Chapter Advisor and former Pi Kappa Alpha Executive Director Allen Groves was the featured guest at the first event. Interested alumni should contact Alumni Relations Chairman Howard Altman (404) 982-0969 or IMC Matt Fernand (404) 712-8593. Beta Upsilon (Colorado) hosted 35 alumni for brunch before the Homecoming football game against Texas A&M. Gamma Upsilon (Tulsa) - held a cookout in conjunction with Alumni/Parents Weekend. Chapter officers meet biweekly with alumni to keep them informed of the Newell Award chapter's progress. Delta Mu (Southern Mississippi) - is planning a Founders Day Golf Tournament. Interested alumni should contact Clay Stoddard (601) 266-2593. Delta Omega (High Point) - hopes to see many alumni return for the 45th Founders Day on February 7, 1998. The chapter encourages all alumni to visit the website at www.highpoint.edu/~hpupikes. Epsilon lota (Southeast Missouri State) - is hosting Founders Day 1998 on February 28 in Cape Girardeau, Missouri. For information contact the chapter (573) 339-3579. **Epsilon** Lambda (Murray State) - had over 400 alumni attend Homecoming. The chapter appreciates the \$5000 in donations from generous alumni. Epsilon Chi (Pittsburg State) is revitalizing their alumni relations program. The recently published newsletter highlighted upcoming alumni events, listed improving alumni relations as a chapter goal and summa-

rized the first annual summer golf tournament. Interested alumni should contact Alumni Re-Chairman Jeff Kramer at pikepitt@apexcorp.com or (316) 232-7453. ZetaAlpha"A" (Kettering) - held its annual alumni barbecue which was well attended. Zeta Beta (Delta State) - will celebrate Founders Day on February 28, 1998. All interested alumni should contact the chapter at (601) 846-3176. Zeta Sigma (Florida Tech) - is preparing for its 30th Anniversary Founders Day celebration February 28, 1998. The event will be held in conjunction with the Sunshine Regional Conference. Theta Omicron (Indiana State) - hosted its annual Homecoming Alumni Tent at Memorial Stadium. Also, the annual Pike Alumni Golf Outing was held October 11. **lota Xi (Chicago)** - celebrated Alumni Weekend with dinner and a day at the races at Arlington. lota Chi (Connecticut) is very proud of its first alumni newsletter. Please contact alumni relations chairman Al Green (860) 429-6506 if you haven't received your letter. Iota Omega (Western Ontario) - alumni continue to be encouraging and supportive. Over 25 alumni participated in Homecoming events and the Zeta Classic, the chapter's annual golf tournament. Kappa Alpha (Illinois State) - thanks the twenty alumni that attended the annual Barn Dance. Kappa Gamma (Florida International) - celebrated its first annual Founders Day with attendance of over 60 alumni and current chapter members. Friday night's banquet was followed by a rain soaked Saturday golf tournament. The entire weekend was a success and the chapter is already looking forward to a big turnout for next year's event. Kappa Nu (Pacific) hosted alumni for a Homecoming barbecue and released the latest issue of Kappa News, their alumni newsletter.



# Upcoming Activities & Founders Day Events:

#### Alpha Gamma (LSU) Alumni Association 1998 Founders Day Celebration

- March 1-7, 1998; Baton Rouge, Louisiana
- 3/1: Baton Rouge Kingfish Hockey Game; 3/2: Dinner & Chapter Meeting
- 3/3: Social @ IVARS (www.ivars.com); 3/6 Open House, Belle of Baton Rouge
- 3/7: Golf Tournament; Founders Day Dinner & Dance
- Contact: Brett Poirrier (504) 923-0579 or bpoirri@doa.state.la.us

#### Alpha Omicron (Southwestern) New Chapter House Dedication

- January 24, 1998; Georgetown, Texas
- Keynote: International President John Michael Williams
- Contact: David M. Barnes (512) 819-8993 or barnesd@southwestern.edu

#### Alpha Phi (Iowa State) Alumni Association 1997-98 Basketball Season Events

- December 12, 1997; Iowa State vs. Iowa; Ames, Iowa
- "Thank God the Football Season Is Over" Pre-game Function
- February 4, 1998; Iowa State vs. Kansas; Ames, Iowa
- Contact: Dana Bentzinger (515) 276-3496

#### Beta Beta (Washington) Alumni Association Founders Day and Northwest Regional

- · February 28, 1998; Seattle, Washington
- · Will be attended by the Supreme Council
- Contact: Kevin Eng at engsta@u.washington.edu

Conference

#### Capitol Area Alumni Association Congressional Founders Day

- March 4, 1998; Washington, D.C
- Remarks: International President John Michael Williams
- Contact: Matt Teems (703) 851-1788

#### Gamma Xi (Washington State) Alumni Association

#### Basketball PAC10 Tip-Off

- January 5, 1998; Seattle, Washington
- Washington State Cougars vs. Washington Huskies
- Contact: Mike Mathy (425) 641-7286 or wsualum@gte.net

#### Gamma Omicron (Ohio) Alumni Association Founders Day

- · March 14, 1998; Kings Island, Ohio
- Keynote: Educational Foundation President Gary Menchhofer
- · Contact: Marshall Miller (513) 932-5927

#### Delta Delta (Florida Southern) 50th Anniversary Founders Day Celebration

- · March 21, 1998; Lakeland, Florida
- Contacts: Ed Morris (305) 667-6673 or Sal Paone (941) 680-3714

#### Delta Eta (Delaware) 50th Anniversary Founders Day Celebration

- · February 28, 1998; Newark, Delaware
- Delaware Area Alumni Association
- Contact: Steve Considine (609) 881-5792

#### Delta Theta (Arkansas State) 50th Anniversary

- March 13-15, 1998; Jonesboro, Arkansas
- Northeast Arkansas Alumni Association
- Reception, NEAAA Meeting, Open House, Banquet, Dance
- Contacts: Jason Brady (501) 375-0479 or Robert Holifield (870) 931-4331

# Delta Iota (Marshall) 50th Anniversary Founders Day Celebration

- · April 18, 1998; Huntington, West Virginia
- River Cities Alumni Association
- Keynote: International President John Michael Williams
- · Brunch, Golf Tournament, Banquet, Dance
- Contact: Russell Alexander (304) 523-6559



Past and present Fraternity presidents gather at the 1997 Congressional Founders Day celebration. From left: Gary Sallquist (Nebraska-Omaha, Delta Chi '57), William N. LaForge (Delta State, Zeta Beta '69), John Michael Williams (Oklahoma State, Gamma Chi '68), Ed Pease (Indiana, Delta Xi '77), and F. Anderson Morse (William and Mary, Gamma '76).

#### Delta Omega (High Point) 45th Anniversary Founders Day

- February 7, 1998; Winston-Salem, North Carolina
- Adam's Mark: Banquet, Awards, Dance
- Contact: David Witmer (910) 841-9055 or Witmeda8@highpoint.edu

#### Eta Alpha (Clemson) Founders Day 1998

- February 28, 1998; Greenville, South Carolina
- Reception, Dinner, Awards
- ◆ Chartering of Eta Alpha Alumni Association
- Contacts: Brad Banks (864) 654-0690 or Chris Hott (864) 654-7360

#### Eta Phi (Central Florida) 25th Anniversary Founders Day Celebration

- March 28, 1998; Orlando, Florida
- Keynote: International Alumni Commission Chairman Tommy Turner
- ◆ Contact: Scott Bell (407) 872-1060

#### Hilton Head Area Alumni Founders Day

- March 3, 1998; Beaufort County, South Carolina
- Contact: Robert Cyester (419) 332-4265

# Iota Delta (Rose-Hulman) 10th Anniversary Celebration

- ◆ January 31, 1998; Terre Haute, Indiana
- Keynote: Educational Foundation President Gary Menchhofer
- · Alpha Alpha Class Initiation Banquet
- Contact: Karl Sorensen (812) 238-3819

#### lota Mu (Southern Illinois) Founders Day Dinner 1998

- February 28, 1998; Tom's Place -Carbondale, Illinois
- Iota Mu Alumni Association
- Contact: Mike Moan (815) 338-3766

#### Kappa Alpha (Illinois State) Dreamgirl Founders Day Formal 1998

- February 14, 1998; Chicago, Illinois
- · O'Hare Hilton
- Contact: Mike Henegan (309) 454-3884

#### North Atlantic Region Philadelphia Area Alumni Reception

- February 6, 1998; Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
- Penn Tower Hotel on the University of Pennsylvania Campus, 7:00-9:00 p.m.
- In conjunction with the North Atlantic Regional Leadership Conference
- Contacts: Dan Goldberg (215) 222-3250, North Atlantic Regional President Howard Goldstein (215) 641-0608

#### Theta Epsilon (Northeast Oklahoma) NSU Pike Alumni Association Charter Banquet

- March 28, 1998; Tulsa, Oklahoma
- Keynote: International President John Michael Williams
- Contact: Rick Moore (918) 610-8882 or Rick@pikes.com

#### Zeta Sigma (Florida Tech) 30th Anniversary

- February 28, 1998; Melbourne, Florida
- Sunshine Regional Conference
- Contact: SMC Aaron Martin (407) 768-1380





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#### ALABAMA

Harry A. Foster '85 and his wife, Julie, and two sons moved to Boston in August. Foster will attend the Mid Career Master Program at the John F. Kennedy School of Government at Harvard University. When not in school, Foster is an Air Force captain flying the B-2 Stealth Bomber.

James R. Sides '55, president of Atlantic Research Corp., has been named chairman and chief executive officer of the company and elected a vice president of ARC's parent company, Sequa Corp.

#### **ARIZONA**

Christopher S. Stocks '91 was named national sales director at Dean Witter Morgan Stanley and promoted to retirement and pension plan specialist in the firm.

#### **ARIZONA STATE**

Ali Sar, Jr. '93 married Kristina Horn on May 17, 1997. They live in Orange County, California, where Sar is a sales manager for BISCO Industries.



#### ARKANSAS

**Robert T. Dawson '57** has been appointed as the Federal judge from the Western District of Arkansas.

Rich Robins '82 and his wife announce the birth of their daughter, Ellis Rose, on July 8, 1997. Robins was promoted to color network market manager with Xerox in Little Rock.

Randy M. Robinson '89 and his wife, Kristin, announce the birth of their second daughter, Tiffany Kay, on June 26, 1997.

#### **ARKANSAS STATE**

**Peter M. O'Connor, Jr. '91** works for Morgan Keegan Company as an investment broker/advisor in the Little Rock office.

#### **AUBURN**

Steven S. McClinton '89 married Stephanie White on August 17, 1996. He is a personal financial analyst with Primerica Financial Services, a member of Travelers Group.

#### BAYLOR

Ladd K. Biro '81 and his wife, Shelly, moved into their new home in October, with their sons, Shane, Spencer, and Preston. Biro is president of The Manufacturing Institute and the senior vice president of marketing for the National Association of Manufacturers.

Michael Branham '87 has developed the Competitive Strength Inventory, a market research tool for measuring competitiveness, customer loyalty, and marketing effectiveness. The CSI has been featured in Marketing Tools magazine and Quirk's Marketing Research Review. Branham is president of Competitive Benchmarking Associ-

ates. He lives in The Woodlands, Texas, with his wife, Mary Katherine, and their daughter, Brianna.

**Scott Fritz '85** has opened his own business, Human Capital LLC, a professional employer organization specializing in human resources for small to medium companies.

Austin R. Nimocks '92 graduated from Baylor Law School in August 1997. He now lives in Jackson, Mississippi, where he is employed as a briefing attorney for the Mississippi Court of Appeals.

#### **BOWLING GREEN STATE**

Fred J. Minich '76 has opened an Edward Jones Investments office in upper Arlington, Ohio; Minich joins Delta Beta brother Steve Daley '86 with Edward Jones in the nearby Grandview office.

**Scott L. Struna '88** is starting the third successful year in his Italian restaurant in Chatham, Cape Cod, Massachusetts.

#### BRADLEY

John Mikenis '73 has completed his first year as wholesale account manager of construction with AT&T Capital in Lake Oswego, Oregon. Mikenis coaches his daughter's soccer team, and has taken them to tournaments in Boise, Las Vegas, and Seattle.

#### **CALIFORNIA-BERKELEY**

**Tony Fernandez '88** is a sales associate for EMC Corporation in San Francisco, California.

Steven S. Owen '84 and his wife, Jane, were married on November 10, 1995. They announce the birth of their daughter, Bryn Evelyn, on September 25, 1997. Owen is an attorney with Hillyer & Irwin in San Diego; their practice is in construction litigation.

Jay B. Reznick '80 married Trudy Norton on March 15, 1997. Reznick practices with the Southern California Oral and Facial Surgery Group in Encino and Westlake Village, California

#### CALIFORNIA-DAVIS

Chris Micheli '88 and his wife, Liza, announce the birth of their daughter, Francesca Marie, on July 14, 1997. She joins her sister, Morgan.

#### **CALIFORNIA-LOS ANGELES**

Carlos M. Cojulun '91 is attending the John M. Olin School of Business at Washington University in St. Louis, where he lives with his wife, Michelle.

#### CALIFORNIA STATE-NORTHRIDGE

**Steve Escovar '87** married Christine Renguillo on August 23, 1997; they met while at UC-Berkeley. Escovar is starting his fourth year as a criminal defense attorney.

Marc Lazarus '89 married Cathy Beaulieu on July 19, 1997, in Huntington Beach, California.

In attendance were Zeta Omicron brothers Craig Tresidder '87 and Robert Giacobbe '89. The couple honeymooned in Kona, Hawaii. Lazarus works as a law clerk in Irvine, California, while attending his third year of law school at Chapman University.



#### **CALIFORNIA STATE-SACRAMENTO**

**Jeff Hamblin** '93 was commissioned as a second lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force upon graduation. He is stationed at Wright Patterson Air Force Base, where he is an F-15 financial manager.

#### **CASE WESTERN**

Jonathan T. Batross '89 and his wife, Gail, welcomed their first child, Jonathan, Jr., on July 2, 1997. They live in Walled Lake, Michigan, where Batross is a design engineer for Ford Motor Company.

#### CENTRAL FLORIDA

**Jason S. Carr '92** is the corporate cash manager for SunTrust Bank, Central Florida, in Orlando, where he lives with his wife, Kristin.

Wayne D. Doyle, Jr. '76 has completed his M.B.A. from Nova Southeastern University and is working as an executive of the Procter & Gamble Company. Doyle graduated with honors and has been accepted as a member of Sigma Beta Delta National Honor Society for business.

Jonathan L. Spreitzer '91 married Beth Ann Black on April 5, 1997. Fellow brothers in attendance were Scott Langley '91, Jeff Molander '88, Rick Skelton '90, Jeff Skelton '91, Jim Driscoll '91 and Terry Popelka '90. The newlyweds are living in Atlantic Beach, Florida.



#### CLEMSON

John H. Tabor '75 has been elected AIA vice chair of the Charlotte-Mecklenburg, North Carolina Planning Commission. Tabor is an architect by training, and has been working with his wife



on their new company, USMortage Group. Prior to June 1997, he was president of Middleton McMillan Architects. He is president-elect of Leadership CHARLOTTE, and past president of AIA Charlotte, the local component of the American Institute of Architects.

#### **COLORADO STATE**

W. Duane Clementi '88 was promoted to senior programmer analyst for Federal Express early this year. He married Angele Elaine Carter on August 9th, with Epsilon Theta brother RickTaylor '90 in attendance.

Dwight M. Kinnes '83 and his wife, Tammy,

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proudly announce the birth of their daughter, Alexandra Lauren, on August 16, 1997. Kinnes is the director of Geologic Modeling Services for Marston & Marston, Inc. in Denver.

**Kevin Otto '96** has accepted a teaching assistantship in the bioengineering department at Arizona State University, with plans to complete his Ph.D.

#### CONCORD

Bill C. Harris, Jr. '82 and his wife, DeAnna, announce the birth of their son, Jacob Paul, on July 25, 1997. Harris is in a new position with Sprint PCS as a call trafficking specialist; they live in Gainesville, Texas.

#### CREIGHTON

Robert L. Burns, Jr. '81 married Valorie Houk on October 11, 1997. He opened a private practice in oral and maxillofacial surgery in Melbourne, Florida.

**Jason Hilliard '92** married Kelly Foss on April 25, 1997. They live in Phoenix, Arizona where Hilliard is a financial advisor with American Express.

**Thomas F. Klumper '81** is the assistant United States attorney for the District of Puerto Rico in San Juan. He will be prosecuting white collar crimes and drug cases.

#### DAVIDSON

**Ifor Williams '77** is an assistant professor of pathology at Emory University. Williams and his wife, Julie, have two sons, Grant and Austin.

#### **DELAWARE**

Matt Scheuer'90 is employed with Therics, Inc., a pharmaceutical research and development company in Princeton, New Jersey. He is a network specialist.

#### **DELTA STATE**

**Roy Byars '90** is a senior programmer/analyst with Terex Corporation in Southaven, Mississippi.

#### DUKE

**Edward A. Bond '90** received his M.B.A. from Georgia Tech on June 15, 1997; he has moved to the San Jose, California area to work for IBM.

#### **EAST CAROLINA**

Bruce Lau '85 is a first officer for Trans World Airlines. He and his wife, Kathy, announce the birth of their second son, Jeffery Scott, on August 15, 1997. They live in northwest Arkansas.

W. Fred Robertson '58 was presented the David Clark Award by the Southern Textile Association for distinguised leadership and service to the association and to the textile industry. He is past president of the association and retired as division vice president of Fieldcrest Cannon, Inc. He is president and CEO of Cabbarus and Southeastern Answering Services of Concord and Charlotte, North Carolina.

**Glenn Whitley '89** received his doctorate from Campbell School of Pharmacy. He works for Wal-Mart Pharmacy in Kinston, North Carolina.

#### **EAST TENNESSEE STATE**

Joe Britt '88 has bought two General Nutrition Center stores in Bellvue and Hickory Hollow, Tennessee.

Rodney G. Emmert '91 and his wife, Melissa, announce the birth of their son, Joseph Dalton, on July 18, 1997.

#### **EASTERN ILLINOIS**

Waylon C. Jackson '96 is a nursing student at Southern Illinois University. He plans to receive his master's degree in nursing anesthesiology.

#### **EASTERN KENTUCKY**

**Daniel G. Osborne '88** and his wife, Lori, announce the birth of their son, Aaron Taylor, on September 4, 1997.

#### **EMORY**

William G. Runyon'70 is a senior vice president at National Health Services, a medical management company in Louisville, Kentucky. Runyon has one daughter, Julia.

#### **FERRIS STATE**

Mace Aluia '92 is an account executive for the Portland Trail Blazers NBA franchise.

Chris D. Bradfield '86 and his wife, Kim, announce the birth of their daughter, Sydney Katherine, on December 12, 1996. Both work for the General Polymers division of Ashland Chemical Company in Minnesota.

#### **FLORIDA**

**Jim Hetz '88** has been admitted to the Florida Bar; he plans to relocate to Los Angeles to practice entertainment law.

John M. Morgan '39 is a retired physician, married 51 years to his wife, Nancy. He is in the Seminole County Sports Hall of Fame, and also Emory University's Sports Hall of Fame.



Erik Nenortas '93 has been promoted to director of recreation therapy at John Knox Village of Florida, Inc.

Jose J. Zayas '89 graduated from Michigan State University College of Medicine in 1997; he will be entering pediatric residency at Miami Children's Hospital on July 1, 1998. He and his wife, Goldie, have two children, Daniel and Sophia.

#### **FLORIDA SOUTHERN**

Robert B. Marvin '52 has written *The Illustrated History of Mack Fire Apparatus*. Other books by Marvin in print are *The Encyclopedia LaFrance*,

Henry Ford and Ford Fire Apparatus, Packard Guide, The Chronology of Packard, The Packard Registry, and several more.

#### **FLORIDA STATE**

Roger R. Obodich '67, after 20 years with U.S. Home and other construction companies, has started The Falkland Group, a residential construction company in Tampa, Florida, building homes and developing new subdivisions in the Tampa Bay area.

#### **FLORIDA TECH**

Edward A. Sarkisian '77 is a pilot with United Airlines on the Boeing 757 and 767. He writes that he mostly enjoys being at home with his wife and four-year old son, Daniel. He would like to hear more news of his Zeta Sigma brothers.

#### **FRANCIS MARION**

Brian F. Kelley '93 has been promoted to commercial and industrial marketing representative with Pee Dee Electric Cooperative, Inc. in Darlington, South Carolina.

Scott T. Richberg '89 married Lisa Gentry on May 17, 1997. Among the attendants were Theta Delta brothers Scott Herrington '91 and Travis Lanier '90. Richberg works for Allegiance Healthcare Corporation in Raleigh, North Carolina.

#### **GANNON**

David W. Scaff '88 graduated from Western University of Health Sciences in Los Angeles in June 1997. Scaff has begun his internship at Conemaugh Memorial Medical Center in Johnstown, Pennsylvania, with plans to enter general surgery residency.

#### **GEORGIA COLLEGE**

Robb Little '91 graduated in June 1997, with a landscape architecture degree from the school of environmental design. He is now employed with Haden-Stanziale, Inc. in a land planning, landscape architecture firm in Charlotte, North Carolina.

#### **GEORGIA SOUTHERN**

Rob Butcher '93 moved to Daytona Beach and started his own business, "Experience It". He defines emotions such as success, courage, commitment, passion, etc. He then embroiders and screen prints the definition with the "Experience It" logo on t-shirts, sweatshirts and hats. He has national accounts with J.C. Penney's, Gold's Gym and several regional chains.

Marc R. Herrick '94 was hired as the assistant athletic director for the Atlanta Athletic Club in April. He reports that the Iota Upsilon Pikes are still playing soccer together in Atlanta, and they are still trying to organize an IΨ Alumni get-together.

#### HIGH POINT

William P. Hedrick '63 has been promoted from sales manager to vice president of sales with E.F.

Craven Company, a heavy equipment dealer with six locations in North Carolina.

**Brian P. O'Neill '93** is in a new job as a computer systems administrator for DCV, Inc. in Wilmington, Delaware.

#### HOUSTON

**Kevin Pehlman '78** has been promoted to vice president of operations and special events for Patrick Henry Creative Promotions, Inc.

Frank Petras '69 and his wife, Brenda, are partners both on and off stage. The musical duo performs at company parties, weddings, and church and special occasions. They live in Pecan Grove, Texas with their son, Brad.

#### IDAHO

Wade Rumney '66 was elected as president of the Colorado branch of the National League of Postmasters; he continues to serve as the national director of the Improved Managers' Process, National League of Postmasters. He has been the postmaster in Gunnison, Colorado for 13 years.

#### **ILLINOIS**

Mike Bergner '85 and his wife, Angie, announce the birth of their son, Tanner Michael, on September 21, 1997.

**Scott Emering '88** graduated in May from the University of Michigan Business School with an M.B.A.. He moved to Chicago and is working as a senior consultant with Ernst & Young.

Thomas Neri '71 is president and publisher of Pioneer Press, a newspaper company serving 48 counties. Neri has been involved for six years with Chicago's Little City Foundation and was named 1997's Board Member of the Year.

LawrenceToomey '80 married Karen Brew last January. In attendance were Steven Foertsch, '79, Max Albrecht '80, and Dave Malone '80.

#### **ILLINOIS STATE**

**Lee Gordon '95** has accepted a job as the new weekend sports anchor/reporter at KTVQ-TV in Billings, Montana.

**Anthony M. Midthun '94** has been promoted to special claim investigator and transferred to northern California.

#### INDIANA SOUTHEAST

Charles E. Lewis '93 is a field systems support associate for Papa Johns USA.

#### INDIANA STATE

David W. Brown '83, a captain in the U.S. Air Force, has been selected for promotion to major. Brown is assigned to HQ PACAF, Hickam Air Force Base, Hawaii, as an aircraft maintenance officer responsible for policy for the command's turbojet engines valued at 1.6 billion dollars.

**Tom Brown '93** is employed with M&I Data Services in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

**Darin Smith '84** has taken the MIS director position for two companies, D-A Lubricant and Brooks Technology.

#### KANSAS

**Ronald D. Carter '68** is the director of marketing for the Association of Surgical Technologists in Englewood, Colorado.

Mike Chapman '80 and his wife, Michelle, are in the final stages of adopting their first daughter, Angel. Two weeks after signing the initial adoption papers, they discovered that Michelle was pregnant, and they expect their second child in December. Chapman continues to direct the Hollywood ministry of Campus Crusade for Christ.

Robert Donahue '86 has been called to active duty with his Reserve Unit (351st Military Police Company) in support of Operation Joint Guard, with deployment in Bosnia. He writes that it will be quite a change from his job as convention sales manager with the Hilton Hotels.

**Ronald R. Farrin '73** works as an A/E project principal for The Haskell Company in Jacksonville, Florida.

Matthew D. Roesner '85 is the operations executive for Subsidiaries for Telkom South Africa. He works in this capacity for SBC Communications, Inc., responsible for marketing operations, product development and management for all subsidiary and affiliate units of Telkom SA. Roesner married Kathy Hilston on July 5, 1997, in Bermuda, and they now live in Johannesburg, South Africa.

Michael T. Ward '91 is a professional pharmaceutical sales representative for Astra.

Bob A. Wiltfong '89 married Jill Renee Newton on June 21, 1997. They live in Wichita, where he works for the NBC affiliate television station, KSNW, as a reporter.

#### KENTUCKY

Jeffrey L. Ashley '86 was named one of the top "40 under 40" business leaders in the metropolitan Louisville, Kentucky area by "Business First" magazine. Forty individuals were chosen for this honor; Ashley was one of two honorees under the age of thirty.

Stephen Day '86 has been promoted to the position of human resources administrator with Chef America East in Mt. Sterling, Kentucky.

Michael Langhi '91 and his wife, Michelle, announce the birth of their first child, John Michael, on August 1, 1997. Langhi is vice president of engineering at Mid-Continent Spring Company.

#### KETTERING

Mark Finkel '91 was the happy recipient of a unique gift. For his birthday, Finkel's father, Don



Finkel, hand-crafted a billiards table light displaying the ΠΚA letters.

#### LAMAR

Daryl Gray '86 and his wife announce the birth of their son, Farrell Gray, born July 1, 1997. They now have two sons and two daughters. Gray is a sales coordinator for Hertz Equipment Corporation in Port Arthur, Texas

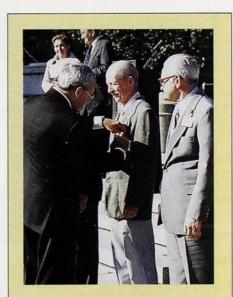
#### LINFIELD COLLEGE

**Richard Lorenz '96** is attending Harvard Law School; he expects to graduate in the class of 2000.

#### LOUISIANA STATE

**Greg Guerra** '91 has been accepted at LSU's School of Dentistry in New Orleans, Louisiana.

Kevin C. Sowers '91 has accepted a position as an associate analyst in the equity research depart-



## Service Recognized

David M. Summers, a 1950 initiate of Delta Sigma Chapter at Bradley University, was presented with the Jubilee Medal by Governor of Normandy and member of the French Parliament Rene Garrec at Arlington National Cemetery. It was presented in recognition of his service in the invasion and liberation of Normandy during World War II.

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ment of Morgan Keegan in Memphis, Tennessee.

#### **LOUISIANA TECH**

Matthew R. Green, III '93 has begun medical school in Shreveport, Louisiana.

Scott S. Harp '87 is director of rehabilitation with Sunbelt Health Care Center in Orlando, Florida, following the completion of his master's degree in health science from the University of Florida. Harp has been a physical therapist since his graduation from the University of Pittsburgh.

Truc-Lam V. Nguyen '87 graduated from Southern Methodist University School of Law on July 5, 1997. He married Colleen Kim-Hong Bui, with Pike brother Bobby J. Hook '83 in attendance. They live in Denver, where Nguyen has begun his law practice.



#### MARYLAND

Howland W. Fisk '52, owner of Bill Fisk Photographic Services, created eight postcards on sale in the Rochester, Michigan area for two local historical organizations. These postcards were produced by Dexter Press over the last 15 years.

**Gerry Nemet** '85 is an executive recruiter for Macro Group, Inc. in Coral Springs, Florida, specializing in information technology.

#### MIAMI

Andrew D. Morton '88 received his master's degree in public policy from the University of Maryland while serving as a research assistant. He has moved to Philadelphia, and will start his first year of law school at the University of Pennsylvania.

#### MIAMI-OHIO

Kenneth C. Baker '75 has been elected president of the Ohio Association of Secondary School Administrators. The OASSA has over 2,500 members in the state. Baker is in his 15th year as principal; he is currently at Wyoming High School in Cincinnati, Ohio. Baker and his wife, Debbie, have three children.

#### MICHIGAN

Paul G. Felix, Jr. '92 is a senior auditor in the corporate management audit department for The Walt Disney Company. He lives in Hermosa Beach, California.

#### MIDDLE TENNESSEE

Charles G. Ward '82 and his wife, Kathy, have two children, Megan and Abbie. He has a new law partnership, Bolin & Ward Attorneys, with offices in Murfreesboro and Smyrna, Tennessee. Ward is working with the Eta Zeta chapter advisor and other alumni on moving the chapter into a house located on the new Fraternity Row on MTSU's campus.

#### MILLSAPS

William Jeanes '56 was named alumnus of the year at Millsaps for 1993, and in 1994, to the Millsaps College Board of Trustees. In April 1997, Jeanes, with a history in the automotive magazine field, introduced a new auto-



motive magazine, Classic Automobile Register, at the New York Auto Show. He has served as editor-in-chief of Car and Driver, the world's largest automotive publication, and Road & Track; he has served for a number of years as an automotive industry observer for CBS television's morning show.

#### **MINNESOTA**

Robert C. Hahnen '25 has received his varsity letter from the University of Minnesota for his membership on the 1925 cross country team. After 72 years, the university finally realized that he had qualified for the honor, and recognized Hahnen with the letter. Hahnen served Pi Kappa Alpha as district president from 1940-1950, and was national pledge training director from 1950-54. He remains active in alumni events.

#### MISSISSIPPI

Patrick Smith '44 is the author of six novels, and a three time Pulitzer Prize nominee for Forever Island in 1973, Angel City in 1978 and A Land Remembered in 1984. He is being recognized by the Board of the Florida Historical Confederation by creating the Patrick D. Smith Florida Literature Award, which will be presented on an annual basis. Smith has been published in 42 countries; his Forever Island was a selection in the Reader's Digest Condensed Book Club, Angel City was produced by CBS as a Movie of the Week. Smith's lifetime work as a writer was nominated for the 1985 Nobel Prize for Literature, and since then, he has received five additional nominations. In June 1988, he was awarded the Medal of Honor by the National Society of Daughters of the American Revolution, the society's highest national award. In October 1990, he received the University of Mississippi's Distinguished Alumni Award and was inducted into the University's Alumni Hall of Fame. In April 1995, the Southern Academy of Letters, Arts and Sciences awarded Smith its highest literary honor, The Order of the South. Smith is a current or past member of the board of directors for the Council for Florida Libraries, the board of directors of Florida Governors Council on Indian Affairs, the board of trustees, Brevard Museum of History and Natural Science, Lifetime member, board of governors, Brevard Community College Foundation, and board of directors, Florida Historical Society. Smith lives with his wife, Iris, on Merritt Island.

**Todd B. Underwood '86** has been promoted to specialist of industrial market development for Thomas Lighting of Thomas Industries, in charge of all sales and marketing for the niche market of food processing lighting for the entire U.S.

#### MISSISSIPPI STATE

Wade J. Finger, Jr. '62, chapter advisor for

Kappa Phi Chapter at U.C.-San Diego, recorded his first hole-in-one by lacing a seven iron to the par three 6th hole at a municipal course in Del Mar, California. Director of Expansion **Shad Williams** (*Gamma Chi '90*) was on hand to witness the event.

**Tom Lawrence '83** and his wife, Gena, announce the birth of their first child, Nicholas Joel, on August 21, 1997.

Robert Preston Stringer, III '67 has remarried and has two daughters, Mary Elizabeth and Kathryn Anne.

#### MISSOURI-COLUMBIA

James D. Beck '90 is a retail segment manager with Continental Grain Company. Beck works in the marketing department of their poultry division, Wayne Farms/Dutch Quality House, and is responsible for developing their retail business. He and his wife, Stacy, live in Atlanta.

Howard H. Bell '46 and his wife, Chan, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on September 5, 1997 with a cocktail, dinner and dance party at the Will O' the Wisp resort overlooking Deep Creek Lake in Western Maryland, where they live. Over 100 family and friends joined them for the celebration. Frank Lewis '42, a member of their wedding in 1947, performed the toasting honors. Bell is the retired president of the American Advertising Federation (AAF) in Washington, D.C., and a former trustee for the Pi Kappa Alpha Educational Foundation.

Scott Beyerl'82 and his wife, Carrie, announce the birth of their twin daughters, Grace and Annie. The twins join their brother, Charlie. The family lives in Hingham, Massachusetts. Beyerl is employed with Fidelity Investments.

Russell A. Mann '50 retired in May 1997, after 20 years of teaching journalism and photo journalism at the University of Southwestern Louisiana.

Chris D. Mitchell '91 has completed his M.A. in criminal justice at Lincoln University and is attending law school at the University of Arkansas.

Robert J. Schnyder '89 has completed his master's degree in international business from the University of Leeds in the United Kingdom. He began working for the Nabell Corporation, a Japanese manufacturing company, in November. He will move to Japan for six months, then move to Charlotte, North Carolina, in April 1998.

#### MISSOURI-ROLLA

**Thomas A. Polcyn '88** married Laura Renee Visintine on August 16, 1997. Plycyn is a patent and trademark attorney with the firm of Howell & Haferkamp, L.C. in St. Louis.

#### MISSOURI-ST. LOUIS

Randy Klock '73 is a retired commander in the U.S. Coast Guard, and a former commanding officer of the Oil Pollution Response Unit in Salt Lake City. Klock is a pilot with Delta Air Lines. He lives in New York City with his wife, Ruth.

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Van L. Watkins '91 has been promoted to a risk management specialist in the NationsBank Private Client Group in St. Louis.

#### **MONTANA STATE**

**Joseph A. Lowther '83** and his wife, Michelle, announce the birth of their third son, Nicholas Andrew, on March 14, 1997.

#### **MURRAY STATE**

Michael S. Alvey '94 graduated from the Illinois State Police Academy on July 31, 1997. He is stationed in the Pittsfield, Illinois District 20.

**Steve Buntin '88** has accepted the position of scuba school course director at Hydrospace Dive Shop in Panama City Beach, Florida.

**Mahdy Farhadian '94** received his master's degree in 1996 in Hamburg, Germany. Afterwards, he started working for his father's company, importing oriental rugs from India to Germany.

**David L. Jackson '93** married Leslie Carper on December 28, 1996. They live in Tulsa, Oklahoma, where Jackson is the Midwest Region safety engineer with IMCO Recycling, Inc.

Kevin Pataluna '90 accepted a safety representative position with Therm-O-Disc in September 1996. The company is a subsidiary of Emerson Electric and is a manufacturer of temperature controls.

#### **NEBRASKA-KEARNEY**

**Chad M. Becker '92** is in sales with Dart Container Corporation as a territory representative covering Nebraska and Iowa. The Beckers moved into a new home in October.

#### NEBRASKA-OMAHA

Jim Avilla '87 is the commercial rental and leasing manager for Mack Lease of Omaha, a division of Wise-Mack Trucks.

#### **NEW MEXICO**



Michael P. Kingery '95 married Heather Utley on June 22, 1996; all of his groomsmen were Kappa Eta brothers. Kingery is a math teacher at Mayfield High School in Las Cruces.

#### NORTH DAKOTA

Allen Graetz '93 has started a new job with US Internet in Minnetonka, Minnesota, which provides internet access, web hosting and web development.

**DaneT.Sander'90** is a first lieutenant in the U.S. Army, and an aviator who specializes in flying multi-ship air assault under day and night arctic

conditions. He is presently serving as a UH-60 Black-hawk Flight Platoon leader assigned to D Company, 4th of the 123rd Aviation Regiment in Ft. Wainwright, Alaska. During his first nine months in Alaska, he received the Army Commenda-



tion Medal and Army Achievement Medal. He is also pursuing his master's degree in aeronautical science from Embry Riddle Aeronautical University. Sander's heart goes out to Zeta Rho and wishes the best in the rebuilding from the flood in Grand Forks.

#### **NORTH GEORGIA**

**Thomas L. Waters '29** and his wife celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary on August 12, 1997.

#### NORTHERN ILLINOIS

Brent C. Bluthardt '86 is the export traffic manager for Hoogwegt U.S., Inc., a dairy brokerage and marketing firm in Libertyville, Illinois. Bluthardt is responsible for all aspects of export shipments for leading dairy brokerage in the United States.

#### **NORTHERN IOWA**

Dale F. Jensen '80 has been elected to the board

of directors of the Cancer Resource Network, a non-profit agency established to help people obtain access to nationally acclaimed cancer research treatment programs available through the National Cancer Institute. Jensen serves as secretary/treasurer for the organization.

#### NORTHEAST LOUISIANA

A. Michael Boggs '83, former SMC, and Jeff R.Thompson'85, Delta regional president, have formed the law firm of Boggs and Thompson in Bossier City, Louisiana. Theirs is a general law firm with civil practice, commercial litigation, and real estate and construction law services throughout Louisiana and Texas.

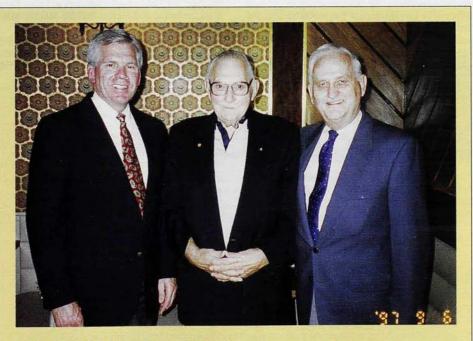
#### NORTHEASTERN STATE

**Gary Bell '86**, former pledge educator for Theta Epsilon, is a pharmacist in Bartlesville, Oklahoma. He and his wife, Lana, have two sons.

Mark Binder '87 and his wife, Kim, have two children, Nicholas and Bradley. Binder is a claims representative for Farmers Insurance.

William E. Brown '87 is a sales rep for U.S. Pharmaceutical. He lives in Tulsa with his wife, Dianna.

**Derek Cain '92** is a claims representative for State Farm Insurance. He and his wife, Jennifer, have a daughter, Danielle.



# Alpha Xi Leaders Gather

During a recent luncheon in Cincinnati, Ohio, three past national presidents of Pi Kappa Alpha shared lunch and memories of how they helped shape the future of our Fraternity. From left: Gary E. Menchhofer '65, Ralph F. Yeager '34, and Dr. William R. Nester '47, all initiates of Alpha Xi Chapter at the University of Cincinnati, have all held the office of national president of Pi Kappa Alpha, a feat unmatched by any other chapter.

Damon W. Croskery-Roberts '94 is a sales representative for TGI Enterprises. While still in school, he received Theta Epsilon's 1996-97 Eternal Flame Award and the 1997 Top Five Male Greek Award at NSU.

Chorde Davidson, II '92 who won the 1993 title of Mr. NSU while an undergrad, is a four-time wrestling champion.

Terry Drain '90 and his wife, Michele, live in Dallas. Drain is an 8th grade U.S. history teacher at Jackson Middle School in Grand Prairie, Texas.

Matthew Engel '88 is the manager of program operations for Maritz Travel Company. He was also the president of Meetings and Destination Management Club.

Ed Evans '86 is managing a Quick Trip in Tulsa. He and his wife, Angela, have two children, Matthew and Brooke. Evans is involved with Theta Epsilon's Alumni Association.

Brandon Gilliland '89, who was the chief budget officer at Rogers University, earned his M.B.A. from the University of Tulsa. He is now a consultant with Ernst & Young in South Florida, where he lives with his wife, Diana.

Michael Hopper '79 and his wife, Judy, live in Muskogee, where he owns his own business, Mike's Menswear. Hopper is serving on the Theta Epsilon Advisory Board and is active in the NSU Alumni Association.

Robert Hudson '89 is an attorney in the law office of H. David Hanes in Yukon, Oklahoma. He served as pledge educator for Theta Epsilon, chief justice of the Oklahoma Intercollegiate Legislature and president of College Republicans. While attending Oklahoma College of Law, he founded

the local chapter of the Federalist Society. Upon graduation, he completed a four-month internship in Washington, D.C. with the Leadership Institute, a non-partisan, educational organization with the purpose of training young conservatives for leadership in government and private organizations. Hudson was sworn in to the Oklahoma Bar Association by U.S. Supreme Court Justice Clarence Thomas.

**David Kerpon '90**, former seargent at arms for Theta Epsilon, is employed with the Tulsa County sheriff's department.

Gregory L. Lamp '85 is an audiologist, the owner of Family Hearing Services in Grove, Oklahoma. Lamp is a member of Grove Rotary International and the Chamber of Commerce AM.B.A.ssadors. He and his wife, Lisa, have a daughter, Emily.

Jake Males '82 is a Catholic priest with a bachelor of education from Southeastern Oklahoma State, a master of education from Oklahoma State, and a master of divinity from Pope John XXIII National Seminary. He served Theta Epsilon as chapter advisor from 1982-86.

**Kevin Melody** '87 is employed in the marketing department of Smart Marketing located in South Portland, Maine. He lives on his 30-foot sailboat.

**George Mullican '90**, an attorney serving in the U.S. Army J.A.G. Corps, lives in Killeen, Texas, with his wife Sue.

**Dwayne Rury '87** has been promoted to branded manager for The Bama Companies in Tulsa. Rury is on the board of directors and the chapter advisory board of NSU.

Michael D. Turner'88, chapter advisor for Theta Epsilon for the last two years, recently married Lisa Bowers on July 19, 1997. They live in Okmulgee, where Turner is director of admissions at Northeastern. He is also a charter member of NSU Pike Alumni Association.

Clinton E. Wallace '90 is a research meteorologist for the National Severe Storms Lab. Wallace earned his M.S. in meteorology from the University of Oklahoma in 1997, and is a member of the American Meteorological Society and the National Weather Association.

Tommy Webb '79 has been a teacher in the Blackwell, Oklahoma, public schools for 16 years, and the Shidler Education Association president for five years. He won the Blackwell Secondary Teacher of the Year in 1993 and 1995; he also was named 1995 Teacher of the Year.

Robert W. Wilson '92 is a golf pro at Bailey Golf Course in Owasso, Oklahoma.

#### **NORTHWESTERN**

John Masiulewicz '85 is a writer/journalist in Jacksonville, Florida.

#### OHIO

Andrew Brenner '87 and his wife, Michelle, announce the birth of their son, Zachary James, on August 12, 1997. Brenner is an export manager for Summit International Trade Corporation.

#### OHIO STATE



Christopher M. Masciola '89 married Randee DeBolt on May 25, 1997, in Maumee, Ohio. Alpha Rho Pikes present at the wedding and pictured (from left) are Dan Wetzel '89, Patrick McFarlane '89, Scott Lerdon '89, Vince Ellerbrock '88, Masciola, Kevin Carpenter, '91, Doyle Rausch '87, Dennis Burns '89, and Scott Rubin '88.

#### **OKLAHOMA**

Greg Waring '91 is an information analyst for EDS living in Bozeman, Montana.

#### **OKLAHOMA STATE**

Leroy H. Abercrombie '64 has retired from the U.S. Naval Reserve as a captain after 24 years. He is also retired from the Dallas Fire Department as an arson investigator and fire inspector.

Darin Behara '86 has been named dean of students at Southwestern Oklahoma State University in Weatherford, Oklahoma.



# Reminiscences of a Memphis Pike

Hayden H. Reynolds (Rhodes, Theta '25), at the age of 90, looks back on a full and interesting life.

His freshman year was 1924 at Southwestern Presbyterian University (later renamed Rhodes College). While in college, he played piano for chapel each morning. In 1926, he played with local Memphis orchestras, most notably with Sammy Lazarov at the "Silver Slipper", a club well known to Memphians of that era. Reynolds finally started an orchestra of his own, "The Tennessee Collegians", and worked as staff pianist at WMC radio. In 1927, an agent from New York heard his band and signed them for one year to play the Pantages Theatre circuit, ranging from New York through the U.S. and into Canada. They were the headline act in the show, and a big hit. The orchestra was glad to return to Memphis, however, at about the same time as vaudeville came to a close. Reynolds and his fellow musicians were still in their teens.

Back in Memphis, Reynolds served for a period as organist at Temple Baptist Church. He continued to play with quite a few big bands until he was drafted into the Army in the early 1940s. After a couple of years as a private, he applied to Officers Candidate School. He was commissioned in the Transportation Corps and invaded Omaha Beach in France on D-Day. Reynolds came out of the Army as a captain in 1946.

After the death of his father in 1953, Reynolds took over the family insurance and real estate agency, which had been established in 1888. He went on to be elected mayor of Starkville, Mississippi, and served from 1957-61. His wife, whom he recalls as "the perfect wife", ran the business while he served as mayor. She died in 1996.

Reynolds remains active, playing the organ at 1st Presbyterian Church in Starkville every Sunday, and getting in 18 holes of golf each Friday.

Kevin E. Brown '84 resigned from Conoco Pipe Line Company after 10 years, and has taken a position as manager of environmental safety and health with TransMontaigne Oil Company, a Denver-based pipeline, terminaling and gas processing company.

Blain Claypool '85 has been named chief operating officer at Auburn Regional Medical Center in Auburn, Washington. He announces the birth of his second child, Olivia Ann, on May 20, 1997.

#### PENNSYLVANIA STATE

Edward Fleming '53, widowed for five years, married an old friend in September, and has moved from California to Grosse Pointe Woods, Michigan.

#### **PITTSBURGH**

Fred B. Tredinnick '36 turned 80 years old in April 1997. His wife, Jeanette, died in September 1996. He has three daughters, seven grandsons, and one great-grandson. Tredinnick retired in 1980, after 40 years with Union Carbide nuclear division in Oak Ridge, Tennessee.

#### RANDOLPH-MACON

Christopher Ryan '96 has been named the assistant lacrosse coach at Monroe Community College in Rochester, New York.

#### RENSSELAER

CIRCULATION

Scott Velechko '88 joined Square Earth, Inc. in New York City. Square Earth was founded in 1995 by David Uyttendaele (Gamma Tau '85) and Jeff Stewart '88; it is a high-end development and consulting firm exclusively focused on imple-

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Mark H. Wojcik '88 is the director of engineering for Cerprobe Corporation in the Phoenix, Arizona area.

#### RICHMOND

William N. Leary '82 and his wife announce the birth of their second daughter, Trina Marie, on July 17, 1997. Leary is president of the Leary Management Group in Winter Park, Florida.

#### ROBERT MORRIS COLLEGE

Joseph E. Sullivan, III '71 has been promoted to project manager with Union Switch & Signal in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. He and his wife, Roseann, have two daughters, Kelly Marie and

#### SAINT LOUIS

Michael Willing '91 graduated from St. Louis University School of Medicine in May, 1997, and moved to Cincinnati. He is working at the University of Cincinnati as a resident in emergency medicine.

#### SAMFORD

Robert D. Hester '91 married Kasey Kirby on August 30, 1997. Hester owns his business in Nashville called Powerhouse Gym Aerobics and Fitness.

#### SAN DIEGO STATE

Michael Yang '81 and his wife, Dawn, announce

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the birth of their twins, Jameson Dallas and Alison Elaine, on August 27, 1997. Yang is a district manager with Pfizer Pharmaceuticals.

#### **SOUTH ALABAMA**

James H. Brogden, Jr. '92 has been promoted to sales manager at Alamo Rent-a-Car in Mobile, Alabama. He has been with the company for five years. Brogden writes that he recently attended the fourth annual Eta Kappa fishing trip with his pledge class brothers and they had a great time.

Christopher M. Dinkel '93 has moved from Mobile to Birmingham, Alabama, to work for a worldwide cable network as an operations tech-

Anthony J. Owens '91 has been commissioned in the U.S. Air Force, and was previously stationed at Tyndall AFB, Florida in Air Battle Manager Training. In October, he was transferred to Eglin AFB, Florida.

#### **SOUTH FLORIDA**

John E. Gutzwiller '79 and his wife, Kathleen, have relocated to Batesville, Indiana, where he is president of Midwest Management Group, an investment management company. They have four children, George, Clare, Jack, and Mary.

#### SOUTHEAST MISSOURI STATE

Keith Hammerschmidt '93 is a sales representative for Westlake Polymers Corporation. He lives in St. Louis with his wife, Laura, and their daughter, Brittany.

#### SOUTHERN ILLINOIS



Benjamin Elson '94 and his wife, Jonna, were married on June 21, 1997. Several brothers attended the wedding and also participated in an Iota Mu golf outing. The newlyweds are living in the St. Louis area.

#### SOUTHERN MISSISSIPPI

E. Mark Cumbest '73 received the 1997 Mississippi Realtor of the Year award. presented during the Mississippi Association of Realtors convention. He and his wife, Pamela, have two sons, Grant and Reid.



John Eisler'85 and his wife, Jennifer, announce the birth of their son, Adam Tyson, on July 7, 1997. He joins his brother, Andrew. Eisler has been promoted to regional nitrogen product manager for Whatman/Balston, Inc.

John P. Rehak '90 is an associate veterinarian at Lakeview Veterinary Hospital in New Orleans.

# A L U M N I N O T E

#### SOUTHWEST MISSOURI STATE

Timothy I. Corrado '91 is in his second year with the Kansas City fire department.

Jason W. Jaggi '94 is attending Kansas State University in the master of regional and community planning program. He was awarded a U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development assistantship while at Kansas State.

Jack Saggio-Parrino '95 works for Sherwin Williams/Brod Dugan, as the credit and accounting manager in St. Louis. For the past two years, he has been competing in competitions for Mr. U.S.A. Parrino has held the title of Mr. Empire State (1st runner-up), Mr. Buffalo, New York, Mr. New York, U.S.A., Mr. Missouri U.S.A. (2nd runner-up), a 4th runner-up for Mr. Missouri, All-American. In September, he will compete for Mr. U.S.A. in Myrtle Beach.

#### STEPHEN F. AUSTIN STATE

Gavin Copeland '94 married Claire Smith on November 15, 1997. Copeland is a claims specialist for AIG. The couple lives in Irving, Texas.



Bob Kontor '87 announces the birth of his son, Kyle Joseph, on January 3, 1997. Kontor was recently promoted to district manager for Rigid Building Systems; his territory includes East Texas, Dallas and Louisiana.

#### TENNESSEE-KNOXVILLE

Brian L. Dutton '87 and his wife, Emily, announce the birth of their son, Grayson Douglas, on April 28, 1997. Dutton is an active duty Army officer and has served the last two years as an ROTC instructor at the University of Kentucky. He completed his master's degree in political science in June and started his next duty station at Fort Carson, Colorado, where he will serve as a cavalry troop commander with the 3rd Armored Cavalry Regiment.

**Stephen Haag '82** is the operations manager for The Berry Company in Cincinnati, Ohio.

**Andrew M. Watts '90** lives in Venice, California. At present, he is working behind the scenes on movie sets, hoping to break into acting.

#### TENNESSEE-CHATTANOOGA

Michael Javer '85 and his wife celebrated their sixth anniversary in October. They have added a new member to their family; Russell Joseph was born on July 16, 1997. He joins his brother, Michael Jacob, and sisters, Barbara Alexandria and Michaella Edell. Javer is beginning his ninth year of service as a police officer for the City of Memphis.

#### **TENNESSEE TECH**

Steven D. Huntley '87 and his wife, Kim, announce the birth of their daughter, Emily Ann, on September 20, 1997. Huntley is a detective with the Metropolitan Nashville Police Department.

#### **TEXAS A&M**

**Todd C. R. Eyre '88** has been transferred to Minnesota and promoted to chief field engineer.

#### **TEXAS-ARLINGTON**

Jon Brooks '89 and his wife, Jennifer, announce the birth of their son, Jon "Parker", on September 26, 1997. Brooks is manager of information systems with the Texas Tech Health Science Center. The family resides in Lubbock.

Joseph R. Caldwell '92 graduated in May 1996 as a distinguished military graduate from UTA's Army ROTC program. He entered the Army as a second lieutenant; completed the Infantry Officers Basic Course in December 1996, and the Army's



Ranger School in May 1997. Caldwell is now a platoon leader with the 3rd Battalion 325th Airborne Infantry Regiment at Ft. Bragg, North Carolina.

F. Rick Jenkins III '84 has joined the firm of Huff, Brous, McDowell & Montesi, Inc. as vice president of the retail division.

**Mike Leathers '89** and his wife, Kristine, were married on July 19, 1997. They live in Lubbock, where Leathers is general manager of Lubbock Building Products/Pioneer Concrete.

W.R. McKenzie '83 and his wife, Meilynne, announce the birth of their daughter, Meghan Lynne, on September 2, 1997. She joins her sister, Emily Reagan. McKenzie is an attorney in Fort Worth.

Chris Trumbull '93 and his wife, Shelby, announce the birth of their daughter, Mackenzie Jordan, on October 2, 1997. They live in Fort Worth, Texas, and Trumbull works for Progressive Concepts in Arlington.

#### **TEXAS TECH**

Matt Lohoefer '79 and his wife, Erin, have one son born March 27, 1996.

#### **TOLEDO**

Tony Pescho '89 has moved to Charlotte, North Carolina, with fellow Pike Chris Matero '90.

#### TRANSYLVANIA

**Bruce Bishop '94** has started a new job as a network administrator at IBM in Lexington, Kentucky.

**Charles P. McDowell '93** is in his second year of graduate school at Western Kentucky, working toward his master's degree in industrial/organizational psychology.

#### TULANE

**Doug Keil '92** is a sales manager for the Wyndham Albuquerque Hotel at the International Sunport in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

#### TULSA

**Jeff Leinen '92** and his wife, Heather, have moved from Oklahoma City to St. Petersburg, Florida. Leinen is a regional sales manager for NordicTrack.

#### **VANDERBILT**

R. Bruce Barze, Jr. '84, and his wife, Melissa, announce the birth of their son, Murphy McCullen, on May 21, 1997. Barze is an attorney with Balch & Bingham LLP in Birmingham, Alabama.

Andrew A. Byer '81 has relocated from Hong Kong to Singapore with Procter & Gamble as the Asia region category planner for hair care, health care and deodorants.

#### **VIRGINIA TECH**

**Lance F. Grenevicki '87** has earned his degree as a doctor of medicine, and is residency training in oral and maxillofacial surgery.

Lanier B. Yarbrough, Ill '89 is the senior features reporter at the *Potomac News* in Woodbridge, Virginia. He spent time in March covering American soldiers in the former Yugoslavia.

#### WAKE FOREST

D. E. Ward, Jr. '40 is a life trustee of Wake Forest University.

#### WASHINGTON

James F. Kelly '86 and his wife, Julie, announce the birth of their first child, Mikaela Madeline, in July 1997. Kelly was promoted to the rank of detective with the Pierce County Sheriff's Department in Tacoma, Washington.

#### **WASHINGTON STATE**

Jim McMillan '88 has been furthering his acting and modeling career in New York City. McMillan appeared on "Another World" on July 17 and 18; he was also on "The City" several months ago.

**Philip Renninger '88** is enrolled in the master in physical therapy program in Dayton, Ohio.

**Gary Rhoades '84** is an instructor pilot in the U.S. Air Force. He has moved from Florida to Wichita Falls, Texas.

**Ray Watson** '55 is senior vice president for Alexander Broadcasting Company in Portland, Oregon.

#### **WEST GEORGIA**

Mike Coan '89 is a Republican state representative for Georgia's District 82, receiving 85% of the vote in the general election. He was appointed to deputy minority whip in his freshman term.

Reed Stanphill '93 married Jennifer Talton on June 28, 1997 in Athens, Georgia. The couple lives in Chattanooga, Tennessee, where Reed is employed by Provident Companies and pursuing his M.B.A. at the University of Tennessee-Chattanooga.



Randy Poynter '73, Atlanta regional commission chairman and Rockdale (County) commission chairman, is running for lieutenant governor of Georgia in 1998.

#### **WEST VIRGINIA**

**Timothy Grace '94** is working for McLaughlin, Piven, Vogel Securities, Inc. on Wall Street in New York City. He is studying for his Series 6, 7, and 63 exams in their stockbroker/account executive training program.

**David D. Lewis '82** has purchased B.T. Edgar & Son Real Estate Company in Moorestown, New Jersey.

#### **WESTERN MICHIGAN**

Russell Carrick '81 has been working for Penske Automotive Group for eight years as the used car manager. He and his wife have two children.

Michael Dalton '91 has relocated with Ford Motor Company as a zone manager in Los Angeles, covering the Phoenix, Arizona, market.

Mark Liddle '87 and his wife announce the birth of their daughter, Jordan Lyda, on July 1, 1997.

John M. Salisbury '87 has been promoted to business manager at Clintondale Community Schools in Clinton Township, Michigan. He and his wife, Jodee, announce the birth of their son, Jered Kenneth, on February 5, 1997.

#### **WESTERN ONTARIO**

**Ryan MacDonald '94** and his wife, Kim, announce the birth of their son, Connor Alexander, on May 17 in London, Ontario, Canada.

#### WISCONSIN

Jeffrey S. Kroll '93 is currently affiliated with the Beta Chi Chapter at the University of Minnesota. For any Beta Xi alumni interested in starting a Beta Xi Alumni Association, please call (612) 378-2973. Remember the Lifeblood!

Robert Peet '49 is retired after 35 years with Sears in Chicago and New York. He is doing volunteer work in Las Cruces, New Mexico.

#### WITTENBERG

Leo S. La Fontaine '32 was honored on his 60th anniversary of ordination to the ministry in Port Charlotte, Florida, by Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, where he holds membership, and the South Western Pennsylvania Synod of the Lutheran Church of America. After 40 years in the ministry, Rev. LaFontaine is retired, but serves as chaplain of both the local chapter of Sons of the American Revolution and the Ohio Club.

#### WOFFORD

John C. Phillips, Jr. '93 has been invited to join the South Carolina Law Review; he was also named to this year's Who's Who of American Law Students.

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# News of BYGONE DAYS

100 YEARS AGO ... The first chapter was established in the state of Texas when 12 alumni gathered at the Texas State Fair and Dallas Exposition to form the Alumnus Chapter at Dallas, Texas... An article in the October 1897 Shield & Diamond on fraternity life proclaimed, "The main principle of the Fraternity is fraternity. The validity and worthiness of this principle no one may question. Without it, there can be no complete education, no complete character. Social companionship and good fellowship are as air and sunshine to the proper development of student life and character. Their exclusion inevitably results in stunted, if not blighted, growth."

75 YEARS AGO... In his Passing Thoughts column, Smythe writes, "There is considerable talk in the fraternity press concerning the need for expansion of the existing nationals — and, in smaller volume, the views of those who oppose this. Apparently the majority of fraternities favor wise, careful expansion. Most commentators express doubt as to just what the solution is."... Sigma Chi chartered its first chapter outside the United States at the University of Toronto.

50 YEARS AGO... Members and pledges of Alpha Sigma Chapter (California-Berkeley) gather to pay tribute to Mother Camper on her 85th birthday. She has served the chapter as house mother for 35 years, and has kept in close touch with more than 400 alumni who still are "my boys."

25 YEARS AGO... R. John Kaegi (Oregon, Gamma Pi '67) becomes the 13th editor of the *Shield & Diamond...* The magazine adopts the format of an educational journal and its objective is changed to focus more on features and depth reporting on relevant issues.

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## Chapter Eternal

#### **Bob T. Williams**

Bob T. Williams, a 1952 initiate of Delta Zeta Chapter at the University of Memphis, entered Chapter Eternal on October 29, 1997, after a prolonged bout with cancer. He is survived by his wife, Rhee, and son, Tommy.



Bob T. gave special meaning to our Fraternity and to me personally. Many of us have similar stories of fraternal brothers who have influenced our lives. But to me this one is indeed special.

Although 14 years my senior, Bob T. was like the older brother I never had. From the time he spontaneously attended the 1970 Convention in Biloxi, Mississippi, we developed a lasting friendship. He had left his Memphis law firm at his usual 8:00 p.m. quitting time and knocked on my hotel room door at 2:00 a.m. I was pleasantly surprised. Since he didn't have a room, we were up most of the night discussing Fraternity issues and life.

Bob T. taught me how to be a leader and, more importantly, how to give to others. He did this simply through his deeds. A former chapter president, IFC president, and Mr. Memphis State University were just a few of his achievements as a student. As an alumnus, he led an unselfish life of service. He convinced me to become a board member of the local YMCA, a member of the East Memphis Exchange Club of which he became president and chairman of the board at the state level, and a fund raiser for the Memphis State University Alumni Association of which he was president. The University honored Bob T. with its Distinguished Alumni Achievement Award and inducted him into the Alumni Hall of Fame. He was president of the chapter's house corporation and served on its board for over 30 years. At the national level, Bob T. was secretary of the Memorial (now Educational) Foundation for 12 years and chairman of its Student Aid Committee. He and his law firm represented the Fraternity's Housing Commission for over 30 years. His work was always of the highest professionalism. For example, on every student scholarship loan application, he would make notes assuring himself and our Fraternity that only the truly needy were helped.

Duck hunting was one of Bob T.'s favorite sports. He introduced me to the waterfowl by retrieving his ducks that he claimed "I shot." The best times though were the late morning return trips when we were forced to converse to keep ourselves awake.

We solved the problems of the world.

One notable date which Bob T. always kept on his resume was August 21, 1966—the birth date of his son, Tommy. He further notes, "On that day, Earl Watkins, then the Fraternity's chief executive who was suffering with cancer, presented Tommy with a framed Fraternity Crest and a Pledge Pin. Tommy was initiated in 1985." Bob T. presented a framed crest and pledge pin to my son, Jeff, on February 12, 1978, his birth date. My son still has it hanging in his bedroom. He, too, was initiated a few months ago.

Thanks, Bob T., for making our Fraternity and my life special. You will always be with us.

> - Raymond L. Orians (Memphis, Delta Zeta '66)



#### Michael R. Clancy, Jr.

Michael R. Clancy, Jr. was born in Cleveland, Ohio July 26, 1938 to Mr. Michael R. Clancy, Sr. and Mrs. Amelia Clancy. He graduated from Westlake High School in 1956 before enrolling at



Bowling Green State University. At Bowling Green, Clancy earned in 1960 a bachelor's degree in education and ten years later a masters degree.

Clancy pledged Pi Kappa Alpha, Delta Beta chapter in 1957 and was initiated February 23, 1958. As an undergraduate, he served Delta Beta as kitchen steward, pledge educator and two time house manager. Clancy's honors included 1957 Outstanding Pledge and 1960 Outstanding Senior.

Following graduation, Clancy was a Delta Beta fixture, always ready with support and advice, never missing Homecoming or Founders Day celebrations. He also provided his Catawba Island/Port Clinton cottage for officer and pledge retreats. Even after Delta Beta went silent for a short period, Clancy was instrumental in the recolonization process. In short, he was known as "Mr. Pi Kappa Alpha" to many initiates and alumni of the chapter.

After years of volunteer service to Delta Beta, Clancy joined the national officer ranks in 1963 as district president, the equivalent of today's regional president position. In addition to serving as district president 1963-67 and 1969-74, he served on the 1968 nominating committee, chaired the 1982 nominating committee, chaired the 1982 nominations.

nating committee, and was an elected Supreme Council vice president 1974-76.

Professionally, Clancy began his career as an industrial arts teacher in Elmore, Ohio. In 1964, he was hired by North Olmsted High School where he remained until his retirement in 1991. During those 27 years, Clancy held the positions of administrative assistant, assistant junior high school principal, assistant senior high school principal, curriculum director, supervisor of facilities and up until retirement director of buildings/grounds.

Clancy was a member of the Ohio Association of Secondary School Administrators, North Olmsted Association of School Administrators, Northeast Ohio School Business Officials and North Olmsted School Employees Credit Union, where he served as supervisory committee chairman. He also was a past president of the North Olmsted Eagle Boosters.

Civically, Clancy held numerous positions with the Kiwanis Club, including governor of the Ohio District, and with its Key Club. He was a member of the Dover Masonic Lodge and Al Koran Shrine. Clancy served on the Westlake Youth Commission and was a member of the Chamber of Commerce. Finally, he served in the Army Reserves from 1960-69, retiring as a captain.

On December 18, 1993, Clancy married Anne E. Brick. She survives him along with stepsons Joseph and Andrew Brick, as well as two brothers Robert and Pi Kappa Alpha member Allen (*Bowling Green, Delta Beta* '60).

Memorial contributions may be sent to the Michael R. Clancy, Jr. Scholarship Fund, Ohio District Key Club, 65 Ceramic Drive, Columbus, Ohio 43214.

From the writer's perspective, Michael R. Clancy, Jr. left a lasting impression on the people he touched through Pi Kappa Alpha, teaching, Kiwanis/Key Club, Masons and all other organizations in which he belonged. In addition to his immediate family, members of these organizations were also his family. There were a number of things Michael really loved: His wife Anne "the Queen", with whom he always checked before taking on another project; the students he taught and worked with in Key Club, what better way to preserve the memory of Michael than through the scholarship fund which was the Queen's idea; the cottage on Catawba at which was held "Christmas in July", featuring Christmas lights seen by the many passers by; his gardening which he was doing when he had the heart attack; and finally Pi Kappa Alpha as a whole, particularly his chapter Delta Beta.

Michael R. Clancy, Jr. will be missed a

great deal. At Anne's request, I include the Irish Blessing. It fits our friend and family member Michael.

#### An Irish Blessing

May the road rise with you, May the wind be always at your back, May the sun shine warm upon your face, And rains fall soft upon your fields, And until we meet again, may God keep you in the hollow of His hand.

> - Dick Powers (Bowling Green, Delta Beta '88)



ALPHA (Virginia) Hardy, John Arthur '54, Farmville, VA 12/6/96 BETA (Davidson) McEachern, David R., Jr. '36, Concord, NC 4/21/97 ZETA (Tennessee-Knoxville) Hale, W. Powell '35, Morristown, TN THETA (Rhodes) Lawrence, Paul W. '59, Memphis, TN 5/31/97

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Charles, Nelson J. '54, Charlotte, NC 7/30/97 UPSILON (Auburn)

Mooney, Marcus L., Jr. '41, Hatboro, PA 11/96 ALPHA ALPHA (Duke)
Folger, Henry '27, Mt. Airy, NC 10/18/95
ALPHA DELTA (Georgia Tech)

Hollingsworth, L. C. '22, Cumming, GA 7/97

ALPHA ZETA (Arkansas)

Ashley, John C., Jr. '39, Sanford, NC 6/11/97 Stovall, William H. '42, Blytheville, AR 7/12/97 ALPHA ETA (Florida)

Haggard, Curtis A. '33, Coral Gables, FL 8/2/97 Jackson, Truxton L. '33, Miami, FL 12/6/94 ALPHA KAPPA (Missouri-Rolla)

Mitsch, George L. '37, Ft. Wayne, IN 7/12/97 Swartz, Terry K. '64, Independence, MO 6/2/97 ALPHA MU (Georgia) Persons, Grady '54, Florissant, CO

ALPHA NU (Missouri-Columbia)

Chriss, Nicholas C. '49, Houston, TX 4/21/90 ALPHA XI (Cincinnati)

Grove, Chester '36, Aurora, CO 4/17/97

ALPHA PI (Samford) Givens, Robert Henley '30, New Braunfels, TX

**BETA DELTA (New Mexico)** 

Cone, Gerrit C. '66, Washington, DC 6/12/97 Diekman, Theodore A. '41, 7/14/97

**BETA ETA (Illinois)** 

Thorson, Glen J. '58, Annapolis, MD 5/30/97

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I understand that this is only a recommendation a decision which rests entirely with the individual		Kappa Alpha is
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Your chapter & year of initiation		
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DeLauney, Joseph Michael '69, Cameron, LA ETA OMICRON (Northeast Louisiana) McBeth, James '72, West Monroe, LA 4/6/97 THETA EPSILON (N.E. Oklahoma State) Bell, William M. '75, Tulsa OK 7/31/97 THETA OMICRON (Indiana State) Spear, Rick H. '82, Indianapolis, IN 7/30/97 THETA UPSILON (Tennessee Tech)

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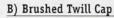
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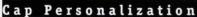


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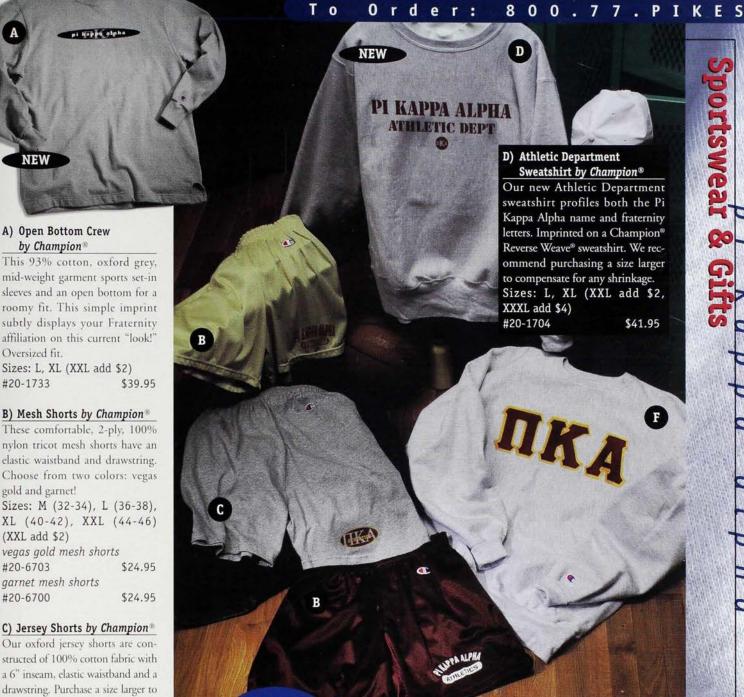




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