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A LETTER FROM OUR PRESIDENT



This issue of *The Shield* highlights many examples of Phi Psi leaders – the ones whose leadership has become visible to many around them. But leadership certainly is not limited to these, nor only to those who hold elected offices in their chapter. As it turns out, any member – every member – can be a leader in the right circumstances. We must be prepared for those instances when our leadership can make a difference, and Phi Kappa Psi provides many opportunities for our members to develop their leadership skills.

Leadership manifests itself in many, often unexpected, ways. It can be as simple as speaking up on an issue in your chapter meeting rather than sitting silently, letting something with which you disagree go unopposed. Likewise, it can be private and personal – speaking quietly with a brother to encourage (or discourage) him in a particular course of action or behavior.

We lead by example in our own life choices: having good study habits; declining to go partying when other demands on your time have priority; just going to class on time every time; paying your chapter bills and never having your name on the treasurer's past-due list; all these can set expectations for those who notice your choices.

Good leaders don't have to promote themselves; simply carrying through on your commitments to your brothers and your chapter will have significant impact. That is the essence of good leadership.

If you become known as a leader, you will be in a better position to help your chapter move toward excellence, and that is what we really want in Phi Kappa Psi – for every chapter to embody the guiding principles of our brotherhood: Personal Integrity, Academic Excellence, and Dignity and Respect for the Well-Being of Others, i.e.: Gentlemen.

Few of us will ever be known as great leaders, with our names on monuments or written up in history books, but all of us can be good leaders, and that is how I would like to be known, and what I ask each of you to be.

Fraternally,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "J. Tryon Hubbard ...".

J. Tryon Hubbard
Alabama '64
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The beginning of every school year is special, but for Phi Kappa Psi, knowing that our chapters are back at full strength to be leaders in the community is a powerful motivator to carry our Fraternity forward. While we recruit only the best, those who exemplify our legacy of service and excellence, we are our best in groups.

The power of our chapters to make a difference ripples from coast to coast. Will you join the wave?

In our continuing partnership with the Boys & Girls Clubs of America, the National Fraternity is committed to strengthening the impact our local chapters have with their adopted Boys & Girls Clubs.

Last spring, our men at Alabama (Alabama Alpha) witnessed, first hand, the loss and suffering of the widespread tornado outbreak in April. They rallied to

help their local club, the Boys & Girls Clubs of West Alabama. Thankfully, insurance money helped to rebuild a destroyed facility, but the work to improve the student experience continues. The next step: property upgrades. This is where Phi Kappa Psi steps in. Chapters around the country are helping by hosting events to raise money to help their brothers in Alabama with this project. Individuals are encouraged to give too! For all updates and information, visit www.phikappapsi.com/Today/BoysandGirlsClub

Each year, we will “adopt” a local club, in conjunction with a local chapter, to help from a national standpoint. It’s what we do as members of an organization founded on the values of service, values that continue to be on display by Phi Psis around the world....

NABIL DHARSI USP '09

Wanting to do something more than the usual on summer vacation, Brother Dharsi spent the summer of 2011 volunteering in Africa. Both of Nabil's parents were born in Tanzania, but migrated to America and Canada in 1981 and 1975, respectively. He wanted to use this opportunity to find himself, but more importantly adhere to the motto, “The Great Joy of Serving Others.”

Over the course of three weeks, Nabil spent time at an orphanage, in the rural town of Morogoro and a Masai School, just outside of Arusha. There, he gave of his time and talents to help teach the children.

“I’d wake up every morning, and I’d ask them what they wanted to learn,” he said. “I’d speak slowly, but



they still couldn't understand. So I had an older student translate my English into Swahili."

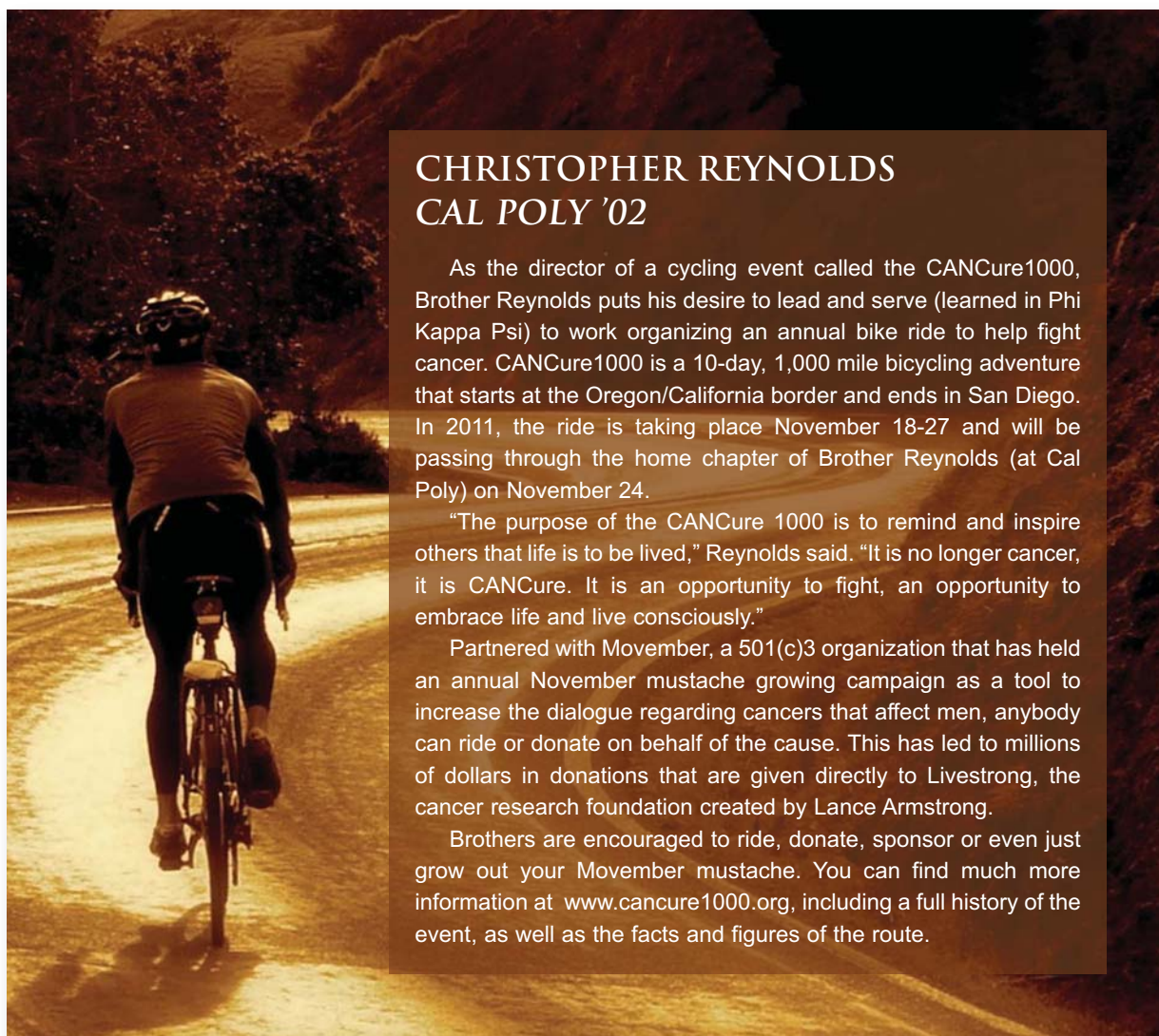
With the power only available during the day, all light was from a kerosene lantern at night. In Arusha, there was no running water. Instead, the gentleman who ran the school had to transport gallons of water daily, because creating pipes was too costly for the government.

"All-in-all it was a humbling experience," he said. "Being at these schools and seeing how the kids were

taught made me appreciate growing up here. It made me appreciate the little things, like water, electricity, and a defined curriculum."

The subjects Brother Dharsi taught ranged from basic English to what he classified as, "ninth grade math." He said his time overseas was a little bit of a culture shock, but it was something he's defiantly glad that he did, and without doubt would do it again.

If you're interested in doing something similar more information can be found www.canadafrica.org.



CHRISTOPHER REYNOLDS CAL POLY '02

As the director of a cycling event called the CANCure1000, Brother Reynolds puts his desire to lead and serve (learned in Phi Kappa Psi) to work organizing an annual bike ride to help fight cancer. CANCure1000 is a 10-day, 1,000 mile bicycling adventure that starts at the Oregon/California border and ends in San Diego. In 2011, the ride is taking place November 18-27 and will be passing through the home chapter of Brother Reynolds (at Cal Poly) on November 24.

"The purpose of the CANCure 1000 is to remind and inspire others that life is to be lived," Reynolds said. "It is no longer cancer, it is CANCure. It is an opportunity to fight, an opportunity to embrace life and live consciously."

Partnered with Movember, a 501(c)3 organization that has held an annual November mustache growing campaign as a tool to increase the dialogue regarding cancers that affect men, anybody can ride or donate on behalf of the cause. This has led to millions of dollars in donations that are given directly to Livestrong, the cancer research foundation created by Lance Armstrong.

Brothers are encouraged to ride, donate, sponsor or even just grow out your Movember mustache. You can find much more information at www.cancure1000.org, including a full history of the event, as well as the facts and figures of the route.

Do you have a story of service? How does "The Great Joy of Serving Others" fit in your life? Share your story here by emailing Shield@phikappapsi.com



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At an important moment in your life, you took an oath to the *great joy of serving others*. That membership got you the lifelong advantages of brotherhood. Below is a listing of some benefits we've arranged to give you more for being a member of Phi Kappa Psi:

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THE LEADERSHIP ISSUE

Does Phi Kappa Psi make you a great leader? Not simply by association. But, Phi Psi attracts men who desire to be leaders and provides an environment for them to shine and grow. This issue of *The Shield* is dedicated to highlighting those characteristics of leadership that Phi Kappa Psi nurtures and the men who have taken advantage of their own skills and the lessons of the Fraternity.



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DO YOUR LETTERS MAKE YOU A LEADER?

UNDERSTANDING YOUR PURPOSE IN GREEKDOM

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On college campuses across the country, Greeks have been shining examples of achievement, service, friendship, scholarship, dedication, excellence, leadership, and success. Each organization was founded on common principles like education, self-improvement, and service. Advocates, role models, community liaisons, campus leaders, artists, scholars, mentors, athletes, life-changers, and world leaders often experienced their first bite of organized leadership through membership in a fraternity or sorority.

“WHAT MAKES ME A LEADER?”

Everyone has the ability to become a positive leader. However, there is a driving force behind your thinking that can either push you forward into a position of influence, or leave you in a stagnant place. So, as members of Greek-letter organizations, we all have the unique opportunity to influence others. The moment you decide to move forward with this purpose, abundant leadership opportunities await you in your chapter, on campus, and in your community. As such, leadership can be demonstrated in various roles. You may not lead your entire chapter as president, but maybe you chair the fundraising committee. You may not take charge of recruitment and membership, but you arrange for speakers to come in for a lecture series. Whatever your role may be within your chapter, realize that it is an opportunity. It is an opportunity for you to unleash and sharpen your personal leadership skills.

There is leadership potential that dwells in each and every one of us. It lies dormant until we step out from the ordinary and release it. If you do not tap into that potential, if you do not get involved in chapter activities for those skills to show, how will you know it is there? How will you begin to understand your purpose in your chapter? But more importantly, how will you really make a difference? Let us relate identifying our personal leadership to baking our favorite homemade desert.

Like establishing our personal leadership, there are essential ingredients that the baker must include in order to make it come out just right. If even one ingredient is missing, it could compromise the totality of the dish. Consequently, the following are some key ingredients that will help you discover your purpose and make your personal leadership skills effective in your organization.

Vision

One of the first speeches I ever gave was entitled, “Motivators Need Motivation.” Its premise was that even those who inspire us need inspiration from some thing or someone. Pastors of churches with thousands of members seek occasional guidance from senior pastors. Well-educated professionals like attorneys and doctors seek on-going training, and of

course leaders need some sort of leadership from more seasoned professionals. Why do these people do this? They all have something in common; vision.

Vision leads the leader. Visionaries have their sights set on something higher than where they are. Their vision allows them to see past where they are to a better possibility of accomplishment and success. They live in the present, but see up the road as they plan for the future. When your creative imagination allows you to paint a mental picture of that future plan - to actually see it - this is the art of visualization.

We all have it, but what we chose to use it for can truly move you into a place of leadership. For example, having a vision that your fraternity will have the best recruitment season ever can motivate you to work hard at ensuring that happens. Sharing a vision of a new fundraising activity with the executive board that your group can carry out can be powerful. Maybe you see your chapter's Greek Week activities more successful than last year's, which can be what inspires you to chair the activities committee.

Higher-Level Thinking

Leaders are forward thinkers. Real leaders are constantly seeking more knowledge. As a leader, your thinking must be set apart from the masses. So many talented students hold membership in Greek-letter organizations, but do not know what to do with it. How many really maximize their membership? How many take advantage of the information you can gain and the people you can meet from such an experience? It all starts with your thinking. In order to teach, you have to learn. In order to lead, you have to be a follower; a follower of knowledge.

Because of their mindset, leaders do not stand in front of a crowd; they stand out in a crowd. Your higher





level of thinking allows you to listen to the value of other people's opinions, but not conform to them. It allows you to make a sound decision that is best for you and your chapter.

Service

Fraternity social events are a lot of fun, but there is much more to being Greek than "getting your party on." Across the board, service to others is a guiding principle on which all of these organizations were founded. It is not a punishment, but

actually, it is a reward. Shirley Chisholm said, "Service is the rent you pay while you are here on Earth." Many sororities and fraternities "pay their rent" by implementing programs are very beneficial to the community in which their university is located.

In all, whether it is food or clothing drives, voter registration, or tutoring children, servant leadership is a major part of what Greeks do. Leaders embrace service to their campus, community, nation, and the world, so do your part in making sure that your chapter's community service endeavors leave a positive lasting impression for years to come.

Self-Confidence

An effective leader is someone people have confidence in because they have confidence in themselves. This is not to be confused with haughtiness or conceit.

Confidence is not based on superficial factors like good looks, popularity, fancy clothes, or a nice car. Self-confidence develops on a variety of levels. For instance, when you are secure within yourself and

certain about your abilities, you carry yourself as such. When you are proactive and prepared for an assignment, you feel strong and in charge. When you are late or unprepared, your self-esteem suffers with feelings of inadequacy or doubt.

Always remember that people are attracted to others who show self-confidence and believe in themselves. Being sure of your talents, skills, and capabilities, and where you are going in the future speak highly of an individual and reflect how good you feel about you!

Legacy

Dr. Myles Monroe said "Simply put, a leader is one who leads others into leadership." This is what I call your "leadership legacy." When you have graduated, moved on, and your chapter continues to thrive and be a positive group at your university, that is when you will know that your leadership skills were truly effective. Leaders empower those that they lead. They inspire them to reach their full potential, they equip them with the skills, and they empower them to go after it.

Sometimes it takes someone else's belief in you to really help you believe in yourself. Believe in your fraternity brothers. Make them feel valued and important. While your involvement in your organization may not last forever, the legacy that you leave will. In basic terms, that is what leaders do.



Editor's Note

We at *The Shield* would like to thank our friends at AFLV and Tish Norman for their contributions to this issue. While the above is just a portion of a wonderful article written to inspire young members to take advantage of the built-in leadership opportunities Greek life has to offer, it is important for all of our members to recognize what Phi Kappa Psi provides all of us. The leaders that are highlighted in this issue wouldn't be where they are if it weren't for the lessons learned at key moments in their lives. For many, Phi Kappa Psi was incredibly present in that moment. We are proud of the members we initiate and prepare for the world beyond college. We believe in our ability to impact the world in a positive way, and the traits described above are enhanced by the Phi Psi experience.



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Brother^{to} Brother*

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THERE WAS A PRESIDENTIAL CHANGE AT CREIGHTON UNIVERSITY THIS SUMMER, BUT A PHI PSI IS STILL IN CHARGE

By Will Haskett *Butler '00*



John Schlegel, 23rd president of Creighton University

While the official inauguration for Timothy R. Lannon *Creighton '70* as the 24th president of Creighton University took place on Friday, September 30, 2011, the business of running the Midwest's top-ranked institution really began at the start of August. With much less fanfare over the summer, a passing of the torch took place between two great friends. For while Lannon was coming in, heading out was John P. Schlegel *Creighton '79*. Two men linked by a love of education, the priesthood and the community of Creighton, and also by Phi Kappa Psi....

FROM ONE...

When asked, it would seem that the audience and setting properly bestows the correct title upon John Schlegel. To his students, he is Father. To contemporaries in the field of education, he is Doctor (PhD in international relations from Oxford in 1977), and to his close friends from Phi Psi, he is Brother. No matter the title, it is evident in any conversation that the man was born to teach, to guide and to lead.

To say that Brother Schlegel is an involved leader would be an understatement. He is truly driven by his experiences and a great respect for public service. After a brief stint in student services at Creighton following his graduation from St. Louis University in 1969, he spent a few years in Europe, furthering his

studies. He returned to the U.S. as a member of the faculty at Creighton in 1976, three years after being ordained, and took up residence as a chaplain advisor in one of the school's dormitories. Never shy from responsibility, he also became moderator of the Interfraternity Council (IFC). Forging great relationships with a few members of Phi Kappa Psi, the chapter urged him to become their advisor, a volunteer position that requires membership.

"As I was looking at all of the Greek organizations on campus, it was certainly the most solid," Schlegel recalled. "The quality of membership was quite high. I felt it was a pretty good fit for my own values and the type of brotherhood I look for."

Schlegel would leave the campus in 1982 after rising to become the assistant academic vice president. With higher profile stops at Rockhurst College, Marquette University and John Carroll University, he would eventually lead the University of San Francisco from 1991-2000 as its 26th president.

When Creighton came calling again at the beginning of a new millennium, the opportunity was too good to pass up. Now, over a decade later, the impact on the Omaha campus is more than noticeable. Adding over 40 acres and \$200 million worth of new construction, Schlegel positioned the university to be a tremendous community resource moving forward,



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something he remarked about in his open farewell to the Creighton family:

I am proud that 24th and California Streets is a destination campus, a model for University-civic relations, and a partner in the renaissance of downtown Omaha. Within this physical space exists a flourishing academic enterprise, representative of the national demographic, where students, faculty and staff alike thrive and enjoy a national reputation for teaching, research and health care.

Beyond the building of a bigger and more robust campus (with an enrollment of less than 8,000 students, Creighton is home to nine separate colleges and a hospital), the vision of Father Schlegel was to improve the quality of life of the student. While he recognizes his stamp will likely be identified as that of a builder, the growth of the student experience and the 250-percent increase in minority representation in the student body are lasting impacts he takes with him.

"Creighton has given me a reason to get out of bed in the morning," Schlegel remarked. "I am passionate about the place. It really gives me a focus to where I can apply my energies and creativity."

There is no slowing John Schlegel down. He readily admits to his abundant energy and desire to do more, but there came a time (two decades of leading a Jesuit institution) when it was just right to focus on the next challenge.

"The driving force [to walk away] is the shifting tectonic plates, which is the whole economy of higher education," he said. "It has to be looked at with some fresh eyes and fresh ideas."

...TO ANOTHER

Timothy Lannon never envisioned himself as a priest, much less the president of a major institution, growing up a Midwestern kid, son of a Creighton football player and medical school alumnus. But, there was something about the institution he loved so much that changed him forever.

"The thought of being a priest crossed my mind, but I didn't think I was holy enough," said Lannon, who envisioned a similar medical school path as his father, complete with the normal home life of wife and children. "I was very impressed with the Jesuits of Creighton. They were really terrific men who were also priests. Well educated, articulate, but also very engaging and down to earth."

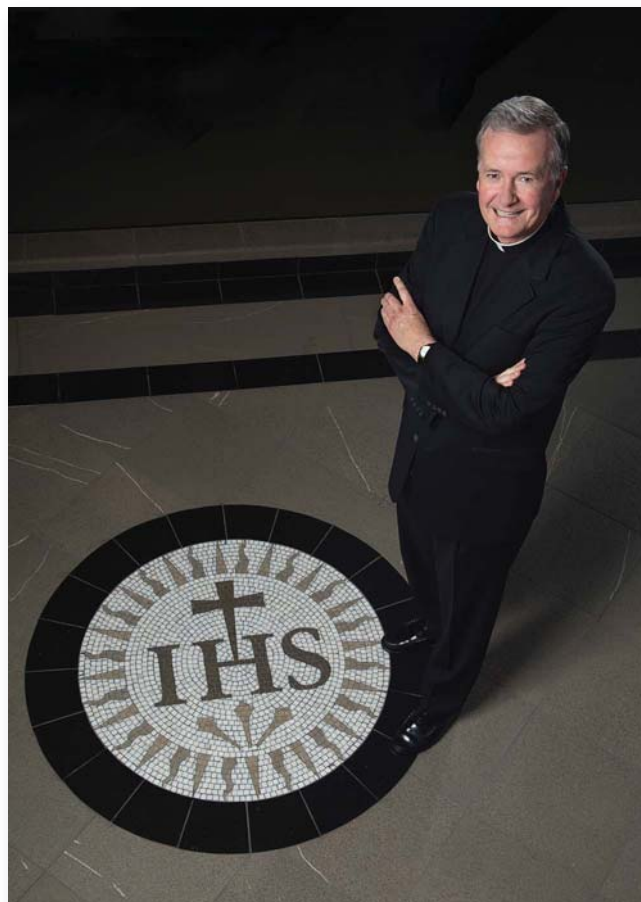


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Timothy Lannon, 24th president of Creighton University

He credits the world experiences that Creighton provided him as a middle-class kid, opening his eyes to the entire world and the change a person could make to help those who were less fortunate. The growth Creighton gave him as a person would lead him to the priesthood (ordained in 1986) and stops at Jesuit high schools, Marquette University and, most recently, as the 26th president of Saint Joseph's University in Philadelphia.

But Creighton was where his journey started and a place of great fondness. With a brother who is also an alumnus, Lannon regrets his father not being alive to see him inaugurated, but recognizes the importance of him coming back to lead his alma mater. In the university's 133 years of existence, 23 men have led the school prior to Lannon, and none were alumni.

"When I was elected, I checked with people here to make sure that was the case," he recalls. "That is something that means a lot to me. What it adds to my time here is an even greater passion and love for the place because of what it has done for me."



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Identifying Creighton as a “unique institution,” the student experience is what has always impressed Lannon, beginning with his arrival on campus as a freshman a little over 40 years ago

It wasn't just the college experience, but the fraternal experience that had an impact on the life of Creighton's 24th president. While Schlegel was being impressed by the caliber of Phi Kappa Psi members he was advising as resident assistants (RAs) in the 1970's, Lannon had been recruited by them to join just a few years after the chapter was installed.

“For me, the Phi Psis were the right fit,” Lannon said. “It really helped me mature in my leadership abilities.”

Lannon is not alone in utilizing the opportunities of Phi Kappa Psi to advance a career in leadership. With terms as both recording secretary and chapter president, it provided the first real leadership tests for a man who would later lead thousands of students and oversee millions of dollars in development and building projects.

“It is a privilege to be the president of a chapter but it's also a challenge,” Lannon said. “You've got all of your buddies there and you're trying to make decisions and get a sense of direction.”

Many of those same buddies were some of the first to welcome Brother Lannon back to Omaha this past summer, something he was quick to note would be a lasting memory. With friends in the alumni community and a strong sense of loyalty to his alma mater, he now

sets out on carrying the university forward after the well-documented successes of Schlegel.

“I will build upon what John has done,” Lannon stated with great strength and admiration. “He has positioned this university in a very stellar way. My hope is when I leave, that I have done the same.”

AN UNCOMMON BOND

Both men are very comfortable with identifying their relationship as having a father-son dynamic. Schlegel was a young Jesuit (Mr. Schlegel, as Lannon recalls) working at Creighton the year that Lannon arrived on campus. Elected as the freshman class president, Lannon sought the advice of a young man willing to help. That initial interaction would lead to a great friendship and tremendous mentoring relationship.

“He was really influential in my early years here at Creighton,” Lannon remembers of his first interactions with Schlegel. “And then through the years, we've always had opportunities to chat about leadership issues.”

With both serving as the heads of Jesuit universities since 2003, the opportunity for them to collaborate and learn from each other, while improving the business of higher education, strengthened a great relationship.

"We have common direction and a common sense of purpose," Schlegel said. "And, at a deeper level, Phi Kappa Psi combines all of that as an extension to our connection as Jesuit brothers."

Both will readily admit that while their respect and admiration for each other is great, their leadership skills are different. While Lannon is more of the extrovert, Schlegel is a bit more reserved with his outward approach. It is what makes the transition even more special for both men, the university trustees and the Creighton family as a whole.

"As the institution changes or evolves, there is a need for a particular leadership style," Lannon said.

With the fresh eyes and fresh ideas now in office, does Number 23 have any advice for Number 24?

"Probably none," Schlegel said with a chuckle. "I said to him, 'Be your own person. Go with your gut instincts. Follow your own drummer. Don't try to do what I did, because I didn't try to do what my predecessor did.' I hope he fulfills his deepest desires and aspirations and he finds that reason to jump out of bed every morning like I did."

Sounds like a proud father, in every sense of the word.

A LEGACY CONTINUED

History will forever connect the two men by the institution they led, but their commitment to Phi Kappa Psi is something that will forever be understated. Brother Schlegel served two terms as the national chaplain of the Fraternity, in addition to being coordinator of faculty advisors. Brother Lannon served as a supervisory committee member to his own chapter when the situation called for more alumni involvement. To both men, the value of Phi Psi in a complex world of higher education was more than evident.

"Relationships are built from a variety of timber," Schlegel said. "The brothers have been truly loyal and faithful to the institution and their own religious dimension. That sense of professionalism and loyalty is what makes the Phi Psi experience special."

"I am so committed to building partnerships and relationships," Lannon said. "I had so much fun with Phi Kappa Psi and those relationships have a lasting impact."

A lasting impact both men will have as leaders of Creighton University.



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A proud alumnus, Timothy Lannon (left) takes over the leadership of his alma mater from good friend John Schlegel (right)

Phi Kappa Psi does more than provide leadership opportunities, it builds leaders. Our best members recognize that the Fraternity is a launching point. What they learn within their own chapter carries over into the next phase of their lives. It is leveraged for something bigger; something greater. It is why Phi Kappa Psi men are leaders in college and beyond....



Evan Englander Oneonta '09 – President, Oneonta Student Association

Brother Englander served a term as his chapter's corresponding secretary shortly after being initiated into Phi Kappa Psi. But his leadership within his chapter was just the beginning of how he wanted to have an impact on campus....

How has Phi Kappa Psi helped him with being a leader?

"Phi Kappa Psi has been THE reason I got involved. I was already an over-achiever before Phi Psi, but I never would have been involved with the Student Association if it hadn't been a tradition of New York Kappa. I give Phi Kappa Psi all the credit for my involvement on campus."

How does he apply the values of Phi Kappa Psi to his position?

"The values of Phi Kappa Psi carry over into everything that I do. Period. However, in the world of the Student Association, I would have to say that strengthening character and integrity are the main factors, as well as striving for excellence. Without these things, it would be nearly impossible to lead any organization."

So, what makes a good leader?

"In my mind, a Phi Psi that lives by The Creed is a good leader. Simply being honorable, courteous and cultured is a great way to start becoming a leader."



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Bob Dudley Illinois '74 – CEO, BP

When the BP oil well in the Gulf of Mexico began leaking millions of gallons of oil into the sea in 2010, it was a catastrophic moment not just for the ecosystem of that area, but for one of the largest companies in the world. The immediate response and action from the company was not met with the greatest public regard, costing then-CEO Tony Hayward his position.

Enter Brother Bob Dudley. A man who had spent most of his professional life in the oil business, he earned international respect for his diplomatic handling of BP's oil interests in Russia. But in the summer of 2010, with a PR nightmare boiling in the gulf, Dudley was given the reins of the company, and quickly turned the crisis around.

"Many people believed then that BP was finished," Dudley told a gathering at the Barclays Capital Energy Conference on September 6th of this year. "But we have faced up to the challenges, that would test any company of any size, and we have made real and measurable progress."

That progress included restoring the financial status of the company after the fallout from the disaster, diversifying the company's oil interests and increasing the safety and risk management of the company.

Leveraging the interpersonal experiences that made him such an attractive leader, he oversaw the transition from the Gulf of Mexico response to that of a total recovery effort.

"We understand the imperative for urgency as we consolidate our recovery and define our forward path," he added in that September speech. "I am determined we will undertake this fundamental task and implement it rigorously."



Joe Chen Rowan '11 – Senate Chair, Rowan Student Government Association

Brother Chen wasted no time in getting involved, both with Phi Kappa Psi and his school. Initiated just last spring, he has already earned the trust of his chapter brothers to be elected recording secretary of New Jersey Epsilon. But, he didn't stop there. As a leader of the student senate, and with a seat at the university senate table, it is his responsibility to get others involved and make sure the students have a voice in decisions by the university.

What has he learned about leadership from his positions outside Phi Psi?

"Being a leader in these other positions, I have definitely learned that every little bit of effort counts. Simple acts like listening, checking up on the different clubs and people, and giving small gestures of appreciation can really make a difference. I've noticed how even a short email of "I'll see what I can do!" to concerned students can put them at ease and show that you are there for them. The best part of it, though, is actually seeing the relieved faces/emails."

How are his leadership experiences preparing him for life beyond college?

"I truly believe that the proverb, 'It takes a whole village to raise a child,' is true also in the workplace where the village is the group of people and the child is the goal. I hope that whatever I get into after graduating college, I will be able to work with others to not only make myself better but also the others and the organization I am in."

So, what makes a good leader?

"Woodrow Wilson once said, 'I not only use all the brains that I have, but all that I can borrow.' In my mind, a good leader is one that has ideas, but a great leader is one that can also trust in others. Brother Wilson says it perfectly. A great leader is able to use their own attributes but also effectively use the thoughts and ideas of others to create even better idea. Leaders can not do everything themselves, and they shouldn't. Leadership is knowing when to lead and when to follow."



Mark Reuss Vanderbilt '83 – President, GM North America

Brother Reuss knows everything there is to know about leadership and General Motors. His father, Lloyd, was president of GM from 1990-1992 and spent 35 years with the company. Mark Reuss is creating a similar legacy, having worked for the company in almost every imaginable way since 1983, including the creation of the new GM Performance Division in 2001.

But it was his call to lead the North American division in 2009, shortly after the company emerged from bankruptcy protection in the summer of that year, that showcased the leadership qualities of Reuss. Charged with trimming costs, increasing efficiency and recruiting the American consumer back to the brand, it was no easy task. Familiar models of cars and full divisions were cut, jobs trimmed and dealerships closed. Now, two years later, a commitment to a different type of company has the GM brand growing in North America again.

"GM has moved beyond a stage of simply surviving and is now clearly focused on thriving with a lineup that's stronger in more segments than it has ever been," Reuss said during the August announcement of two new luxury cars in the company's Cadillac division.

His company experience has created a dynamic leader for the new GM in North America. That connection to the company and to the business is evident in how he promotes where his company is going. He also has no problem walking the walk, as a certified industry pool test driver on the North Course of the famed Nürburgring motorsport racetrack in Nürburg, Germany, and has earned his license for Grand American Road Racing. He is a leader who can help inspire innovation.

"There was a time when people looked to GM to innovate, to lead, to come up with new ideas for future transportation," he said during remarks at a conference on Mackinac Island in June of this year. He would go on to paint the picture of what GM will be moving forward.

"You set the tone for the future of transportation in all the cities of the world. Again. You determine what works and what doesn't, and provide it. Again. You lead. Again."



FROM NEAR-BANKRUPT \$136 MILLION

How lessons from college helped two Phi Psi brothers turn their start-up

By Reggie Aggarwal Virginia '88, Founder and CEO of Cvent

It's funny how one handshake can change your life. I met Chuck Ghoorah Duke '88, now co-founder and executive vice president of Cvent, by chance at an Indian-American Bar Association happy hour in the summer of 1994. Back then, we were both attorneys working long hours at Washington, D.C. law firms. There was an instant bond when we discovered that we were both Phi Psis; a feeling of commonality and trust elevated him in my mind. As we talked, it turned out we had a lot in common: we were both of Indian origin, had attended southern schools for both college and law school, served on the executive board of student body organizations, and planned events for Phi Psi and our universities. We kept in touch after that happy hour, and five years later I called Chuck with a proposition: quit our jobs as lawyers to start an event management software company.

Chuck and I were thoroughly familiar with how difficult running events could be, due to our past experience planning them—mine at The University of Virginia with Phi Psi and as student body vice president, and Chuck's during his time at Duke University with the Fraternity and as three-time class president. Keep in mind, these were the days before email. Marketing events meant running around campus posting flyers, hoping people would see them and attend your event. We knew there had to be a better way.

Enter the founding of our

company, Cvent. Unbeknownst to us then, Cvent would become the world's largest event management technology company, and would receive a \$136 million investment in 2011—which the Wall Street Journal called the biggest US software funding deal since 2007. Today, Cvent has 850 employees with over 90,000 users in 40 countries. But the road to success certainly wasn't easy.

To many, the notion of quitting our stable legal jobs may seem a little crazy, but we were all in. We both poured our life savings into the company and took enormous pay cuts. I was 30 years old, living at home, maxing out credit cards and borrowing money from my parents to fund our dream. I like to joke that I was the Indian George Costanza.

We got the company off to a great start, quickly raising \$17 million in outside capital. We grew from six to 125 employees, and *Forbes*, *The Washington Post*, and *USA Today* were writing articles about how we were going to transform the event industry. We were feeling good. Then, the dot-com bubble burst, September 11th happened and reality hit. We had to cut 80 percent of our staff and found ourselves teetering on the edge of bankruptcy. Companies similar to ours were going under left and right and, for years, sleep was hard to come by. Cvent was being written off by customers, partners and journalists as a probable failure. For three years, we were the walking dead.

In 2003, we turned the corner of profitability and saw the first glimmer of hope. We were able to pull through those hard times thanks in no small part to our experience with Phi Psi, which laid the foundation for the businessmen we are today.

For one, fraternities teach you teamwork. Sure, you share the commonality of brotherhood, but everyone comes from a different background and has their own story. You have to learn to work together as a



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cohesive unit or nothing will be accomplished. This is no different in the world of business.

Fraternities also offer leadership. Through the leadership skills we honed in Phi Psi, and with the backing of our brothers, Chuck and I were both able to secure student government positions in college. These roles set us down a path of leadership and instilled in us the importance of rallying support for our ideas, securing buy-in for new initiatives and embracing the responsibility that comes with being a leader.

Additionally, through fraternity recruitment you learn how to recruit for and build a great institution. At Cvent, we believe that the DNA of our company is in our people. Our experiences with Phi Psi not only taught us people skills of our own, but also the importance of finding those characteristics in candidates—in fact, we often find ourselves hiring recruitment chairs from fraternal organizations. Additionally, when we interview for new hires at Cvent, we look for the qualities of an **intrapreneur**: someone who has an entrepreneurial spirit but wants to put their ideas to work in an established, secure environment. We don't think it's any coincidence that a large percentage of our employees were involved in Greek life.

And, although nothing can prepare you for the trials and tribulations of being an entrepreneur, our experiences with Phi Psi showed us the ups and downs of running a business. The weekly chapter meetings taught us organizational skills, how to participate in and run a professional meeting, and how to work together to come to a decision; the collection of dues taught us about finances and bookkeeping; the fundraising activities taught us community relations; and the socials, apart from being fun (let's face it—no fraternity can match a Phi Psi social), taught us networking skills.

But in the end, perhaps the most rewarding lesson of them all is that, through good times and bad, you

must stand up for what you believe in. There have been several times that Chuck and I could have given up on Cvent; but instead we've lived by the old Chinese adage: *if you fall down seven times, get up eight*. And during our hard times, our brothers stood by us—many of them as Cvent clients. In fact, Chuck's little brother in the Fraternity, Harry Weller Duke '89, is a general partner at New Enterprise Associates, one of the private equity firms that led our most recent investment round of \$136 million. First and foremost, Harry invested in great business, but also had a higher level of trust that comes from 22 years of brotherhood.

It was, after all, the lessons we learned from Phi Kappa Psi during our formative college years that have undoubtedly shaped the way Chuck and I approach entrepreneurship and that empowered us to build Cvent from a startup into the world's largest event management technology company. And although we may not know where we'll be 20 years from now, one thing is certain: we'll be Phi Psis for life.



Chuck Ghoorah (left) and Reggie Aggarwal (right)

THEY SAY THAT A HOUSE DOESN'T MAKE A HOME. IN PHI KAPPA PSI, A HOUSE DOESN'T MAKE A CHAPTER, BUT IT CERTAINLY CAN BE A TREMENDOUS ASSET. THE LEADERS OF OUR LOCAL HOUSE CORPORATIONS BEAR A TREMENDOUS AMOUNT OF RESPONSIBILITY WHEN IT COMES TO PROVIDING SAFE, COMPETITIVE AND ATTRACTIVE HOUSING FOR OUR CHAPTERS AROUND THE COUNTRY. IN ORDER FOR US TO SUSTAIN OUR SUCCESS IN THE FUTURE, WE MUST RELY ON THE LEADERSHIP OF OUR LOCAL ALUMNI TO PROVIDE THE LITERAL FOUNDATIONS OF THE PHI KAPPA PSI HOME, LIKE THESE GROUPS IN 2011....



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BUILDING LEADERSHIP OREGON BETA: TURNING TRAGEDY INTO TRIUMPH

By John Scanlon *Oregon State '79*

A violent explosion rocks the neighborhood. Pieces of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity at Oregon State are found blocks away. Similarly, members are dispersed amidst university housing, orphaned from their home and deeply concerned over their uncertain future. No one is physically hurt in the blast, but the pain and damage lingers for years. The sad hulk of our house sits pathetically for over two years slowly decaying behind a chain-link fence until it is finally torn down.

Fraternities have disappeared from campus for much less. It would have been easy to give our house a nostalgic good-bye and for decades of brothers to be left with just their memories. But since when have Phi Psis done the easy thing?

To make things even more challenging, Oregon Beta needed significant alumni participation (and cash) coming out of the worst economic environment since the Great Depression. We had insurance proceeds to get the process started, but in order to attract lenders to finance the construction, energizing our alumni base was imperative.

Step one was engaging OmegaFi, a consulting firm focused on managing fraternity operations and capital campaigns. After traveling the nation interviewing a sample of alumni, they pegged our potential funding raising target at \$800,000. *Excuse me? Did you say \$800,000?* We have less than 600 living alumni and may I remind you Oregon State is primarily an agriculture/forestry/veterinary/oceanography school? Not necessarily the prime ingredients for a lofty fundraising goal.

Oh, and one more thing the consultants told us – you're going to get 100 percent of your donations from 15-18 percent of your alumni. *Say what?!* So let me get this straight: we're going to raise \$800,000 from about 100 alumni as the economy pulls out of a major recession to rebuild a completely destroyed fraternity on a campus that has not seen a new Greek house since the Kennedy administration. Do I have that right? Ok, well a guy can dream.

The \$800,000 goal was received by alumni with, well, everything between shocked disbelief and outright laughter, but we collectively decided to at least give it the good ol' college try. Go Beavers!

We often hear about how Phi Psi creates a lifetime

of brotherhood. But many do not have the opportunity to see it put into action. Sure, groups get together for annual events like Founders Day, gather for tailgates, and see each other for major life celebrations. Our challenge was to bridge generational and geographical chasms to bring together brothers to achieve a common goal. We are joined by a shared bond in the Fraternity but yet separated through life experiences and varying social values. The big question was whether this diverse group would rally around the idea of keeping Phi Psi at Oregon State.

Well, we got the answer. We met our \$800,000 goal but it wasn't with 15-18 percent of alumni, it was 31 percent!

"Our official fundraising ran for just over a year - 380 days to be exact," stated Campaign Chairman Jim Phillips *Oregon State '57*. "Over that time, donations poured in, on average, at a rate of \$2,100 per day, every day."

"When we started this process three years ago after the explosion, I wasn't sure what direction we would go in," said House Corporation President Clint Stubbs *Oregon State '93*. "We took a giant leap asking our alumni to support this ambitious project, but my faith in Phi Psi and Oregon Beta will never ever be questioned again."

Seven decades, spanning 64 years of Oregon Beta initiates, living in 23 states, contributed to the campaign. Contributions came largely from the 1950-70's groups as many acknowledged that some unknown past brothers built a house for them to live in and now it was their turn to do the same. Donations also came from brothers who never lived in the old house, including fellow Phi Psis from nine other chapters.

Many gathered in Corvallis on October 1, 2011 to dedicate our new house. It was a tremendous event for not only touring the beautiful new property, but standing among brothers who share a belief that our years at the corner of 13th & Jackson were extremely important to us. Living in our fraternity house with our brothers shaped who we are today and many alumni believe future generations should have the same opportunity. The new house and our enduring chapter reminded us all that what you can dream, you can achieve!



WELCOME HOME, PENNSYLVANIA ETA

For more than two decades, our chapter at Franklin & Marshall welcomed new brothers to the chapter that only knew of the house at 560 West James Street as the Murray Arts House. Named after Paul G. Murray *F&M* '13, the house had not been home to Phi Kappa Psi since 1984. Determined alumni and a growing chapter changed all of that in 2011, with the blessing of the college. Construction improved the property over the summer, the brothers moved back in the fall, and the ribbon was officially cut to bring Phi Kappa Psi back to its rightful home on Homecoming, Saturday, September 24, 2011.

A NEW ERA AT NEBRASKA

With the oldest Greek property on the Nebraska campus, the time for Nebraska Alpha to update their facility was past due. But a vision-driven group of alumni volunteers, starting in 2007, devoted countless hours to a myriad of details, including securing architectural plans, working with both the university and Fraternity officials to complete project-related details, and guiding the undergraduate chapter.

Commitments from Nebraska Alpha members now total more than \$1.5 million thanks to leadership gifts from many alumni and a successful \$250,000 challenge from an anonymous donor.

Gutted, rebuilt and prepared to meet the needs of Phi Psi men for the next 50 years, the state-of-the-art facility was officially unveiled to the Phi Psi family on Saturday, October 8, 2011.

House Corporation President Tom Henrion *Nebraska* '62 attributes some of their fundraising success to the involvement of professional fundraisers at Pennington & Company, as well as to a group of undergraduate men who have shown respect for the chapter facility.

"Having the undergraduate men make a financial commitment and having shown appreciation to alumni goes a long way, too," he said.



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A VISION REALIZED AT OHIO STATE

Our men at Ohio Delta, thanks largely to a powerful and impressive alumni tradition, have long been the envy of fraternities when it comes to property. Owners of two structures, including an honors lodge adjacent to their main house, the last few years have been dedicated to improving the chapter house.

The leadership of the alumni base, aided by the services of Pennington & Company, helped to raise over \$3 million towards improvements to the chapter house. Those improvements were celebrated with the official ribbon cutting on Saturday, October 29, 2011.

To help expedite the construction process, a \$100,000 loan from the Canonsburg Corporation was secured to make sure the vision of an improved facility was realized. The national housing entity for Phi Kappa Psi, Canonsburg currently has nine loans out to different house corporations around the country, totaling more than \$750,000 in housing aid and support.



ALUMNI ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTERS

The pulse and life of our organization rests in the undergraduate chapters around the country. Without those active members, Phi Kappa Psi would not be what it is today. But, beyond the borders of the undergraduate Phi Psi experience is a life-long commitment to the ideals of our Fraternity. Within that commitment is the great benefit of brotherhood and the ability to connect with like-minded members. Our alumni associations are the active continuation of the Phi Kappa Psi experience. They provide networking, friendship and undergraduate guidance (not to mention an enjoyable event from time to time!).

Get involved with your local alumni association and take on a leadership role within Phi Kappa Psi, or simply get reconnected with the Fraternity.



ARKANSAS AA

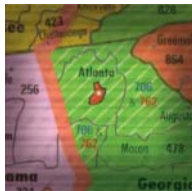
Contact: Glenn Lockeby at glenn@lockeby.com

Join Brothers at: Founders Day (Saturday, February 18, 2012 - Time TBD)

More details: "Day at the Races" at Oaklawn Park in Hot Springs, Arkansas

Catch up routinely at: Monthly Lunch (2nd Friday of every month at 11:30)

Association Update: The Arkansas Alumni Association had a great turnout at our "Day at the Races" on April 2, 2011 at Oaklawn Park racetrack in Hot Springs, Arkansas. We made plans to return to the track prior to our 2012 Founders Day celebration on February 18, 2012, followed by our Founders Day celebration to be held at a Hot Springs location yet to be decided. Our association continues to hold our monthly luncheons on the second Friday of every month at various locations in Little Rock.



ATLANTA AA

Contact: Flynn Brantley at flynn151@aol.com

Catch up routinely at: Monthly Luncheon (2nd Friday at 11:54 a.m. at the Brickery on Roswell Rd.)

Association Update: On occasion, every alumni association needs to reevaluate its efforts in keeping the members informed about events and activities within the organization. With the election of officers last February, the "new" board of officers set the goals for more events and increased membership. In August, we held our first annual cookout at Stone Mountain with moderate success, and this will become an annual event for us. We also have an early start on Founders Day planning, with a date (2/25/2012) and speaker (Bruce "Beast" Tavares *Rhode Island '74*) already set. With assistance from HQ staff and plenty of grunt work of our own, we continue to expand our membership, maintaining the diversity of chapters and years of initiation that have been trademarks of the Atlanta group since the late 1950s. If you don't hear from us, feel free to contact us for details. Nothing compares to enjoying Phi Psi as a life-long experience. We hope to see you at a monthly lunch and/or our Founders Day banquet where the food is great, but the fellowship is even better.



BIRMINGHAM AA

Contact: John Stakes at jfs11647@bellsouth.net



BOSTON AA

(www.phipsiboston.org)

Contact: Michael Corcoran at mlcorcoran@gmail.com

Association Update: On behalf of the Boston Alumni Association I would like to thank our outgoing treasurer, Andrew Lutomirski (Stanford), and outgoing secretary, Jason Hoellwarth (Case Western), for their efforts and contributions to the success and growth of our Association. We are grateful for their efforts and contributions, and we wish them all the best in their future pursuits. Please visit our website for details on upcoming events, and contact association president Michael Corcoran to join our e-mail list.



CENTRAL IOWA AA

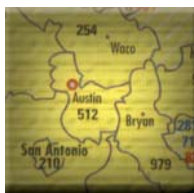
Contact: Elliott Smith at esmith@iowabusinesscouncil.org

Join Brothers at: Holiday Toddy Gathering (December 14, 2011 from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.)

More details: At Star Bar in Des Moines

Association Update: Greetings from America's Heartland! It's been a busy summer for the Central Iowa PKP Alumni Association. Brother Jay Casini graciously arranged for his law firm to host over 20 brothers in its sky box on a beautiful evening in July when the Chicago Cubs

AAA affiliate, the Iowa Cubs, handed it to another opponent on the diamond. The first day of autumn was witness to the 5th Annual CIPKPAA Golf Outing, when brothers once again showcased their skill at knocking down flag sticks and cold beverages on Des Moines' challenging Waveland Golf Course. And our annual Holiday Toddy Gathering in mid-December will be the usual capper to another great year for Phi Psis here in Central Iowa. Best to all!



CENTRAL TEXAS AA

(www.centexhipsi.com)

Contact: Dan Ouellette at hobbssr@hotmail.com

Join Brothers at: Christmas Dinner (TBD - Mid December)

More details: Check the website for more details

Catch up routinely at: Association Meetings (2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month at 7:00 p.m. at the The Lion & Rose Pub (842 NW Loop 410, San Antonio, Texas 78216))

Association Update: On April 16, 2011, CenTex hosted an Alumni Golf Tournament to raise money for undergraduate scholarships. The event was sponsored by many local businesses who provided food, beverages, and monetary donations. The event was a huge success and raised nearly \$2,000 for the scholarship fund. We hope to make this an annual event with an increased number of players each year. Some 50+ golfers and guests attended. In July, the Alumni Float was held and sponsored by CenTex. Jason Steifer hosted the event with an outstanding turnout of undergraduates and alumni. Everyone enjoyed the brotherhood but most of all the cool water of the San Marcos River! The Central Texas Alumni Association is really looking forward to hosting the 2012 GAC to be held in San Antonio, Texas at the Grand Hyatt Hotel, July 11 - 15, 2012. Alan Kramer (Beloit '96) is our local chair of this event via the National Headquarters. If you would like more information feel free to visit the website or dial 877-506-5205 or contact the National Headquarters.



CENTRAL VIRGINIA AA

Contact: Jack Speed at jspeedjr@msn.com

Association Update: Though the alumni association did not gather for the summer, we did have a spring evening at the bowling alley with the VCU Colony. The fancy shoes were a big hit for everyone, followed closely by the brightly colored bowling balls! Several of the colony brothers really showed their bowling skills while most of us kept things in the gutter. It is our hope that we can have a similar event this fall. Our VCU Colony is back in school despite

earthquakes, floods, and a hurricane that have recently occurred in the Central Virginia area. They continue to impress all of the alumni with their schedules and studies. The alumni association will again have our traditional Founders Day (2012) in February. Details will be posted in the next edition of the Shield. We would like to encourage all alumni to join us and the colony, rekindle your inner flame and be a member for life.



CHARLOTTE AA

Contact: Matt Cameron at charlottephikappapsi@gmail.com

Join Brothers at: Holiday Party (TBD)

More details: Email the association for more details

Catch up routinely at: Monthly Happy Hour (1st Tuesday of each month at Selwyn Pub (2801 Selwyn Ave.; Charlotte, NC 28209))

Association Update: The Charlotte AA has created an email address to help get info out to alumni in the Charlotte area about events, etc. If you have not been contacted, please email charlottephikappapsi@gmail.com to be added to the distribution list. We look forward to seeing everyone at our upcoming events!





CHICAGO AA ★

(www.phipsichicago.org)

Contact: John York at yorkjohnr@gmail.com

Join Brothers at: Holiday Party (Sunday, December 17, 2011)

More details: For all brothers and their dates

Catch up routinely at: Phi Kappa Psi Golf Classic (2012 - June 17th at Village Green Course in Woodridge)

Association Update: The Chicago Alumni Association has had a great year so far. We've put together an incredible recruiting effort and we've seen membership almost double since 2010! Despite the rain, our annual summer barbeque was a success and a great time had by all. Our association sent a representative to this year's Woodrow Wilson Leadership School, and we started an informal sponsorship-partnership with Mike McGrath (Illinois Delta) in support of his famous PKP Golf Classic. We registered four foursomes at the event this year and are looking forward to next year's event and hope to send even more brothers to show off their skills (or lack thereof). We hope to see some new faces at our upcoming Holiday / Date party on December 17th, more details to come. Amici



COLUMBUS AA ★

Contact: Mitch Grant at mitch.grant@lfg.com

Join Brothers at: Founders Day (Sunday, February 18, 2012)

More details: Banquet and social hour. Details still coming

Association Update: The Columbus Alumni Association has enjoyed an exciting year in anticipation of the fall reopening of the Ohio Delta Chapter House at 124 E. 14th Ave. in Columbus following the success of the \$3 million campaign for Ohio Delta. Woodrow

Wilson Leadership School was hosted by Ohio State this past June and the Ohio Delta Chapter hosted many out-of-state brothers. Ohio Delta raised \$5,000 for the Boys & Girls Clubs with the inaugural Phi Psi Open tennis championship. Brothers in our newly initiated chapters at Capital and Ohio University report strong pledge classes and academic standing. Ohio Delta launched a new website thanks to the generosity of Brother Pat Doyle www.phikappapsi.info.



EAST TENNESSEE AA ★

Contact: Dusty Henderson at dustinwhenderson@gmail.com



GARDEN STATE AA ★

Contact: Robert Martin at robert.t.martin@wellsfargoadvisors.com

Join Brothers at: Rutgers Colony (New Jersey Gamma) Re-chartering (Sunday, January 21, 2012)

Association Update: We would like to thank all of the brothers who attended our annual golf outing at Gambler Ridge this past August. We had 20 guys tee off and besides the late afternoon hurricane like storm and power outage, the day was a huge success. We look forward to increasing our attendance each year moving forward. On January 21st, the GSAA will be participating in the re-chartering ceremony at Rutgers University. We are currently in the process of organizing our annual Founders Day event to coincide with this weekend. More details will follow in the coming weeks.



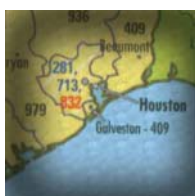
GREAT LAKES STATE AA

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GREATER ORANGE COUNTY AA

Contact: Matt Shaw at mattjshaw@yahoo.com



HOUSTON AA ★

(houstonphipsis@yahoogroups.com)

Contact: Chuck Brandman at brandman@pdq.net

Join Brothers at: Monthly Lunch (2nd Thursday of the month at 11:30 a.m.)

More details: Ragin Cajun Restaurant Crawfish Room

Catch up routinely at: Monthly After Work Gathering (4th Thursday of each month at varying locations)

Association Update: The Houston Alumni Association is making plans for next year and we want you to be a part of it. We're continuing to recruit alumni volunteers to work with the Houston Baptist University chapter and the University of Houston colony, let us know if you'd like to get involved. We're also entering the second year of the mentoring program with the HBU chapter and could use a few alumni interested in being a mentor. Also, we'd like to announce that this past spring's inaugural Undergraduate Leadership Workshop was such a great success that we will be bringing it back for 2012. The one day workshop will be on Saturday, February 4th and is open to all undergrads in Texas and the surrounding states. Alumni volunteers are welcome as well. We will also be announcing the date and location of the Houston area Founders Day celebration soon, watch the yahoo group for details. Lastly, we are accepting membership dues and are working on setting up a paypal option. We appreciate your support of our activities and programs. We've had a strong 2011 and are looking forward to an even more active 2012, we hope you will be a part of it!



INDIANAPOLIS AA ★

(www.pkpindyaa.org)

Contact: Tom Pennington at pkpindyaa@mac.com

Join Brothers at: Colts vs. Ravens Viewing Party (Sunday, December 11, 2011 at Noon)

More details: Join local alumni and friends to cheer on the Colts in the McMahan Saloon of Laurel Hall, as they take on the Baltimore Ravens.

Catch up routinely at: Monthly Luncheon (1st Wednesday of each month at Noon, at Zest!

Restaurant (1134 East 54th Street))

Association Update: We had a successful summer bourbon tasting event with Peter Pogue *DePauw '65* of Pogue Masters Select, and followed with a September viewing of the Colts and Texas - both in McMahan Saloon at Laurel Hall. Our 2012 Founders Day is scheduled for Sunday, February 19th, also at Laurel Hall. Get more information, as it's available, at our website



KANSAS CITY AA

Contact: John Gillis at john@johnngillis-law.com

Catch up routinely at: Weekly Lunch (Every Wednesday at Noon at First Watch Restaurant (7305 W. 95th St.; Overland Park, Kansas))

Association Update: Start making plans now to attend the Founders Day celebration in February 2012. It will mark not only the 160th anniversary of the founding of our Fraternity, but also the 125th anniversary year (1887) of the founding of the Kansas City Alumni Association

of Phi Kappa Psi. Plans are in the works to make this a memorable event. Look for more information in the mail after the first of the year.



LANCASTER COUNTY AA

Contact: Haytham Zohny at zohny.haytham@gmail.com

Join Brothers at: Founders Day (TBD)

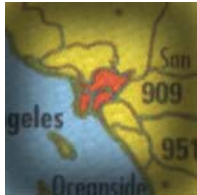
More details: Celebrating the founding of the Fraternity and reminding ourselves of the meaning of brotherhood and the values of Phi Kappa Psi.

Association Update: The LCAA had a very exciting summer. The Penn. Eta Chapter moved



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in to the chapter's original home located on 560 West James Street. To welcome the chapter back home, the LCAA hosted a summer BBQ and assisted with move in. We hosted an official ribbon cutting ceremony, which drew over 100 brothers. In addition, we proudly hosted The Executive Council. We are off to an exciting start, and we are looking forward to engaging alumni, hosting events at the house and holding quarterly alumni events. We will maintain our engagement with the undergraduate brothers, advising them on recruiting and leadership. In addition, we seek to continue mentoring undergraduate students and demonstrate that brotherhood continues after graduation. We look forward to seeing many brothers during our Founders Day event. Stay tuned for additional event details.



LOS ANGELES AA

Contact: John Ciccarelli at jcicarelli@aol.com

Join Brothers at: Holiday Luncheon (Friday, December 2, 2011 at 11:30 a.m.)

More details: Taix French Restraunt in Downtown Los Angeles (1911 Sunset Blvd, Los Angeles, 90026)

Association Update: The LAAA would like to invite all local alumni to our annual Holiday Luncheon on Friday, December 2nd. We have had a great year in the Los Angeles area with many new undergraduate chapters opening and growing in size. Alumni are an integral part of maintaining the undergraduate growth and expansion of our beloved Fraternity. Our local alumni have been going on trips, visiting with other families, and have lots of stories to share at our luncheon. Please come be a part of our tradition. Whether this is your first time joining us or you have been a regular, we are anxious to meet you and hear how your life has been going and share some good old Phi Psi stories. We will have an 11:30 a.m. meet and greet, followed by lunch from noon to 1:00 p.m. Brothers are welcome to stay longer and visit. We only have 50 spots available, so please RSVP soon with Brother John Henebry by email at john@pacificinspectionsinc.com or call 310-977-1214. Cost for lunch is \$35 brothers and \$25 for undergraduates. For other LAAA information, please contact our association President, Brother John Ciccarelli.



MID MISSOURI AA

Contact: Ed Brandon at ed.brandon@mancaveworldwide.com



MID-SOUTH AA

Contact: Woody Martin at midsouthalumhipsi@yahoo.com

Join Brothers at: Founders Day (TBD)

More details: Be on the lookout for more details soon

Association Update: We enjoyed ourselves at a Memphis Redbirds game. Thank you to Brother John Branson for donating the use of his company's skybox at Autozone Park. All in attendance had a great time. Please email the alumni association if you have any change in contact information. If you have not received any communication from us, please feel free to drop us a note with your contact information so we can include you in upcoming events. Details for this year's Founders Day event are still being finalized. We will be sure to let everyone know the details when planning has been completed. Mailing address is Woodrow Martin, 4665 Lorece Ave; Memphis, TN 38117



NEW MEXICO AA

Contact: Lewis Bejcek at lbejcek@comcast.net

Join Brothers at: Founders Day (Monday, February 19, 2012)

More details: Location still TBD

Association Update: Please make plans to attend Founders Day 2012. More info to come! Please contact Lewis Bejcek by email or 505-550-4033



NEW YORK CITY AA

(phipsync.googlegroups.com)

Contact: Evan Rakowski at evan.rakowski@gmail.com

Association Update: Greetings from the Big Apple! Five years after its re-founding, the New York City Alumni Association continues to thrive. Twenty-five brothers (both familiar faces and new) gathered from across the city this February for our annual Founders Day brunch at Dos Caminos, in Manhattan's Flatiron district. There was a healthy dose of sangria, huevos rancheros, and less-than-stellar renditions of Amici. We are also excited to welcome a new crop of new graduates who have moved to the city this fall. For updates on gatherings and events, we invite brothers to join the NYCAA email list at phipsync@googlegroups.com. On a sad note, several members of our leadership (including the author) have moved out of the city – we're now looking for new officers, and new volunteers to host a handful of events per year. Contact us (phipsync-officers@googlegroups.com) if you're living in New York and interested in organizing an event or two.



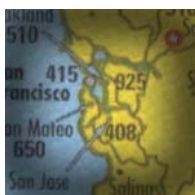
NORTH TEXAS AA ★

(northtexasphipsi.com)

Contact: Andy Kuklish at txephpsi@yahoo.com

Catch up routinely at: Boys & Girls Club of Dallas - 1st thru 5th grade homework assistance (Mon.-Fri. 3:00 - 7:00 p.m. (1 hour of assistance per week needed))

Association Update: Greetings again from the North Texas Alumni Association! It has been an unusually hot summer here (even for us Texans), with most people enjoying their time indoors. The NTAA has spent much of this time planning for our Fall Tailgating Event on the SMU campus in September and communicating with the Boys and Girls Club of Dallas to determine where we can be of the most help. We are striving for more ways to increase alumni participation and give back to the community that has been so good to us. As the year progresses on, we want to host events for just the alumni, but to host events where alumni, their families, and the community can come together as one and enjoy life.



NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AA

Contact: Ken Perscheid at kenperscheid@yahoo.com

Join Brothers at: Big Game Lunch (November 18, 2011, 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.)

More details: Annual gathering at John's Grill in San Francisco before the Cal - Stanford football game. All Phi Psis welcome! A must-attend event!

Association Update: Please join the us at the second-oldest annual Phi Psi event: The Big Game Luncheon. Every year, on the day before the California - Stanford football game, alumni from all chapters gather to celebrate the spirit and rivalry of these these two great institutions. This is a "Brothers Only" event (except for Miss Big Game, of course!). Contact Ken Perscheid for details and to RSVP Telephone: (925) 947-6797.



OKLAHOMA AA ★

Contact: Graham Munn at okalumniassociation@gmail.com

Catch up routinely at: Monthly Happy Hour (Last Tuesday of each month at Coach's in Oklahoma City Bricktown at 6:30 p.m.)

Association Update: The Oklahoma AA was excited to earn Accreditation with Distinction at the beginning of the summer, in our first year since chartering. Over the summer the association has worked to establish itself and grow, as well as assisting the undergraduate members preparing for rush. We are looking forward to gathering at OU football games this fall to meet alumni and actives. We will be holding our 2012 Founders Day event on February 18th. We encourage area brothers to join us either for the monthly happy hour or at the Tulsa luncheon on the fourth Thursday of each month. Email us for details on those events or other inquiries.





PHILADELPHIA AA

Contact: Russell Pocaro at russell.pocaro@gmail.com



PHOENIX AA

(www.phxphikappapsi.com)

Contact: Savin Gatchalian at info@phxphikappapsi.com

Join Brothers at: Holiday Party (TBD)

More details: Check www.meetup.com/phxphikappapsi for updates

Catch up routinely at: Monthly Happy Hour (3rd Thursday of the month at Doc & Eddy's in Tempe, AZ)

Association Update: The Phoenix Alumni Association had a fantastic summer of 2011, which marks our first summer back together, rechartering the association this spring after a brief hiatus. Knowing that Brother Ralph "Dud" Daniel — Mr. Phi Psi — was in poor health at the time we were organizing to reform the association, we sought to plan an inaugural event so that we could honor Dud in person when he recovered, as he was a fixture at Phi Psi events in our state. But fate had other plans for us all... Dud's memorial service in Prescott, Arizona became an opportunity to honor his legacy with a broad representation of Phi Psis from around the country, as well as to meet with Brother Kevin Marks and others to discuss our association's rechartering. It was on this day, January 22nd, 2011, that the first several brothers signed up as charter members. We knew that Dud was with us in spirit and decided immediately that our rechartering event would be in his honor. To this summer... Our Arizona Diamondbacks game outing in July was our largest event since rechartering a few months earlier. 22 brothers, sweethearts and Phi Psi families got together to cheer on the home team and enjoy each other's company in the Miller Light Pavillion. This was rivaled by our Founders Day gathering at Four Peaks Brewery in February, which was attended by 18 brothers. Both L70 events brought together brothers from a wide variety of chapters around the country, and we have an even more exciting year ahead. Please find us on facebook, LinkedIn, Meetup, and of course in person at our monthly happy hour gathering (Third Thursdays at Doc & Eddy's, located at 909 E. Minton, Tempe, AZ). We always have something going on and welcome any additional ideas for activities.



PITTSBURGH AA ★

(www.pittsburghhipsis.com)

Contact: Michael Stafiej at pittsburghhipsis@gmail.com

Join Brothers at: Regional ALA Event (Saturday, November 19th at 8:00 a.m.)

More details: Experience ALA in Pittsburgh! Visit our website for more information and registration!

Catch up routinely at: Monthly Meeting & Dinner (3rd Thursday of every month at Claddagh Irish Pub in the Southside Works)

Association Update: The Pittsburgh AA has had a great year! We've held many successful events, implemented new philanthropy events, and have launched a new website! We had a great turn out at the 2011 Founders Day dinner and we are looking forward to having an even bigger turn out in 2012! We would like to invite all of the alumni in the Pittsburgh Area to sign up for our electronic monthly newsletter by visiting us at www.PittsburghPhiPsis.com. Also, if you have a Facebook account make sure you like our Facebook page: Pittsburgh Alumni Association of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity. All brothers are invited to attend our monthly meetings that are held every third Thursday of the month at Claddagh Irish Pub in the Southside Works at 7:00p.m.! If you have any questions please email pittsburghhipsis@gmail.com!



RHODE ISLAND AA

Contact: Bruce Tavares at tavaresfamily@cox.net



ROCHESTER AREA AA

Contact: Brad Hunter at bhunter190@gmail.com

Join Brothers at: Holiday Party (TBD at time of publishing)

More details: Annual holiday celebration with friends

Association Update: The summer was good for the RAAA, attracting some new members from different chapters that now call the Rochester Area “home.” We executed multiple happy hours, summer BBQs, and attended many of the Rochester summer festivals together. For the first time in RAAA history, we were awarded a certificate of accreditation at WWLS. The fall and winter promise more happy hours, tailgating trips to Buffalo Bills home games, holiday celebrations, and undergraduate interactions.



RUBBER CITY AA

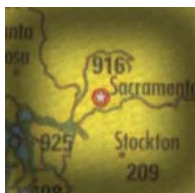
Contact: Tim Lynskey at tskey@mailts.com

Join Brothers at: Founders Day (Saturday, February 18, 2012 at 6:00 p.m.)

More details: Held at the Tangier in Akron

Catch up routinely at: Monthly Lunch (2nd Friday of every month at 11:55 a.m. at Max & Erma's in Fairlawn, Ohio)

Association Update: The Brothers of the Rubber City Alumni Association held our annual golf outing on Saturday, August 6th at Barberton Brookside CC in Norton, Ohio. Despite the weatherman indicating a monsoon of Caddy Shack like proportions it turned out to be a beautiful day and many brothers, sons and friends were able to share old memories and create new ones. The winning team consisted of Mike Murdocco, Steve Horgan, Scott Arbuthnot and Tim Lynskey. Many of us also attended the annual Thomas J. Vukovich Golf Outing on July 16th to help support our former academic advisor's quest to fund scholarships for Order of Omega members at our alma mater the University of Akron. We encourage all local alumni to join us for a monthly luncheon which is held the second Friday of every month at 11:55 a.m. at Max & Erma's in Fairlawn, Ohio. Also please mark your calendars for February 18, 2012 as we prepare for another successful Founders Day.



SACRAMENTO AA

Contact: Travis Nagler at travisnagler@gmail.com

Join Brothers at: Founders Day (Saturday, February 25, 2012)

More details: The annual Sacramento AA Founders Day dinner features alumni from many chapters and undergraduates from California Iota. Phi Psi ladies and other guests are welcome! Location TBA

Association Update: Greetings brothers! Following our packed Founders Day dinner in February, alumni in the Sacramento region have reveled in the mildest summer in recent memory (California has some things to recommend it!). We capped it off with our annual Phi-Psi-B-Q at Brother Rich Naval's ranch near Davis, where brothers and their families enjoyed grilled meat, cold drinks, and wandering animals in the barn and around the pool. We are starting up a new semi-regular Happy Hour at watering holes around the area, so e-mail travisnagler@gmail.com to get on our mailing list and find out more opportunities for networking and brotherhood (and especially if you want to help plan!)



SAINT LOUIS AA

(www.stlcpk.org)

Contact: Joe Freund at freund1552@yahoo.com

Join Brothers at: Christmas Party (TBD)

More details: Our annual holiday diversion!

Association Update: Saint Louis alumni once again demonstrated their collective vim and vigor on the links this summer, this time at Normandie Golf Club, the oldest public course west of the Mississippi River. A good turn out enjoyed the special brand of fraternal fellowship built on athletic triumph. Many thanks to Carlton Blood and the other organizers for another fine event. We wish the undergraduates at Illinois Eta and Missouri Alpha all hope for a fine semester. Please keep in contact for information regarding the Christmas Party.



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SAN DIEGO AA

(<http://www.phipsisdsu.com/sandiegoalumni.htm>)

Contact: Tim Harbage at TimHarbage@gmail.com

Join Brothers at: Founders Day (Saturday, February 18, 2012 at 6:30 p.m.)

More details: Join us for our annual celebration at Tom Ham's Lighthouse! Attire is business casual and all brothers are welcome! (no dates please)

Catch up routinely at: Monthly Alumni Dinner at Gordon Biersch (Last Wednesday of every month at 7:30 p.m.)

Association Update: The summer of 2011 focused on building new membership and hosting more events to get our members together. In August, a new San Diego Alumni Association (SDAA) Board of Directors was elected, bringing in new faces and energy. With the strong support of the previous board members, the SDAA will broaden the engagement of local alumni, integrate our efforts with the Calif. Lambda chapter to ensure a successful year of growth and impact on campus. Current plans include targeted recruitment, homecoming gathering, and an all-new alumni speaker series. If you are in the San Diego area, please attend one of our alumni dinners, held the last Wednesday of every month (7:30 pm) at Gordon Biersch in Mission Valley!



SEATTLE AA ★

Contact: Matthew Donegan-Ryan at mdr1583@gmail.com



SILICON VALLEY AA

(www.phipsisvaa.com)

Contact: Eric Balin-Watkins at ewatkins@gmail.com



SOUTH CENTRAL LOUISIANA AA ★

Contact: Jim Sterling at usljim@aol.com

Catch up routinely at: Alumni Meeting & Dinner (3rd Sunday of every odd month @ 5:00 p.m.)

Association Update: The Louisiana Beta alumni of Phi Kappa Psi, held a Homecoming Reunion, October 15th at the University of Louisiana in Lafayette. Before Homecoming, we tailgated on the grounds around Cajun Field and partied on into the night. Sunday morning we all gathered for a farewell breakfast to visit until the next gathering of Betas. Summer was slow

for SCLAA, with brothers taking vacations throughout the summer, it was decided to resume our regular meeting schedule in September. April did see a spring barbeque at the Brother Tommy Hay's lake house in Lake Arthur, Louisiana. Plenty of good food and drink, Thanks Brother Hays!



SOUTH FLORIDA GULF COAST AA ★

Contact: Bob Greene at g27masten@aol.com

Join Brothers at: Boys & Girls Club Christmas Tree Sale (November 27 - December 23)

More details: A fundraiser to help raise money for our local Boys & Girls Club; call Bob Greene to get involved at 941-524-0253

Catch up routinely at: Founders Day (February 18, 2012 at noon at Firkins & Fox Pub, Bradenton)

Association Update: We look forward to seeing brothers at Founders Day and hope you get involved with our continuing efforts with the local Boys & Girls Club. Check out our picture from the earth box donation back in April.



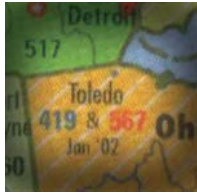
TEXAS SOUTH PLAINS AA ★

(www.texastechphipsi.org)

Contact: Joe Stout at joe.stout@sbcglobal.net

Catch up routinely at: Monthly Luncheons (Lubbock and Dallas) (Lubbock Contact: David Norman at (806) 795-9516. Dallas Contact: Dave Jones at (469) 939-0388)

Association Update: The Texas South Plains Alumni Association had a great summer and enjoyed a wonderful retreat in Cabo San Lucas. We would like to thank Brother Jerry Nelson for his generous hospitality. We are also looking forward to another exciting fall of Texas Tech football and the 2012 Grand Arch Council being hosted in San Antonio on July 11-15. Wreck 'Em Tech!



TOLEDO AA ★

Contact: Larry Zaiser at lzaiser@muzakoftoledo.com

Join Brothers at: Founders Day Dinner (February 24, 2012 at 6:00 p.m.)

More details: Reception, dinner, program, awards, speaker

Catch up routinely at: Sigma Beta Phi Luncheon (3rd Friday of each month at 11:30 a.m.)

Association Update: The Toledo alumni participated in several events during summer break with the University of Toledo offices of Residence Life and Student Life. Policies were framed regarding hazing protocols and procedures for selecting fraternal groups to occupy the Greek Village.



TUCSON AA

Contact: James Gosses at jamesgosses@gmail.com



TWIN CITIES AA ★

(www.mnphipsi.com)

Contact: Jason Baker at JBaker@MNphipsi.com

Association Update: Brothers, we are pleased to announce that the Minnesota Beta Chapter of Phi Kappa Psi will once again host tailgating festivities for all Golden Gopher home football games this year. Thanks to the many generous donations of alumni, the Krueger family will once again provide burgers, brats, chili, and other grill foods for all members, friends, and family in attendance before and after the games. We had a great turnout last year and look forward to having more brothers in attendance. Spread the word and let's keep this tradition running! For information about tailgating events, free parking info at the house, or if anyone wants to get involved with the traditions, feel free to call or e-mail Zak Krueger (krueg288@umn.edu or 612.816.2067)



WASHINGTON, DC AA

Contact: Doug Miller at douglasjmiller@yahoo.com

Association Update: The Washington, D.C. AA, in conjunction with the DC Alpha House Corporation, is proud to assist the DC Alpha Chapter with moving into their new campus townhouse. The chapter is returning to 607G 23rd Street. We are assisting the chapter's move through the support of furniture purchases. Mid-fall we will host a mentoring/career workshop with several area business alumni. This program will directly support PKP National Mentoring Initiative. We always look forward to hearing from new alumni to the DMV (aka District-Maryland-Virginia). If you want to get involved or volunteer contact Doug Miller or Ed Roessler at milesedr@aol.com.





WESTERN CHICAGO AA

Contact: Paul Oblon at consults@ais.net



WESTERN NEW YORK AA ★

Contact: Michael Stratton at mstratton@sovranss.com



WHEAT STATE AA 📷 ★

(www.wheatstatealumni.com)

Contact: John Ziegelmeyer at jjzieg@sunflower.com

Join Brothers at: Founders Day (TBD)

Catch up routinely at: Annual Golf Tournament (Sunday, July 14, 2012)

Association Update: The Alumni Reunion and Golf Tournament was held on July 16, 2011, at Alvarado Public Golf Course. Twenty teams, 81 total players, vied for the Reunion Cup. The tournament was flighted with the top two teams in each flight awarded prizes. The A flight and Reunion Cup winners were Ben Cohen '02, Kevin Will '01, Joe Burke '01, and Chris Roth '01.

Second place in A flight went to Rudi Maki '01, Joey Phillips '01, Andy Kasselmann '01 and Paul Cohen '01. A scorecard playoff determined the winner this year. The B flight winners were Robert Popper '86, Mike Flannagan '86, Bill Lee '66, and Jeff Maher '87. Second place in the B flight went to Steve Kullberg '99, Jay Ferguson '99, Jeff Lozier '99, and John Stephenson '00 also coming down to a scorecard playoff. Following the tournament, a steak dinner was held at the Kansas Alpha Chapter House, followed by a pub crawl to a few of Lawrence's finest watering holes. A great time was had by all. A big thanks to all of the attendees as over \$4,000 was raised to help fund undergraduate scholarships, tutoring, and future get-togethers such like Founders Day events. Mark your calendars for July 14, 2012, for next year's tournament and reunion.



WISCONSIN AA 📷 ★

(www.badgerhipsi.org)

Contact: Ian Thomson at iantpkp@aol.com



With the golf outing and dinner behind them, members of the Wheat State Alumni Association and Kansas Alpha took to the finer establishments of Lawrence, Kansas. Pictured here are Brian Brown '83, Charlie Jenks '83, John Mabry '84 and Steve Shapiro '84.



Members of the colony at Wisconsin (the return of Wisconsin Alpha) pose with Mike McCoy (Indiana '55) at Phi Psi Phriday, a reoccurring event of the Wisconsin AA.



As a part of last spring's National Day of Service, the South Florida Gulf Coast AA donated earth boxes (lower right of picture) to the Boys & Girls Club of Manatee County. Back row pictured left to right are Bob Greene (Buffalo '59), Jack States (Michigan '56) and Ervin Shannon, Agriculture Program Assistant for Manatee County.



Members from the Phoenix Alumni Association gather for a summer baseball game with the Arizona Diamondbacks. Nice seats!



Members of the Texas South Plains Alumni Association take a moment away from their retreat to paradise in Cabo San Lucas to pose for a picture





PHI KAPPA PSI WITH A SEAT ON THE INDIANA UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION BOARD

Rick L. Johnson, Jr. *Indiana '78*, owner, president, and CEO of Johnson Ventures, Inc., has been elected to the Indiana University Foundation Board of Directors. The Foundation board provides leadership for the University's philanthropic efforts. The IU Foundation is a not-for-profit corporation that oversees fundraising for all campuses of the university, provides administrative and development services for donors and for IU, and manages the university's endowment of more than \$1 billion.

"Rick and the rest of the Johnson family are longtime supporters of Indiana University," said Foundation president Gene Tempel. "His business acumen and dedication to our mission will be valuable assets to our Foundation's board."

Johnson created Johnson Ventures jointly with his father, Dick L. Johnson, Sr., who passed away in 2009. Johnson Ventures is a private company that makes long-term investments in successful companies that are leaders in their industries and are located in Indiana and surrounding states.

MARCHESANI CONTINUES TO VOLUNTEER AND LEAD

Bob Marchesani *Butler '94, IUP '79*, who has served the Fraternity in a number of vital volunteer positions, in addition to being the chairman of the NIC Board of Directors, has been elected president of the Board of Trustees of St. Richard's Episcopal School, an Indianapolis independent school for students in pre-school through eighth grade which offers education based on the five pillars of faith, classic curriculum, leadership, civic responsibility and global readiness. Congratulations, Bob!



TEXAS PHI PSI TO HELP LEAD MCJUNKIN RED MAN CORPORATION



Daniel J. Churay *Texas '82* was elected Executive Vice President and General Counsel of McJunkin Red Man Corporation (MRC), assuming office as of August 16, 2011. Before joining MRC, Churay built a strong background in energy and logistics throughout his 20 year career. Most recently, Churay served as the President and CEO at Rex Energy Corporation, an independent oil and gas company based out of Pennsylvania. Before his work with Rex Energy, Churay served as the Executive Vice President and General Counsel at YRC Worldwide, a Fortune 500 transportation and logistics company based in Kansas City.

"I am very pleased to be adding Dan Churay to the executive management team at MRC," Andrew Lane, MRC Chairman, President and CEO said. "He brings a wealth of public, corporate legal experience on a global scale to MRC. He will be a valuable member of my executive team."

Headquartered in Houston, Texas, MRC is the largest global distributor of PVF and related products and services to the energy and industrial sectors, based on sales, and supplies these products and services across each of the upstream, midstream and downstream markets.

FOND THANKS TO A DEDICATED ADVISOR

Written by James Newman (*Alabama '88*)

With Dr. John F. Ramsey's retirement as a faculty member of the University of Alabama, Jay Masingill *Alabama '68* began service as the group's second chapter advisor in the fall of 1977. Dr. Ramsey had served as the mentor of the chapter since its inception in the mid-1960s.

Serving as chapter advisor for a fraternity is not an easy task. Living up to Dr. Ramsey's legacy is more daunting. Jay is quoted in the chapter history video, which debuted at the chapter's 25th Founders Day, "me following Dr. Ramsey as chapter advisor is like Ray Perkins following Coach Bryant as head football coach."

Jay's work began with a group struggling to adjust to a rapidly changing campus environment. The anti-establishment culture on campuses across the nation proved recruiting difficult for the young chapter. The physical house began showing its age while the young alumni base was not in a position to provide solid financial support.

By the end of the 1970s, the chapter shut its doors. Several alumni began the process of rebuilding the chapter. This process involved a restoration of the chapter house and a massive recruiting endeavor. By the late 1980s, the chapter enjoyed membership numbers similar to the highest levels before revitalization. This extraordinary effort was recognized by the National Fraternity. In 1984, Alabama Alpha received the Most Improved Chapter award and in 1990, Jay received Outstanding Chapter Advisor Award for Phi Kappa Psi.

While never on the house corporation's board of directors, Jay played a major role in decision making and participating in the organization's efforts throughout his tenure as chapter advisor. During the 1980s and 1990s, the chapter's house corporation was recognized numerous occasions for its commitment to the chapter, including the Outstanding Achievement Award from the GAC in 1984 and 1994.

In the spring of 1997, Jay announced his retirement as chapter advisor after 20 years of service. Undergraduate brothers presented him with a pledge paddle at the Founders Day celebration. However, just like Michael Jordan and, more recently, Brett Favre, the retirement was not permanent. Soon after the 2003 initiation of a new group of brothers, Jay again volunteered to serve as chapter advisor.

Jay's recognition by chapter brothers goes well beyond the honors given to him by chapter brothers. Jay's reputation as one of Phi Kappa Psi's longest serving and most qualified chapter advisors is well established. At the 1984 meeting of the GAC, Fred Clay *Alabama '67* and Jay received special recognition from the National Fraternity's vice president, George Humphries *Oregon '50*, for their work with Alabama Alpha. It is difficult to quantify the amount of respect this Order of the S.C. member garners among brothers throughout Phi Kappa Psi. Maybe the most appropriate indication of this respect is the willingness of the national leadership to provide resources for the chapter's reorganization not once, but twice in a 25 year period.

While going about his duties as chapter advisor, Jay was quick to deflect praise, recognize accomplishments of others, and acknowledge his mentor, Dr. Ramsey. Two generations of undergraduates never met Dr. Ramsey, but knew Jay well. I was 15-years-old when Dr. Ramsey entered chapter eternal. It would be reckless for me to make comparisons between the two mentors of so many young men. However, I feel comfortable speaking for many undergraduates over the past 30 years in acknowledging a debt of gratitude to Jay for his time and effort in supporting our beloved chapter so well, for so long.



The house that Jay built. Without dedicated alumni like Jay Masingill, Phi Psi wouldn't be standing where they are today



SYRACUSE BROTHER DRIVES AN ECO-BUS FOR AWARENESS

You might not know Boise Thomas *Syracuse* '91 by name, but there's no doubt you've seen him during one of many commercial breaks on your television. He's been featured in ads for Budweiser, Pillsbury, Arby's, McDonald's and Toyota to name a few. But, it has been his recent work as a host of various programs that deal with the Green movement and living a more sustainable life that is his true passion.

During the summer of 2011, Brother Boise (his legal name is Thomas Boise) embarked on a gig unlike any he had ever encountered. To help promote the documentary "The Freedom Film," Boise became the captain of The Freedom Drive, piloting a 40-foot 1988 Blue Bird school bus 15,000 miles, fueled only by American-grown ethanol (E85: 15% Gas/85% Corn Based Fuel). The goal was to not just raise awareness for the film, but also follow its mission to encourage more Americans to grow their own fuel and end Middle

Eastern oil dependence.

"When [the producers] originally approached me about the project, I said 'No,'" Boise recalls. "Then I saw 'The Freedom Film.' I could spend the next four months of my life riding across this great country of ours, waking people up to the possibility of a sustainable future. And that was something I couldn't say 'no' to."

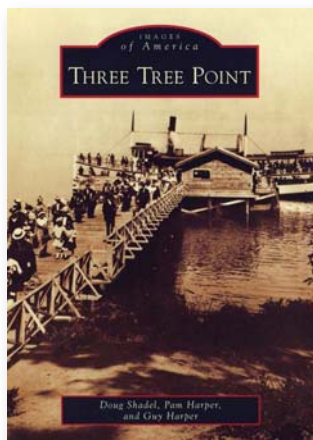
The trip featured every imaginable type of adventure, from weather to mechanical breakdowns, and spanned nearly 50 cities around the country, from Seattle to Baltimore, and Minneapolis to Atlanta. The bus also served as an educational tool, equipped with 19 solar panels and mobile learning lab where interested citizens could learn more.

You can learn more about the documentary or the journey across the country by visiting www.thefreedomfilm.com.



Check out dozens of Phi Psi authors, actors and musicians by shopping for their product through our own associates site on Amazon.com - www.phikappapsi.com/AlumniUpdate/SupportAPhiPsi

BROTHER CONTRIBUTES FAMILY KNOWLEDGE TO BOOK



Guy Harper's *Washington* '51 family has been a resident of Three Tree Point, a unique waterfront community on the eastern shore of Puget Sound, for generations. So, it was only fitting that he contributed intimate knowledge of the history, culture and the lifestyles of the people who have lived there to a recent publishing of the book "Three Tree Point." Its name came from the three massive fir trees that stood on the north side of the point at the beginning of the 20th century. The area remained largely undeveloped until 1903 when the Three Tree Point Company began marketing the community as a place to build summer homes. Seattle's business elite built houses at the point to take advantage of the beach lifestyle for which it has become known over the years. Its history is a diverse mixture of family life, unusual characters, shipwrecks, fishing derbies, water sports and storytelling. Another local resident, Doug Shadel, also assisted in gathering material for the preparation of this book, which can be found on Amazon and other book stores.



Some brothers initiated in the late 1950s at our Wisconsin Gamma Chapter (Beloit College) gathered this past summer for their annual "meeting." Wives were also a big part of the weekend that included golf, great food, good libations and plenty of memories. Pictured left to right are (front row) Bob Anderson '56, Bill Mack '55, host Rich Sheriff '57, Dave Hennicke '56, Skip Davis '57, Bob Scott '56, (back row) Glenn Koch '58, Bob Allan '56 and Doug Davis '59.



NEVER FORGET

On September 11, 2011, our country somberly remembered the tragic events that changed the course of American history a decade ago. We remembered our reaction, our emotions and how our lives were affected. At Phi Kappa Psi, we remembered Douglas M. Cherry *Ohio Wesleyan* '82 and Michael D. McCarthy *Buffalo* '87, our two brothers who lost their lives in the twin towers that day.

The remembrances also provided a celebration of service. Not only did we unite in recognizing the service of our military, police and fire personnel, but we joined in the service of helping our country. Countless brothers participated and helped organize ceremonies to reflect on September 11th. This included our men at TCNJ (New Jersey Delta), who rallied more than 1,000 people on their campus, raising more than \$2,200 for the families of the victims of 9/11.

Alabama Alpha - University of Alabama

Ronald D. Edwards '67

California Beta - Stanford University

William Perelli-Minetti '31

James V. Dooley M.D. '46

California Gamma -**University of California, Berkeley**

Donald C. Stafford '42

Keith E. Roberts '43

California Delta -**University of Southern California**

Robert E. Gordon '37

Robert D. Hansen '58

Jon Kerry Swedlund '78

California Epsilon -**University of California, Los Angeles**

William R. Cowell '35

Robert H. Goodell '66

Scott W. Green '52

California Zeta -**University of California, Santa Barbara**

Delman W. Smith '64

California Theta -**California State University, Northridge**

David Howard Mann '80

Colorado Alpha - University of Colorado

Don F. Tobin '35

Jack L. Wander '50

Illinois Alpha - Northwestern University

William H. Cuthbertson '44

James S. Erkert '49

Illinois Beta - University of Chicago

Ricard Meana '43

**Illinois Delta - University of Illinois,
Urbana-Champaign**

Richard P. Molt '37

Franklin J. Sekera '50

Timothy James Walters '79

Indiana Alpha - DePauw University

Thomas A. Johnson '55

Indiana Beta - Indiana University

Nobel P. Barr '45

William B. Collings '44

Richard M. Davis '39

Robert O. Denny '38

Harry E. Gates '46

John Marsh Goff '50

Richard D. Ishida '67

Robert H. Owens '52

Ronald M. Powless '51

James M. Stutesman '52

Fredric A. Wright '55

Indiana Delta - Purdue University

George E. Alexander '37

David F. Evans '56

Jerome F. Falta '49

Rolf N. Irgens '43

Robert J. Lessman '46

James J. Miller '70

James M. Moss '43

Maurice R. Petit '45

John M. Warner '61

David H. Young '51

Indiana Epsilon - Valparaiso University

Stephen W. Ihde '68

Paul R. Manske '57

John N. Reincke '55

Iowa Alpha - University of Iowa

Thomas J. Bice '66

Richard R. Edelen '40

Charles F. Kent '43

Donald C. Middlebrook '56

Jay P. Roberts '61

Max W. Sowers '48

Iowa Beta - Iowa State University

Richard W. Dean '49

John N. Egeland '48

Kansas Alpha - University of Kansas

Bradley Jason Brown '87

Homer C. Jennings '31

Edward J. McKernan III '55

John P. Peters '42

Louisiana Beta -**University of Louisiana at Lafayette**

Paul Stuart Campbell Jr. '89

Myron A. LaBorde '69

Maryland Alpha - Johns Hopkins University

Robert W. Lang '51

**Maryland Beta - The University of Maryland,
Baltimore County**

John Henry Kabosky '90

Michigan Alpha - University of Michigan

Robert R. Radell '56

Minnesota Beta -

University of Minnesota, Twin Cities

John J. Hagan '68

Mississippi Alpha - University of Mississippi

John B. Nelson '51

Arthur C. Rhyne '35

Missouri Alpha -

University of Missouri, Columbia

Donald C. Krechel '48

John C. Lippincott '52

Randall C. Mead '71

John Kevin Signer '78

Missouri Beta - Westminster College

Edward L. Berg '60

John A. Wilson '67

Nebraska Alpha - University of Nebraska

George R. Gratton '53

Robert E. Hamilton '44

New Hampshire Alpha - Dartmouth College

Clinton W. Demmon Jr. '34

New Jersey Alpha - Rider University

Joseph A. Kascik '65

New York Beta - Syracuse University

Donald S. True Jr. '47

New York Gamma - Columbia University

Wayne J. Hallenbeck '42

Edward J. Marine '54

Robert L. Thompson '44

New York Epsilon - Colgate University

James F. Donohue Jr. '50

Charles N. Ludlow '48

Richard R. Taylor '52

New York Eta -

State University of New York at Buffalo

Carl E. Molin Jr. '52

New York Theta -

Rochester Institute of Technology

Brian David Bauer '00

North Carolina Alpha - Duke University

Roger E. Bremer '36

William B. Fleming '48

John C. Taylor '66

Ohio Alpha - Ohio Wesleyan University

Joel E. White Jr. '53

Ohio Beta - Wittenberg University

Steven Michael Diehl '79

Ohio Delta - The Ohio State University

Henry C. Taylor '47

Charles A. Whipple Jr. '47

Ohio Epsilon -

Case Western Reserve University

James S. Kish '56

Richard C. Reinker '47

Larry P. Trout '61

Ohio Zeta - Bowling Green State University

Mark F. Deerwester '58

James L. Gasser '63

Ohio Eta - University of Toledo

Fred J. Holmes '52

Richard E. Surface '50

Oklahoma Alpha - University of Oklahoma

John T. Fishburn '32

Oregon Alpha - University of Oregon

Clifford R. Herrall '47

Henry W. Lewis '33

Pennsylvania Alpha -

Washington & Jefferson College

Michael J. Culyba '65

Roy K. Czambel '49

James W. Hepplewhite III '40

Robert C. Logan '49

Pennsylvania Beta - Allegheny College

James A. Balkey '53

Andrew Scott Bestor '83

George W. McKallip '49

Pennsylvania Gamma - Bucknell University

Ronald S.W. Chew '53

Daniel B. Hooven '57

Robert R. Sterr '48

Eben W. Turnure '41

James M. Wardrop '33

Pennsylvania Epsilon - Gettysburg College

Richard D. Carson '49

Richard D. Epley '46

Pennsylvania Zeta - Dickinson College

Donald C. Master '63

Pennsylvania Eta - Franklin & Marshall College

Davy Babcock '60
Walter R. Boyce '37
Douglas M. Feaster '50
Steve Mucha '50

Pennsylvania Iota - University of Pennsylvania

Raymond J. Regan '41

Pennsylvania Kappa - Swarthmore College

Richard N. Fink '59
Robert M. McCormack M.D. '37
Robert H. Wilson '43

Pennsylvania Lambda - Pennsylvania State University

Thomas R. Hiland '67
Philip L. White '40

Pennsylvania Nu - Indiana University o f Pennsylvania

Oscar Frank Weller '72

Pennsylvania Xi - Edinboro University

James Malcolm Morgan '06

Rhode Island Alpha - Brown University

William Peter Barbeosch '73
James C. Bos '47
William D. Harris '52
Allen F. Rust '43
Theodore Topakian '48

Rhode Island Beta - University of Rhode Island

William Albert Houle '74

Tennessee Delta - Vanderbilt University

William F. Cline '51
John B. Phy '46

Robert L. Sullivan '71
Harry R. Tooker '46
Ewell Vigdorth '47

Texas Alpha - University of Texas

Thomas N. Boothe '43
James H. Daughtry '45
Gerald Fitz-Gerald Jr. '60
Sam Everard Kinch Jr. '59
Jerry F. Lyons '51
Buford G. Slay Jr. '52
John A. Waller Jr. '50

Texas Gamma - Texas State University, San Marcos

Gary M. Ormand '73

Virginia Alpha - University of Virginia

George H. Davis III '60
James J. Durkin Jr. '58
Irle R. Hicks '48
Richard D. Lazenby '39
Charles P. Parrish '57
Henry Taylor Jr. '47
John R. Weatherly '54
T. Evans Wyckoff '43

Virginia Beta - Washington & Lee University

Paul L. Munyon '59

West Virginia Alpha - West Virginia University

Edward A. Brandt '47
Karl Wilson Rex '77
Michael Jeffrey Sullivan '80
Edgar E. Thacker '66

William P. Barbeosch

Rhode Island Alpha '73

William "Bill" (aka Boosh) Peter Barbeosch passed away on Friday, May 13, 2011 at the age of 56. An involved member of the campus media and Phi Kappa Psi, he graduated from Brown University in 1976 and would go on to receive his law degree from Columbia in 1979. After seven years of practice in several New York City firms, he decided to leave law and received a business degree from the Yale School of

Management in 1986. Bill would go on to a successful banking career, including lofty positions with Chase Manhattan, JPMorgan, Citigroup and GenSpring. In 2009, Bill was diagnosed with the very rare adenoid cystic cancer. Through his quiet, determined perseverance, he was able to undergo treatment and beat the cancer into remission, but sadly passed suddenly in May, peacefully at rest at his home. With him was his wife of 24 years, Marta. He is survived by her, his parents, siblings, nieces and nephews.



Andrew S. Bestor
Pennsylvania Beta '83

Pennsylvania Beta lost a beloved brother, Andrew "Yorg" Scott Bestor on June 2, 2011. For those who knew Andrew, his wit, intelligence, and congeniality constantly inspired the brotherhood. He received a B.A. in History in 1985 from Allegheny. During and post college, his working history was, indeed, varied, having served with the Army National Guard; he also worked as a construction consultant for Schal Associates of Chicago and as employee for the Boeing Company of Seattle. But it was his final place of employment, the Library of Congress, that gave him the most joy, for it allowed him the opportunity to indulge his love of history, politics, and current events. He is survived by his mother, four sisters and 13 nieces and nephews.

Bradley J. Brown
Kansas Alpha '87

Bradley J. Brown, passed away on Saturday, July 2, 2011 at the age of 42. Brad was an employee of the Lockton Companies, where he worked as a medical benefits consultant. He had a passion for music, movies, KU sports, and the Chiefs. His family and many friends cherished his wonderful personality and sense of humor, and will dearly miss him. He is survived by his wife Wendy, his parents, Ed and Barbara, and two brothers.



William B. Collings
Indiana Beta '44

William Bion Collings passed away on November 17, 2009. Called into service in the U.S. Army during World War II, he came back to graduate from Indiana University in 1949. Upon graduation, he went to work for S. S. Kresge (now K-Mart) in Ohio and later for E. I. DuPont Company near his hometown. In 1957, he joined Texas Instruments in Dallas and served in many material management positions, including lengthy overseas assignments in Singapore, Philippines, and Portugal. He was a Certified Purchasing Manager and authored many articles for several purchasing magazines, retiring from TI in 1989. He is survived by his wife, Elinor, three children, seven grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren. Two Phi Psi legacies are a part of that family tree as well.

George H. Davis
Virginia Alpha '60

George Hiter Davis III passed away peacefully on Saturday, September 24, 2011 after a long battle with

heart disease. He was 70-years-old. With his legal degree from the University of Tennessee, he practiced law as a defense attorney in Bowling Green, Virginia for 40 years. He was best known for his towering legal mind, keen sense of humor and boundless generosity. His love of fishing, hunting, baseball and poker took him to exotic locations around the world. He is survived by his wife, Jean, two children and one granddaughter.



Richard R. Edelen
Iowa Alpha '40

Richard R. Edelen passed away on July 3, 2011 after an extended illness at the age of 91. A veteran of the U.S. Army Air Corps in World War II, he graduated from the University of Iowa in 1946 before embarking on a long career with General Motors (and later Chrysler) in sales and marketing. Upon retiring to Panama City Beach, he was active in his local church. As brother Frank Taylor *Alabama '64* remarked in his submission of this obituary, he was remembered as the 'ultimate gentleman' during his memorial service, a characteristic of the faithful Phi Kappa Psi brother he was. He was a founding member of the Panama City Alumni Association in 2003. He is survived by his wife of 67 years, Frances, two daughters, four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Richard N. Fink
Pennsylvania Kappa '59

Richard "Dick" Neel Fink passed away on June 15, 2011 after a short battle with lung cancer. He was 71. After starting at Swarthmore, he graduated from Temple University, working for Del Monte Foods, eventually being transferred to the west coast. There, he was recruited by S&W Fine Foods to work in new product development and marketing, traveling the world as a result. He would retire as vice president of marketing, allowing him to focus on his joys of family, friends, golf, art and travel. He is survived by his wife of 49 years, Sandra, three children, five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.



Gerald Fitz-Gerald Jr.
Texas Alpha '60

Gerald Fitz-Gerald Jr. died peacefully at home of natural causes on July 9, 2011, surrounded by family and friends, in Albuquerque, New Mexico, following an

eight-month battle with cancer. An accomplished artist who worked in numerous mediums, primarily watercolor in his early painting periods and most notably monotypes later in his career, Gerald's still-life subjects and Southwestern landscape paintings were hailed as "hauntingly sensual" by *The Albuquerque Journal* circa 2002. Gerald printed with close friends at New Grounds Workshop in Albuquerque and served on various art acquisition committees and in donation capacities for the Albuquerque Museum. Before his recognition for art, he was a trust officer for Albuquerque National Bank for nearly 35 years. He was preceded in death by his wife of 40 years, Dorothy, and is survived by two children and one granddaughter.



Clifford R. Herrall
Oregon Alpha '47

Clifford Richard Herrall passed away on June 12, 2011 at the age of 85. Straight out of high school, Cliff enlisted in the U.S. Navy, serving mostly in the Medical Corps as a dental technician and pharmacist's mate. While at the University of Oregon, he spent his junior year abroad, traveling in Europe with friends. After graduating in 1951, he started what was to be a lifelong career in insurance, including the last 20 years at Raleigh Hills Insurance. He enjoyed dancing, and loved to spend time with the family at Lake Tahoe in the summer. He and his wife always found time to travel the world. The Wonders of the World were their playground. He is survived by his wife, Frances, two daughters and five grandchildren.



Homer C. Jennings
Kansas Alpha '31

A lifelong Hutchinson, Kansas resident, Homer C. Jennings died on July 27, 2011 at the age of 98. After graduating with a business degree from the University of Kansas in 1934, he joined his father in the grain business and continued until 1968. He was first lieutenant in the U.S. Navy from 1943 to 1945. He served as president of numerous community and business organizations, including the Hutchinson Board of Trade, Kiwanis Club, Chamber of Commerce and Prairie Dunes Country Club. Homer had an insatiable appetite for travel and he circled the globe. His trip to Antarctica in the 1970s triggered a fascination with penguins. In addition, he loved golf (kept the ball in the fairway) and KU basketball. He was preceded in death by two wives, Dorothy and Arlene. He is survived by four children, 10 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.



Donald C. Krechel
Missouri Alpha '48

Donald Charles Krechel passed away on Wednesday, August 10, 2011 at the age of 87. After serving in World War II, he enrolled at the University of Missouri and joined the ROTC on campus, later serving in the Korean War. He would serve in the Army Reserves until 1968. Away from the service to his country, he spent 21 years with Cummins Diesel Corporation, retiring as Sales Manager in 1974. He and his wife then operated a traveling carnival, Monarch Shows, for 18 years. A loyal Phi Psi, he served for years on the Missouri Alpha House Corporation, including as president. He is survived by his wife of 63 years, Sally Ann, three daughters and four grandchildren.

Myron A. LaBorde
Louisiana Beta '69

Myron Andrew "Chip" LaBorde passed away on Friday, August 5, 2011. He joined the colony that would later become the Louisiana Beta Chapter, making him a charter member in 1969. He worked for Lamar Outdoor Advertising for 40 years, starting as plant manager and ending as southeast regional manager. Chip will always be remembered as a prankster and fun guy by his chapter brothers. He knew what the word brotherhood meant and always kept in touch with his Phi Psi brothers from college. He is survived by his wife, Ana, two daughters and two grandchildren.



Paul R. Manske
Indiana Epsilon '57

Dr. Paul R. Manske passed away on April 20, 2011 at the age of 72. The former head of orthopedic surgery at Washington University (St. Louis), Dr. Manske was known for his surgical procedure that improved the quality of life for children born without thumbs. His delicate hands would work on the tiniest of fingers, and his ability to keep children calm was a shining characteristic. He perfected the technique of making a thumb from the index finger. A medical officer in the Vietnam War, it was there he decided his future was in orthopedic surgery. He would later work in private practice, performing reconstructive surgery on the hands and fingers of adults suffering from rheumatoid arthritis. His hands were so steady, he made rugs and pillows in his spare time. He is survived by his wife of 35 years, Sandra, and three children.

Donald C. Master

Pennsylvania Zeta '63

Donald Carlton "Dutch" Master passed away suddenly on June 21, 2011 at the age of 67. Well educated, including a doctorate from the University of Oklahoma, Dutch worked for years as a restaurant proprietor in Oklahoma and later in the state of Washington, where he resided from 1987 until his sudden passing. He was an avid sports fan and reader, who loved to entertain. He is survived by his two sisters and their children.

William W. Perelli-Minetti

California Beta '31

William Whitney Perelli-Minetti passed away on January 13, 2009 at the age 98 in the loving care of his wife, children and Hospice of the Central Coast. Raised in the family's wine business in Mexico, they fled to northern California during Pancho Villa's revolution. After graduating from Stanford, he rejoined the family vineyard and wine business, A. Perelli-



Minetti and Sons, helping it grow into a major player in the industry over a period of fifty years. After the business sold, Bill and his wife co-founded Nevada City Winery, and operated their Pinot Noir vineyard in Dundee, Oregon. He also developed the Indian Springs Vineyards, managed Monterey Peninsula Winery and grew grapes in Paso Robles, finally selling his

vineyard at the age of 95. Bill was active in Delano, California politics, serving as councilman and mayor, school board trustee and many civic organizations. He enjoyed horseback riding, trail riding and fly fishing along the streams in the high Sierras. He is survived by his wife, Virge, three brothers, eight children, 17 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.



James M. Stutesman

Indiana Beta '52

James M. Stutesman, passed away on June 30, 2011 in Tampa, Florida at the age of 78. He served Phi Kappa Psi as District IV Archon from 1953 to 1955, graduated from Indiana University and served in the U.S. Army. In 1958, he married his Phi Psi Sweetheart, Donna Dagenhart, and moved to the Quad Cities where he worked for IBM, First Federal Savings

and John Deere before retiring to Florida in 1992. He was a life long fan of Hoosier basketball, auto racing and jazz music. Jim was proud of his Phi Psi heritage and his surviving legacies include sons Brad *Iowa '78*, Doug *Iowa '80* and grandsons Tom *Iowa '07* and Dan *Iowa '10*. Other survivors include wife Donna, brother Frank and grandsons Charlie and Jack.

Robert L. Sullivan

Tennessee Delta '71

Robert Lee "Sully" Sullivan passed away on September 15, 2011 at the age of 59 after a courageous 14 month battle with leukemia. After graduating from Vanderbilt in 1974 and the law school in 1977, He was a partner at Loeb & Loeb LLP, where his practice focused on the various legal needs of the entertainment industry. He represented major recording artists, songwriters, publishing companies and record companies including Johnny Cash and June Carter Cash, The Carter Family, B.B. King, Thompson Square, The Fray, Sean Penn, Peter Frampton, Lynyrd Skynnard, EMI Publishing, John Prine, Waylon Jennings and Jessi Colter. He taught Intellectual Property and Copyright Law at both Nashville School of Law and Belmont University. His first love was playing music in his many bands over the years as a lead singer and rhythm guitarist. He is survived by his wife of 19 years, Catherine.

Philip L. White

Pennsylvania Lambda '40

Dr. Philip Louis White, Sc.D. passed away on June 4th, 2011 at the age of 89. Along with wife, Dr. Hilda Sarver White, whom he married in 1948, he participated in developmental and research work sponsored by Harvard along with the U. S. Agency for International Development and the Peruvian Ministry of Public Health in Peru to study foods available to Peruvians and their health as a result of their dietary habits. After four years in Peru, he returned to Harvard as a post doctorate fellow and lab director of the first U.S. Government health status survey of allied troops in Iran. He wrote a regular column for *Today's Health Magazine* and co-edited the book *Let's Talk about Food*. He contributed to numerous medical text books and journals, and gave many speeches.



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