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It's a great time to be a Theta Chi

Dear brothers, parents, and friends of Theta Chi:

Over the past year, I have had many opportunities to meet and communicate with thousands of Theta Chi brothers of all ages. Through these encounters and conversations, I have come to truly believe that "it is a great time to be a Theta Chi."

Today, the Greek system is growing at a record pace on college and university campuses across North America. As you will see in this edition of *The Rattle*, Theta Chi's average chapter size and number of new undergraduate initiates are at an all-time high.

Growth brings with it both new opportunities and new challenges. Whether you're a parent at home, an undergraduate in the chapter house, or an executive in the boardroom, the questions that we face today are the same: "how will we maintain the highest level of support to every individual and to our membership as a whole?" "How we will stay abreast of and utilize technology?" "How will we keep up with the ever-increasing speed of communication?" "How will we protect our values, our heritage, and the safety of our membership in an environment whose very foundation is based on freedom yet is subjected to the actions of a few who instill doubt and fear?"

These are very real questions and ones that must be addressed if we are to achieve our mission both today and in the future of being "a positive influence on the life of a young man."

The men of Theta Chi have a long and proud history of being forward thinking and bold in order to challenge the status quo. As our history has borne out, these qualities have always been central to our organization, starting with the establishment of Beta Chapter at MIT in 1902 when we achieved the Founders' dream of a national organization. During the Beta Kappa merger of 1942, we grew and strengthened our organization exponentially and continued that expansion during the post-war years. In the 90s, we broadened the diversity of our education and scholarship programs, and are now working to establish a national health and safety initiative in 2013. We have continually demonstrated both the courage to be bold and the ability to think ahead. This is the Theta Chi way!

In the pages ahead, you will learn of several changes that we are making to address some of today's challenges. We are also recognizing our outstanding seniors, whose leadership on their campuses and in their chapter rooms has set them apart and distinguished them as great Theta Chis and future leaders. You will be witness to the generous giving of our loyal alumni and their ever-growing participation in support of Theta Chi's programs and educational opportunities, as well as our chapters that have spent countless hours raising money for and serving others in need. Lastly, you will read about how the services of the National Fraternity are again expanding in our continual quest to enhance the "Theta Chi Experience."

Yes, brothers. Yes, parents. Yes, friends. IT IS A GREAT TIME TO BE A THETA CHI!

Warm fraternal and personal regards,



Richard D. Elder
 National President





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Behind the scenes on our cover:

Beta Omicron/Cincinnati Founding President and roster No. 1, Lloyd Towers (1947) passes the President's gavel to Kyle Louder (2015), the new chapter President. Beta Omicron was one of four chapters to be reinstalled this year. Cover photo by Larry Loar (1980); above photo by Joe McKibben (1979) with special thanks to Clarence Hammel (1945), left.

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We want to be the best — with your help, we can be!

Each year, the FCA recognizes fraternities and sororities for their outstanding communications work online and in print. *The Rattle* strives to be among the best fraternal publications in the Greek world, and constantly relies on readers like you for new story leads, interesting interview ideas and more.

This includes sending quality photos—if you have a photo that you believe would be appropriate for inclusion in the Fraternity's national magazine, please send it to us, but not before reading these important guidelines:

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Thanks for helping us continue to produce an award-winning publication!

The Rattle is first in feature writing

The Rattle's "From Cardboard to Concrete: Building Better Lives in the Land of Eternal Spring," won first place in the category of Human Interest Story-Long at the 2013 Fraternity Communications Association (FCA) Annual Conference! Judges reviewed over 700 submissions from more than 60 organizations in 29 categories.

The author, Michael Rubright (Beta Sigma/Lehigh 1987), pitched his story to *The Rattle* staff after a recent trip to Guatemala, where he and other volunteers worked for a week in one of Guatemala City's most impoverished neighborhoods to build and renovate homes, provide medical treatment, teach job skills and care for children. "From Concrete to Cardboard" originally appeared in the Spring 2012 edition and can be read online at www.thetachi.org/rattle

During the awards presentation for this category, the FCA stated that, "our judges agreed that our first place entry was very moving with vivid descriptions and a great story."

Needless to say, we are very proud of Brother Rubright's work and grateful to him for sharing with us.



This is your magazine— please help us make it even better



Dear brothers,

For more than a century, *The Rattle* has been a name that is instantly recognized by Theta Chi brothers young and old and from chapters coast to coast. It has served as an important means by which our members and friends connect or reconnect to an organization that has done much to positively impact the lives of its members and the campuses and communities in which it exists.

Since its debut over 100 years ago, the Fraternity has been committed to improving the quality of *The Rattle*, along with its other publications, on a continuous basis. I hope that all who have followed the Fraternity's magazine over the years find this commitment to have been honored.

Playing an important role in those improvements is Bart Zino (Iota Theta/Central Florida 2008), who has faithfully served as Editor since 2009. Bart, who produced eight outstanding editions of *The Rattle*, departed the International Headquarters staff earlier this year to pursue new career opportunities. As such, this edition will be the last under his leadership. We will certainly miss him as Editor, as he has clearly set the bar high for his successors. Please join me in wishing Bart well in all of his future endeavors.

I am pleased to announce that current Associate Executive Director Ben Hill will succeed Brother Zino as Editor starting with the Winter 2014 edition. Brother Hill has over 10 years of experience on the Fraternity's professional staff and is credited with producing the 18th Edition of *The Manual of Theta Chi Fraternity*, published in 2010. Though there will be a change of leadership on *The Rattle* editorial team, our commitment to providing the highest quality publication remains.

Comments and suggestions as to how the Fraternity can improve YOUR magazine are always welcome and encouraged. Please feel free to contact the editorial team of *The Rattle* at rattle@thetachi.org. As always, please feel free to contact me personally if the International Headquarters staff can be of any assistance to you or your chapter.

Fraternally,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Michael Mayer".

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Restructuring to better serve

Over the summer, the International Headquarters staff underwent a restructuring process in response to recent unprecedented growth in terms of membership and chapters.

Executive Director Mike Mayer says the changes will expand the staff's ability to serve the needs of Theta Chi's members and volunteers.

"As the organization continues to grow, so too does our need to better support our chapters, undergraduates, and alumni. This model will enable us to do more to better Theta Chi and do so in a more effective manner."

One of the newest hires is **Ray Vanlanot** (Alpha Iota/Indiana 2008), who will serve as Senior Director for Collegiate Services. Ray oversees the Collegiate Services Department as well as the field staff. He also manages the Fraternity's Graduate Advisor program, and is establishing Theta Chi's Higher Education Commission to discuss and maintain the Fraternity's relevance amongst an ever-changing academic landscape.

Brother Vanlanot holds bachelor's and master's degrees from Indiana University and is presently a Ph.D. candidate in neuroscience. For three years, he was the Presidential Graduate Fellow and Assistant Director of Special Events for the Indiana University Office of the President and also served as the live-in graduate advisor for Alpha Iota Chapter.

In 2008, Brother Vanlanot was named Second Runner-Up for Theta Chi's top undergraduate honor, the Colley Award. His advisory experience, coupled with his knowledge of working with high-level university administrators, makes him an ideal choice for this position.

Several existing staff members have also been given additional responsibilities:

Director of Learning and Development **Shawn Bennett** is now the Director of Health and Safety Programming, where he will oversee Theta Chi's new health and safety initiatives. To learn more about this important new program, go to page 12.

Director of Recruitment and Expansion **JD Ford** has been promoted to Senior Director for Recruitment and Expansion. JD will supervise the newly created Assistant Director of Recruitment and Expansion position and Recruitment and Expansion Specialists.

Associate Executive Director for Collegiate Services **Ben Hill** is now the Associate



Ray Vanlanot



Shawn Bennett



JD Ford



Ben Hill



Joel Wendland

Executive Director for Communication and Programming. Ben will manage many of the responsibilities previously held by former Director of Communication Bart Zino, including *The Rattle* and maintenance of www.thetachi.org. Ben will also handle all programmatic elements of the Fraternity's regional and national leadership events (e.g., curriculum, content and faculty selection).

Director of Member Services **Joel Wendland** is now the Senior Director for Event and Member Services, where he will head logistical planning for the Fraternity's regional and national events in addition to his current duties of overseeing new member registration, Theta Chi's partnership with OmegaFi and serving as the main administrator for the Compass database.

You can contact any member of the staff by calling IHQ at 317-824-1881, or e-mailing ihq@thetachi.org. ■

Meet the new Recruitment and Expansion Team

As part of the recent staff restructuring, the responsibility for managing the Fraternity's ongoing expansion program has become a standalone department headed by Senior Director for Recruitment and Expansion **JD Ford**. In order to keep up with the growing demands and focus in this area, Brother Ford will supervise three additional staff members.

Former Leadership and Education Consultant **Joe Macko** now assists JD as Assistant Director of Recruitment and Expansion. On the road, Brother Macko experienced great success last academic year with the recolonization of Alpha Pi at the University of Minnesota and the revitalization of Alpha Rho at the University of Washington. Brother Macko hails from Zeta Tau Chapter at the University of Michigan-Flint.

Also supporting JD are Recruitment and Expansion Specialists **Jeffrey Draluck** and **Scott Turk**, who will serve as the front-line staff on Theta Chi's various expansion projects. They will set up and conduct meetings with college/university administrators, faculty, and staff in order to identify potential new members and supporters on the campuses where expansions are ongoing.

They will also represent the International Headquarters at various events and conferences, visit and facilitate leadership training with interest groups and colonies and assist with meeting the recruitment and expansion goals as set by the International Headquarters leadership team.

Jeffrey served as Fundraising Chairman for Epsilon Zeta Chapter at the University of Tampa and also held the position of IFC President. He attended the ELITE (Educating Leaders in Today's Environment) freshman leadership program on campus and served as a mentor within the program as an upperclassman. He has interned with the Tampa Bay Buccaneers, the University of South Florida Game Day Operations and Event Management, and the Collegiate Licensing Company and frequently volunteered at the local Shriners Hospital. During his first year on staff, Jeffrey traveled the Northeast and was the project leader for the expansion at Northern Kentucky University.

Scott graduated in December 2012 from Missouri State University and joined the field staff in time for the start of the Spring 2013 semester. A sociopolitical communication major, he was Missouri State's student body president for the 2011/2012 academic year, Greek Week chairman in 2011, and served two terms as Iota Beta's Vice President. Scott was named MSU's Junior of the Year in 2011, Sophomore of the Year in 2010 and Freshman of the Year in 2009. For these and other accomplishments, Theta Chi presented Scott with the Colley Award at the 2012 National Convention in Palm Springs, CA. During the Spring 2013 semester, Scott assisted with the rebuilding of Alpha Rho/Washington and visited several chapters in the Midwest.

If you have questions about Theta Chi's expansion program, please e-mail expansion@thetachi.org or visit the Theta Chi website at: www.thetachi.org/expansion.



Joe Macko



Jeffrey Draluck



Scott Turk

I didn't always have the luxury of an office in which to work on *The Rattle*. When I first agreed to take on the role of Editor, I was pulling double-duty as a Leadership and Education Consultant on the West Coast. There was already plenty to do as an LEC, but I was excited about the prospect of finally putting my journalism degree to work. So, I decided to give it a shot.

There were some long nights that semester spent poring over drafts, approving layouts and sifting through photos. I even began to express deadlines as states rather than days of the week—revisions were due by Kansas, headlines by Arizona, and final approval no later than Idaho. It was challenging work at times, but always instructive, rewarding and even fun.

The truth is that there is a lot of work that goes into producing an edition of the Fraternity's magazine. Fortunately, I never had to do it alone thanks to the rotating cast of characters that make up *The Rattle* editorial team. They are students, fathers, sons, colleagues, fellow writers—all volunteers—with a desire to share with their Fraternity. I can't thank these brothers enough for their contributions over the years.

I am also grateful to Art Director Jody Toth, who has worked on *The Rattle* now for more than 20 years. She has been tremendously helpful to me as not only the magazine's designer, but also as a mentor and advisor on everything from debating the comparative merits of Stone Sans versus New Baskerville (and yes, there is a difference!) to deciphering the Pantone Matching System and much more besides.

Recognition is also due to Jennifer Kuntz, who could always be counted on to bounce headline ideas off of and point out inconsistencies in the copy that might have otherwise been overlooked, as well as to Susan Casalini and Mike Moxley for keeping me on schedule and making the digital edition of *The Rattle* possible.

I would also like to thank my fellow staff members for their patience, for meeting my occasionally challenging deadlines, and for sharing their constructive criticism. They are truly the answer to the question, "who edits the Editor?" Thanks, too, go to Assistant Editor Kelly Jones for the work she does in processing the steady stream of news briefs that reach the International Headquarters each week.

Finally, I'd like to thank my successor Ben Hill for his many hours spent working with me on each edition proofreading, dealing with last-minute emergencies and many other surprises along the way. His formidable eye for detail and extensive institutional knowledge will serve him well as *The Rattle's* 14th editor. I wish him the best of luck, and know that our Fraternity's magazine is in good hands.

Editing *The Rattle* turned out to be one of the most rewarding experiences I've ever had, not only as a brother but also as a communications professional. It has been a tremendous privilege to serve the Fraternity in this role, and I am even more excited for the things to come. Thank you for four great years!

Fraternally,



Bart Zino



Meet the field staff

Seven brothers will serve on the field staff for the 2013/2014 academic year, including three who have returned for a second year.

Leadership and Education Consultants work with undergraduate and alumnus members and help chapters recognize strengths, confront challenges, and develop strategies for positive change. Leadership and Education Consultants report to Senior Director for Collegiate Services Ray Vanlanot.

Due to Theta Chi's impressive growth over the last year, a new position has been created that will assist with Theta Chi's various expansion projects throughout the year. Veteran LECs Jeffrey Draluck and Scott Turk will serve as Recruitment and Expansion Specialists under the leadership of Senior Director for Recruitment and Expansion JD Ford. To learn more about this new position, go to page 5.

The other members of the 2013/2014 field staff are:

Chris Barker (1st Year)
Epsilon Zeta/Tampa 2013

Chris served Epsilon Zeta as Vice President, Marshal, Fundraising Chairman, First Guard, and Assistant Treasurer. He also served on the University of Tampa IFC as the Vice President of Internal Affairs. He was a member of the University's baseball team and the National Society of Leadership and Success. He also served as a mentor for ELITE (Educating Leaders in Today's Environment) freshman leadership retreat as well as a mentor for Gateways, a preparatory program for freshmen and transfer students. Chris was a mathematics major with a minor in finance and has worked as a mathematics tutor.



Justin Jones (1st Year)
Iota Pi/LSU 2013

A Founding Father of Iota Pi Chapter, Justin served as President and Philanthropy Chairman. He also played a key role in re-establishing the LSU chapter of Colleges Against Cancer, where he served as president. His involvement with Colleges Against Cancer opened the door for LSU to participate in Relay For Life, where he served as Executive Director. In addition to his community involvement, Justin was an Orientation Leader



with LSU's STRIPES, worked with middle and high school students as a summer camp counselor at Camp Fuego and was recognized by the LSU Student Government Association as an accomplished leader. Justin participated in the inaugural Initiative Academy and has also attended UIFI. Justin majored in political science and earned a 3.0 GPA.

C. Tanner McCullough (1st Year)
Iota Xi/Georgia College 2013

Tanner is a Founding Father of Iota Xi Chapter at Georgia College and served as Vice President. Tanner was also a founder of the Rugby Club on campus. He volunteered at the Have a Heart, Save a Life Humane Society and Habitat for Humanity. A marketing major, Tanner was selected to present the results of a research project on Georgia's Transportation Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax and to the state of Georgia's Tax Assessor and marketing team.



Tom Sisco (1st Year)
Gamma Rho/Florida State 2013

At Florida State, Tom served Gamma Rho as President and Marshal and also served as an undergraduate member of the Seminole Greek Alumni Foundation. He previously interned in Washington, D.C. for Congressman Vern Buchanan (R-FL). Tom plans to attend law school in the future.



V. Alex Nunchuck (2nd Year)
Iota Theta/Central Florida 2012

Alex served his chapter as Secretary and Public Relations Chairman. On campus, he was a Resident Adviser and a member of UCF's LEAD Scholars program during his freshman year. He was also a Contributing Editor for *The Odyssey*, a national student newspaper covering issues facing Greek-letter organizations. An interpersonal/organizational communication major, Alex graduated in three years with a 3.2 GPA and also attended UIFI in the summer of 2011. In his first year on staff, Alex visited chapters in the Mid-Atlantic area, Carolinas, Great Plains and Great Lakes.



To learn more about the field staff program, visit www.thetachi.org.



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July 16–19, 2014 ■ Minneapolis, MN

Mark your calendar—the 2014 National Convention is coming to Minnesota and the beautiful Minneapolis Marriott City Center Hotel. Make some new friends, reconnect with old ones and find out why the National Convention is Theta Chi's largest and greatest gathering of brothers from around the world.

Nestled next door to the University of Minnesota, home of the recently recognized Alpha Pi Colony, and nearby Beta Kappa Chapter at Hamline University, of St. Paul, this is one Convention you won't want to miss!

Details about Theta Chi's largest event will be posted online later this year at www.thetachi.org.

Six (re)installations this year nationwide

Theta Chi Fraternity is excited to announce the successful (re)installation of six chapters this past academic year. Many long hours went into ensuring that the members of these groups were prepared for the responsibilities and privileges of Fraternity membership.

Expansion is often a time and resource-consuming process that requires collaboration and cooperation between the undergraduates who are building the group and alumni who are supporting it. Many thanks are due to the brothers and volunteers who help make our new chapters a reality.

Brothers who are interested in becoming involved with a colony in an advisory capacity should contact Senior Director for Recruitment and Expansion JD Ford by e-mailing jdford@thetachi.org or calling 317-824-1881.

Omicron/Richmond

Reinstalled: Saturday, April 20, 2013

The story of Omicron Chapter's return to the University of Richmond was one of patience, persistence, and serendipity. Robert Lee (2013), whose cousin Stephen Lee (2009) was a Founding Father of Iota Lambda Chapter at Longwood University, contacted the International Headquarters in 2009 and met with several alumni to learn more about the process. In 2011 another undergraduate, Ryan Johnson (2014), made a similar call to Theta Chi and the two were introduced. Together, they began the recruitment process and were approved for installation in Spring 2013. Thirty-seven new brothers were initiated on April 20.

Beta Omicron/Cincinnati

Reinstalled: Saturday, May 11, 2013

In the winter of 2011, Counselor Darick Brown, contacted undergraduate brother Kyle Parido (Eta Beta/Eastern Kentucky 2014) about restarting the dormant chapter at the University of Cincinnati. Brother Parido, who had transferred from EKU to Cincinnati, eagerly agreed. Colonized in June 2012, the group tripled in size the following fall and finished first amongst fraternities in intramural sports. To boost their reputation on campus, they have volunteered at a public school and built awareness of their intent to return to campus among the Greek community. A year after colonization, Beta Omicron Chapter succeeded in their mission and was reinstalled with 46 members. More than 50 Beta Omicron alumni were in attendance, including Founding President and Roster No. 1, Lloyd Towers (1947), featured on the cover.

Delta Eta/Colorado State

Reinstalled: Saturday, April 27, 2013

Back on campus again after 40 years, Delta Eta Chapter is poised to make a big impact at Colorado State. Thanks to the efforts of Leadership and Education Consultants Eddie Higginbotham and Cody Chinn in the Spring 2012 semester, the 43-man chapter claims that it now has members involved in 98 student organizations. Brothers are also working as Orientation Leaders, Resident Assistants, Campus and Presidential Ambassadors, and in Student Government. As a colony, Delta Eta led CSU's Greek community in grades for the

spring and fall 2012 semesters. This fall, the chapter is looking to continue its winning streak on campus by earning the top fraternity GPA for a third consecutive semester, as well as becoming one of the top three largest chapters and holding more prominent leadership roles on campus.

Eta Psi/UAB

Reinstalled: Saturday, December 8, 2012

Eta Psi Chapter returned to the University of Alabama-Birmingham campus with 42 members. In its first semester as a chapter, Eta Psi took home a Merit Award at the UAB Greek Excellence Awards and Past Colony President Evan Colmenares (2013) took home the prestigious UAB Greek Man of the Year Award in 2013. The chapter will be focusing on membership recruitment in Fall 2013, as well as organizing a new philanthropic event.

Iota Rho/Southern Poly

Installed: Saturday, April 6, 2013

In the Fall 2011 semester, when a group of students formed the local fraternity Kappa Alpha Beta at Southern Polytechnic State University, they knew it would be a temporary step before affiliating with a national fraternity. The members wanted to be part of an organization that was known for its good grades and respectable character. A year and a half later, 30 members were initiated into Theta Chi Fraternity. The chapter has stayed true to its original goals by earning the highest GPA on campus and is looking to continue that trend along with an emphasis on increasing its community service and recruitment.



Eta Psi undergraduates and alumni, joined by members of the Installation Committee, pause for a group picture following Eta Psi's reinstallation at the University of Alabama at Birmingham. The chapter had been inactive since 2000.

Eight new colonies formed

In addition to the six colonies (re)installed during the 2012/2013 academic year, Theta Chi is pleased to announce colonies have been formed at the following campuses:

- Alpha Pi/University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN (colonized, Dec. 8, 2012)
- Beta Phi/University of Nevada, Reno, NV (colonized Oct. 20, 2012)
- Gamma Theta/San Diego State University, San Diego, CA (colonized Oct. 13, 2012)
- Delta Pi/Indiana State University, Terre Haute, IN (colonized Sept. 15, 2012)
- Theta Mu/California State University-East Bay, Hayward, CA (colonized Oct. 7, 2012)
- Northern Kentucky University, Highland Heights, KY (colonized March 1, 2013)
- Texas State University, San Marcos, TX (colonized April 29, 2012)
- Averett University, Danville, VA (colonized April 15, 2012)

Brothers interested in helping mentor these groups by serving on a Colony Advisory Board, or who are interested in bringing Theta Chi to a campus where it is not currently represented, are encouraged to e-mail Senior Director of Recruitment and Expansion JD Ford at jdford@thetachi.org.

Iota Sigma/Towson

Installed: Saturday, April 27, 2013

In the Spring 2012 semester, 12 Towson students met to discuss the idea of creating a new kind of fraternity experience on campus. After deciding on Theta Chi and contacting the International Headquarters, Leadership and Education Consultant Denny Vaggalis traveled to Maryland to meet with the group and see what the members had to offer. In October, a colony was officially recognized at Towson, and the members got to work recruiting and building a reputation. Over the next several months, each member volunteered at least 10 hours of community service (for a total of 600 hours) and raised \$6,000 for charities like Dance Marathon, Autism Walk and Relay for Life. In April of this year, their efforts paid off when Iota Sigma, Theta Chi's newest chapter, was installed with 61 members. ■

Alumni can help with recruitment too

BY JOE MACKO, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF RECRUITMENT AND EXPANSION

Last year, I had the opportunity to travel as a Leadership and Education Consultant specializing in expansion. To do my job effectively, I worked with a variety of talented alumni who are passionate about Theta Chi and the chapters they advise. In many cases, this support arrives in the form of advice on practical matters like financial management, executive leadership training or risk management planning.

These are all very important topics in chapter management. There is one area, however, that doesn't always get as much attention. Despite being essential to any respectable fraternity's future growth and success, recruitment seems to get a bad rap as an "undergraduates-only" activity. I know this isn't really true- during my time on the road, I got to meet many incredible alumni who were and continue to be instrumental in helping the chapters they advise grow. And yet, I also know that there are many more who would like to get involved, but aren't sure how. Interestingly, there are more opportunities available than you might think.

Consider your own experiences as an undergraduate. You've seen what works and doesn't work, and may have even been a star recruiter yourself. You are in a powerful position to share those best practices with others. Even though conventional knowledge might lead you to believe that undergraduates should actively seek the advice of their advisors, many chapters aren't aware of the resources that are available to them. Others (wrongly) assume that their advisors don't want to be "bothered" with recruitment questions or won't know how to answer them.

You can ease these concerns by proactively partnering with the local Chapter Advisory Board (CAB). Offer to host a recruitment school, train younger members on recruiting practices, or advise chapter leaders on their overall strategy. The International Headquarters can provide additional resources to help you. You can also contact a chapter's assigned Counselor to learn about possible opportunities.

You may also want to consider attending some of the chapter's recruiting events by offering to be a guest speaker or helping with logistics, setup and/or cleanup. You don't have to be an expert event planner, either—just be accessible. Talk with a CAB representative about what events have the greatest need for support and where you can put your abilities to the greatest use. Sometimes just being present is the greatest way to build confidence and create a great experience for potential new members.

No matter how you choose to lend a helping hand, imagine how much better our groups could recruit if they had access to the resources and knowledge base of brothers who have already been there. Consider the reward of knowing that you had a direct hand in helping recruit the next generation of student leaders for our organization. The ball is in your court, brothers—Theta Chi can be even better with your help and support.



We need your help!

Theta Chi is looking for new expansion opportunities and brothers to help support them. Are you attending school where the Fraternity is not yet represented? Do you have a son, friend or relative who is interested in starting a chapter? E-mail Senior Director for Recruitment and Expansion JD Ford at jdford@thetachi.org to learn how you can help. Or, visit www.thetachi.org/expansion.

Alumni Involvement Proven Factor in Chapter Success— What are you waiting for?

BY BILL RUSSO, DIRECTOR OF VOLUNTEER DEVELOPMENT

Over the years, it has become more and more apparent that the keys to chapter success lie not only in the quality of the undergraduate leadership, but also in that of the alumni. Chapters that take advantage of this important resource are far more likely to enjoy smoother leadership transitions, superior alumni events and better-maintained chapter houses, among many other tangible benefits.

Interestingly, when we asked alumni about why they weren't more involved in their chapters, the overwhelming response was that they hadn't been asked. With that in mind, the International Headquarters staff and Grand Chapter created the Director of Volunteer Services position last year to not only increase the number of volunteers who work with Theta Chi chapters, but also to help our undergraduate brothers and existing volunteers recruit new faces.

Volunteering as an alumnus can be a very rewarding experience—not only for the chapter, but for those who volunteer as well. The best part about volunteering is that you're never too old or too far-removed to get involved again. All undergraduate brothers can benefit from an alumnus' wisdom and life experiences.

One such brother who heard the call to Theta Chi was James Sun (Beta Alpha/UCLA 1992), who had been approached in 2000 by fellow Beta Alpha brother Jeff Anderson (1989) about joining the chapter's alumni board.

"I hadn't stepped foot in the chapter house for 11 years when Jeff approached me to get involved," Sun said. "They were having trouble filling the house and everyone thought we were going to have to sell it."

James answered the call and never looked back.

"We started small at first with a golf tournament and banquet for the alumni on Founders Day," he said. "Now, it's going on its 14th year, and we have more alumni involved and the chapter is stronger than ever."

James and the Beta Alpha alumni used the success of the alumni events and fundraising



James Sun standing with past Beta Alpha/UCLA President Justin Hutton (2014) and past Beta Tau/Southern California President Jameson Lee (2015) following Beta Tau's Pledging Ceremony last year.

to start programs that directly benefited the chapter. One of those programs is the chapter's Helping Hand Scholarship, which is awarded to UCLA's top incoming freshmen (men and women) in order to raise Beta Alpha's visibility on campus. Many of the scholarship's male recipients then choose to join the chapter because they got to meet the brothers early on, which in turn has attracted more high quality students to Beta Alpha overall.

Beta Alpha also invited parents to their events, which encouraged alumni who might have otherwise had reservations about bringing their families to a fraternity function.

"We knew it was important for alumni to meet and reconnect with the undergraduates and their families," Sun said. "This kept [the alumni] coming back and made them more comfortable donating time, sweat equity, or money back to the chapter."

Thanks in part to James's leadership, as well as the time and effort put in by the rest of the Beta Alpha Alumni Board, the chapter today is

proud to have more than 70 undergraduate members, up from 25 in 2008.

In addition to his work with his own chapter, James also volunteers across town with Beta Tau Chapter at the University of Southern California and helps plan the regional leadership event there every year. He truly is an example of the helping hand in action.

"This is our chance to expose a new generation to what Theta Chi really stands for—our chance to give back to the fraternity that gave us so much," he explained. "And remember that you don't have to do it alone. You can bring other brothers from all generations along with you. It's easier and more fun if you are doing it with brothers you know and trust—It's one of the best choices I could have made." ■

Do you hear the call? If you are interested in getting involved or reconnecting with nearby alumni or undergraduate chapters, contact Bill Russo at bill@thetachi.org or by phone at 317-824-1881.



The Alpha Rho Chapter house, as it looked prior to renovations in preparation for the new school year. Located just a few blocks from campus, Theta Chis at the University of Washington have called this house “home” for decades.

A new generation at Alpha Rho

A successful revitalization effort yielded 32 new members and a bright future for the brothers of Alpha Rho Chapter at the University of Washington. Facing dwindling membership and steadily growing debt last academic year, Alpha Rho alumni contacted the International Headquarters to discuss the situation and explore possible solutions.

After careful consideration of the state of Alpha Rho, the International Headquarters staff sent Leadership and Education Consultants Joe Macko, Matthew Gillis and Scott Turk to Seattle earlier this year to begin the process of recruiting a new generation of brothers at the University of Washington.

Growth started out slowly but gained momentum over time as the Consultants engaged with local alumni, campus organizations and fellow Greeks. By targeting student leaders and soliciting referrals from sororities, they were able to recruit students who were driven to succeed and rebuild the chapter.

“Many of the new recruits were already involved with organized groups on campus,” Macko said. “They all had really great backgrounds from high school, too—valedictorians, student body presidents and more.”

In April, 32 undergraduates were initiated into Alpha Rho Chapter and Theta Chi Fraternity. Since that time, they have been busy building relationships with the University of Washington’s other Greek organizations, participating in philanthropy and service events, and preparing for their first quarter as a renewed chapter. Weekly recruitment events took place throughout the summer, and the chapter seems poised to see even more successes this fall.

Brothers Macko and Turk now form part of the International Headquarters’ new recruitment and expansion team, under Senior Director JD Ford. Brother Macko was named Assistant Director earlier this summer while Turk now serves as a Recruitment and Expansion Specialist alongside Jeffrey Draluck. To read more about the new expansion team, go to page 5. ■

Our sacred

BY BART ZINO, EDITOR

A new movement to advance and continue the conversation about student health and safety issues is taking shape at Theta Chi, and it promises to be unlike anything ever seen before.

The topic of collegiate health and safety has always been important, but in the Greek life community can often compete with other issues that tend to show up more frequently in the news, such as risk management, member retention and conduct.

However, research is showing that health and safety issues definitely do deserve a prominent place at the table, and the impact they have on students is becoming more dire each year. In 2011, the University of Virginia reported that suicide had surpassed alcohol as the number one killer of college students, and in 2012 a survey conducted by the National Alliance on Mental Health Illness (NAMI) revealed that only 50 percent of respondents who had been diagnosed with a mental health disorder disclosed it to their college or university.

It's not that students don't have access to help—many just don't seek it out or are unaware that it exists. In fact, 64 percent of students who dropped out of college cited mental illness as a contributing factor, according to the NAMI study. And, roughly 50 percent of those students did not receive mental health services or college/university accommodations that might have otherwise prevented them from dropping out.

This is despite research that suggests students who do seek help tend to weather the



storm more successfully than those who don't. *The Los Angeles Times* reported in 2011 that the percentage of students who had suicidal thoughts during the first two weeks of treatment dropped from 26 percent in 1998 to 11 percent in 2009.

Promoting the health, wellness and protection of our members

As might be expected, Greek students aren't immune to these challenges either. Despite the close-knit communities that have become a cornerstone of the Greek experience, fraternity and sorority members face the

same academic, financial, social and other obligations of collegiate life that non-Greek students do. This has created an opportunity for action, and Theta Chi National President Richard D. Elder says it's time to get to work.

At the June Grand Chapter meeting in Annapolis, MD, President Elder unveiled a plan for a health and safety initiative that would connect chapter leaders and members directly with the campus professionals who can get help and resources to the brothers who need it most.

For years, the centerpiece of the undergraduate Theta Chi experience has been programming—the Fraternity's leadership and education events have long been celebrated

promise



The health and safety initiative is constantly evolving, and input is still needed. To become a part of this exciting new movement, please contact Shawn Bennett by e-mailing sbennett@thetachi.org or calling 317-824-1881.

for their ability to give undergraduate members a chance to meet and learn together, while scholarships funded by The Foundation Chapter have made access to these programs and other activities easier than ever before. These services have impacted thousands of brothers over the years, but now there is an opportunity to round out that experience by addressing a third need.

“There is no shortage of programs—trust me,” he said. “This isn’t a program problem.”

In October 2012, President Elder formed a task force composed of alumni, undergraduate leaders and fellow board members to discuss some of the issues facing Theta Chis and other students today. The task force, which

met at the International Headquarters in Indianapolis, concluded that the Fraternity’s existing structure doesn’t lend itself well to sustaining programming education over an extended period of time. With members graduating every year, it would be impossible to expect chapters to retain information presented through traditional methods for very long.

“The task force was busy for the time that we were in Indianapolis, but I felt like we all left knowing that we were putting Theta Chi in a better position for future development and success,” said task force member and Chapter President Craig Berberich (Beta Rho/Illinois Wesleyan 2015).

President Elder says the health and safety initiative will implement a series of changes at the national and chapter levels that will, over time, cultivate a new culture of concern among brothers and the rest of the campus community.

“This is a very bold move for Theta Chi,” he said. “But, we have never been afraid of being bold and taking on leadership roles by making decisions that support our values and our life-long commitment to the ‘Assisting Hand’ while enhancing the Theta Chi experience.”

Newly appointed Director of Health and Safety Programming, Shawn Bennett, says the goal of the health and safety initiative is to launch a movement within Theta Chi, on the campuses it serves and for its members that places a high importance on mutual care for one another.

In his new role, Brother Bennett will champion the progress of this movement by engaging with subject matter experts who specialize in matters relating to the health, safety and wellbeing of college students. The goal is to have the kinds of conversations that will result in new ways of thinking about how Theta Chi and other campus resources can better serve

the needs of students in areas like mental health, drug and alcohol awareness, housing and fire safety, and general health matters.

Changes are also coming to the chapter level with the introduction of a new undergraduate officer position: the Vice President of Health and Safety. As an executive board-level officer, the Vice President of Health and Safety will be responsible for partnering with local experts and developing connections between the chapter and its host college/university's health services center to educate brothers and fellow students alike on issues concerning mental and physical health and wellness.

So important is this new position that it will be the third-highest ranking position in the chapter, after the President and Vice President. This change to the chapter structure will also be reflected in changes to the Fraternity's Ritual, planned for later this year.

"The Vice President of Health and Safety is there to influence a change in culture," Brother Bennett explained. "And that new culture, in the end, is one where all brothers care deeply for one another. The ultimate goal is to renew this sense of oath and obligation to each other."

Relationships, not programs

Brother Bennett says the benefit of this new movement in Theta Chi is twofold: on one hand, the Fraternity and its chapters can be of



A new position will be added to all undergraduate executive boards. The new Vice President of Health and Safety will be the third-highest ranking position in the chapter.

greater service to their host institutions by serving as resources to others and leading the kinds of conversations that are most relevant to student health and safety issues today. On

the other hand, working with local experts means access to more educational opportunities, and, perhaps, inspiring more students who need help to go out and get it.

"Theta Chi is more than just rules and policies and awards," he said. "Theta Chi is an attitude and a promise, and this new initiative is a way for us to further explore our mission as an organization."

Task Force member and former Chapter President Najja Marshall (Alpha Iota/Indiana 2014) is excited. "It's a strong step towards effective and realistic [change] that helps chapters prevent and deal with the real issues that they may end up facing."

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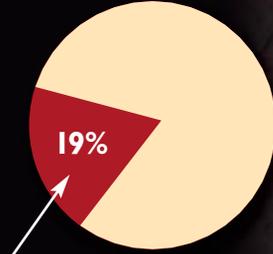
Look for more information about Theta Chi's health and safety initiative to be released later this year. ■

At every chapter and on every campus, like Alpha Nu Chapter at Georgia Tech, the endeavor to ensure our members are safe and cared for is one shared by all members. Thanks to the new health and safety initiative, Theta Chi will now be able to take a comprehensive approach to realizing this vision in an exciting new way.





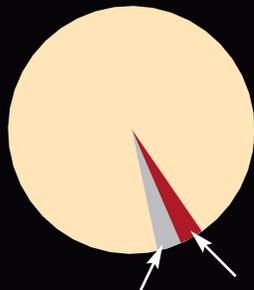
Treatment for Alcohol Problems: an Unmet Need



19% of college students (ages 18–24) meet criteria for alcohol abuse. Only 5% sought help.

From the National Epidemiologic Survey on Alcohol and Related Conditions

120 lives have been lost in fires on- or off-campus since 2000



7 on-campus fires claimed 9 lives
6 Greek house fires claimed 10 lives

From the Center for Campus Fire Safety—Fire Fatality Data (revised 7/19/2013)

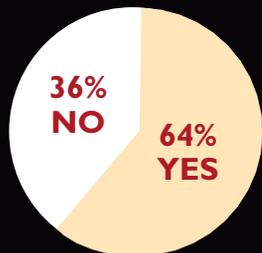
Why Health and Safety?

For years, Theta Chi has been a leading voice in the conversation about risk management, member standards and recruitment. Today's college students face a myriad of problems and challenges, some of which were never discussed when current alumni were undergraduate members.

That's why the new health and safety initiative is so important. It addresses physical health, housing and fire safety, substance use and abuse, and mental health and wellness. At the core of our initiative is a desire to create a culture of care among brothers who might need such support services so that they might more proactively get the help they need, and do so knowing that their brothers stand with them.

Essential to the success of this initiative is understanding that we are not aiming to create a new program, but rather to inspire a new movement—one that not only promotes safer practices and behavior, but also greater concern for one another. Shown below are just a few statistics demonstrating why Theta Chi can and will be a leader in this area.

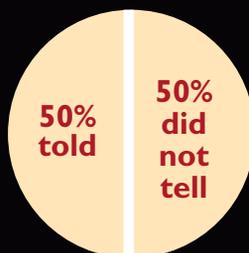
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50% of those who dropped out due to a mental health issue said they did not seek access to services or supports.

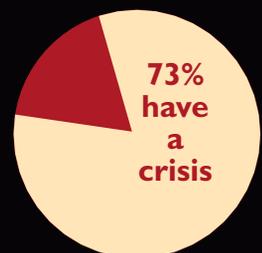
From the National Alliance on Mental Health report: *College Students Speak: A Survey Report on Mental Health*

Half of those with mental health issues keep it secret.



50% of students who dropped out due to mental health issues had not disclosed their struggles to the college.

73% of students with mental health issues will have a crisis

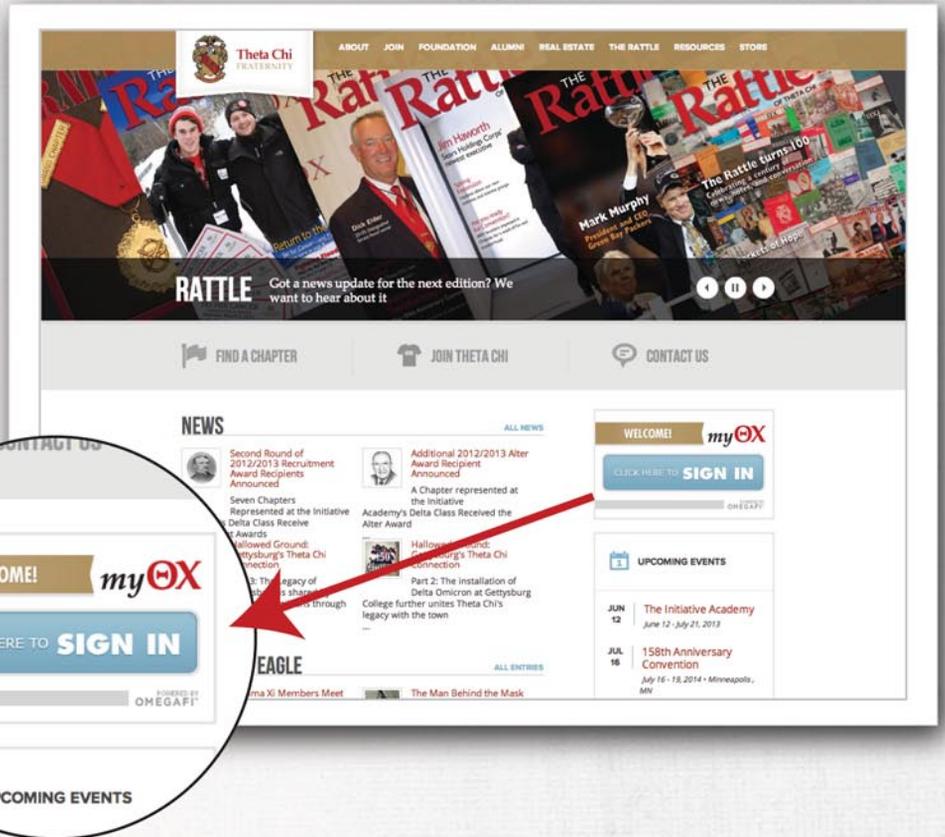


Normal homesickness, feeling overwhelmed by course load, stress over tests can trigger a crisis.



Help network our membership and take the registration challenge!

For years, the best way to keep in touch with Theta Chi was through the International Headquarters. But today, in an age of instant communication, you can finally cut out the middleman.



Since 2011, myThetaChi has helped members like you reconnect with chapter brothers, stay up-to-date on the latest Theta Chi news, and keep tabs on what's happening at the active chapter.

With myThetaChi, you can even look for jobs using the **NEW** Job Board feature, post announcements, download chapter resources and set up news feeds for the topics that matter most. It's a brothers-only online tool, and it's free to use. All you have to do to get started is visit www.thetachi.org, click the SIGN IN tab and then "Establish Access" on the right-hand side and answer a few questions about yourself.

As thanks, you'll be entered into a quarterly drawing for great Theta Chi merchandise from Herff Jones Jewelers. You could win a pair of Theta Chi cuff links, a badge guard or many other great Theta Chi products for just a few minutes of your time. The next drawing will be held in October, so go online today!

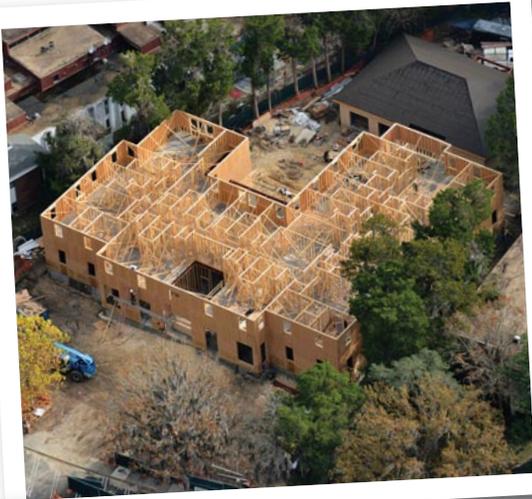
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To learn more about the myThetaChi tool, or to activate your account today, visit www.thetachi.org.

A clear vision

BY JOE CLACK, NORWICH HOUSING CORPORATION COUNSELOR



Ever since its first meeting in 1928, The Norwich Housing Corporation (NHC) has represented our Fraternity with a strong, clear vision. During that time the continually evolving nature of the NHC has played an important role in Theta Chi and its leading position within the interfraternal world.

Things have changed a lot since my first National Convention. It was 1980 in New Orleans, and I was a field representative. I recall prominent brothers like Joe Ross, Bill Renton, Alan Warne, Dick McCauley and others gathering to discuss the business of what was then known as the National Board of Trustees. As it is today, their discussions were centered around asset management, existing loans and new loan applications, but they also spent much of their time deliberating the matters of properties held by the NBT.

Over the years it became apparent that these “held properties” were consuming an extraordinary amount of resources, many of which could have been used to benefit a greater number of alumni corporation projects. At the same time, it was becoming more apparent to our alumni corporations that it was not only important to acquire housing, but also to emphasize the significance of safe, healthy and quality housing as our existing houses age and we bring new chapters into the fold.

And so, the NHC gradually transitioned from a real estate ownership corporation to a real estate lending corporation. By shifting the focus, the NHC has become a more efficient source for many more alumni corporations seeking to access funding for housing as well as for important life safety improvements. Along with all of those alumni corporations, the NHC wants to carry forward its mission within Theta Chi to assist when possible and to “extend the helping hand.”

A recent example of the current work of the NHC is the chapter house presently being built for Tau Chapter at the University of Florida. The main financial support for this project originated with Tau alumni and local banks, where the terms and rates are favorable for long term financing. In regards to this loan, the NHC has taken a secondary position as it has with several others, allowing chapters to reimburse the NHC loan more rapidly and in turn making available the possibility of financial assistance to many more chapters.

Still, the greatest and most important factor to successfully obtaining and maintaining chapter housing lies in that of our local house corporations. Let me remind each of you to reflect upon and renew your commitment to assist your chapter in whatever way possible. If you’re in a position to lead your chapter’s alumni toward something important, don’t hesitate to make a difference. The most vital thing for all of us is to commit our resources, whether it’s money or time, to a cause that can and will undoubtedly affect the future of so many young men and that of our Fraternity, as well as the future of our nations.

My fellow NHC board members and I are excited about where our Fraternity is headed. And with each day, week, month and year our ever-evolving future comes into clearer focus. We look forward to joining YOU in making a difference in America’s best college fraternity, Theta Chi.

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For more information about the services and resources provided by the Norwich Housing Corporation, please visit www.thetachi.org/norwich.



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Tau celebrated the completion of their new house with a grand opening over the weekend of Aug. 30–31 in Gainesville, FL.

Theta Chi Fraternity salutes its 2012/2013 Outstanding Seniors

THIS year Theta Chi re-launched its senior recognition program with The Outstanding Senior Award, which provides a way to acknowledge those seniors who, in the eyes of their fellow brothers, have made an outstanding contribution to the chapter over the past year.

Each chapter was asked to nominate one individual for this honor- someone who has gone above and beyond the call of duty in the name of brotherhood. This year, 61 brothers were submitted for recognition as Outstanding Seniors.

In the applications we received, many of the men named

below were described as reliable, honest, trustworthy, hard-working, inspired, and compassionate. They are role models, mentors, leaders, gentlemen, athletes, scholars, community figures, and innovators whose impact and influence will continue to be felt for years to come.

While it would be impossible to paint a complete picture of who each of these individuals are and how they have made a difference in their respective chapters, we hope you will read about these brothers and be inspired by the work they did and will continue to do as men of Theta Chi.



Leonard Tampkins III

Beta/MIT | Aerospace Engineering
MIT Rocket Team
Chapter Community Service Chair
Helped raise \$4,000 for Beta Chapter Relay for Life team



Doug M. Sirutis

Tau/Florida | Psychology
Chapter President, Executive Vice President
Director, Gator Growl
Florida Blue Key



Jonathan J. Fitzgibbon

Epsilon/WPI | Biomedical Engineering
Chapter President
Successfully led Epsilon through a challenging rebuilding period



John W. Lynch

Phi/North Dakota State | Mathematics
IFC Council Representative, Chapter Finance Committee
Vice President, Order of Omega, Concerts Coordinator, NDSU Statesmen and Chamber choirs, Homecoming and Spring Blast Committee
NDSU Presidential Scholarship, Dean's List



Brandon Malits

Theta/Massachusetts | Building/Construction Tech
Student Government Association Senator-2013
Chapter President, Vice President, House Manager, Alumni Relations Chair
IFC Vice President, Standards
IM softball, dodgeball



L. Sterett Seckman

Chi/Auburn | Business Administration
3.7 cumulative major GPA
Chapter President, Secretary
Standards Board
Executive Vice President, Student Government Association



Albert F. Magyar

Mu/UC-Berkeley | Nuclear Eng., Comp. Science
Chapter Marshal, Chaplain, House Manager, Brotherhood Chair, Asst. Treasurer, Asst. Social Chair, Sustainability Chair, Web Chair
Dean's Honor Roll
Graduate Student Instructor and Teacher's Asst.
Honor Societies: Tau Beta Pi, Alpha Nu Sigma
Treasurer, American Nuclear Society



Bradley M. Lentz

Psi/Wisconsin | Political Science
Psi Founding Father
Chapter President, Marshal, Scholarship Chair
Former White House intern
Battalion Commander, Naval Reserve Officer Training Corps. (NROTC)
3.75 cumulative GPA

THETA CHI OUTSTANDING SENIORS



Tyler D. Doppelheuer

Omega/Penn State | Interdisciplinary Studies
Facilities and Services Chair, University Park
Undergraduate Association
Founding Member, Students Engaging Students
Executive Director, Fresh START Day of Service
Presidential Community Service Award recipient
IFC Judicial Board



Jonathon Wickert

Alpha Tau/Ohio | Finance
Chapter President, Treasurer
Ohio University Sales Center



John Scott

Alpha Delta/Purdue | Industrial Technology,
Industrial Distribution
Chapter Secretary
Caliber, Purdue University
Chapter Community Service Chairman
Alpha Delta New Member of the Year



Brent Turner

Alpha Upsilon/Nebraska | Biochemistry
Alpha Upsilon Founding Father
Chapter Vice President, Risk Management
Chairman



Adam Friedman

Alpha Iota/Indiana | Finance, Accounting
Chapter Risk Management Chair, Standards
Board Chair, Chaplain
Tour Guide, Indiana Univ. Office of Admissions
IU Student Association Funding Board
Co-Chair, IU Hillel Business Leadership Initiative
IU Investment Banking Workshop



Michael Bruckenthal

Alpha Chi/Syracuse | Physics
Alpha Chi Executive Board At-Large Chair
Rush Chair, Social Chair, House Manager



Thomas Terrell

Alpha Nu/Georgia Tech | Mechanical Engineering
Chapter Marshal, Special Events Chair,
Athletics Chair
FASET Orientation Student Cabinet, Greek
Week Executive Committee
Sports: Varsity basketball
Omicron Delta Kappa



Christopher Barone

Beta Theta/Drexel | Business Administration
Chapter President, Vice Pres., Treasurer, Marshal,
House Manager, Social Chair, Athletics Chair
Drexel Formula Society of Automotive Engineers
Club, Organized Drexel Greek Life participation
in Variety Old Newsboys' Day (three years)
Dean's Scholarship recipient (five years)



Gerald "JJ" McCarthy, Jr.

Alpha Omicron/Washington State | Mechanical
Engineering
Chapter President, Internal Vice President,
Social Chair, Activities Chair, Recruitment Chair
Campus Entertainment Rep., Microsoft Process
Engineer, Schweitzer Engineering
Dean's List



Bradley J. Novak

Beta Iota/Arizona | Business Administration
Beta Iota Founding Father, Chapter President,
Recruitment Chair
Volunteer, Boy Scouts of America, Keeping
Tucson Clean and Beautiful, American Red Cross,
March of Dimes, Tucson Food Bank, Hunger
Walk



Dan Liesener

Alpha Pi/Minnesota Colony | Finance,
Entrepreneurial Management
Founding Father, Alpha Pi
Chapter Treasurer
Social Committee



Coleton Hanson

Beta Kappa/Hamline | Political Science
Chapter President, Treasurer, Fundraising Chair;
raised \$25,000 for various chapter projects
Inter-Greek Council, Student Congress
Volunteer, American Red Cross, United Nations
Association of Minnesota Student Leader of the
Year

THETA CHI OUTSTANDING SENIORS



Mark A. Wadowick

Beta Lambda/Akron | Civil Engineering
Regional Conference Coordinator, American Society of Civil Engineers, Eagle Scout; Asst. Scoutmaster, Univ. of Akron Marching Band Recipient, Chalmers Brown Memorial Scholarship, Builders Exchange of Central Ohio Scholarship, Associated General Contractors Scholarship



Seth Lynch

Gamma Tau/Drake | Accounting, Information Systems
Chapter Vice President, Standards Board IM Football, Basketball, Softball



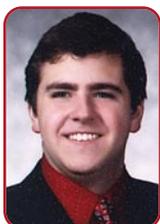
Matthew K. Varley

Beta Nu/Case Western | Computer Science
Chapter President, Vice President, Treasurer, Scholarship Chair
Launched a partnership with the campus Counseling Office to train chapter officers on recognizing the symptoms of mental health problems and how to respond.



Adam Ehrnthaller

Gamma Upsilon/Bradley | Business Management
President, Recruitment Chair, Social Chair, Formal Chair
Recruited Gamma Upsilon's largest new member class in 20 years



Austin C. Smiley

Beta Rho/Illinois Wesleyan | Economics, Business Finance
Founding member, Alpha Kappa Psi Business Fraternity- Illinois Wesleyan Chapter
Student Council Financial Advisory Board, National Society of Leadership and Success, Illinois Wesleyan Economics Society



Michael T. Pirnie

Gamma Phi/Neb. Wesleyan | Pol. Sci., Global Studies
Chapter President, Philanthropy Chair, Scholastic Chair, Standards Board
Wesleyan Entertainment Board Vice President, Student Affairs Senator, Orientation Leader
Dean's List, Order of Omega, Pi Sigma Alpha
Raised \$2,000 as Relay for Life Team Captain



Wyler Sanca

Beta Chi/Allegheny | Psychology
Recruitment Chair
Disc Jockey at WARC, 90.3 FM, Allegheny Public Radio. Currently an Intern at MTV Networks
Volunteer for Crawford County Mental Health Awareness Program (CHAPS)
Producer of short films, songs, and raps.



John H. Kramer

Delta Gamma/West Virginia Wesleyan | Accounting
Treasurer, Risk Management Chair
Committees: Philanthropy, Rush, Social
Varsity football; IM volleyball, basketball, flag fball
3.92 cumulative GPA



Jackson T. Stevens

Gamma Lambda/Denver | Music
Chapter President, Marshal, Alumni Committee Chair
University of Denver Symphony Principal Chair



Michael C. Brutout

Delta Kappa/Ball State | Accounting, Mathematics
Chapter President, Treasurer, Standards Board Chair
Played a significant role in improving new member recruitment and chapter scholarship
Planned, organized and chaired the chapter's 2012 summer retreat



Mark C. Covington, Jr.

Gamma Omicron/Wake Forest | Psychology
Chapter Social Chair
Vice President, Order of Omega-Wake Forest Chapter
National Residence Hall Honorary Leadership Society, Freshman Student Orientation Advisor
President, Innuendo (Wake Forest a cappella)



Sean Smallwood

Delta Phi/North Texas | Political Science
Chapter Secretary, Scholarship Chair, Librarian
Peer Mentor, Parent Orientation Leader, UNT Orientation and Transition Programs, Housing Ambassador, Student Government Student Affairs Committee Mentor, Secretary, Speaker Pro-Tempore, External Chair, Alt. Spring Break volunteer

THETA CHI OUTSTANDING SENIORS



Alec Jalovec

Delta Omega/Ripon | Psychology
Chapter Marshal, Standards Board Chair,
Brotherhood Chair
Student Judiciary Board President, Student
Media Activities Center Travel Committee
Co-Chair
Chi Psi, Laurel Society, Dean's List



Nicholas A. Dalessio

Zeta Lambda / Westminster | Political Science
Chapter President, Chapter Vice President, Greek
Week Fundraising Chair
Student Government Association Senator;
Westminster College Board of Trustees Associate
Trustee; Campus Political Group Vice President,
IFC, Student Alumni Association, Pre-Law Assoc.
Jerb Miller Scholarship for academic excellence



Kevin Boyle

Epsilon Gamma/Widener | Criminal Justice, Soc
Chapter Vice President, Standards Board Chair,
Brotherhood Chair
Widener Men's Track and Field team
Student Government Association rep
Committee Responsible for Enhancing Widener
(CREW) Program team



Kevin A. Cochran, Jr.

Zeta Pi / Old Dominion | Maritime Supply Mgmt
Chapter Vice President, Risk Management Chair,
Alumni Association Member-at-Large, Public
Relations, Awards, Housing, Annual Events
Coordination
Armed Forces Communication and Electronics
Association (AFCEA); Propeller Club



Christopher W. Barker

Epsilon Zeta/Tampa | Mathematics
Chapter Vice President, Marshal, Standards
Board Chairman, Assistant Treasurer
IFC Vice President of Internal Affairs, ELITE and
Gateways mentor
National Society of Leadership and Success



James A. Williams

Zeta Rho/Kentucky / Economics, Finance
Zeta Rho Founding Father
Academic Excellence Award recipient
Participant, Community Trust Investment
Challenge
4.0 cumulative GPA for both majors



Mathew P. Kologi

Epsilon Kappa/Idaho | Mechanical Engineering
Chapter President, Secretary, Risk Management
Chair
American Society of Mechanical Engineers
Designed/manufactured a clock for display in
the Univ. of Idaho Mechanical Engineering
Brian Murphy Award for Exemplary Service



Nick Weldon

Zeta Tau/Michigan-Flint | Communications
Chapter Vice President, Recruitment Chair,
Chaplain, Historian, Risk Management Chair.
Greek Council President, Vice Pres, Treasurer
LGBT Advisory Committee, Student Athletic
Association President, F.U.E.L.



Philip Constantino

Epsilon Psi/NJIT | Chemical Engineering
Chapter President, Risk Management Chair,
Bylaws Committee Chair, House Manager
American Institute of Chemical Engineers,
Interfraternity and Sorority Council's Expansion
Committee



Daniel E. Gonzalez

Zeta Upsilon/Hartford | Performing Arts
Management
Chapter President
Other positions: Secretary, Activities Chairman



Garrett Beitelschies

Zeta Beta/Adrian College | Communications
Chapter President, Chapter Marshal,
Recruitment Chair
Senior Class President, Campus Activities Chair,
Bruiser the Bulldog (Adrian College mascot)
Adrian College Financial Committee



Trent Diamantine

Zeta Phi/Cal Poly | Business Administration
Chapter Public Relations Chair, Social Chair
Beta Gamma Sigma, Order of Omega
Resident Advisor
Cal Poly Accounting Club; PRIDE Center
Hip Hop Congress, Salsa Club, Spring Dance
Show

THETA CHI OUTSTANDING SENIORS



Donnie K. Bowling

Eta Gamma/Morehead State | Nursing
Chapter Marshal, Recruitment Chair, Librarian,
Assistant Treasurer, IFC Representative
Honorary Member of Zeta Rho/Univ. of Kentucky,
Received a Theta Chi Citation of Honor from Eta
Gamma Alumni Corp 2012
Currently a Registered Nurse



Garrett R. Mueller

Iota Beta/Missouri State | Management
Chapter President
Chi Rho Christian Fraternity founder; Cru team
Student Government Association CFO
Alternative Spring Break Co-Leader; Youth Group
leader, summer church program coordinator,
Missouri State University Homecoming King



Charles L. Wilson

Eta Omicron/Northwestern State | English
Chapter Vice President, Education Chairman,
Scholarship Chair, Service Committee Head,
Alumni Relations Chair
IFC Vice President of Scholarship, Student
Government Association Supreme Court Justice
Freshman Orientation Sessions volunteer



Robert S. Keene

Iota Eta/Pacific | Mechanical Engineering
Chapter Secretary, Recruitment Chair,
Community Service Chair
Rugby Club; recruited 25 new club members



Grant S. Fields

Eta Chi/George Mason | Visual, Performing Arts
Chapter Vice President, Philanthropy Chairman,
Chaplain, Pledge Class Secretary
Donated a record 806 units of blood throughout
2010
IFC Delegate



Shea Taylor

Iota Theta/Central Florida | Micro and Molecular
Biology
Chapter President, Marshal
Overhauled Iota Theta's New Member Education
Program, Burnett Honors College Team Leader
Took the lead on promoting Iota Theta's G.I.
Theta Chi philanthropy on campus



Evan Colmenares

Eta Psi/UAB | Chemistry
Eta Psi Founding Father
Chapter President, Standards Board Chair; devel-
oped Eta Psi's Code of Conduct
Impact Alabama volunteer
Greek Affairs Intern



Mick Gershkoff

Iota Kappa/Northern Arizona | History
Chapter First Guard
NAU Marine ROTC officer



James "Jake" L. Cox III

Theta Omega/Appalachian State | Political Science
Chapter President
Student Body President
American Israel Public Affairs Committee
Scholarship recipient



Tyrone Brooks

Iota Lambda/Longwood | Accounting
Chapter President
initiative Academy participant
IFC, Student Government Association
Relay for Life, March of Dimes, Sigma Kappa's
Alzheimer's Walk and Alpha Delta Pi's Miles for
Smiles participant



Marcus J. Trujillo

Theta Eta/Sam Houston State | Criminal Justice
Chapter Vice President, Fundraising Chair,
Philanthropy Chair, Risk Management Chair
IFC Vice President
Contributed 850+ community service hours with
Head Start and Carriage Inn Retirement Home
Voted Theta Eta Best New Member and Best
Overall Brother



Alexander S. Murer

Iota Mu/Missouri | Political Science
Chapter Vice President, Secretary, Public
Relations Chair
Was selected to serve as 1 of 36 Mizzou Summer
Welcome Leaders
Residence Hall Advisor
Learning Strategies for Greek Men Teaching
Assistant



Peter R. Moran

Iota Nu/South Florida | Microbiology
Chapter Historian and Homecoming Co-chair
Pre-Pharmacy Club Parliamentarian, Welcome
Back Jam Stroll Off, Burgers and Bands Stroll Off,
Stampede of Service
First Place-USF Research Day in Molecular Biology
Published in PubMed *Biological Research Journal*



C. Tanner McCullough

Iota Xi/Georgia College | Marketing
Iota Xi Founding Father, Vice President,
Brotherhood Chair
Founding member of the Bobcat Rugby Club



Daniel A. Montenegro

Iota Omicron/Florida International | Finance
Iota Omicron Founding Father, Secretary
Chapter Public Relations Committee
Student Alumni Association Homecoming Event
Coordinator
Order of Omega Secretary



Joshua T. Nelson

Iota Rho/Southern Polytechnic | Construction
Management
Iota Rho Founding Father
Chapter Treasurer; coordinated work events to
assist brothers with chapter debt
Most Valuable Brother Award recipient



Nick A. Fletcher

Iota Sigma/Towson | Electronic Media and Film
Iota Sigma Founding Father
Zoo Zoom, Relay for Life

Unlock your potential!

Each year, Theta Chi helps its members—like the many outstanding seniors you just read about—grow into exceptional student leaders through its educational programs and events. Thanks to support from The Foundation Chapter, these programs are now even more accessible than ever before.

Designed for all levels of experience, our programs cover everything from essential academic and time management resources to advanced interpersonal and teambuilding skills. Look for more information about these and other events online at www.thetachi.org, or call 317-824-1881 to learn more.

Deranian Presidents Conference

The Deranian Presidents Conference is specially designed for recently elected chapter and colony presidents. Participants will share ideas, challenges and best practices in a variety of small group and large group interactions, and meet with national officers and the International Headquarters staff.

Recruitment Boot Camp

Facilitated by the recruitment experts at CAMPUSPEAK, Recruitment Boot Camp has helped thousands of chapters on hundreds of campuses implement a proven recruitment system resulting in lasting growth, greater retention and measurable improvement in all areas of chapter recruitment. Whether your chapter is looking for fresh ideas or to build a brand new strategy from scratch, this is the event for you.

Mid-Year Leadership Conferences (MYLCs)

MYLCs are 2-day regional conferences tailored to the unique needs and challenges of new members and colony/interest group members. Participants will get to meet brothers from nearby chapters and learn about the Fraternity's traditions and values in a small-group setting.

School of Fraternity Practices (SFP)

The SFP is a leadership and chapter operations school held in conjunction with the National Convention. The curriculum at SFP covers a wide array of topics related to chapter leadership, operations and recruitment. Its faculty is made up of Theta Chi alumni from a multitude of disciplines and professions.

Coming Soon

2014 Deranian Presidents Conference
Friday, Jan. 10–11, 2014
Crowne Plaza Indianapolis Airport
Indianapolis, IN

Recruitment Boot Camp
Jan. 10–11, 2014
Crowne Plaza Indianapolis Airport
Indianapolis, IN

Mid-Year Leadership Conferences
Coming in Spring 2014—
dates to be determined
Various locations

36th School of Fraternity Practices
July 16–19, 2014
Minneapolis Marriott City Center
Minneapolis, MN
Held in conjunction with the 2014
National Convention

For a full list of upcoming events, visit www.thetachi.org/events



THE FOUNDATION CHAPTER

Theta Chi Fraternity

Dear brothers,

Having served two terms on The Foundation Chapter board of directors, the time has come for me to step down. I have thoroughly enjoyed serving Theta Chi over the course of the past eight years in this capacity.

As I look at where The Foundation Chapter is today, compared to where it was eight years ago, I am simply amazed at the progress we have made. Our asset base has more than doubled during this period and we are raising funds at levels not seen in nearly 16 years.

Many of these gains can be attributed to the numerous brothers who I have had the privilege of serving with on the board of The Foundation Chapter. Due, in part, to their leadership, our undergraduate brothers have opportunities today that they didn't have eight years ago.

But it is ultimately our alumni who have made these expanded opportunities a possibility. By supporting The Foundation Chapter, they are exemplifying our motto, "An Assisting Hand," and making a difference in the lives of brothers across the country.

On an annual basis, The Foundation Chapter is providing approximately \$250,000 in academic scholarships and approximately \$100,000 in leadership grants to our undergraduate brothers. That wouldn't be possible without the generosity of our supporters!

As I think about the young men who represent the future of our beloved Fraternity, I am reminded of the poem by Will Allen Dromgoole:

The Bridge Builder

*An old man, going a lone highway,
Came, at the evening, cold and gray,
To a chasm, vast, and deep, and wide,
Through which was flowing a sullen tide.*

*The old man crossed in the twilight dim;
The sullen stream had no fear for him;
But he turned, when safe on the other side,
And built a bridge to span the tide.*

*"Old man," said a fellow pilgrim, near,
"You are wasting strength with building here;
Your journey will end with the ending day;
You never again will pass this way;
You've crossed the chasm, deep and wide-
Why build you this bridge at the evening tide?"*

*The builder lifted his old gray head:
"Good friend, in the path I have come," he said,
"There followeth after me today,
A youth, whose feet must pass this way.*

*This chasm, that has been naught to me,
To that fair-haired youth may a pitfall be.
He, too, must cross in the twilight dim;
Good friend, I am building this bridge for him."*

Many of us attribute who we are today to our membership in Theta Chi, for it was the experiences we had through the Fraternity that shaped us into the "resolute men" we are today.

It is up to each and every one of us to perpetuate the traditions and the ideals of Theta Chi by being *The Bridge Builder* for our undergraduate members. When you support The Foundation Chapter, you help us do just that!

Better Because of Theta Chi,

David May, Foundation Chapter Immediate Past President
Zeta Sigma/Wisconsin-River Falls 1970



- Beta** MIT
Daniel Bulhosa-Solorzano
- Eta** Rhode Island
Jeff Ferrucci
- Theta** Massachusetts
Leo Sheehan
Max Shuchman
- Xi** Virginia
Jake Kenneally
- Rho** Illinois
Andrew Hughes
Samuel Zschack
- Sigma** Oregon State
Gerald Gale
- Tau** Florida
Robert Duprey
Garrick Harding
Jacob Shonkwiler
Michael Shuster
Thomas Taurasi
- Phi** North Dakota State
Jordan James Hogness
- Chi** Auburn
Thomas Achey
David Campbell
Steven Sawyer
Edward Seay
Riley Smith
- Alpha Delta** Purdue
Luke Silver
- Alpha Iota** Indiana
Nathan Lohrmann
Ryan Schmidt
Dustin Silverman
Raymond Vanlanot
Alexander Wilson
- Alpha Mu** Iowa State
Jared Richards
- Alpha Pi** Minnesota
Daniel Reilly
- Alpha Tau** Ohio
Gerrod Schirtzinger
- Alpha Upsilon** Nebraska
Christopher Wegener
- Alpha Phi** Alabama
Chad Dolan
Marcus Gibson
- Alpha Chi** Syracuse
Yongxin Song
- Alpha Psi** Maryland
Justin Terval
- Beta Alpha** UCLA
Andreas Mengyang Liu
Alexander Sanciangco
- Beta Delta** Rutgers
Anthony Melon
Eric Revich
Grzegorz Solak

The Foundation Chapter Announces 2013/2014 Scholarship Recipients

The Foundation Chapter has awarded more than \$252,000 to over 115 Theta Chi undergraduate and alumnus members. Award amounts ranged between \$250 and \$6,000 to assist with tuition for the 2013/2014 academic year. More than 350 applications were submitted this year, on par with the amount submitted last year. The Foundation Chapter credits the number of applicants to its easy online application system, which makes it convenient for brothers to apply.

Go to www.thetachi.org/foundation for more information.

Academic Scholarships

SHERWOOD AND JANET ROBERTS BLUE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Blue Memorial Scholarships are given to undergraduate and graduate students who demonstrate scholastic aptitude and financial need. Recipients are selected by a committee of The Foundation Chapter.

VICTOR SIMON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Simon Memorial Scholarships are awarded to Theta Chi brothers who are engineering majors. Applicants must show financial need, demonstrate superior scholarship, and be either a member in good standing or employee of Theta Chi. To qualify, an applicant must be at least a second-semester freshman.

GRADUATE ADVISOR SCHOLARSHIP

Brothers attending graduate school can earn a Graduate Advisor Scholarship in exchange for advising a colony or chapter while completing their graduate-level coursework. Graduate Advisor Scholarships are available by application only. E-mail ray@thetachi.org to apply.

Visit www.thetachi.org to learn more about The Foundation Chapter, or to make an online gift.

Beta Iota *Arizona*

Layton Cox
Tony Garvey

Beta Kappa *Hamline*

Enrique Ortega

Beta Lambda *Akron*

Cody Garner
Mike Nalepka
Christopher Seitler
Steve Vesey

Beta Nu *Case Western*

Michael Anderson
Nathan McKinley

Beta Tau *Southern California*

Jameson Lee

Gamma Zeta *Oklahoma State*

Zakaria Elkarghli

Gamma Kappa *Miami (OH)*

Will Tso

Gamma Omicron *Wake Forest*

Jay Sehgal

Gamma Rho *Florida State*

Jesse Bauer
James Black

J. Kyle Griffis

Jared Nestle
Eric Shapiro
Andrew Young

Gamma Upsilon *Bradley*

Nicholas Starr

Gamma Phi *Nebraska Wesleyan*

Samuel Fisher
Dennis Vaggalis

Delta Alpha *Linfield*

Nicholas Popma
Jacob Priester

Delta Beta *Georgia*

Reece White

Delta Eta *Colorado State*

PJ Ricketson
Jared Smartt

Delta Iota *Northwestern*

Mark Olalde
Sergey Turin

Delta Kappa *Ball State*

Jarrod DeVries

Delta Mu *Texas*

Arty Cervantes

Delta Phi *North Texas*

Robert Boccaccio

Delta Psi *Kansas*

Ibrahim Berro

Epsilon Zeta *Tampa*

Christopher Haran

Epsilon Theta *Tufts*

Philip Ballentine

Epsilon Kappa *Idaho*

Brian Bentler
Jesse Hart
Timothy Ledford

Jared Lyons

Justin Novacek

Epsilon Sigma *Wagner*

Alexander Saltzman

Epsilon Phi *Central Missouri*

James Sparks

Epsilon Psi *NJIT*

Brian Evans

Zeta Beta *Adrian*

Derek Jackson
Andrew Miller
Peter Tomasek

Zeta Kappa *Ohio Northern*

Stelios Theophanous

Zeta Pi *Old Dominion*

Stepheno Zollos

Zeta Rho *Kentucky*

Brandon Loschiavo
Jonathan Ohkubo
Cameron Sallee

Zeta Sigma *Wisconsin-River Falls*

Gradon Nelson

Zeta Tau *Michigan-Flint*

Brandon Mattila
Michael Whalen
Nick Weldon

Eta Gamma *Morehead State*

Michael Vanover

Eta Mu *Findlay*

Andrew Conway
Lucas Opperman

Eta Omicron *Northwestern State*

Eddie Higginbotham IV

Eta Rho *Centenary (LA)*

Jeremy Fagan

Eta Psi *UAB*

Evan Colmenares
Joe Massie
Nicholas Pensa

Theta Epsilon *Kennesaw State*

Eric Nichols

Theta Omega *Appalachian State*

Joshua Rhodes

Iota Beta *Missouri State*

Kyle Copeland
Taylor Homeyer

Zachary Smith

Shane Sullivan

Iota Delta *Southeastern Louisiana*

Keith Rosenbach

Iota Eta *Pacific*

Aldo-Chentte Ruiz

Iota Theta *Central Florida*

Sean Amirzadeh

Casey Arnold

Lucien Charland

Shea Taylor

Iota Mu *Missouri*

Michael Chalupny

Brendan Giljum

Robert Humphry

Patrick Kirk

Iota Omicron *FIU*

Daniel Montenegro

Iota Sigma *Towson*

Jeffrey Cusick



The Foundation Chapter recognizes annual giving

Traditionally, The Foundation Chapter has recognized its donors according to their overall record of lifetime giving. However, annual giving can also play a significant role in the fiscal health of our Foundation. For this reason, we have decided to shift the focus of our donor recognition efforts to annual giving.

Because it is unrestricted, annual giving allows The Foundation Chapter to respond rapidly to new opportunities as well as to meet unexpected challenges or contingencies.

Making a recurring annual gift makes a statement about your belief in The Foundation Chapter and its ability to support the unique educational experiences that it provides to members of Theta Chi Fraternity. By making a habit of giving, annual donors demonstrate confidence in and loyalty to The Foundation Chapter.

Annual giving recognition is based on the fiscal year (July 1–June 30). We will continue to indicate the lifetime giving of our donors (indicated by symbol after their name), but our annual report, beginning with the Summer 2013 edition, will be based on the annual giving recognition societies listed below:

The Ruby Eye Society

(annual giving more than \$5,000)

Diamond Level	\$100,000–\$249,999.99/year
Platinum Level	\$50,000–\$99,999.99/year
Gold Level	\$25,000–\$49,999.99/year
Silver Level	\$10,000–\$24,999.99/year
Bronze Level	\$5,000–\$9,999.99/year

The Crossed Swords Society

(annual giving between \$100 and \$4,999.99)

Diamond Level	\$2,500–\$4,999.99/year
Platinum Level	\$1,000–\$2,499.99/year
Gold Level	\$500–\$999.99/year
Silver Level	\$250–\$499.99/year
Bronze Level	\$100–\$249.99/year

Resolute Men

(annual giving less than \$100)

Consistent giving is the cornerstone of our success. The annual giving recognition societies above will honor the many devoted donors who support The Foundation Chapter year in and year out.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Senior Director for Development Gregg Puls either by phone at 317-824-1881 or by e-mail at gpuls@thetachi.org.

ALPHA

Norwich University

The Crossed Swords Society

BRONZE

J. K. Davy ■
 Donald E. De Blieux ●
 Christian P. DeCarlo ●
 David G. Doane M.D. ■
 Thomas W. Donaldson ●
 John W. Dreyer ■
 Hon. Daniel W. Fleetham Sr. #
 Brig. Gen. Paul F. Kavanaugh ■
 Col. Reinhard Lotz ●
 James F. Potamos ●
 John A. Sparkes ■
 William F. Streeter ■
Resolute Men
 Jack J. Basil, Jr. ■
 Lt. Col. Basil S. Burrell ■
 Lt. Col. Nicholas H. Collins #
 Edward G. Generous ■
 Francis E. McIntire +
 Joseph F. Tine ■

BETA

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

The Crossed Swords Society

SILVER

William R. Freeman, Jr. ■

BRONZE

Keith F. Ashelin ■
 Leonard F. Glaeser ■
 Edward A. Ort ●
 Frank A. Ruiz ■
 Gregory J. Wilson #

Resolute Men

Wesley W. Allen ■
 Ryan M. Andrews
 Alan H. Friot =
 James L. Gallagher ■
 Patrick J. Hart =
 Robert A. Hazan ■
 Richard A. Jacobs ●
 Dr. Robert B. Parente @
 Alan R. Ringen ●
 James R. Thompson +

GAMMA

University of Maine

The Crossed Swords Society

PLATINUM

Kenneth F. Beckley, Jr. ◇
 Richard S. Doyon ☆

BRONZE

Joseph A. Dion @
 David A. Elliott ●
 Lt. Col. Lloyd Erskine, Jr. ●
 Gary A. Henry ■
 Kenneth H. McFarland ●
 James C. Otis ☆
 Bruce R. Trull ■
 L. S. Walton #

David O. Werdin ■
 Richard A. Williams @

Resolute Men

Frank W. Amadon III @
 Jayson H. Bearce +
 John E. Chapin
 Richard E. Chute +
 Daniel M. Colageo
 Thomas J. Coughlin @
 Lawrence F. Curtis +
 John H. Daley, Jr. ■
 E. L. Flynn +
 Ian P. Girvan
 Donald P. Higgins +
 Nathan Jones
 Howard P. Lowell ■
 Victor E. McGrath +
 Roger E. Murray ■
 Elmer W. Parsons ■
 Ronald M. Rudio +
 Steven Sargent ■
 Woodbury D. Saunders @
 William H. Sawyer ■
 Herbert K. Schneider =
 Harry Slininger
 Kim A. Smith ■
 Seth J. Smith

DELTA

Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

The Crossed Swords Society

GOLD

Allan P. Walch ●

SILVER

Robert H. Gray ●

BRONZE

John L. Brown +
 Gerald E. Duffy @
 Paul A. Farrar, Jr. ■
 Robert G. Howland ●
 Frank B. Lang ■
 John T. Lonati ■
 Dr. Thomas I. Osborn ■
 James R. Porambo +
 John R. Wetmiller ●
 Michael J. Wollman ●

Resolute Men

Nicholas Balogh, Jr. +
 John D. Boshart +
 William G. Germanakos +
 James W. Hamilton ■
 John D. Haytaian ■
 Gordon M. Kilby ●
 John J. Koziol ■
 Douglas W. Ronaldson ■
 Michael A. Schlosser =
 James R. Shanley =
 Edward F. Williams, Jr. ■

EPSILON

Worcester Polytechnic Institute

The Crossed Swords Society

DIAMOND

James E. Popp ◇

SILVER

Peter J. Mulvihill ●

BRONZE

- Gerald R. Backlund ●
- Joseph A. Gugliemino ●
- David B. Hallock ●
- Dr. Allen H. Levesque ■
- John J. Marczewski ●
- James M. Melvin ●
- Robert A. Meyer ■
- Stephen J. Salvatore ●
- Robert A. Seneres ■
- John S. Snow ●
- James M. Tolos ■

Resolute Men

- James A. Alfieri ■
- Christopher C. Cichetti =
- Norman L. Diegoli ■
- Stephen L. Goodwin ●
- Michael J. Iassogna +
- Michael Narkevicius @
- Harry B. Ogasian +
- Thomas J. Solitario =
- Norman J. Taupeka ●
- Jonathan H. Tucker +

ZETA

University of New Hampshire

The Crossed Swords Society

BRONZE

- Montgomery R. Childs ■
- Leland C. Dickie ●

Resolute Men

- Norris A. Browne ●
- Scott A. Hopkins ■
- Scott W. Lowe ●
- Bruce F. Valicenti @

LIFETIME GIVING LEVELS

(Level indicates lifetime giving total)

President's Circle !

\$250,000–\$499,999

Leadership Club Y

\$100,000–\$249,999

Benefactor Club *

\$50,000–\$99,999

Board of Visitors †

\$25,000–\$49,999

Chairman's Council †

\$10,000–\$24,999

Freeman Fellow ☆

\$5,000–\$9,999

Chase Council #

\$2,500–\$4,999

Century Club ●

\$1,000–\$2,499

Men Since '56 ■

\$500–\$999

Snake & Sword +

\$250–\$499

Founders Club @

\$100–\$249

Heritage Club =

\$50–\$99

ETA

University of Rhode Island

The Crossed Swords Society

SILVER

- Henry J. Capuano ●
- Edward P. Foster #

BRONZE

- John C. Eastman II @

Resolute Men

- Alan F. Atkinson
- Edgar L. Bessette, Jr. +
- Brian W. Campbell =
- John J. Cunningham =
- Stuart R. Dexter +
- William M. Gates III ■
- Marc A. Guerin =
- F. C. Johnston +
- Nicholas M. Nunes
- Dr. John J. Piacitelli +
- Ralph D. Pinto @
- Gerald J. Ricciardo +
- John Richtarik ■
- Shawn E. Saiya =
- Michael Testa, Jr. @

THETA

University of Massachusetts

The Crossed Swords Society

GOLD

- Robert F. Ferrara ●

SILVER

- Richard F. Jackson ●
- Richard I. Partridge ●

BRONZE

- Donald H. Baptiste Jr. ■
- Paul S. Chalmers ■
- Paul F. Cronin ●

Resolute Men

- Carl A. Baker Jr. @
- Michael J. Ciolek III
- Dr. Charles A. Correia +
- Robert M. Couture =
- R. C. DeWallace @
- John W. Driscoll ■
- Patrick S. Fleck
- Alexander M. Friedman
- Lee N. Goyette ■
- H. N. Harris +
- Brian M. Hatch =
- Albert S. Marulli +
- Michael C. Moschos +
- Richard L. Murphy
- Kevin J. Narbonne =
- Samuel P. Plotkin
- Edward L. Rushbrook, Jr. =
- Albert J. Russo ■
- Craig R. Sherman =
- Dr. Howard D. Stowe ■
- Carl E. Tompkins @

IOTA

Colgate University

The Crossed Swords Society

BRONZE

- Patrick B. Eng +



- Karl D. Fries @
- John Z. Hecker #
- Melvyn N. Klein @
- Matthew C. Mule @
- W. B. Reeves @

Resolute Men

- George H. Arakelian II ■
- Paul T. Chan +
- Donald R. Coffman +
- Dean M. Hatheway @
- James M. Hughes ■
- Dr. Jay W. Martin, Jr. +
- Douglas G. Perry @
- William Southworth, Jr. @

KAPPA

University of Pennsylvania

The Crossed Swords Society

BRONZE

- Col. John C. Diller, Jr. ●
- Rev. William S. O'Brien ■

Resolute Men

- William J. Beatty +
- Eugene Hondorf ■
- Donald R. McIvain ●
- Gerald F. Metzheiser +

LAMBDA

Cornell University

The Crossed Swords Society

SILVER

- Zacharias A. Kollias ●

BRONZE

- Elbert Hargesheimer III ■
- Lucius W. Johnson, Jr. ●
- Col. Paul F. Nugent, Jr. ■
- Cal Organ ■
- Lester M. Strong @

Resolute Men

- William D. Badore =
- Dale S. Coats +
- Glenn P. Crone =

- Dan R. Hartmann ■
- Reginald Y. Haseltine =
- C. R. Lynham =
- Peter H. Mitchell @
- Edward E. Williams @

MU

University of California-Berkeley

The Crossed Swords Society

GOLD

- William T. Horton ☆

SILVER

- Todd M. Schutte ●

BRONZE

- Charles R. Bell ■
- Col. John F. Bouldry #
- Gregory S. Finley ●
- Richard C. Otter #
- James W. Timmons ■
- Walter W. Winfield ●

Resolute Men

- John C. Bennett ■
- Melvyn P. Brodie +
- Ralph E. Congdon ●
- Thomas E. Eckmann ■
- Ray L. Horton ●
- Camden R. Hubbard @
- G. P. Lamb III ■
- Michael D. Leonard ■
- Erik D. Ridgley CFA +
- James G. Snider ■

NU

Hampden-Sydney College

The Crossed Swords Society

SILVER

- D. Sean Kelly ●
- Edward T. Trapani ●

Resolute Men

- Matthew M. Bloch =
- Keir M. Burton

- Alexander F. Dillard, Jr. @
- M. A. Feidler =
- Nathaniel W. Phillips @
- C. E. Richardson III ■

XI

University of Virginia

The Crossed Swords Society

SILVER

- Steven J. Agosti MD #
- Robert C. Zschoche, Jr. ■

BRONZE

- James N. Garrett, Jr. ■
- William C. Hamilton II ●
- Dr. C. T. Kelso ■
- Robert W. McFarland ●
- T. H. Noel ●
- Dr. Richard Topping, Jr. ●
- Paul B. Vetter II ●
- Thomas P. Williams ■

Resolute Men

- Michael E. Atwood ■
- Gerald H. Barnes CFA ■
- Milton S. Bolton ■
- Ronald W. Broome ■
- John A. Caldwell +
- Richard M. Cross @
- James R. Hart ■
- Russell B. Pace, Jr. @
- Randall S. Parks @
- Joseph P. Renzetti +
- Charles A. White III ■
- Charles D. Wolverson II =

OMICRON

University of Richmond

The Crossed Swords Society

PLATINUM

- John E. Zydron Sr. #

BRONZE

- Charles F. Benjamin ●
- John P. Girardi ●

- Frederick E. Holland ●
- William F. Kennedy @
- George H. Poffenberger +
- Dr. John S. Prince Jr. ●

Resolute Men

- Otis L. Brown
- Raymond K. Butler Jr. +
- William P. Collier Jr.
- John G. Cosby Jr. ■
- Dr. Stanley D. Dameron @
- Thomas L. Fendley ■
- Christopher Hallberg +
- Andy O. Miller
- James F. Moser III
- Richard C. Nagle +
- Morgan C. Pritchett =
- Billy T. Sheppard @
- David R. Taylor =
- George M. Thomas, Jr. ●

PI

Dickinson College

The Crossed Swords Society

SILVER

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The Foundation Chapter of Theta Chi Fraternity

Revenues and Expenses

June 30, 2012 (Pro-Forma)

Statement of Financial Position

Assets

Cash and cash equivalents	\$438,150
Contributions receivable	5,000
Prepaid expenses	5,514
Other assets	6,359
Investments - Market	4,239,252
Beneficial interest in perpetual trusts	5,303,044
Charitable remainder trusts	15,465
Total assets	10,012,784

Liabilities and Net Assets

Accounts payable	406
Accrued expenses and other liabilities	3,869
Scholarships payable	291,500
Payable to Theta Chi Fraternity, Inc	23,387
Liability under charitable remainder trusts	2,843
Funds held for others	109,594
Total liabilities	431,599

Net Assets

Unrestricted	453,110
Board Designated	1,624,379
Temporarily restricted	116,211
Permanently restricted	7,387,485
Total net assets	9,581,185

Total liabilities and net assets \$10,012,784

Combined Statement of Activities and Changes in Net Assets

Revenues and support

Contributions	\$366,799
Interest and dividends	105,043
Realized gain on sale of investments	56,679
Royalties	8,180
Investment income—perpetual trusts	268,795
Change in value of perpetual trusts	(731,035)
Change in value of charitable trusts	2,258
Other	170
Total revenues and support	76,889

Expenses

Scholarships and grants	406,216
Alumni programming	20,638
Management and general	182,652
Fundraising	94,605
Total expenses	704,111

Change in net assets before unrealized	(627,222)
gain on investments	
Unrealized loss on investments	(55,193)
Change in net assets	(682,415)
Net assets, beginning of year	10,263,600
Net assets, end of year	\$9,581,185

The above financial information was compiled from financial statements which are available upon request for a nominal fee, to cover copying and shipping costs.



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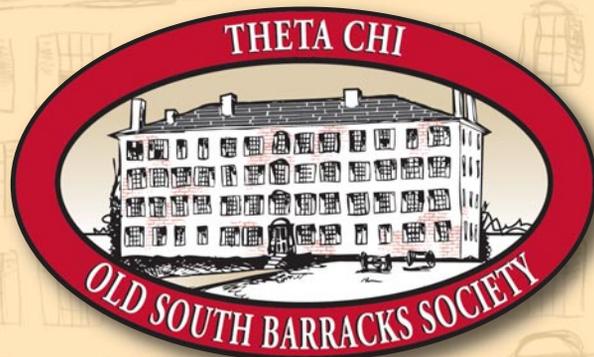
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4. Alpha Delta/Purdue 106
5. Phi/North Dakota State 73
6. Alpha Nu/Georgia Tech 68
7. Gamma Xi/San Jose State 67
8. Chi/Auburn 67
9. Gamma Kappa/Miami (OH) 64
10. Zeta Sigma/
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4. Alpha Iota/Indiana.....	\$9,769.12
5. Delta Kappa/Ball State.....	\$9,352.27
6. Omega/Penn State.....	\$8,422.69
7. Alpha Delta/Purdue.....	\$8,234.56
8. Zeta Sigma/Wisconsin-River Falls.....	\$7,811.83
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6. Zeta Sigma/ Wisconsin-River Falls.....	5%
7. Gamma Upsilon/Bradley.....	5%
8. Beta Sigma/Lehigh.....	5%
9. Gamma/Maine.....	5%
10. Omega/Penn State.....	4%



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Delta/RPI

RPI Quarterback **Mike Hermann** (2013) signed a free agent contract with the San Diego Chargers and participated in their training camp.

Epsilon/WPI

The Epsilon Chapter house has undergone some major renovations this year at a cost of about \$200,000. New bathrooms, a new roof, new siding and new boilers have all been installed. The Alumni Association also donated new light-up letters for the outside of the house, built by alumni **Neil Lettenberger** (2007) and **Andrew Schwalenberg** (2009).

Iota/Colgate

Bob Woodruff (1983), ABC News reporter and founder of The Bob Woodruff Foundation, celebrated the 10th anniversary of his Live Day in March, which is commemorated by those in the military who have been severely injured in combat—the day that they should have died but didn't.

In 2006, Brother Woodruff was on assignment in Iraq, traveling with a convoy of Iraqi security forces, when an improvised explosive device hit his vehicle. Woodruff suffered a head injury and shrapnel wounds.

It was because of his experiences in Iraq that Woodruff and his wife, Lee, formed the Bob Woodruff Foundation to help wounded soldiers, especially those with traumatic brain injuries and post traumatic-stress.

Alpha Xi/Delaware

Dave Conner (2003) was presented the Phillipi Outstanding Advisor Award at the Northeast Greek Leadership Association (NGLA) Annual Conference. The Phillipi Outstanding Advisor Award recognizes a Greek affairs professional who has made significant contributions to the Northeast Greek community.



Dave Conner



The Alumni Association of Epsilon Chapter donated new light-up letters for the outside of the chapter house. Alumnus brothers Neil Lettenberger (2007) and Andrew Schwalenberg (2009) built the letters and donated them to the chapter.

Brother Conner is currently the Assistant Director of Fraternity and Sorority Life at The College of New Jersey and was nominated by TCNJ fraternity and sorority members.

Brother Conner sits on the NGLA board of directors and is a regular presenter at the national Association for Fraternity Advisors conference and a frequent volunteer at TCNJ events. Earlier this year his students honored him by establishing the David E. Conner Panhellenic Excellence Scholarship at the annual President's Ball.

Alpha Rho/Washington

Alpha Rho alumnus, **Carl R. Hogan** (1959), was elected president of the Washington State Fair in January 2013 by the board of directors following the annual shareholders meeting. As president, Brother Hogan will oversee events at the facility such as the Spring



Carl Hogan

Fair, the Puyallup Fair Foundation Roundup Auction/ Dinner, the Washington State Fair, and Oktoberfest.

Alpha Sigma/Oregon

Alpha Sigma chapter held its 33rd Annual Ski Week Reunion at Mt. Bachelor, OR, March 13–17, 2013. Over the course of the week roughly 40 alumni brothers participated. The ski reunion has been going on for so long that many of the brothers skied together during their undergraduate years. (See photo, p. 46)

Alpha Chi/Syracuse

Former Chapter President **Joshua Koopman** (1999) recently completed work on his first indie film, a comedy titled *The Golden Scallop*. Brother Koopman, who had served four years in the Army, turned to film after returning home.

The film stars James Cosmo of (*Braveheart*, *Game of Thrones*), while Koopman plays the role of Jake and says he is the proud owner of the Fishmonger truck that appears in the movie.

“We’re hoping for a world premiere at one of the major film festivals this winter/spring,



Five decades of Beta Alpha brothers gather for a group photo after their annual Alumni Day Tailgate at the Rose Bowl, Nov. 3, 2012.

and are currently seeking American distribution as well,” Koopman said. “We might also be doing screenings at colleges after the film festival run starts up.”

Beta Alpha/UCLA

More than 300 guests attended UCLA Theta Chi’s annual Alumni Day Tailgate at the Rose Bowl in November. This year Beta Alpha set a new attendance record and welcomed five decades of UCLA alumni as well as brothers from eight chapters and many, many wives, kids, and parents. Guests were eager to meet the brothers and pledges who are restoring UCLA Theta Chi to its traditional status as one of UCLA’s strongest fraternities. Ending the weekend was a celebration of the Bruins’ merciless 66-10 beatdown of the Arizona Wildcats to take First Place in the Pac-12 South.

Beta Iota/Arizona

The Beta Iota Alumni Association is working to build a sense of history in the chapter house, but with an extended absence from campus, there is little memorabilia available. Because of this, the association is asking alumni to donate memorabilia such as trophies, paddles, flags, photos, mugs, etc. to decorate the house.

The Alumni Association has also been purchasing yearbooks from various sources and having the Theta Chi pages professionally scanned and printed on museum-quality paper and custom framed with an inscription at the bottom indicating the year. So far, four composites have been made of Beta Iota between 1941 and 1973. The costs associated with the creation of these composites are \$300 per composite. Brothers can donate individually or a part of a group. Brothers interested in donating or learning more should e-mail Adam Winnett at ajwinnett@gmail.com.

Beta Nu/Case Western

Brother **Richard Drushel** (1984), was named the winner of the 2012–13 Robert Niebaum Award for the Outstanding Chapter Adviser at the CWRU Greek Life Awards Banquet held on April 26, 2013. Brother Drushel has served as Faculty Adviser to the Beta Nu chapter for the past 15 years. (See photo, p. 46)

Got News?

The next news briefs deadline is **October 23, 2013**. The editor reserves the right to edit or omit story submissions for accuracy, brevity and/or clarity. E-mail news@thetachi.org.

Delta Rho celebrates 60th anniversary

Alumni and undergraduates of Delta Rho/NC State converged in Raleigh, NC, for their 60th anniversary over the weekend of Nov. 2, 2012. More than 90 brothers and special guests spanning five decades of membership attended.

Opening up the weekend was Delta Rho’s 38th Red Ox Open golf tournament on Friday night, organized once again by Thomas “Chip” Webb (1974). This year’s tournament pitted alumni participants Steve Weaver (1972), Milo Killough (1972), Greg Brissett (1977), John McCarter (1973), Jeremy Draper (1994), Chip Webb (1974), Ramey Kemp (1964), Jeremy Tabery (1998) and Wayne Jones (1973) up against undergraduates Michael Widman (2013), Daniel Hale (2013) and Will Pittman (2015), with the undergraduates taking home the trophy.

A cocktail party, masterminded by Stefan Coreth (2013) and Irving “Smokey” Hay (1979) followed later that night on the top floor of the Wells Fargo Building in downtown Raleigh. Guest speakers included Past National Vice President Al Calarco, Delta Rho Chapter President Charlie Townsend (2014) and Alumni Board President Ken Updegrave (1990).

“The event was a great hit,” Brother Calarco said. “There were alumni present from five different decades. I got to see some brothers I knew as undergraduates. The connections made were terrific... The event was well-planned, fun, and a great time in the history of this chapter.”

Rudy Shaw (1967) and Josh Tucker (2008), the oldest and youngest brothers in attendance, each took home door prizes, as did Jason Graves (1995) for traveling the longest distance (from Indiana) to take part in the festivities.

On Saturday, the Delta Rho undergraduates hosted a tailgate before heading to Carter-Finley Stadium to cheer on the Wolfpack as they faced off against the University of Virginia Cavaliers. After the game, some members headed back to the chapter house to check on the old “homestead” before heading downtown for the evening.

“Almost 40 Homecomings passed since my graduation,” John McCarter said. “Real milestones. During my era, we purchased a house and undertook a number of loans, including loans from [The Norwich Housing Corporation]. The alumni helped get the chapter through some tough times by providing organization, guidance, lots of sweat for house repairs and rebuilding, and of course, donations of money and goods. In particular, many of our alumni who live in the Raleigh area have done a yeoman’s job over many years.”

“What is particularly rewarding,” McCarter continued, “is that the active brotherhood kept at it over all this time. They adapted to new rules and interests and provided a product to prospective members that was contemporary. In particular, I noted an increased interest, and success, in academics. So, breaking with some old habits was needed to keep Delta Rho vital. Fortunately, there’s still an interest in some of the old traditions (like circling up and singing at social gatherings), so in many ways, while it’s changed, it is still my Delta Rho.”

The undergraduates were just as excited to host the alumni. “Having served as the Chapter’s Alumni chair for the past two terms, our ability to work closely with our alumni board and reach out to distant [alumni] has grown significantly over the years,” Stefan Coreth said. “Our alumnus brothers help us in so many ways, and for that I thank them.”





Richard Drushel (Beta Nu/Case Western 1984) wins adviser of the year at CWRU.



Alpha Sigma/Oregon's annual Ski Week Reunion, March, 2013.

Gamma Xi/San Jose State

More than 200 alumni, families and friends participated in Gamma Xi's annual alumni Homecoming tailgate. Alumni also had a chance to tour the house and see the results of a recent renovation that included new floors and furniture.

Delta Iota/Northwestern

Al Beck (1956), professor emeritus at Culver-Stockton College, completed *A Bee Bite*, his 20th book of poetry, drawings, and essays on the changing nature of traditional learning. His publishing agent is his chapter brother **Bruce Petsche** (1953).



Al Beck

Clifford W. Garstand (1975) has published his second book, *What the Zhang Boys Know*, a novel of stories set in a condominium building in Washington D.C.



Clifford Garstand

After serving as a Peace Corps Volunteer in South Korea, Garstand practiced international law in Singapore, Chicago, and Los Angeles with one of the largest law firms in the United States. He later worked for Harvard Law School as a legal reform consultant in Almaty, Kazakhstan, and as Senior Counsel for East Asia at the World Bank in Washington, D.C.

Brother Garstang also served as co-chair of the Northwestern Alumni Association's Leadership Development Committee, and was recently quoted in the winter 2012 issue of *Northwestern Magazine*. To view the article, visit: www.northwestern.edu/magazine/winter2012.

Epsilon Eta/IUP

On May 4, 2013, Epsilon Eta Chapter alumni at Indiana University of Pennsylvania paid tribute to a fallen brother, FBI Special Agent **Gregory Spinelli** (1970). Brother Spinelli was killed in action on March 15, 1973, during a gun battle with a suspected bank robber in Charlotte, N.C. To this day, Greg is still the youngest agent to be killed in the line of duty. To honor him, a tribute dedication ceremony was held on campus in Sutton Hall.

Speaking at the program were Greg's older brother, George, IUP President Dr. Michael Driscoll, and State Sen. Donald White. A portrait honoring Brother Spinelli, painted by fellow Epsilon Eta **Robert Clarke** (1969), was unveiled as well and now hangs in Wilson Hall, IUP's criminology department building.

Also in honor of Brother Spinelli, the brothers announced the creation of the IUP Theta Chi Heroes Memorial Scholarship to honor IUP's outstanding ROTC cadets. The brothers who created the scholarship, former Army ROTC participants themselves, are currently in the process of raising funds for an endowment. Those interested in contributing to the scholarship should contact IUP's Foundation office at 724-357-3087.



Epsilon Eta/IUP alumni gather for the dedication of their fallen brother's new memorial portrait.



Joseph Elwell (Epsilon Phi/Central Missouri 2012) was named the 2012 Missouri Air Guard Airman of the Year.

Epsilon Phi/Central Missouri

On Saturday, Feb. 9, 2013, more than 100 alumni, along with the undergraduate members of Epsilon Phi Chapter, gathered on the campus of the University of Central Missouri with friends and family to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the chapter's installation. Alumni met in the afternoon to discuss updates on recent happenings with the chapter and to elect new officers to the alumni corporation. The event culminated with an evening banquet in the University Union.

Special guests for the weekend included University of Central Missouri President Charles M. Ambrose and Theta Chi Fraternity National President Richard Elder. Also representing the International Fraternity were National Historian Thomas "Bo" Tinnin (1984), Past Norwich Housing Corporation President Doug Schemenauer (1989), and Executive Director Michael Mayer (2004), all Epsilon Phi alumni.

Epsilon Phi Chapter was chartered at what was then Central Missouri State College on Dec. 8, 1962, though the organization's history begins much earlier. On Oct. 19, 1946, a group of World War II veterans established a local fraternity known as Beta Beta Beta or Tri-Betas. Soon after founding the fraternity, the members petitioned Kappa Sigma Kappa National Fraternity for membership and were chartered as its Psi Chapter in April of 1947. In the early 1960s, Kappa Sigma Kappa was absorbed into another national fraternity; Psi Chapter, however, opted out of this merger and instead petitioned Theta Chi Fraternity for a charter and has since initiated over 1,000 members.

Alumni interested in learning more about upcoming Epsilon Phi Chapter alumni events



Delta Omicron alumni make major gift to Theta Chi

More than 10 years after Theta Chi closed its doors at Gettysburg College, the Delta Omicron Alumni Association voted to donate their more than \$80,000 in savings to the Grand Chapter to help fund education for future members of the Fraternity.

Installed in 1952, Delta Omicron Chapter served Gettysburg College and Theta Chi for nearly 50 years before, in 2001, members of the alumni association reached the conclusion that the chapter was no longer functioning according to the values and traditions of the Fraternity.

In order to gain perspective, they sought help from the International Headquarters, which sent in representatives to interview the membership and ascertain if there was enough ambition to re-direct the chapter. Both the Headquarters staff and the alumni agreed that, although there were some members who showed promise, closing was in the best interest for all.

The alumni then contacted Gettysburg College and structured a lease agreement where they would be able maintain the property for a few years while deciding whether to come back to campus. During this period, the alumni were also able to build up a large reserve fund from the rent collected on their property. With the full support of both the College and the Grand Chapter, it seemed for a while that Delta Omicron was poised to make a comeback.

However, after an eight-year absence and much deliberation amongst alumni and the College about the certainty of their return, the Delta Omicron Alumni Association decided instead to gift the historic chapter house, built in 1867, to the College and donate its reserve fund to The Foundation Chapter for the benefit of Theta Chi's up and coming undergraduate leaders. This decision did not come easily, but was instead seen as an opportunity to commemorate the close relationship between the chapter alumni and National Fraternity while also investing in Theta Chi's future brothers. Delta Omicron's gift has also allowed the College to invest \$3 million into the house to restore the property and repurpose it as the home of its economics department.

On Sept. 28, the alumni association will celebrate its 50th anniversary with a dedication luncheon followed by a day and evening of activities for brothers. With more than 500 living alumni, they are hopeful for a large turnout.

The alumni believed that education of youth leadership is the key to successful and productive chapters and lending a helping hand is an obligation of brotherhood.



Thirty years in the books for Zeta Upsilon

On March 9, 2013, the brothers of Zeta Upsilon at the University of Hartford gathered for a celebration of the 30th anniversary of their recolonization. Brothers from all generations of the chapter's history were present, including some of Zeta Upsilon's original charter members from 1969.

The first part of the celebration, organized by brothers Stephen Salvo (2014) and Dan Mocci (2003), was spent at Sully's Pub in West Hartford. More than 50 alumni and undergraduates turned out for pizza, stuffed bread and reminiscing.

"It was an awesome turnout," said Salvo. "Alumni who hadn't seen each other in years gathered from all over the country, and they ranged from founding fathers to alumni who had graduated last spring," he added.

Later that night, a more formal dinner event that included more than 80 brothers, wives and girlfriends, was held at City Stream Brewery Café in Hartford. Special guests included Sheldon B. Yarmovsky (1969), Zeta Upsilon's first President, and Robert Pettigrew (1967), who had been a member of Beta Sigma Gamma, the local fraternity that preceded Zeta Upsilon.

"I was proud and happy to attend the 30th recolonization anniversary," said Yarmovsky. "From the current brothers and alumni that I met and spoke with at the reunion, I strongly believe this chapter has the brotherhood and the alumni that can help the Fraternity flourish for many years to come."

The evening event also included a presentation of the chapter charter by current President Graeme MacKenzie (2014) to Ken Borruso (1986), who was instrumental in beginning the process of bringing Theta Chi back to campus, and a memorial ceremony by the undergraduates recognizing the brothers who have joined Chapter Eternal.

The late 60s and early 70s were a difficult period for fraternities, including Zeta Upsilon, which had been installed in 1969. A student movement focused on the war in Vietnam had alienated fraternities to the point where men were no longer attracted to membership. The chapter eventually closed due to low membership.

In 1982, Borruso spoke with University officials about starting a new fraternity. He started a petition for interest in a fraternity and eventually recruited an interest group of 90 members. The interest group met with a series of national fraternity representatives to determine which organization to affiliate with before choosing Theta Chi. Zeta Upsilon was officially reinstated on April 19, 1986.

"With such a successful event I can only see great things for the chapter," MacKenzie said. "We don't walk alone with our alumni around and I think that both the undergraduates and the alumni saw how excellent this chapter is and can be with their continued support. Great things are happening at Zeta Upsilon and even greater things will follow."

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Zeta Beta/Adrian

The Zeta Beta Alumni Association hosted its first-ever Founders Day Weekend at Adrian College on April 12 and 13 for undergraduates, alumni and their families.

Brothers gathered in the morning for a round of golf before returning to the chapter house for a cookout. Alumni Association Chairman **Jim Grissinger** (1990), grilled hamburgers and hotdogs for brothers and their families to enjoy.

In the afternoon, the chapter honored 13 graduating seniors with an alumni ceremony following by a formal dinner banquet where Zeta Beta's 2012 donors were honored for their generosity.

"We had an outstanding Founders Day ceremony," Grissinger said. "What a great weekend to see alumni, some who I hadn't been in contact with for a while. There was a lot of time to catch up, as well as to reminisce about the past."

In total, approximately 60 people were present for the celebration. Grissinger and the Alumni Association plan to make Founders Day Weekend an annual spring event for alumni.

Zeta Pi/Old Dominion

Michael J. Henry (1990) has been named chief of staff for Sen. Tim Kaine (D-VA). Henry previously served as Senator Kaine's campaign manager. Brother Henry had also served as deputy campaign under Hilary Clinton during her 2008 presidential bid, and as campaign manager for Sen. Mark Warner. Brother Henry is a past chapter President.



Michael Henry

Eta Kappa/James Madison

Nationally known country music artist **Phil Vassar** (1984) made a special appearance on March 26 at the 2013 Be Our Guest concert at the annual Central Plains Dairy Expo. Ticket sale proceeds were used to purchase dairy products for food banks across South Dakota.

The alumni of Eta Kappa Chapter once again gathered on the James Madison University campus the weekend of April 26-28 to celebrate their Theta Chi pride. The weekend was spent renewing old friendships, meeting new brothers and socializing. An informal



Zeta Beta alumni Jim Grissinger (1990) and Doug Miller (1990) grill hamburgers and hotdogs.

reception was held Friday evening with hors d'oeuvres, cocktails and dancing to music provided by Eta Kappa's own **Gary Watson** (1975).

Brothers in attendance also got to meet the new Eta Kappa Chapter Advisor **Hunter Swanson** (Iota Lambda/Longwood 2008) and his wife Mandy. Brother Swanson is on the staff at JMU and has agreed to take on the position vacated by Dr. Clive Hallman (1970), who retired in December. Dr. Hallman had been Eta Kappa's advisor for more than 40 years.

Saturday morning found several brothers on the golf course while in the afternoon, alumni hosted a career counseling session for the undergraduates. Coordinated by **Dave Penland** (2000), the event covered interview advice and resume writing, and the alumni conducted mock interviews as well.

Afterward, the alumni met to elect new board officers and make plans for future events. The evening concluded with a buffet dinner followed by dancing and karaoke.

Eta Pi/East Stroudsburg



Joseph D'Amore

National Secretary **Joseph D'Amore** (1977), a technical quality analyst for DLA Troop Support, was recently recognized for donating 102 pints of blood over the course of more than 30 years supporting the American Red Cross. D'Amore donates four times a year

and says he does so because others cannot.

According to the American Red Cross website, a donation of one pint of whole blood can save up to three lives. A single platelet donation can provide enough platelets for up



A Theta Chi heads Alternate Spring Break

BY KELLY JONES, ASSISTANT EDITOR

When Hurricane Sandy made landfall on the Northeastern United States Oct. 29, 2012, it had winds stretching for 1,100 miles, making it the largest Atlantic hurricane on record. It was also the most destructive and deadliest storm of the 2012 Atlantic hurricane season, leaving \$75 billion in damages across seven countries in her wake. One of the hardest hit areas was the state of New Jersey.

Heading up one of the state's cleanup efforts was Thomas Dallessio (Beta Delta/Rutgers 1982), faculty member at the New Jersey Institute of Technology's (NJIT) College of Architecture and Design, who is in charge of the school's Alternative Spring Break program.

"In late November, we were invited to Perth Amboy and Seaside Heights to talk with local officials and witness firsthand the damage caused by Hurricane Sandy," said Brother Dallessio. "That experience alone solidified my thoughts that a number of communities were affected in all sorts of ways by the Superstorm, and that any and all efforts would be appreciated. We regrouped and started organizing a number of initiatives."

NJIT's Alternative Spring Break was created as a means to create opportunities for students, faculty, staff and alumni to help communities recover and rebuild. An initiative of NJIT's College of Architecture and Design, NJIT's Alternative Spring Break program combines applied research, experiential learning and civic engagement to rebuild affected areas in a sustainable and resilient manner.

"As we organized the effort, it was clear that the devastation went way beyond the beach," he said. "Alternative Spring Break was a way to give back to the communities that need help the most."

Participants removed debris along the beach, planted dune grass, repaired and replaced fencing and installed trees to reinforce the dunes. Students from 22 colleges and universities were involved in the program, including many Theta Chi brothers.

"Given that we had snow squalls during the week, being at the Jersey Shore became a new experience," Dallessio said. "Most precious was seeing birds making new homes in the dunes literally minutes after completing these projects. The environment is very resilient, and our efforts provided the context for many examples."

Theta Chi wraps up another Founders Day Celebration in Norwich

Theta Chi Fraternity presented its first ever Carnation Award to Barbara Sibun, a descendent of Founder Arthur Chase, at the seventh annual Founders Day Celebration in Norwich, VT.

Sibun, Chase's great, great, granddaughter, joined 33 brothers representing seven chapters for a weekend celebrating Theta Chi's 157th anniversary at Norwich University, where the Fraternity was founded.

Festivities kicked off with a luncheon on the Norwich campus followed by tours of the University and nearby Sullivan Museum and History Center. The group also toured the former sites of Norwich's six fraternities, including Theta Chi. Norwich disbanded its fraternity system in 1960.

At the closing dinner later that night, Foundation Chapter Treasurer Michael Roe presented Sibun with the Carnation Award, which is presented "as a show of appreciation to women who have rendered support or service to the Fraternity over an extended period of time." Originally called the Appreciation Award, the Carnation Award was renamed in 2012.

Guests were also treated to a performance of "Men of '56" by members of Theta/Massachusetts, a play depicting the founding of the Fraternity. And, Theta was once again the recipient of the Founders Day Cup for having the most brothers in attendance. This is Theta's sixth consecutive win.

Organized annually by Dan Fleetham, Jr., (Theta Chi/GC Honorary 2006), Theta Chi's Founders Day Celebration is now in its seventh year. Plans for the 2014 celebration, scheduled for April 12, are already underway. Those interested in attending can e-mail Brother Fleetham at dfeethamjr@netzero.com for more information.



Iota Theta alumni gather in front of the chapter house during the 2012 Homecoming Tailgate. The chapter was installed at the University of Central Florida in 2006.



Alumna and undergraduate brothers of Eta Mu Chapter gather on the front porch of the chapter house during Homecoming 2012, marking Eta Mu's 40th anniversary on the University of Findlay campus.

to three therapeutic doses for three people in need. Many patients who need platelets have weakened immune systems due to chemotherapy or organ transplants.

Nationally, only five percent of the population donates blood and an even smaller percentage donates platelets.

Theta Eta/Sam Houston State

Alumnus **James Hines** (1990) was named Major-Enforcement for the Fort Bend County (Texas) Sheriff's Command staff and will oversee the Patrol and Criminal Investigations Divisions. Hines has more than 20 years of law enforcement experience.

Brother **Jerry Starkey** (2010) and Brittney Randolph currently work for the Houston Rockets organization. The two have worked to bring their alma mater, Sam Houston State University, and the Rockets together for the first "SHSU Rockets Night Out with President Dana Gibson." For the event, on Jan. 26, 2012,

Bearkats received discounted tickets, and special activities were planned for the event.

Iota Theta/Central Florida

More than 50 alumni attended the University of Central Florida Homecoming festivities Nov. 2-3, 2012. On Friday night guests attended a Black and Gold Takeover party hosted by the UCF Alumni Association. Saturday there was a Theta Chi alumni tailgate at the chapter house, and afterward everyone headed to the stadium to watch UCF beat SMU.

At-Large

Bill Taverner (Albany 1990) announced that his 2012 book, *Teaching Safer Sex*, 3rd. Ed., Vols. 1 & 2 will receive the AASECT Book Award, given by the American Association of Sexuality Educators, Counselors, and Therapists. ■

Eta/Rhode Island

Theta Chi at the University of Rhode Island paired up with Sigma Kappa Sorority to present Cards for a Cause at URI’s Memorial Union Ballroom. The event offered black jack, Texas hold-em poker and a DJ, and raised \$1,500. Theta Chi and Sigma Kappa evenly divided the proceeds between Habitat for Humanity and the Sigma Kappa Foundation.

In November, the brothers placed second in URI’s Greek Philanthropy Week. The brothers paired with Zeta Tau Alpha Sorority and raised nearly \$1,500 for charity. Chris Lawlor (2015) came in first in the Philanthropy Week date auction event. (See photo, p.52)

Mu/UC-Berkeley

The brothers of Mu Chapter hosted their first Car Smash philanthropy event last spring and raised \$500 for Disabled American Veterans.

Xi/Virginia

The University of Virginia’s Office of Fraternity and Sorority Life named Xi Chapter as its “Most Improved Chapter” and “Most Outstanding Chapter.” Outgoing Chapter President **Miles Kirwin** (2013) was named “Greek Man of the Year” for his dedication to Theta Chi and the Army ROTC.

Through two philanthropy events this year, Xi Chapter raised more than \$10,000 for charitable causes in the Charlottesville area. Their OX-Mas Christmas-themed philanthropy raised more than \$6,000 for Mount Comfort Zone, a bereavement camp for children who have lost a parent, sibling or guardian to death. The chapter also held its first Date Auction in the spring, raising \$4,044.95 for the Prostate Cancer Foundation.

In January of this year, the Xi Chapter Alumni completed the long-awaited renovation of the chapter house. The new construction added 2,500 square feet, which included four additional bedrooms. It also provided additional meeting and dining space and a new area for social events.

Phi/North Dakota State

In December, Phi members took a break from studying by sponsoring two boys in need, ages two and three, through a giving tree. The chapter raised \$300 and bought gifts and toys for the two children. (See photo, p. 52)

Alexander Fausti (2016) was named New Member of the Year and **Kyle Sebesta** (2013) was named Member of the Year at the Greek Gala on Feb. 20, 2013.



Ski for Cancer returns to Cascade Mountain

Psi Chapter’s premier philanthropy, Ski for Cancer, returned once again to the Cascade Mountain Ski Resort in Portage, WI, raising approximately \$35,000 through a combination of ticket sales, concession sales, and other donations.

Blue skies and refreshing 25-degree temperatures welcomed participants of all ages on the slopes of the resort on March 2, 2013. Fresh powder provided the perfect conditions for a day of skiing and snowboarding for members of the local and Greek communities. Once again, Delta Gamma took home the Snow Queens trophy, given each year to the sorority that brings the most members to the event.

First held in 1970, Ski for Cancer benefits the Midwest Athletes Against Childhood Cancer Inc. (the MACC Fund), an organization that raises money for childhood cancer and related blood disorder research. Since its founding in 1976, The MACC Fund has raised more than \$41 million.

When Psi Chapter returned to the University of Wisconsin in 2010, Ski for Cancer returned as well and raised \$15,500, with over 90 percent of the proceeds going straight to the MACC Fund. Last year’s event yielded nearly twice as many donations—largely thanks to generous support from Wisconsin’s Greek community and Psi’s own (and very active) alumni base.



The Brothers of Alpha Zeta pose for a photo after providing dinner service to guests at the Boys & Girls Club of Rochester's Annual Thanksgiving Dinner, held Nov. 15, 2012.



During the Christmas holiday, brothers of Phi Chapter sponsored two boys in need. The brothers raised \$300 and were able to purchase everything on the boys' lists.



Eta Chapter and Sigma Kappa Sorority came together for Habitat for Humanity. Their sold out "Cards for a Cause" event at the University of Rhode Island featured blackjack and Texas hold 'em tables, a DJ and catered food.

John Narum (2017) won the Mr. North Dakota State University competition on March 7, 2013. Six members of Theta Chi backed him up on stage with an outstanding performance featuring lights and yo-yo stunts. Brother Narum also won two out of three awards for his performance: Best Overall Act and Judges' Choice.

Chi/Auburn

On Sept. 11, 2012, Chi Chapter partnered with the Auburn Student Veterans Association for A Tribute to Our Heroes. The event consisted of an obstacle course in which local law enforcement and fire fighters assisted to ensure a realistic feel. Chi Chapter also sold

American flags in remembrance of those that passed in the tragic events of Sept. 11, 2001. The event raised more than \$1,600 for the Auburn Student Veterans Association.

Chi Chapter was also awarded the 2012 James E. Martin Large Fraternity Risk Management Award-Large Fraternity Division. The award is presented to the one fraternity that best demonstrates proper risk management techniques throughout the year. This involves following FIPG policies, complying with Auburn University regulations, and adhering to Auburn IFC risk management guidelines. The award is given once a year at the Greek Life Installation Banquet.



Chi Chapter President **Steven Sawyer** (2014) was awarded the 2013 W. James Samford, Jr. Scholarship. The scholarship, in the amount of \$10,000, is presented annually to one Auburn junior based on academic achievement, volunteerism, church involvement, leadership and other humanistic undertakings.

On March 23rd, the brothers participated in The Big Event, a one-day service project hosted by the Student Government Association in order to give back to the community. There were more than 2,000 volunteers working over 175 job sites at this year's event.

Omega/Penn State

On Oct. 14, 2012, Theta Chi and Alpha Xi Delta hosted their 20th annual K.I.C.K.S. event, a philanthropy soccer tournament benefiting Autism Speaks. Teams of eight competed in a series of short soccer matches, with the top teams entering an eight-team playoff. This year's event was the most successful tournament ever, raising over \$2,300.

Alpha Zeta/Rochester

The brothers of Alpha Zeta Chapter co-hosted the University of Rochester's annual Greek or Treat on Nov. 2, 2012. Children and their families were invited to campus from nearby schools to trick-or-treat and participate in games sponsored by Rochester's Greek community. With the help of Delta Gamma, Alpha Epsilon Pi, and Sigma Lambda Upsilon, the brothers hosted over 100 children in the chapter house throughout the day.

On Nov. 15, 2012, the brothers of Alpha Zeta volunteered at the Boys & Girls Club of Rochester's annual Thanksgiving Dinner event. The brothers helped set up, served dinner guests, and interacted with the kids.

On Nov. 17, 2012, the brothers held their 4th annual Turkey Bowl flag football tournament. More than 20 teams turned out for the event that lasted roughly four hours. Over \$700 was raised for the Boys & Girls Clubs of Rochester.

Alpha Iota/Indiana University

Alpha Iota Chapter was presented an award for Excellence in Intellectual Development and Academic Support at the 2013 Greek Assessment and Awards Program, held March 3, 2013, at Indiana University. **Alex Wilson** (2014) was also presented with the IFC Unsung Hero Award, which is presented to a senior in the IU Greek Community that distinguishes himself through academic achievement, campus activities, work ethic, and leadership.

Alpha Kappa/West Virginia

Tailgating has played a large role in the chapter's community relations and fundraising efforts this year. Alpha Kappa has successfully raised money selling face tattoos, WVU-colored shoelaces and raffle tickets. This year, more than \$600 has been donated to the Bob Woodruff Foundation as a result.

Alpha Nu/Georgia Tech

Brothers of Alpha Nu participated in the annual St. Baldrick's Day along with other Georgia Tech fraternities and raised \$2,575 for childhood cancer research. The event, held in Midtown Atlanta on March 8, 2013, calls upon participants to shave their heads in solidarity with those suffering from childhood cancer. More than 200 Georgia Tech fraternity men shaved their heads this year, raising over \$59,000 for the St. Baldrick's Foundation.

Alpha Xi/Delaware

In the aftermath of Hurricane Sandy, members of Alpha Xi Chapter assisted with relief efforts in Manahawkin, NJ. The brothers divided into teams and went door-to-door carrying out waterlogged furniture and ripping out damaged carpeting, walls and insulation.

Alpha Pi/Minnesota Colony

One of Theta Chi's newest colonies has taken the initiative to boost their reputation. Since many of Alpha Pi's members are interest-

Alpha Kappas brave the wind and snow to cheer for the Mountaineers

BY KELLY JONES, ASSISTANT EDITOR

Three Alpha Kappa Chapter brothers represented Theta Chi and the University of West Virginia as part of the varsity cheer team at the New Era PinStripe Bowl in New York's Yankee Stadium on Dec. 29, 2012.

Jeremy Bell (2015), Justin Bell (2013), and Alexander Harris (2013) cheered on the Mountaineers against Syracuse University despite game day delays and icy weather.

"As a fifth year cheerleader I have traveled to New York for the annual Big East basketball tournament," said Harris. "However, this would be my first time traveling to New York for a bowl game and I was hoping it would be the perfect way to end my college cheerleading career," Harris said.

This was Jeremy Bell's second year as a cheerleader, but his first year on the varsity team. "I had a great time traveling to New York and getting to see the city," said Jeremy. "The absolute best part of the trip was getting to spend time with my brothers, my friends, and getting to experience the great food and activities the city has to offer," he said.

From the very beginning of the trip, it was clear that weather was going to be a factor. And, when conditions failed to improve on the big day, the cheer team learned that they would have to roll back portions of their routine.

"Since there was so much snow on the field, it was decided that we would not be stunting at the game. This was some of the worst news the males of the team could hear," Justin said.

Still, the excitement of being in New York City for a bowl game proved to be a high point.

"Yankee Stadium is quite a sight to behold—especially covered in a layer of snow," said Harris. "Despite the cold temperatures and slippery conditions, I still couldn't help getting excited when our band took the field to perform the pre-game show. The Pride of West Virginia, as they are known, plays one of the most memorable pre-game performances that culminate in the West Virginia state formation. That always drives the crowd nuts," he said.

Even though the final score was a disappointing 38–14 loss for WVU, the trip was still a memorable experience for the three Theta Chi brothers.

"The game itself was pretty exciting despite the fact that we lost and that it was cold and snowing," said Jeremy. "I had a good time being at Yankee Stadium for the first time in my life. It was something I had to experience," he said.

"Despite the disappointing loss at the hands of the Orange, I will never forget my last football game as a WVU cheerleader," says Harris. "There is nothing like performing on the field in front of family, friends, and peers as you cheer on your alma mater. It's a truly rewarding experience."

Kenneth J. Wilson III (2016) became a third-generation Theta Chi and second-generation Gamma Omicron brother when he was initiated in April 2013. Joining him at the ceremony were his father, Kenneth J. Wilson, Jr. (Gamma Omicron/Wake Forest 1983) and grandfather Kenneth J. Wilson, Sr. (Delta Tau/Kent State 1953). Like his father, Wilson III is pursuing a career in law. Ken Wilson, Sr. was initiated on May 2, 1953 with other charter members during the installation of Delta Tau at Kent State in Ohio.





Alpha Phi Chaplain *Draw Maddox* (2015) and Vice President *Marcus Gibson* (2015) present *Emerald Autrey* of Tuscaloosa's *One Place* with a donation for \$870.

ed in healthcare and assisting children, they decided to team up with Amplatz Children's Hospital Pediatric Clinic to entertain children with hearing disabilities once a month while parents consult with doctors about hearing aids and other treatments.

Alpha Rho/Washington

Fifteen members of Alpha Rho Chapter at the University of Washington were up before sunrise on March 3, 2013, to volunteer their services at Seattle's Hot Chocolate 15/5K Run.

During the event, brothers served as course marshals, watching over segments of the racecourse and making sure that the runners didn't veer off track. Others made chocolate bags for the runners, and two of the brothers manned megaphones to encourage runners to the finish line. The brothers also assisted in helping to tear down and pack up after the event.

"The entire team at RAM Racing was astonished at the quality of volunteers that came from your growing chapter," Volunteer Coordinator *Nicole Vassos* wrote in an e-mail to Alpha Rho Chapter President **Adam Davis** (2015). "Your fraternity outshined every group, and we wish we could have your organization of kind-hearted, willing young men at every one of our races!"

As a result of Alpha Rho's participation, RAM Racing said that they have donated an additional \$300 to the Ronald McDonald House, to which all proceeds from the 15/5K were donated.

Alpha Upsilon/Nebraska

Alpha Upsilon Chapter raised \$3,110 at Relay for Life, UNL's largest group donation. **Johnathon Hebbard** (2014), **Patrick Heeney** (2015) and **Ian Holmes** (2014) served on the ACS Planning Committee for the event.



In March, the brothers of Gamma Rho Chapter launched a fundraising campaign to help with the medical expenses for two of their brothers, *Oliver Bucknell*, and *Adam Jankowski*, currently undergoing treatment for Stage IV cancer. For each \$100 raised, one brother would shave his head.

Alpha Phi/Alabama

In late November, Alpha Phi held a canned food drive at the chapter house that yielded 517 canned goods for the West Alabama Food Bank.

On Dec. 4, 2012, Alpha Phi Chapter and Phi Mu Sorority worked together on a fundraising event benefiting Tuscaloosa's One Place, a local program that helps over 8,000 individuals in Tuscaloosa County. They raised \$870 just in time for the holidays.

Beta Iota/Arizona

Beta Iota held its first Cut the Chi philanthropy to benefit Students Supporting Brain Tumor Research. The brothers auctioned off their hair in a three-day silent auction where Arizona students could bid on an individual brother's hair. The winner of the bid was able to style the brother's hair any way he/she wanted and the brother had to keep the cut for 48 hours. Cut the Chi proved to be quite popular among Arizona's sororities and raised a total of \$2,700.

On March 2, brothers volunteered their morning for the Eller Make a Difference Day event to clean a stretch of road in preparation for Tucson's annual 4th Avenue Street Fair. More than 300 hours were contributed.

The University of Arizona's Greek Emerging Leader Award once again went to a Theta Chi. Chapter President **Tony Garvey** (2015) is the second brother after **Layton Cox** (2013) to receive the award.

Brother *Cox*, who is the current IFC president, was also recently named Arizona Greek Man of the Year.

Beta Phi/Nevada Colony

For Valentine's Day, Beta Phi members raised \$100 for the Reno Women's Shelter by selling teddy bears and hosting a date auction fundraiser.

Gamma Xi/San Jose State

Jose Ochoa (2013) won Alpha Omicron Pi Sorority's annual Mr. Fraternity competition, a male beauty pageant now in its 25th year.

Gamma Rho/Florida State

Gamma Rho hosted its third annual Cheers for Children Cheerleading Competition on Nov. 4, 2012, at the Tallahassee-Leon County Civic Center in Tallahassee, FL. At the event, sororities competed to win the title of Cheers for Children Champion. Teams placing in the top three of the competition each received money to be donated to the charity of their choice. This year the event raised more than \$14,000, with the majority of the proceeds going to The Kidz1stFund.

Brother **Robby McVie** (2013) was elected president of the Seminole Student Boosters, which raises money for FSU's athletics scholarship program. As president, McVie is responsible for increasing membership and student attendance at Seminole Athletics events, and connecting students with the student-athletes



Zeta Phi Chapter at Cal Poly was the winner of the 2013 Frats at Bat Championship, a two-day, double elimination tournament sponsored by Sigma Kappa. Standing, from left: Andrew Tachiera (2013), Michael Schatz (2013), Collin Douglass (2012), Miles Murphy (2015), Zachary Gates (2015) and Jay Wyatt (2012). Kneeling, from left: Ryan Gregg (2013), Corey Souza (2013), Nick Sweeney (2014) and Tim Romley (2013).

and coaches. He also sits on the Seminole Boosters, Inc., board of directors and heads the development of FSU's TRUE (Tradition, Respect, Unity, Excellence) Seminole Campaign, a scholarship endowment fund for student-athletes.

Gamma Rho Chapter brothers also launched a fundraising campaign to help with the medical expenses for two of their own: **Oliver Bucknell** (2015) and **Adam Jankowski** (2014) who are both undergoing treatment for Stage IV cancer. The chapter has since raised more than \$45,000. In the beginning, the brothers promised that for every \$100 raised, one brother would shave his head. About 80 brothers ended up shaving their heads, but after awhile the shaving of heads became more a symbol than an incentive. The latest news on Bucknell and Jankowski offers hope. Oliver's tests have shown that he is in remission and Adam is doing much better but still has a few more rounds of chemotherapy to go.

Gamma Upsilon/Bradley

On Nov. 4, 2012, 15 members of Gamma Upsilon Chapter took part in Peoria's first CureSearch Walk hosted by the Bradley CureSearch Walk Club, which funds and supports children's cancer research. Members of



Delta Zeta/Nebraska-Omaha held their Annual Car Smash fundraiser Nov. 15, 2012.

Gamma Upsilon took part in the walk supporting Brother **Kevin Yndestad** (2009), who had to leave Bradley in order to fight his own battle with a brain tumor. Gamma Upsilon's team was in the top three for most donations, raising more than \$5,000 thanks to support from alumni and friends.

Delta Alpha/Linfield

Delta Alpha's **Corey VanDomelen** (2015)'s "Evolution of Dance" performance won him the Mr. Linfield Pageant earlier this year. VanDomelen also played shortstop for Linfield's baseball team, which won the Division III College World Series this spring.



Brother Charlie Kramer (2013) serves chili at Delta Gamma's first Chili Cook-off at West Virginia Wesleyan College, March 19, 2013.

Vice President **Brynnan Hyland** (2014) was named Northwest Conference Student-Athlete of the Week for his defensive performance against Willamette University where he recorded three sacks. **Joshua Repp** (2013) was also recognized by the NCAA as one of the nation's top punters.

Delta Gamma/West Virginia Wesleyan

Delta Gamma Chapter held its first Chili Cook-off on March 19, 2013, and raised a total of \$175 for a variety of charities, determined by the competition's top three winners. The charities selected were the Michael N. Tate Memorial Children's Fund (named for Delta Gamma Chapter brother Michael Tate [1990]), The Fribrolamellar Cancer Foundation, The Multiple Sclerosis Foundation, and the Parish House.

Delta Zeta/Nebraska-Omaha

Delta Zeta Chapter held its Annual Car Smash fundraiser on Nov. 15, 2012. Participants paid \$1 for three hits on a scrap truck with a sledgehammer, or \$5 for a full minute. Approximately 20 people participated and the event raised \$196.41. The truck was donated by Delta Zeta's **Jacob Ruwe** (2015).

BEFORE



AFTER



Epsilon Iota/East Carolina conducted fundraisers at Topsail Island, NC, and raised \$6,000 for house renovations, including a brand new coat of paint and new windows throughout.



Brothers of Zeta Tau/Michigan-Flint gather for a group photo during their second annual Red Carnation Ball held Dec. 7, 2012.



Eta Mu undergraduates and alumni gather at the University of Findlay for the chapter's 40th anniversary. Eta Mu is Findlay's oldest fraternity. (See story, p. 58)

Delta Upsilon/Arizona State

Delta Upsilon and partner Chi Omega won ASU's Homecoming competition in Fall 2012. Delta Upsilon also took second place in Kappa Kappa Gamma's flag football tournament in April, and donated approximately 100 books for the cause. Lastly, the chapter placed third in Alpha Phi's Move Your Phi't philanthropy, which consisted of a relay race, watermelon eating contest and a 5K.

Epsilon Gamma/Widener

The brothers of Epsilon Gamma hosted their second "Chi-Hop" on Oct. 4, 2012, where they served pancakes to Widener students in exchange for donations benefitting the Wounded Warrior Project. Brothers from Eta Pi Chapter at East Stroudsburg came down to extend a helping hand with the event.

In April, Epsilon Gamma received several honors at the annual Student Life Leadership Awards, including the Cellucci Cup, which is awarded to the fraternity or sorority that excels in philanthropy and community service. Brother **Zach Schrum** (2014) was named Outstanding Fraternity Man, and Faculty Adviser **Nora Kogutwon** the Excellence in Advising Award. Lastly, Chapter President **Hunter Tower** (2014) and IFC President **Zach Schrum** (2014) were each presented with engraved gavels bearing their names and Theta Chi letters in recognition of their service as presidents.

Epsilon Zeta/Tampa

Each Friday, brothers from Epsilon Zeta visit one of Tampa's two Boys and Girls Clubs location to coach, assist kids with school work, crosswords and word search puzzles, and computer programs. They also assist the clubs with the upkeep of their facilities by disposing of garbage around the facility, or by maintaining a clean environment inside the club.

Epsilon Theta/Tufts

"Tufts' Best Dance Crew," the philanthropy event sponsored by the brothers at Epsilon Theta, raised more than \$2,500 for Habitat for Humanity this year. Seven Tufts dance groups performed before an audience of judges and the winner was decided via text voting.

In addition, the brothers raised \$880 for the Boston One Fund, which benefits the victims of the Boston Marathon bombing. Brothers gave an additional \$1,200 after winning a trivia jackpot and donating all of their winnings to support the people of Boston.



Epsilon Zeta/Tampa Brother Christopher Haran poses with a Boys & Girls Club member.

Epsilon Theta Chapter also won the Tufts' Mount Olympus Award for Outstanding Greek Organization of the Year.

Epsilon Tau/Stephen F. Austin

Epsilon Tau Chapter participated in their first successful highway cleanup of 2013. In total, 18 bags of trash were collected over a two-mile stretch of road. The chapter will maintain the section until Nov. 1, 2014.

Epsilon Phi/Central Missouri

Brother **Brandon Kanoy** (2012) was a top finalist for UCM's Charno Award, which is presented annually to a male and female senior who each show leadership ability, superior academic performance, participation in the leadership of social and service organizations and extracurricular activities. As a finalist, Brother Kanoy was also chosen as one of UCM's 40 Who's Who Award recipients.

Chapter President **Travis Burt** (2013) was named Outstanding Student by the construction management program faculty for the 2012/13 academic year.

Zeta Gamma/Alberta

On Nov. 19, 2012, Zeta Gamma won Pi Beta Phi's Speed Read Competition. Representing Theta Chi was **Scott Riddle** (2013), who read nearly 600 words from a Dr. Seuss book. **Sean Thiessen** (2013) made it to the second-to-last round in the spelling bee, and in the story-telling event, **Matthew Petersen** (2015) read aloud from a Dr. Seuss book while **Elmir Mahammadov** (2015), **Maciej Zasepa** (2016), Sean Thiessen and Scott Riddle acted out the story. In the Reading Relay, a team of readers took turns reading as much as they could from a book until time ran out. Winners were determined through a combination of points



Hancock named Most Outstanding Player

Theta Chi's own **Luke Hancock** (2013) became the first non-starter to be named Most Outstanding Player at the 2013 NCAA Championship. Hancock scored 22 points against Michigan to lead the Louisville Cardinals to a national title—the team's first since 1986. Brother Hancock transferred to Louisville from George Mason in 2011, but not before joining Theta Chi's Eta Chi Chapter.

As the first half wore on, Michigan's offense seemed to have little problem scoring against the Cardinals. Shortly before the half, Michigan was up 35–23. And then Hancock took over—scoring 14 points in less than two minutes and bringing Louisville within one point of Michigan at the half. In the second half, the Cardinals came from behind again and seized control. In the game's final minutes, Hancock calmly sank crucial free throws bringing the final score to 82–76 and a national championship trophy to Louisville.

After graduating from Hidden Valley High School in Roanoke, VA, Hancock attended Hargrave Military Academy in hopes of earning a college scholarship. Hancock got the attention of George Mason University Head Coach Jim Larranaga, where he went on to have two successful seasons before transferring to Louisville after Coach Larranaga accepted a position at the University of Miami.



Beta Delta/Rutgers held its annual Dodge Ball Tournament with Sigma Pi on Dec. 2, 2012. Proceeds from the event went to the Hurricane Sandy Relief Foundation.



Eta Omicron brothers (from left) Tylor Wilson (2016), Morgan Briggs (2015), Stephen Bynum (2015) and Austin McCann (2013) proudly display awards they received during the 2013 Northwestern State University Greek Awards.



Iota Omicron/FIU brothers gather for a photo during their first ever Cheers for Troops philanthropy, which raised \$2,500 for the Bob Woodruff Foundation.



Undergraduate and alumnus brothers of Theta Rho Chapter at McNeese State University gather for a photo at the 2013 Bowl for Kids' Sake event. The chapter raised \$1,803 for Big Brothers/Big Sisters, which was the highest total amount for the second year in a row.

earned during the competition as well as each team's total book donations made to the First Book Foundation. Zeta Gamma also won the Spirit Award.

In February, Theta Chi won the University's Antifreeze Competition, a weeklong campus-wide event pitting 18 teams against each other during the first week of class.

Zeta Xi/UC-Davis

Zeta Xi teamed up with the Davis Dance Marathon team on Nov. 16, 2012, to present Miracle Munchies. From 11 p.m. to 3 a.m., participants paid \$5 for an all-you-could-eat buffet of late night snacks. On Nov. 17, 2012, Zeta Xi opened their chapter house for round two of Miracle Munchies. The event raised more than \$1,700 for the UC Davis Children's Hospital and Children's Miracle Network.

Zeta Pi/Old Dominion

Zeta Pi Chapter won Greek Week 2013 at Old Dominion.

Zeta Rho/Kentucky

In March, Zeta Rho won the Intramural Fraternity Basketball League Championship and placed second in the Intramural Soccer Championship.

The brothers also participated in an all-Greek step show in April hosted by Kappa Alpha Theta. "Stompalooza" featured most chapters on campus in a variety of themes. Zeta Rho's theme was "Remember the Titans."

Zeta Tau/Michigan-Flint

Zeta Tau brothers raised nearly \$5,000 by working at Cedar Point Sept. 28 and Oct. 26, 2012. The brothers helped with various tasks throughout the park including operating rides and serving food. They raised another \$5,000 by completing two different Warrior Dashes in Michigan. (Formal Photo p. 56)

Zeta Upsilon/Hartford

Brothers at Zeta Upsilon Chapter raised \$1,578.80 for their Pencils of Promise philanthropy.

Eta Gamma/Morehead State

Joined by members from Zeta Rho/Kentucky, Eta Beta/Eastern Kentucky and the Northern Kentucky University Colony, Eta Gamma participated in "Build-a-Bed," an event where participants assembled beds for the children of rural Kentucky who do not have a bed to sleep on. Beds are then shipped to the children who need them, complete with a mattress, blankets and pillows.



A member of Iota Beta/Missouri State gets into costume for the “Nightmare on Elm St.” haunted house experience held Oct. 29–30, 2012.

Eta Kappa/James Madison

Eta Kappa Chapter’s G.I. Theta Chi event, held Oct. 7, 2012, raised \$3,300 for the Bob Woodruff Foundation, the Wounded Warrior Project, the Jeff and Lindsay Lewis Scholarship and Hurricane Sandy relief. The week featured events such as Pie-a-Theta Chi, Boot Camp Field Day, and a 5K run. The brothers stayed on the campus commons for 168 hours straight, collecting donations 24/7 and sleeping in a trailer overnight.

Eta Mu/Findlay

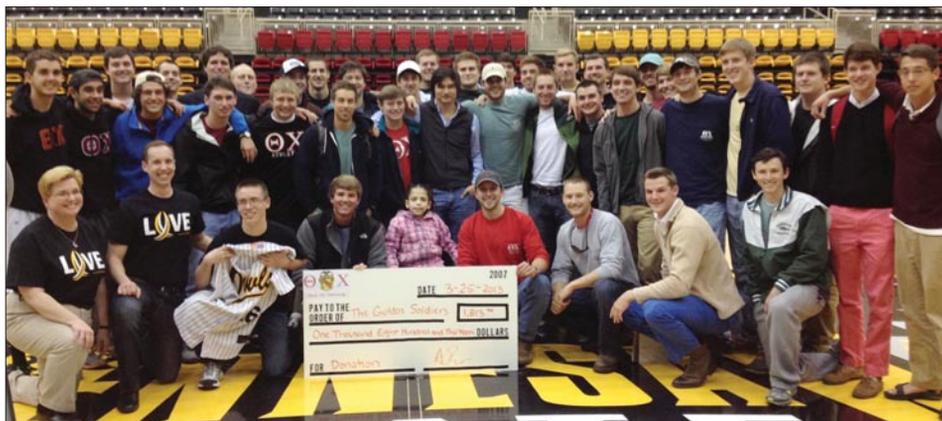
Eta Mu Chapter won the “Helping Hands Across America” canned food drive for the fourth year in a row, collecting a total of 2,121 pounds of food.

Homecoming marked 40 years of Eta Mu Chapter and Theta Chi on the Findlay campus. The brothers take great pride in being part of Findlay’s longest-standing campus organization. (See photo, p. 56)

At Findlay’s Leadership Awards Ceremony, Eta Mu was named Greek Chapter of the Year and **Derek Putnam** (2013) was named Greek Man of the year. Brother Putnam was also elected to this year’s Homecoming Court, along with Sweetheart Allie Bishop.

Eta Omicron/Northwestern State

Eta Omicron Chapter swept the Northwestern State University Greek Awards



The brothers at Theta Epsilon present a check for \$1,813 to Lindsey Turner, Founder of The Golden Soldiers at Kennesaw State University’s second annual Student Athlete Talent Show. The funds will provide year-round events and services for individuals with developmental disabilities.

this year. The Distinguished Senior of the Year Award was presented to Eta Omicron President **Austin McCann** (2013), Secretary **Stephen Bynum** (2015) was named Greek Scholar of the Year, Emerging Greek Leader of the Year went to Marshal **Morgan Briggs** (2015) and New Member Scholar of the Year was presented to **Tylor Wilson** (2016).

Eta Omicron also received NSU Chapter Achievement Awards in all six possible categories: alumni relations, community, educational programming, risk management, scholarship, and service and philanthropy. The chapter also earned the highest fraternity GPA for both the spring and fall 2012 semesters.

Eta Psi/UAB

The brothers of Eta Psi Chapter held a fundraiser on April 18, 2013, to help those affected by the Boston Marathon bombings. The brothers partnered with TrakShak in Homewood, AL, to raffle off a \$150 gift card and T-shirts. The brothers raised \$554 for the bombing victims.

Theta Epsilon/Kennesaw State

Theta Epsilon presented a check for \$1,813 to The Golden Soldiers, a non-profit organization serving individuals with developmental disabilities, at Kennesaw State University’s second Student Athlete Talent Show.

This is the second public event for the fraternity in support of The Golden Soldiers in recent months. Theta Chi also donated the proceeds from their September “Desperado” Weekend and Concert to the charity. KSU Athletic Director, Vaughn Williams and Lindsey Turner, co-emceed the event with special guests judges Madison Montour—a third grade, 9-year-old with spina bifida and

Cameron Ulrich—a 17-year-old, Allatoona High School student with cerebral palsy.

Theta Xi/VCU

Theta Xi Chapter President **Vikhyath Veeramachaneni** (2014) was elected Student Body President in March. His term will last for the 2013/2014 academic year. Brother Veeramachaneni became active in the VCU Student Government Association in 2012 and quickly became involved in a number of initiatives. He hopes to increase student awareness of and accessibility to SGA and its leadership during his term.

Theta Rho/McNeese State

For the second year in a row, Theta Rho Chapter raised the most money out of any organization for Big Brothers Big Sisters’ “Bowl for Kids’ Sake” event. Alumni and undergraduates together raised over \$1,800. The chapter also organized a Theta Chi Play Day through Big Brothers Big Sisters, where kids played kickball, catch and shark attack with the brothers. Chi Omega, Phi Mu, and Alpha Delta Pi sisters also participated in the event.

Theta Omega/Appalachian State

Theta Omega teamed up with Kappa Delta, Alpha Phi, and Sigma Alpha Epsilon on Oct. 25, 2012, for a bracket style cornhole tournament. Twenty-five teams participated in the tournament and raised \$250 for the Children’s Council at Watagua County.

Iota Beta/Missouri State

Iota Beta Chapter teamed up with Pi Kappa Phi Fraternity on Oct. 29–30, 2012, to present “Nightmare on Elm Street.” The community

haunted house experience, featuring light and sound effects, started in the Iota Beta house and ended in the Pi Kappa Phi house.

Over two nights of haunting, the fraternities hosted about 400 guests and raised nearly \$2,000. The profits will be divided between PUSH America (Pi Kappa Phi's philanthropy) and the Ozarks Literacy Council (Iota Beta's philanthropy).

Iota Beta also placed first in Fraternity and Sorority life during Homecoming, and for the first time in five years, brought the title of Homecoming King back to Theta Chi. Brother **Garrett Mueller** (2013) won the honor after a campus-wide campaign that included outside help from over 60 brothers.

Iota Zeta/Radford

The brothers of Iota Zeta Chapter teamed up with the sisters of Alpha Sigma Tau and the Radford University Ranger Club on April 27, 2013, to present The Warrior Games competition on Muse Quad. The purpose of the event was to raise awareness for the Wounded Warrior Project.

The event featured 20 teams competing in nine events. The games include a wire crossing, mechanical bull ride, pedestal joust, tug of war, slip and slide, a cornhole tournament, an obstacle course, a tire flip and a relay race. The event raised more than \$2,400 was raised for the Wounded Warrior Project.



A contestant does push-ups under the watchful eye of a drill sergeant during Iota Zeta's Warrior Games event.

Iota Eta/University of the Pacific

Iota Eta held its inaugural G.I. Theta Chi event and raised \$1,000 for the USO. The event featured an obstacle course, tire flip, capture the flag, and more. Kappa Alpha Theta was the event winner.

Iota Lambda/Longwood University

Iota Lambda Chapter was named IFC Chapter of the Year at Longwood's annual Greek Awards in November.

In addition, three brothers from Iota Lambda Chapter were recognized for their contributions to the Greek and Longwood communities at the Longwood Greek Awards in November: Best of the Best, **Brian Reid** (2013), Outstanding Greek Scholar, **Darrien Drummond** (2014), and IFC Chapter President of the Year, **Tyrone Brooks** (2012).

Order of Omega also recognized outgoing IFC officers **Zack Sneed** (2013) and **Matthew McPartland** (2013). Replacing them on the IFC executive board were **Taylor Anderson** (2014) and **George Werbacher** (2014).

On Oct. 20, 2012, the brothers of Theta Chi donated their time and efforts to the Farmville community with a day of service benefitting F.A.C.E.S., Habitat for Humanity, and the Longwood Center for Visual Arts.

Iota Lambda Chapter co-sponsored their annual Stop Hunger Now event April 3, 2013, along with Farmville United Methodist Church and the Office of Leadership and Civic Engagement. Brothers from the Iota Lambda chapter and 100 volunteers helped to package more than 21,000 meals to be sent to Nicaragua. Stop Hunger Now serves as the adopted philanthropy for the Iota Lambda Chapter.

Members of Iota Lambda Chapter were recognized again in April 2013 for their contributions to the campus community at the Longwood University Citizen Leader Awards Luncheon. **Brian Reid** (2013) received the ceremony's highest honor, the Distinguished Contributions and Phyllis Mable Award for Outstanding Service, while **Dylan Roach** (2015) received the Emerging Leader Award. Chapter Adviser **Cam Patterson** (2010) received the Outstanding Advisor Award.

Iota Mu/Missouri

For two years in a row, an Iota Mu has served as president of the University of



Iota Eta brothers at the University of the Pacific show off their "helping hands" following their first ever GI Theta Chi event.



The members of Averett Colony/Averett University extended a helping hand to the Danville Habitat for Humanity on Feb. 9, 2013, by cleaning up debris, breaking concrete, removing small trees, bushes and fence posts, putting up vinyl siding and cleaning out a storage shed.

Missouri Residence Halls Association (RHA). Outgoing RHA President **Zack Folk** (2015) will be replaced by **Jackson Farley** (2016) for the 2013/2014 academic year.

The chapter raised a total over \$1,100 at this year's Relay for Life, and **Michael Toigo** (2015), and **Joe Maddox** (2014) will serve on the steering committee next year.

Iota Mu's annual "Bowling for Breast Cancer" philanthropy, held March 6, 2013, raised over \$3,600 for the Ellis Fischel Cancer Center. The event hosted 28 teams of five players, with Epsilon Iota Fraternity and Kappa Delta Sorority finishing as the top teams of the night. Iota Mu also pledged \$15,000 to Ellis Fischel over the next five years to go toward building a chemo station and mammogram van.

Iota Nu/South Florida

Iota Nu Chapter held a G.I. Theta Chi event Oct. 13, 2012, at The Meadows. Contestants participated in a timed obstacle course challenge with the top three times taking home trophies.

Iota Pi/LSU

The Louisiana State University Student Government Senate passed a resolution on Oct. 24, 2012, congratulating Iota Pi Chapter on becoming a part of the LSU Greek community. The resolution also commended Iota Pi on their entrance into the IFC, the members for their hard work, and then-President **Justin Jones** (now serving as a Leadership and Education Consultant) for his leadership.

On Jan. 26, 2013, the chapter hosted Rock to Remember, a benefit concert for Alzheimer's Services of the Capital Area,



Iota Mu brothers gather in front of the University of Missouri's iconic Jesse Hall in the center of campus.



Iota Nu brothers wrap up a successful GI Theta Chi event on the University of South Florida campus.

which serves Alzheimer's patients and their families. Local band Sweet Root headlined the event, and the chapter raised \$1,500. The chapter has had a relationship with Alzheimer's Services since 2011.

On March 23, 2013, chapter members again served Alzheimer's Services by raking leaves, spraying overhang, cleaning windows and organizing storage areas at their facility in Baton Rouge.

Iota Omicron/FIU

Iota Omicron Chapter at Florida International University held its inaugural philanthropy Cheers for Troops in February, raising \$2,500 for the Bob Woodruff Foundation. (See photo, p. 58)

A weeklong competition, FIU students and faculty were invited to form teams and develop either a cheerleading or step show routine that would be performed live on Saturday, Feb. 23, 2013.

To build excitement for the competition and encourage participation, Iota Omicron organized a Spirit Week leading up to Saturday's event where teams could earn additional points by participating in different activities. Points were used to determine the winner of the event's top honor, the Viewer's Choice Award. Spirit Week events included a dunk tank and the G.I. Theta Chi Shoot Out, where participants used Nerf guns to hit targets for prizes.

Brothers also spent Thursday delivering cheer grams around campus in exchange for monetary contributions. And, on Friday, the chapter formed a flash mob at FIU's student union, the Graham Center, to promote Saturday's Cheers for Troops finale, which featured performances from the Miami Dolphins cheerleaders and Miami's Roxy Performing Arts Center.

Theta Chi's cut

BY KELLY JONES, ASSISTANT EDITOR

Every year, thousands of college students put on their dancing shoes in support of their local Children's Miracle Network hospitals at Dance Marathon events. More than 150 campuses participate in the marathons, which challenge participants to stand on their feet for extended periods of time as a symbol of their standing for the children in hospitals who can't stand on their own.

Many of Theta Chi's 132 active chapters and colonies take great pride in their respective campus' dance marathons as well, having raised thousands of dollars over the years. At many marathons, brothers plan skits, concerts and other activities to pass the time. In other cases, such as at Pennsylvania State University, dance marathons take the form of multi-million dollar events.

Last year, brothers from **Omega Chapter**, along with thousands of fellow Penn State students, transformed the Bryce Jordan Center (home of the Nittany Lions basketball team) into a high-energy, 46-hour dance party complete with neon T-shirts, balloon hats and makeshift colorful jewelry and medallions. On its own, the Theta Chi team raised more than \$30,000 through pledging to stand on their feet for hours at a time. The event overall raised an impressive \$12.4 million for the Four Diamonds Fund at Penn State Hershey Children's Hospital.

Penn State may have the largest dance marathon, but it's far from the only one. In California, more than 1,500 students turned out for UCLA's 12th Annual Dance Marathon on Feb. 16, 2013, a 26-hour marathon that raised over \$475,000 for the Elizabeth Glaser Pediatric AIDS Foundation. Fifty-six brothers from **Beta Alpha Chapter** participated in "DM" and raised \$17,000 for the cause, taking home the UCLA Fraternity Fundraising trophy in the process.

Here's a look at what other chapters around the U.S. are doing for their own dance marathons:

Rutgers University's Dance Marathon, held in April, is the largest student-run philanthropy in the state of New Jersey. More than 60 brothers and new members of **Beta Delta Chapter** participated as captains, dancers and volunteers, along-side 800-plus members of the Rutgers Community. For 32 hours they danced, ran, and jumped around for the children of the Embrace the Kids Foundation. For the last few hours of the dance marathon, the chapter's adopted child, Amari, joined them. Beta Delta chapter raised more than \$31,000 for the foundation, and the event overall yielded over \$503,000.

Students dressed up in colorful T-shirts and the occasional pink tu tu for Ball State University's "Dance Marathon for the Kids," in February. Sixteen brothers from **Delta Kappa Chapter**

a rug for charity

raised \$1,160 for the event, which featured a pie eating contest, a bounce house, and performances by the BSU Singers and Charlie Cardinal.

The University of Delaware's UDance, held in March, raised more than \$551,000 for the Andrew McDonough B+ Foundation, including \$1,850 from 50 members of **Alpha Xi Chapter**.

Gamma Chapter raised \$1,210 for the University of Maine's 2nd Bearfest Dance Marathon. The chapter also supports a local girl, Olivia, throughout the year, who was born premature. With the support of the Children's Miracle Network, she is now a healthy teenager. Overall, 800 participants raised \$47,000 in three weeks.

The Davis Dance Marathon at the University of California-Davis, was made possible by **Zeta Xi Chapter** member **Eddie Yoo** (2013), founder and president. More than 700 people attended the campus' first ever event, which featured games, prizes, live entertainment, a DJ, and group activities. Zeta Xi was also one of the sponsors of the event and donated \$250 to the Dance Marathon Committee as a sponsor. Yoo was one of the top fundraisers for the chapter, raising \$800 of the chapter's total \$1,350 donation. The Davis Dance Marathon brought in a total of \$7,000 for UC Davis Children's Hospital.

Not all marathons are once-a-year events. The Auburn University Dance Marathon is a year-long

campus-wide fundraising effort that culminates with the dance marathon as a celebration of the efforts undertaken during the rest of the year.

This year, the 12-hour event hosted more than 500 Auburn University students and 150 local high school students. **Chi Chapter's** team was led by **Kohl Weir** (2015). The Auburn University Singers, Auburn University Pep Band, Aubie and popular rock artist Tim Tyler provided entertainment while participants also got to enjoy Zumba classes, a date auction and more. Families were invited to share their stories about how the Children's Miracle Network helped them during their time of crisis.

Last year, the Auburn University Dance Marathon broke a national record by raising \$65,995 its first year. This year, the brothers at Chi chapter raised \$2,503, and the Auburn University Dance Marathon raised \$124,740 for Columbus Regional Healthcare System.

Good opportunities for new chapters, too

Some of Theta Chi's newest chapters are also finding that Dance Marathon participation is a great way to gain recognition on campus and make a difference in their communities.

At Colorado State University's first ever Dance Marathon in March, **Delta Eta Chapter** was one of three fraternities represented on the

planning committee. The event itself raised more than \$13,500 and had nearly 200 participants including, 20 Delta Eta members. All proceeds from the dance marathon went to support Colorado Children's Hospital.

Forty-five brothers from the recently installed **Iota Sigma Chapter** at Towson University raise \$4,500 for "Tiger Thon" in March. The event was promoted as an evening of dance to reflect the cultures of the school, and offered dance sessions dedicated to specific types of music. A staggering 1,290 participants collectively raised \$81,000 for John Hopkins Children's Center.

About the Children's Miracle Network

Children's Miracle Network Hospitals is a charity that raises funds for more than 170 children's hospitals. Donations to the Children's Miracle Network Hospitals are used to provide charitable care, purchase life-saving equipment, and fund research and education programs that save and improve the lives of 17 million children each year. For more information about Children's Miracle Network Hospitals, visit childrensmiraclenetworkhospitals.org/

We are honored to call these men our brothers. The condolences of Theta Chi's extended worldwide family are offered to the family and friends of these deceased brothers. This listing includes all deaths reported to the International Headquarters between October 16, 2012 and June 11, 2013. To report news of a brother who has passed on to the Chapter Eternal, e-mail ihq@thetachi.org.

BETA

Massachusetts Institute of Tech
Robert D. Darden, Jr., 1948
Edwin B. Judd, 1942
Robert I. Millard, 1955

GAMMA

University of Maine
Raymond P. Jones, 1967
Richard E. White, 1989

DELTA

Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
William M. Trunko, 1960

ETA

University of Rhode Island
Ralph D. Pinto, 1972

THETA

University of Massachusetts
Robert Bulcock, 1950

MU

University of California-Berkeley
Charles R. Bell, 1966

XI

University of Virginia
George Ossman, Jr., 1950

OMICRON

University of Richmond
William W. Eudailey, 1952
William K. Howell, 1953

TAU

University of Florida
Clayton D. Garet, Jr., 1961
Thomas C. Merchant, Jr., 1937

PHI

North Dakota State University
Paul C. Lee, 1970

CHI

Auburn University
Charles E. Davis, 1959

OMEGA

Pennsylvania State University
Harold F. Frazier, 1950
Michael L. Horen, 1948
James M. Sacks, 1970

ALPHA GAMMA

University of Michigan
Jay W. Beatty, 1952
Robert C. Boyer, 1936

ALPHA DELTA

Purdue University
Raymond A. Davies, 1952
Ryan J. Gushlak, 2014

ALPHA IOTA

Indiana University
Nicholas P. Brown, 1983

ALPHA LAMBDA

Ohio State University
Ellis L. Hawk, 1950

ALPHA MU

Iowa State University
Gregory L. Hoiekvam, 1972
Warren M. Zingg, 1937

ALPHA RHO

University of Washington
George W. Etsell, 1946

ALPHA SIGMA

University of Oregon
Gene W. Brockmeyer, 1966

ALPHA TAU

Ohio University
George A. Mentzer, 1951

ALPHA PHI

University of Alabama
Fred C. Crum, Jr., 1968

ALPHA CHI

Syracuse University
Christopher A. Sawyer, 2004
Kiki H. Yiu, 2001

ALPHA PSI

University of Maryland
James J. Puglisi, 1968

ALPHA OMEGA

Lafayette College
Michael J. Close, 1965

BETA ALPHA

UCLA
Michael P. Long, 1988

BETA DELTA

Rutgers University
Ralph E. Logan, 1949
William M. Proft, Jr., 1950

BETA EPSILON

University of Montana
Jack A. Hamilton, 1963

BETA ZETA

Michigan State University
John W. Dock, 1952
Howard S. Nelson, 1952

BETA THETA

Drexel University
Robert B. Fister, 1964

BETA KAPPA

Hamline University
Donald L. Paulson, Jr., 1966

BETA LAMBDA

University of Akron
Merrill E. Balser, 1954
Raymond A. Salvo, 1965
Raymond A. Ulrich, Jr., 1969

Charles E. "Buddy" Davis

Charles E. "Buddy" Davis (Chi/Auburn 1959) passed away on May 2, 2013. Born in 1933 in Alabama, he served in the Air Force prior to attending Auburn University and earning a degree in electrical engineering. He later earned a master's degree from UCLA in 1963.

Davis, an engineer with Douglas Aircraft (now Boeing), played an important role in the design process of the Apollo program, which he worked with for 12 years. Davis spent his more than 40-year career primarily in the aerospace industry, also contributing to the shuttle and space station programs. Brother Davis holds the world record for initiating the most large rocket launches in a lifetime—more than 600 live and static firings. Davis' career was featured in the 2009 edition of *The Rattle*.

In 2011, Davis was honored by the State of Alabama Engineering Hall of Fame for his contributions to the engineering profession. In 2007, in recognition of his \$4 million gift to the College of Engineering, the Auburn University Board of Trustees named the Aerospace Engineering Building the Charles E. Davis Aerospace Engineering Hall.

Brother Davis remained a Theta Chi for Life. Though moving to San Diego, he participated with the San Diego Alumni Chapter and gave a Founders Day address, which paid tribute to his wife, Charlotte. He also provided the lead gift for Chi Chapter's new home, which was featured in the Spring 2008 edition of *The Rattle*. He was recognized with Theta Chi's Golden Guard and a Citation of Honor.

Chapter Brother and National Counselor Joseph Couch said, "Buddy was very generous to Auburn University and Chi Chapter but when I think of him, the first thought that comes to mind is how important his family was to him. He worked hard and was very accomplished in a professional sense, but he was proudest of Charlotte, his sons and his grandchildren."



William K. Howell

William K. Howell (Omicron/Richmond 1953) passed away May 25, 2013.

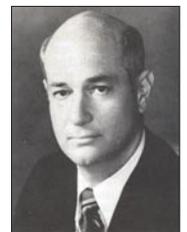
Born in 1930, in Radford, VA, Brother Howell attended the University of Richmond on a football scholarship. After receiving a degree in business administration in 1953, Brother Howell served two years as a lieutenant in the Marine Corp. In 1955, he joined Philip Morris (now Altria) and held several executive positions before being named regional vice president-Latin America in 1967.

In 1972, after Philip Morris acquired Miller Brewing, Co., Brother Howell moved to Milwaukee to serve as Miller's executive vice president of operations. He was named president of Miller Brewing Company in 1978, and in 1984 was promoted to president and CEO of Miller Brewing Company and elected to the Philip Morris board of directors.

Howell is credited with ushering in the era of "Lite" beer with his promotion and marketing of Miller Lite. Howell introduced the slogan "It's Miller Time" and worked with the marketing team to come up with the slogan "Great Taste, Less Filling." He retired as Miller's chief executive in 1988.

Brother Howell was supportive of the University of Richmond and served as an executive in residence in the visiting executive program at the Robins School of Business from 1980–1981, and as a member of the board of associates from 1984–1992.

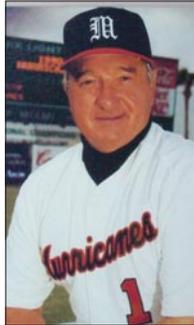
Brother Howell served on the board of directors for many institutions in Milwaukee: St. Mary's Hospital, First Wisconsin National Bank, Boys Club, and Junior Achievement of Southeastern Wisconsin. He was also a member of the Greater Milwaukee Committee and the advisory council for the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee School of Business Administration.



Ron Fraser

Ron Fraser (Gamma Rho/Florida State 1960), “The Wizard of College Baseball,” died January 20, 2013.

Sports Illustrated called Fraser the “P.T. Barnum” of the College Game. Through hard work and promotion, he saved the Miami Hurricanes baseball program and coached 1963–1992, acquiring a 1,271-438-9 record and ending his career as the third most winning coach in NCAA history. He led the Hurricanes to



College World Series titles in 1982 and 1985, was NCAA Coach of the Year four times, and named World Amateur Coach of the Year in 1973 for leading the U.S. to its only World Amateur Championship. Fraser also managed Team USA in the 1992 Olympics. He was inducted into the College Baseball Hall of Fame in 2006.

Fraser and his career were featured in the Winter 1993 edition of *The Rattle*. In the article, L.A. Dodger legend Tommy Lasorda is quoted, “(Ron Fraser is) without a doubt one of the finest baseball coaches this country has ever seen.”

DELTA PHI

University of North Texas
John W. Dorris, 1957
Dwayne C. Streetman, 1958
G. J. Wood, 1961

DELTA PSI

University of Kansas
Peter W. Marsh, 1965

DELTA OMEGA

Ripon College
James B. Kohnen, 1964

EPSILON DELTA

Youngstown State University
Ronald J. Sovik, 1969

EPSILON MU

Eastern Michigan University
Dennis Headapohl, 1968

EPSILON XI

Clarion University of Pennsylvania
William R. Quinn, Jr., 1983

EPSILON PI

Northern Illinois University
Bill K. Bryan, 1962
Joseph R. Clark, 1963

EPSILON TAU

Stephen F. Austin State Univ.
Timothy C. Hayward, 1985

EPSILON PHI

University of Central Missouri
Wayne M. Soph, 1968

ZETA BETA

Adrian College
Max R. Balden, 1967

ETA GAMMA

Morehead State University
Keith G. Stewart, 1972

Robert C. Boyer

Robert C. Boyer, (Alpha Gamma/Michigan 1936) passed into the Chapter Eternal on Nov. 3, 2012.

Brother Boyer served on the Fraternity’s National Board of Trustees (now the Norwich Housing Corporation) from 1957–1967. He served as President of the NBT for five years, 1962–1967. In recognition of his service, Brother Boyer was awarded the Fraternity’s highest honor, the Distinguished Service Award. His Award was numbered #81 and was presented at the 106th Anniversary Convention in Seattle on September 8, 1962.

Former Traveling Secretary J.C. Byrd remembered Boyer as “cordial” and that he was “a stickler for things being right on NBT loan applications.” Byrd recalled that Boyer was a well respected member of the NBT and that he enjoyed his time on the board.

A music student, he attended the University of Michigan, and then the University of Michigan Law School, graduating in 1939. In 1941, he joined the U.S. Army and served as an artillery officer during World War II. He retired in 1951 with the rank of captain.

Brother Boyer was an attorney and partner with the Seely, Boyer Gilleo, and Simon Law Firm. He was also a member of the Detroit Athletic Club since 1962 and the Hills Presbyterian Church, where he was a deacon and an elder.

BETA NU

Case Western Reserve University
Roy J. Flury, 1960

BETA SIGMA

Lehigh University
Dexter F. Baker, 1950

BETA TAU

Univ. of Southern California
Christopher Padilla, 1982

BETA UPSILON

Fresno State University
Duane T. Daily, 1964

GAMMA ALPHA

University of Tennessee-Chattanooga
Marvin J. Moseley, Jr., 1950

GAMMA ZETA

Oklahoma State University
Charles D. Berry, 1958
Charles F. Townsley, 1950
William C. Spearman, 1956
Jimmy D. Spencer, 1956

GAMMA THETA

San Diego State University
Gustav Gundersen, 1949
John C. Owen, 1956

GAMMA MU

Bowling Green State University
John J. Bistay, 1963

GAMMA XI

San Jose State University
Brayton C. Hahn, II, 1954

GAMMA RHO

Florida State University
Ronald G. Fraser, 1960

GAMMA SIGMA

Duke University
Richard E. Hug, 1956

GAMMA TAU

Drake University
Gregory L. Field, 1985
Ralph A. Petersen, 1952

GAMMA UPSILON

Bradley University
Thomas G. Bake, 1953
Richard E. Chisholm, 1952
Frank B. Rainey, Jr., 1953

DELTA GAMMA

West Virginia Wesleyan
Michael N. Tate, 1990

DELTA ETA

Colorado State University
William F. Horst, 1952
Richard D. Vaughn, 1969

DELTA EPSILON

University of Miami
C. J. Carpenter, 1956

DELTA OMICRON

Gettysburg College
Laurence W. Cornell, 1973

DELTA RHO

North Carolina State University
Robert W. Slocum, Jr., 1973

Gene Weston Brockmeyer

Gene W. Brockmeyer, (Alpha Sigma/Oregon 1966), entered the Chapter Eternal on February 28, 2013.

Brother Brockmeyer served on Theta Chi’s National Board of Trustees (now the Norwich Housing Corporation) from 1980–1985. He held the positions of Counselor and Secretary on the NBT. He also served as a member of Alpha Sigma’s Alumni Association board of directors.

Brockmeyer attended Oregon and played center for the basketball team and studied architecture. As an alumnus, he was an avid Ducks fan and actively remained in touch with his chapter brothers from Alpha Sigma. He also served on the board of directors for the University of Oregon Alumni Association as well as on Portland’s board for Habitat for Humanity.

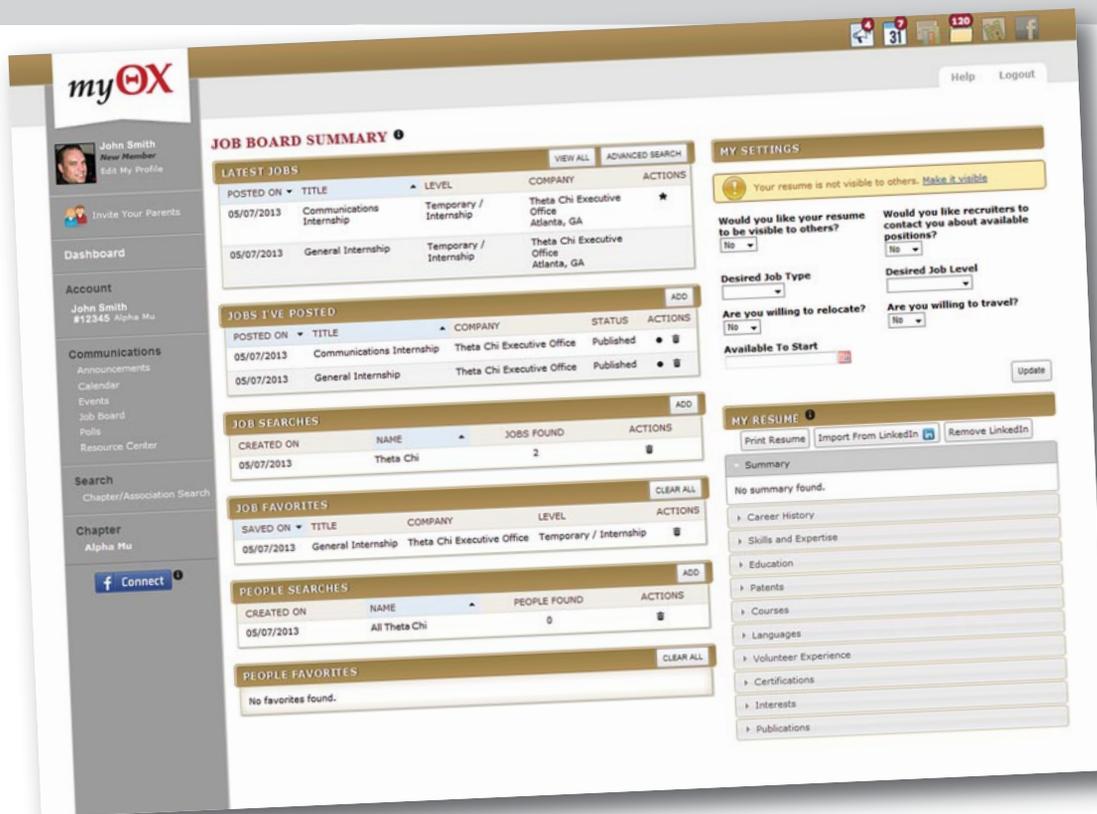
He began his architectural career in Eugene, OR and after 20 years, moved to Portland to work for the FFA and Waterleaf firms. He was president of the Southwest Oregon Chapter of the American Institute of Architects and president of the Architectural Foundation of Oregon.

Former Field Representative and current Alpha Sigma Alumni President Tom Smith said, “This is a great loss for the Fraternity and we send Gene to the Chapter Eternal with our prayers and thoughts. ... He was always my rock. He will be missed greatly, his shoes cannot be filled. We are hangin’ his jersey and #43 up and will always remember his great legacy to Theta Chi and the University of Oregon.”

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