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# MOVING FORWARD TOGETHER



## BROTHERS:

The Grand Council of the Fraternity and the Educational Trust have formed a partnership with a single purpose - to change lives by improving the Chi Phi experience for our undergraduate and alumni members. After much work by many dedicated volunteers, the leaders of the Fraternity and Educational Trust stand shoulder to shoulder to advance the good work of our Order and improve the lives of the men entrusted to our care.

For that reason we have chosen to jointly write this letter.

Our agendas support a shared vision.

The Trust works with alumni and friends to raise the funds necessary to support worthwhile projects and life-enhancing experiences. The Fraternity subsequently identifies and implements innovative leadership development programs. It also protects our heritage, Ritual and the living and breathing assets that comprise our Chapters across the country.

Since we last wrote to you, we have made great progress. We have witnessed the return of three single-letter Chapters - Tau at Alabama, Kappa at Wisconsin and Psi at Lehigh. Over the next twelve months, we anticipate the return of Rho at Lafayette and Lambda at UC-Berkeley. Working with local alumni and our university partners, we are committed to the return of the many Chi Phi Chapters, though once proud and illustrious, that are now among the ranks of the inactive.

We are also doing our best to advance with the times. A 186-year old organization like ours, though rich in heritage and tradition, often encounters numerous challenges when seeking to modernize. We are certainly not where we need to be, but we're making progress.

For the first time, students can apply for scholarships online. Next year, we'll abandon the printed copy of our New Member Manual and make it available in electronic format only. Both the National Fraternity and Trust are amassing fans on their respective Facebook pages and followers on Twitter. This issue of the Chakett will also be distributed in electronic Flash format for just the second time ever.

Progress. It's coming.

We invite you to see it for yourself. Bring the family to Orlando, Florida this summer and join us at the Watts Gunn Memorial Golf Tournament or the 146th Chi Phi Congress.

If you can't make it to Orlando, check out our website ([www.chiphi.org](http://www.chiphi.org)) and start following us on Facebook ([facebook.com/ChiPhiFraternity](http://facebook.com/ChiPhiFraternity) and [facebook.com/chiphitrust](http://facebook.com/chiphitrust)) and Twitter (@ChiPhiNational and @ChiPhiTrust).

As the article about Watts Gunn demonstrates, Chi Phi impacts men - even in the twilight of their lives. We are fully committed to remaining relevant, providing value and promoting lifelong friendships. We are members for life and as such, we should all be engaged in furthering the welfare and future of our Brotherhood.

Stay tuned. This partnership is making great progress and there is a great deal more to come.

Fraternally,

Dr. Jim Soderquist, Alpha 1967  
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Chairman, Chi Phi Educational Trust



# Hundreds Expected to Converge on Orlando for the 146th Chi Phi Congress



In what looks like it may be the largest Chi Phi Congress in 146 years, students, alumni and guests will travel to Orlando, Florida, to conduct Fraternity business, recognize outstanding students and alumni, and have some fun from June 24 - 26, 2011.

During the four-day event, official Congressional delegates debate policy, enact legislation and set the 2012 Chi Phi budget. The annual convention also provides an opportunity to recognize the 2010-2011 undergraduate and Chapter award winners. The Fraternity will recognize and honor 2011 Walter Leland Cronkite Jr. Chi Phi Congressional Award winner, **Al Warrington, IV, Theta Delta 1958**, during the closing, black tie optional banquet on Saturday evening. A variety of educational sessions and special programs are also scheduled.

Alumni, students and friends can learn more and register for Congress by visiting [www.chiphi.org/precongress](http://www.chiphi.org/precongress) and [www.chiphi.org/congress](http://www.chiphi.org/congress).

**Location:**.....JW. Marriott Grande Lakes In Orlando, Florida

**Dates:** .....June 24 - 26, 2011

**Attire:** .....Congressional sessions, banquets, and activities are business attire (coat and tie) events.



## SCHEDULE OF SPECIAL EVENTS:

### THURSDAY, JUNE 23

**7:00 a.m.** - Registration begins for the Watts Gunn Memorial Golf Tournament  
(register at [www.chiphi.org/golf](http://www.chiphi.org/golf))

**8:30 a.m.** - Shot-gun start to the golf tournament

**7:00 p.m.** - Chi Phi Educational Trust Annual Leadership Dinner and Golf Awards Ceremony  
(invitation only)

### FRIDAY, JUNE 24

**5:00 p.m.** - Group Outing to Islands of Adventure, Universal Studios

### SATURDAY, JUNE 25

12:00 p.m. - Awards Luncheon

6:00 p.m. - Cocktail Reception

7:00 p.m. - Congressional Banquet recognizing Cronkite Award Winner **Al Warrington, IV, Theta Delta 1958**

#### Attraction Information:

<http://chiphi.orlandomeetinginfo.com>

#### Register:

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## Perout Joins National Staff

**Jonathon "Jon" Perout**, a 2010 graduate from the Florida Institute of Technology, is the newest Field Executive to join the National Headquarters staff. This former Zeta and Alpha for the Xi Delta Chapter travels the country visiting and consulting with Chi Phi Chapters and Colonies, assists with expansion and recruitment and helps educate the Fraternity's undergraduate members. Originally from Mayfield Village, Ohio (east of Cleveland), he graduated with a B.S. degree in Aviation Management. He's a private pilot and an avid hockey fan.

# The Southern Hurricane

by Todd Sentell

Reprinted from *Golf Georgia* - January, 2005

## HIS LIFE WAS LONG, BUT OUR FRIENDSHIP WAS TOO SHORT

**Watts Gunn, Omega 1928** died again today. Was alive. Was telling ancient golf stories. Barking drink orders. Then one day he fell down, went to the hospital, came back home, didn't get better and went back to the hospital and died. Just up and dies on me. Died on us. Do you remember? Fifteen years ago? Every day he does this to me. Up and dies. Watts Gunn aint around anymore, and I'm still mad about it.

Remember the first time you saw someone who became an intimate part of your life? Your wife? Husband? Golf pro? Sometimes it's a fuzzy memory, but I have to admit I was ready for Watts Gunn. I remember the first time I saw him. Vividly.

In 1990, I was serving on a charity golf tournament committee benefiting Atlanta's Senior Citizens Services. The committee voted to offer honorary chairmanships to great Georgia golfers, preferably older ones. For this tournament, they picked Watts Gunn. The real chairman called to ask me if I'd be willing to pick up Watts at his home and bring him to the party the night before the tournament.

Watts Gunn, I thought? He's still around? Well, yes he was, I was told, and here's his address and phone number. Call him and pick him up. His wife, Jane, is coming, too. And guess what, during lunch before the tournament, you're going to make a speech about him, so hit the books Mr. Golf Historian.

Watts Gunn, the great Georgia amateur. Bob Jones' college pal. The guy who was runner-up to Jones in the 1925 United States Amateur at Oakmont. 1925? Born in a fairly modern year, I couldn't conceive such a time. Still can't. And as I drove down West Conway in the heart of old Buckhead, then turned onto his winding, pea-gravel driveway, I wondered what he'd look like now, compared to the old black and whites of him when he was winning amateur golf tournaments as a Georgia Tech golfer. I wondered if we'd hit it off. A wide-eyed fan and the old grizzled veteran. He was 56 years old when I was born.

I was nervous, I admit. Watts Gunn was a celebrity in my book. He was already standing at the end of the walkway that came out of the sunroom where we would spend the next three and a half years together, catching up. There in his grey slacks, button-down shirt, rep tie and camel hair jacket and a green felt hat. He looked like a senior Brooks Brothers model. I got out of the car and introduced myself to the man who to this day holds the record for holes won in a row in a 36 hole international competition: 15, set at the 1925 Amateur. After that tempest, the Yankee press immediately dubbed him, "The Southern Hurricane."

I introduced myself to the man who's best known, though, for that week in 1925 with his pal, when the two of them put another tidbit in the record book: never before in a U.S. Amateur have the champion and runner-up been from the same town, the same college, the same club, who rode up there and back on the same train. I introduced myself, then said, "Nice chapeau."

Watts Gunn looked at me a little sideways. I knew he was wondering, who's *this* cat. This cat was your new best friend, like it or not. And we liked it, and I loved him.

I got to know all of his nicknames, all ancient ... "Wattsie" ... "Jeeps," because he always reacted to something with "Jeepuhs Creepuhs." That old-world Southern accent of his was right out of central casting, but it was real, and crusty. He got called, "Old Boy" ... "Old Man." He had a portfolio of toasts, one of which he laid on a gal at the pre-tournament party. Before Watts took a sip of his all-time favorite cocktail, "The Gunn Shot"—vodka, water, and a couple of enthusiastic dashes of Angostura bitters—he said, "Keep your head down and your tail up!"

With raised eyebrows, she asked, "Mr. Gunn, are you talking about golf or sex?"

"Why — golf, of course!"



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At that moment I had no idea if Watts was telling the truth. Years later I came to know the truth: the old boy meant both.

Don't ever think you can save someone from themselves when they're real comfortable with who they are and what they like to do. It ain't going to happen. I knew Watts was waiting to die. There was no doubt in my mind. He never wanted to do anything. You had to cajole him into getting dressed up and going somewhere. Sometimes we had to force him to walk around the house. One time I asked him if he wanted to do some stretches. I thought he might slug me. So you had to make a huge, planned effort.

One bright February afternoon in 1992 I had a grand idea: I packed him into the car and took him to his old East Lake Golf Club. That day the club was having a "reverse" tournament where you teed off near a green and putted into a hole in a tee box. Watts, the purist, thought the idea of a reverse tournament was the silliest thing he'd ever heard. He was excited about seeing the old place, though, but driving anywhere in town was a harrowing experience for him.

I'd push his feet and legs into the foot well, then pull the seat belt around him. He was always amazed at the traffic, even in normal conditions. It was as if he'd never seen a jogger or a guy standing close by the curb at a street corner. On the downtown connector, even in light traffic, he'd clutch some part of the console with his left hand and the door handle with his right. He flinched the whole way there and constantly barked for me to slow down. I turned left onto Second Avenue. I looked over at him once you could see the golf course to the right. No reaction. He's just gazing at it. I asked him how long it had been since he'd been here. He couldn't remember. I glanced over at him after I turned onto Alston. Nothing. It seemed like he was soaking it in. In his own way. He had to be. I didn't press.

I put him into a golf cart and drove him around the course and up close to East Laker hitting approach shots, putting out, standing on tee boxes. Some of them openly gawked. They thought Watts Gunn was dead. They asked if he'd stay and join them in the bar. He did. Tommy Barnes walked in. Watts began to cry. He wiped his tears with his shaking, feeble hand. Watts let himself get over-served, and then we got back into the car.

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# WATIS GUNN

Memorial Golf Tournament

# JUNE 23, 2011

RITZ-CARLTON GOLF CLUB  
ORLANDO, FLORIDA

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## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

### THURSDAY, JUNE 23, 2011

- 6:30 a.m. - Driving range and putting greens open
- 7:00 a.m. - Registration begins
- 8:30 a.m. - Shot-gun start
- 7:00 p.m. - Chi Phi Educational Trust Annual Leadership Dinner and Golf Awards Ceremony

### TOURNAMENT INFORMATION:

- Four person team scramble format
- Individual Player Cost \$250
- Registration Deadline June 1, 2011
- Sponsorship Deadline June 1, 2011

Ritz-Carlton Golf Club Grande Lakes is a challenging and beautiful 18-hole par-72 Greg Norman Signature course. Set within the pristine Headwaters of the Florida Everglades and surrounded by magnificent pines, palmettos and live oaks, this distinguished Orlando golf resort offers a luxury experience.

Proceeds from the tournament support the College of Excellence and Chi Phi's other leadership development programs benefiting Chi Phi students across the country.

[www.chiphi.org/golf](http://www.chiphi.org/golf)





**Presenting Sponsor** ..... \$10,000 (only one available)

- Tournament will be marketed as Chi Phi Educational Trust Watts Gunn Memorial Tournament presented by Presenting Sponsor (Company Name)
- Recognition and company logo on all communications, tournament shirts and publicity materials including invitations, calendar of events, two broadcast emails and Chi Phi website
- Recognition in *Chakett* Magazine
- Banner placement at the Ritz-Carlton Clubhouse during the tournament
- Invitation for all players to the Chi Phi Educational Trust Leadership Dinner
- Two teams of four players

**Gold Sponsor** ..... \$5,000

- Recognition in program, invitations, calendar of events, two broadcast emails, Chi Phi website and event signage
- Recognition in *Chakett* Magazine
- Opportunity to distribute promotional materials at the tournament
- Invitation for all players to the Chi Phi Educational Trust Leadership Dinner
- Two teams of four players

**Silver Sponsor** ..... \$2,500

- Recognition in program, invitations, calendar of events, two broadcast emails, Chi Phi website and event signage
- Recognition in *Chakett* Magazine
- Opportunity to distribute promotional materials at the tournament
- Invitation for all players to the Chi Phi Educational Trust Leadership Dinner
- One team of four players

**Green and Hole Sponsor** ..... \$1,000

- Company name and logo at sponsored hole
- Recognition in *Chakett* Magazine
- Opportunity to distribute promotional materials at the tournament
- Invitation for all players to the Chi Phi Educational Trust Leadership Dinner
- Two players



# REGISTRATION FORM

I would like to support the Watts Gunn Memorial Golf Tournament and Chi Phi Educational Trust in the following way:

- Presenting Sponsor** - \$10,000
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- Hole/Green Sponsor** - \$1,000
- Individual Player** - \$250

	Handicap:
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**PAYMENT INFORMATION:**

- I have enclosed a check - made payable to Chi Phi Educational Trust
- Please invoice me
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Card Number \_\_\_\_\_

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Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_

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Return this form to the Chi Phi Gift Fulfillment Office  
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[www.chiphi.org/golf](http://www.chiphi.org/golf)

Please note all donations to the Chi Phi Educational Trust and the Watts Gunn Memorial Golf Tournament are tax deductible except for the cost of the tournament to the extent permitted by law.

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# THE SOUTHERN HURRICANE

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The emotion was still thick. I knew he was thrilled at what just happened. I would have given a lot to know what was going through his mind at that moment. I turned right out of the front gate and told him I was taking him up the street to show him the house he lived in when his family moved from Macon sometime in 1923 to East Lake when he was a student at Georgia Tech. It's across Alston from the 11th green.

"Naw," he growled. "Let's go home."

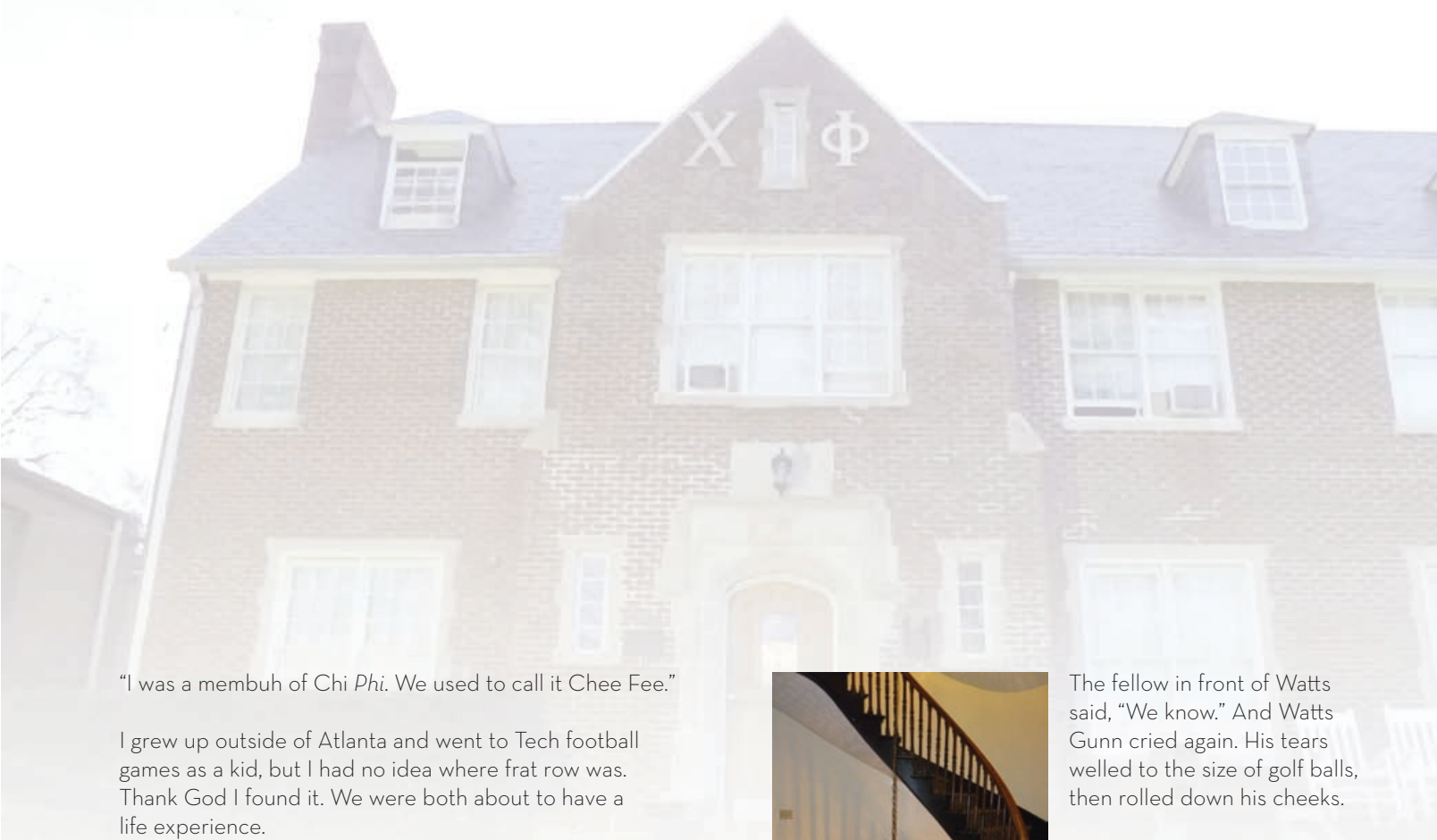
Sorry, we were already there, sitting at the end of the driveway. At the other end, by the house, was an old Volkswagen van. The grass in the front needed to be cut and the bushes around the house needed to be clipped. But the house was still beautiful. It was still grand. There were huge, crooked magnolia trees in the front yard. "Let's knock on the door and see what happens," I said.

"Naw."

*"I'll tell them who you are, and maybe they'll let us see your old room. C'mon." I was getting excited. Two sentimental adventures in one day.*

He growled again ... "Naw."

I knew he meant it. He really wasn't interested. On the way back through town I had another idea. I announced that we were going to visit The Georgia Institute of Technology. That we'd take a spin through campus and why not try to find his old fraternity house. Watts finally smiled. He said, "Chee Fee."



"I was a membuh of Chi Phi. We used to call it Chee Fee."

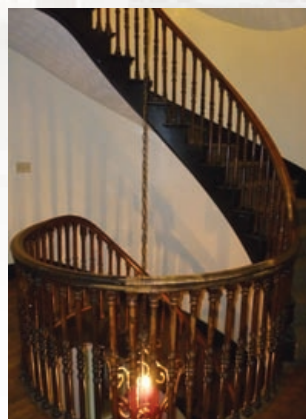
I grew up outside of Atlanta and went to Tech football games as a kid, but I had no idea where frat row was. Thank God I found it. We were both about to have a life experience.

I stopped the car in front of a set of steep, brick steps. It was hard enough to get Watts up three steps, and now that he'd had a few I wondered if he'd make it. But we started up, as slowly as you can imagine, with his left hand in my left and my right arm wrapped around his back.

Just after we saw the Chi Phi house looming above us we also saw faces appear in the front, one by one, in the lower windows. The guys were smiling. I honestly felt at that moment that they knew what was happening.

It was so natural, so sweet, their expressions for this unexpected moment. Here's some guy hauling up the steps an ancient brother. Here for a final visit. Then they walked out of the front door, five or six of them. I said, "Fellows, this is Watts Gunn, class of 1928."

One of them said, "Welcome back, Mr. Gunn," then they swept us inside. In the living room Watts watched as others came through side doors and from down the staircase. At least 20 young men gathered in a semicircle in front of Watts, then a fellow who I assumed was the president came forward. It was as if they had rehearsed this moment. I was struck by their instant formality, but they were smiling. The fellow introduced himself, then I introduced Watts again. "Gentlemen, this is Watts Gunn. Chi Phi. Class of 1928. Commence. Watts was Bob Jones' protégé."



The fellow in front of Watts said, "We know." And Watts Gunn cried again. His tears welled to the size of golf balls, then rolled down his cheeks.

Birth of your children? First time you broke 80? That time you avoided a car accident that would have killed you? Top-10 life moments? Make that February afternoon at the chee fee house a top-3.

Watts fell at his house on West Conway, where he and Jane lived since 1950. You could see only part of it from the street. It was tucked back in there under enormous pine trees. Watts' face hit the hardwood floor by the front door. Nothing cushioned his fall. That horrible moment began the quick decline. The nurse, Elizabeth, who spent the day, seven days a week, with Jane and Watts, went into action. She was surprised it hadn't happened sooner. She called the fire station just half a mile up West Conway. The firemen and the paramedic had been to 610 many times before. They took Watts to Piedmont Hospital. A day later he came back.

I don't know why, but he came back, and was propped up in the bed where I had tucked him in a few times over those years. He was back, but he was not good. He drifted in and out. He wasn't comfortable. He couldn't speak. His lips and nose were swollen. Elizabeth had had enough and got him back in the hospital again, and I went to see him. Better, but the end was near. I phoned the house from the hospital room and had him speak to Jane. "Dear," he said, "I love you so much I can't tell you."

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# Watts



When he died five days later, at 89, he was the oldest living U.S. Walker Cup team member. In his day, he was one of the world's finest amateurs. His golf records and his friendship with Bob Jones always intrigued me and his friends—it surrounded him, really—but Watts was humble until the end. During our friendship, he never uttered a word about his accomplishments unless he was asked—and I asked him a lot. He always chose to talk about his old golf pals, over and over: Jones, Francis Ouimet, Jess Sweetser, Roland Mackenzie, and his friend and chronicler of all great Georgia amateurs, O. B. Keeler.

Watts is buried in Macon at the old Riverside cemetery. For all he did, his small granite marker is plain, plain: name, birth, death. Watts is there by his mother and father and six other Gunns. Jane passed away seven years later. Jane Forrester Gunn, the Sewickley, Pennsylvania beauty. There too. In her own way she was just as much fun as Watts. At the time of his death, they had been married for 57 years. They had no children. But every once in a while they'd both get that look in their eye and admit they tried like hell. Those two. Incredible fun. And from time to time I remember an odd bit about Watts: he had no middle name.



After a recent hurricane passed through the Southeast, I went to visit Watts and Jane. It was a sunny, fall-like day in summer. Vivid blue sky and puffy white clouds. After a moment gazing at their markers, I wondered what makes you turn away for a moment. I guess to gather yourself. Too many memories at one time. Odd thoughts. Guilt at not having done as much as you could. I turned away and gazed at an ancient magnolia tree a few yards away. A flock of starlings dove into the canopy from the left, and the clouds above were whipping along from the right. At that moment I knew there were no answers to any of this. Just keep remembering Watts and Jane. That's easy. So easy it's natural now. But it still hurts every time

In my work, I entertain people on the golf course. Men bond out there and no matter what they shoot, they carry good feelings into the men's grill. Before we clink our glasses together, I always offer up a toast, a toast handed down to Watts Gunn by O.B. Keeler. The toast was Watts' favorite. "Here's to Hell," I say.

*Clink...clink...clink.*

"May the *stay* there be as pleasant as the way there." I always have to repeat it. Always laughter after the second act. Unasked, I tell my guests that the toast was the favorite of the great old Georgia amateur, Watts Gunn. It never fails: one of them will swallow, squint, then ask, "Who's that?"

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*Todd Sentell is the former and long-time director of sales and marketing of The Golf Club of Georgia. Now he teaches Georgia History at a school for kids with learning disabilities. An Atlanta native, he's the author of the comic golf novel, **Toonamint of Champions.***

Watts Gunn was born in Macon, Georgia on January 11, 1905, and died in Atlanta on November 4, 1995.

## ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

- 1923 Georgia State, Amateur Champion
- 1925 Runner Up to Bobby Jones, United States Amateur Championship
- 1926 Member, United States Walker Cup Team (won all matches)
- 1927 Individual Champion, National Intercollegiate Championship
- 1927 Georgia State Men's Amateur Champion
- 1928 Member, United States Walker Cup Team (won all matches)
- 1930 Western Pennsylvania Amateur Champion
- 1953/1954 President, Atlanta Athletic Club
- 1961 Inductee, Georgia Tech Athletic Hall of Fame
- 1985 Named "Honorary Golf Coach" of Georgia Tech
- 1985 Inductee, Georgia Sports Hall of Fame
- 1989 Inductee, Georgia Golf Hall of Fame
- 1990 Inductee, Southern Golf Association Hall of Fame

## CHI PHI GOLFERS

Many Chi Phi Brothers have followed in the footsteps of **Watts Gunn, Omega 1928**. Although the records at the National Headquarters are far from complete, Chi Phi has a long history of exhibiting golf prowess. Varsity golfers have included:

- Jack Nicklaus, II, Alpha-Alpha 1984, and others led the University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill golf team in the mid-1980s
- Jay Brandup, Mu Delta 1995
- Anthony Mender, Mu Theta 2005
- Cody Lannom, Iota Theta 2007

Did you play varsity or professional golf? Do you know a Chi Phi Brother who did? Send his name and details about his golf career to **Trevor Sheffield, Rho Delta 2008** at [sheffield@chiphio.org](mailto:sheffield@chiphio.org).

# CHI PHI MARCH MANIA CHALLENGE

## March Mania Sweeps Chi Phi - Psi Delta and Delta Zeta are Crowned CHAMPIONS!

They weren't competing for baskets. They were competing for impact, participation and bragging rights. In the end, the Chi Phi Final Four was comprised of Psi Delta, Delta Zeta, Delta Xi and Kappa Delta.

Between March 1 and April 4, student and alumni volunteers aggressively raised money for their particular Chapter Excellence Fund and for the general scholarship fund at the Chi Phi Educational Trust.


The plan was simple: Can we raise at least \$1,000 from every Chi Phi Chapter? And, can we convince at least 10 men from each Chapter (student or alumni) to participate.


Chapters readily embraced the concept and jumped right in. Psi Delta Chapter raised the most money from their alumni totaling \$10,000. Delta Zeta Chapter at the University of South Florida led their bracket to raise the most money from students - \$370.

The money raised was important. However, participation was just as important. Again, Delta Zeta Chapter, led the way, convincing 3% of their alumni to participate which helped them bring home the Alumni Participation Championship and 68% of his undergraduate Chapter earning them the Student Participation Championship.

"Who would have thought we could raise \$30,000 in such a short period of time," asked Trust Chairman **Christopher Shuler, Alpha Zeta 1984**. "This demonstrates how passionate our Chi Phi leaders are across the country. Through their efforts, we'll award at least \$50,000 to students in academic scholarships, and many Chapters made sizeable deposits to the balance of their Chapter Excellence Funds."

SEE THE RESULTS ON

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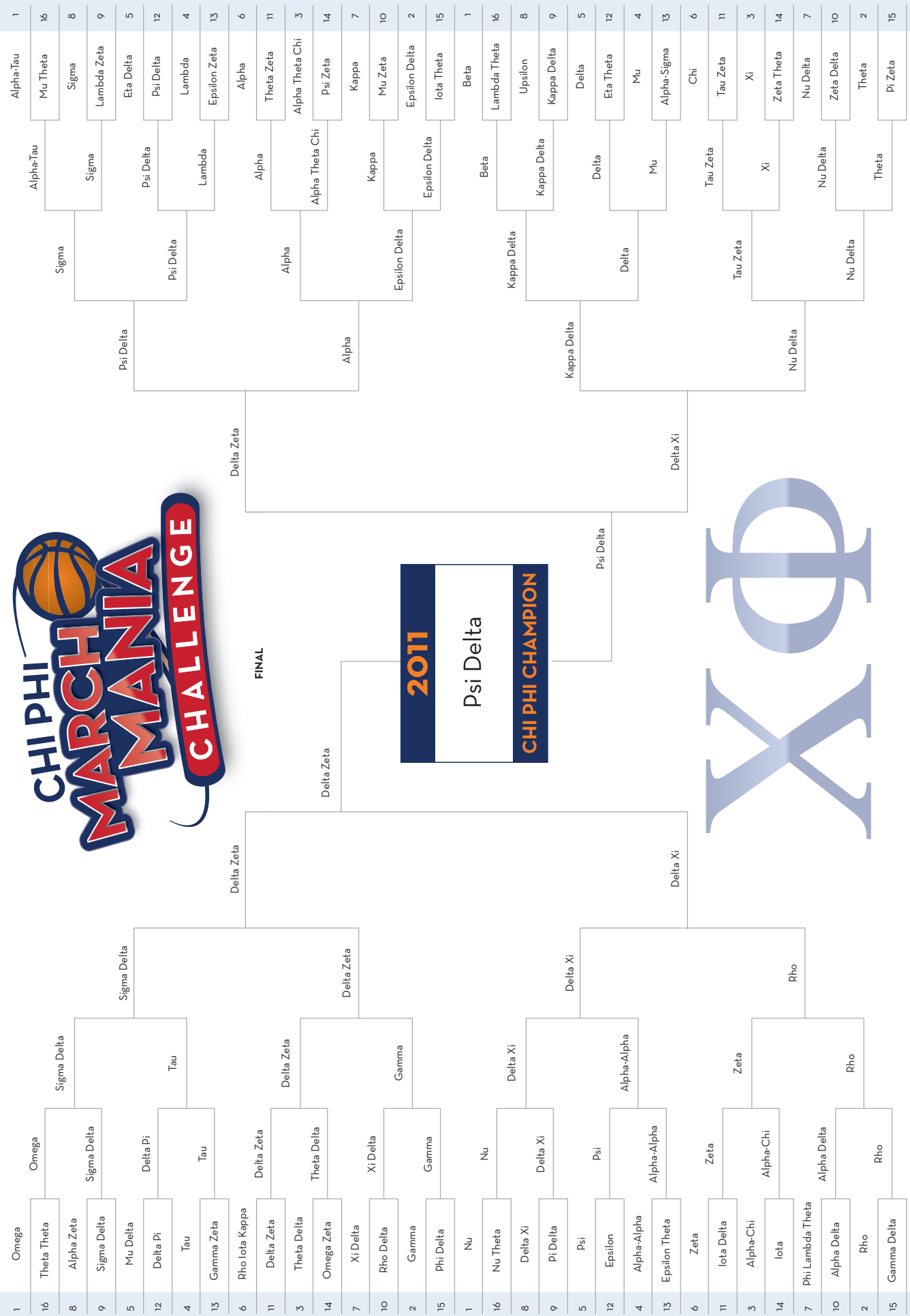
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Thanks to each and every Chi Phi Coach!

# 2011 CHI PHI MARCH MANIA CHALLENGE

REGIONALS		SEMIFINALS		NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP		SEMIFINALS		REGIONALS	
1ST ROUND	MARCH 17 - 18	2ND ROUND	MARCH 19 - 20	3RD ROUND	MARCH 24-25	4TH ROUND	MARCH 26 - 27	5TH ROUND	APRIL 2
6TH ROUND	APRIL 4			7TH ROUND	APRIL 2	8TH ROUND	APRIL 2	9TH ROUND	APRIL 2





# Chapters, Alumni Associations & Alumni Clubs

Number of Initiates and Total Membership is based on information from the Fall 2010 semester.

## ALPHA

### University of Virginia

[www.chiphivuva.com](http://www.chiphivuva.com)

Number of Initiates: n/a  
Total Membership: 41  
Balance Owed: \$0.00  
Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes

## ETA

### University of Georgia

Number of Initiates: 25  
Total Membership: 102  
Balance Owed: \$0.00  
Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes

Chapter of Chi Phi at the University of Wisconsin. For several weeks in October members of the recruitment team contacted outstanding students at the University and recruited them to be re-founding fathers of Chi Phi. The Kappa Colony currently has 16 members, and the men will be moving back into the Chapter house in Fall 2011.

## BETA

### Massachusetts Institute of Technology

<http://chphi.mit.edu>  
[www.betachapter.com](http://www.betachapter.com)

Number of Initiates: 10  
Total Membership: 48  
Balance Owed: \$191.00  
Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: No

## THETA

### Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

[www.thetaofchphi.org](http://www.thetaofchphi.org)

Number of Initiates: 7  
Total Membership: 37  
Balance Owed: \$0.00  
Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes

On February 7, 2011, Kappa Brothers watched **Jacob Kream, Kappa 2013**, earn the title of Wisconsin's #1 Collegiate Food Warrior at the annual National Wisconsin Collegiate Eating Championship held in the University Square Food Court. Wisconsin's Hungriest Collegians battled for \$500 in cash and an Ipod Nano, not to mention lifetime bragging rights. The event was covered by FOX Sports and Fuel TV.

## ZETA

### Franklin & Marshall College

Number of Initiates: 18  
Total Membership: 72  
Balance Owed: \$14,697.50  
Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes

Zeta Chapter recently adopted a Marine Corps unit in Afghanistan.

## KAPPA

### University of Wisconsin

[www.uwchphi.org](http://www.uwchphi.org)  
[www.kappachphi.org](http://www.kappachphi.org)

Number of Initiates: 16  
Total Membership: 16  
Balance Owed: \$1,955.00  
Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: n/a

The alumni of the Kappa Chapter in conjunction with the National Fraternity have breathed life back into one of Chi Phi's oldest Chapters. Members of the Chi Phi National Office teamed up with CAMPUSPEAK to bring back the Kappa

Alumni recently formed a Chapter Advisory Committee to share responsibility for advising the new Colony and divide the time commitments. Advisory Committee members are **Dave Bunke, Kappa 1976; Andrew DeMarco, Kappa 1990; Brad Duesler, Kappa 1980; Joe Hildebrandt, Kappa 1966; Jerry Kulcinski, Kappa 1961; Russ Lein, Kappa 1981; John Powles, Kappa 1958; Bill Steinberg, Kappa 1968; Ben Schmidt, Iota Delta 2002** (studying for his MBA on campus) and **Jim Trotter, Kappa 1978**.



# Chapter Accreditation: Six Months Later

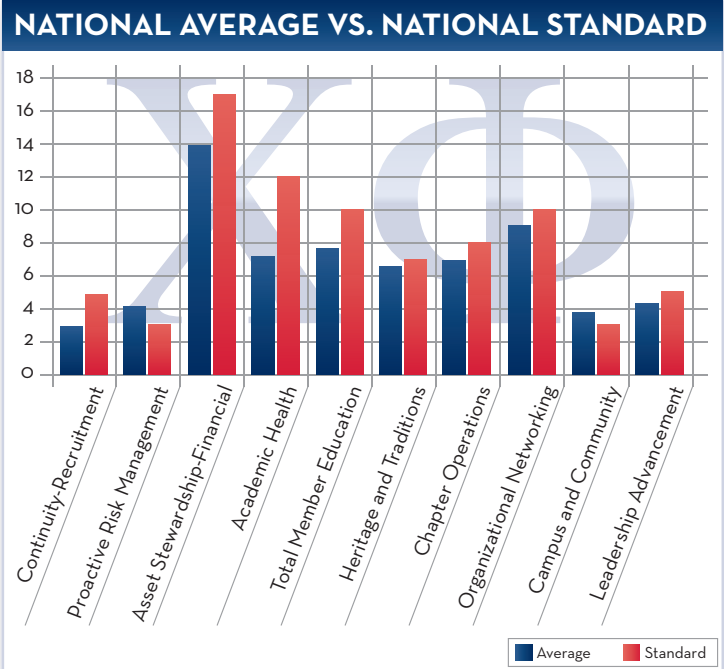
During the 145th Chi Phi Congress in Boston, MA, the congressional delegates approved the trial year implementation of the Chapter Accreditation Program. The program is designed to strengthen Chapter health by:

- Providing a clear set of operational and programming expectations for Chapters.
- Creating a mechanism to hold Chapters not meeting a certain level of operational and programming success accountable for doing so.
- Having a subjective mechanism which allows the Fraternity to recognize and reward Chapters for their consistency in meeting and exceeding operational and programming expectations.
- Producing a data driven mechanism that identifies areas in which Chapters need additional resources and support both on a local level, with individual Chapters and from a Fraternity-wide perspective.

During the Fall 2010 semester, the National Staff educated student leaders and university professionals about the new program and the implementation timeline. The submission process started on January 4, 2011, and 43 of 52 eligible Chapters submitted their Accreditation material. Each submission was graded and reviewed by the Chapter Accreditation Committee, and both Chapter and national trends were analyzed. Below are two tables that outline the areas of strength and areas that should be prioritized for improvement. As one can see, the areas of strength for the National Fraternity are Proactive Risk Management, Campus and Community Engagement, Leadership Advancement and Organizational Networking. Areas the National Fraternity will prioritize for improvement are Academic Health, Continuity-Recruitment and Retention, Asset Stewardship-Financial and Property Management, and Total Member Education.



Michael Paul Orta, Phi Lambda Theta 2006, Grand Zeta Steven Hopkins, Nu 1999 and Grand Gamma Frank Uryasz, Alpha Theta Chi 1983, pause their discussion about the Accreditation Program to pose for the camera.



Creating additional resources and guidance in each of these areas will be a priority for the National Fraternity in the coming year. Moving forward, each Chapter will receive information about their areas of strength, areas to prioritize for improvement and how they compare nationally in each area. Chapters should receive this information during March 2011. Chapters/Colonies will be asked to resubmit an accreditation report for the Spring 2011 semester by May 1, 2011.

“This semester’s data provides a good reference point regarding the health of our Chapters,” said Director of Undergraduate Services Deanne Walters. “The information gained by the accreditation process provides clear direction to our Chapters regarding operational and programmatic standards and clear direction to the Fraternity regarding resource and programming priority areas. While we anticipate Chapters will continually improve their efficacy of operational and programmatic standards, it will not happen without dedicated and targeted efforts by the Fraternity to provide education, structure and resources.”

## CATEGORIES.....% OF SUCCESS

Continuity-Recruitment and Retention.....	16.28%
Proactive Risk Management.....	95.35%
Asset Stewardship-Financial and Property Management.....	30.23%
Academic Health.....	6.98%
Total Member Education.....	25.58%
Heritage and Traditions.....	51.16%
Chapter Operations.....	32.56%
Organizational Networking.....	48.84%
Campus and Community Engagement.....	81.40%
Leadership Advancement.....	60.47%

# EXPANSION

Growth and reactivating former Chi Phi Chapters remains a top priority within Chi Phi. Currently scheduled expansion projects include:

Rho, Lafayette College

Lambda, University of California - Berkeley

Gamma, Emory University

To learn more, contact Director of Undergraduate Services

**Deanne Walters** at [walters@chiphio.org](mailto:walters@chiphio.org) or 800.849.1824.

# LOOKING FOR GOLIARD PROGRAM CANDIDATES

The Goliard Program is an educational program designed to encourage in-depth learning into the heritage and history of our Fraternity.

Those wishing to enter the program will advance through several stages, with an eventual certification.

These certified "Goliards" are the experts on the history, ceremonies and traditions of Chi Phi and are called upon to assist other Brothers and Chapters throughout the country when help, advice or guidance are needed.

To learn more about the Goliard program, contact **Trevor Sheffield, Rho Delta 2008,** at [sheffield@chiphio.org](mailto:sheffield@chiphio.org).

# Chapters, Alumni Associations & Alumni Clubs

## MU

### Stevens Institute of Technology

*Number of Initiates: n/a*  
*Total Membership: 28*  
*Balance Owed: \$0.00*  
*Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes*

Last April 2010, the ancient order of 'Old Guard' Chi Phi Brothers and their spouses met in Charleston, South Carolina, for another grand and glorious reunion. A total of 36 attended the four-day event touring the historical city and sharing remembrances from their student days at the Stevens Institute of Technology. Alumni returned from various states including Arizona, Florida, Maine, New Hampshire, New Mexico, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee and Vermont representing classes from 1941 through 1961.

## NU

### University of Texas

[www.txchiphio.org](http://www.txchiphio.org)  
[www.nuchiphio.org](http://www.nuchiphio.org)

*Number of Initiates: 6*  
*Total Membership: 19*  
*Balance Owed: \$0.00*  
*Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes*

## XI

### Cornell University

[www.chiphicornell.org](http://www.chiphicornell.org)

*Number of Initiates: n/a*  
*Total Membership: 68*  
*Balance Owed: \$0.00*  
*Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: No*

On Friday, March 4, 2011, the Chi Phi actives held their sixth annual benefit concert for the Shepherd's Center at the Nines in Collegetown. The Shepherd's Center works to support spina rehabilitation. The Chapter donated all proceeds from ticket sales and t-shirt sales to the Shepherd's Center.

Reunion 2011 will take place on June 9 - 12, 2011, and Homecoming will be September 17, 2011.

## TAU

### University of Alabama

[www.chiphio.ua.edu/](http://www.chiphio.ua.edu/)  
[www.tautrust.com](http://www.tautrust.com)

*Number of Initiates: 28*  
*Total Membership: 28*  
*Balance Owed: \$0.00*  
*Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: n/a*



*Grand Alpha **Jim Soderquist, Alpha 1967** and Trust Chairman **Christopher Shuler, Alpha Zeta 1984,** visited Tau Chapter in January 2011.*

Chi Phi recently returned to the University of Alabama. During the Fall 2010 semester, Tau alumni, working with the National Office, contracted with PhiredUp! Productions to recruit the re-founding members of the Chapter. The recruitment team put together an impressive group of men, boasting several National Merit Scholars, Eagle Scouts and otherwise outstanding students. With the help of Brothers from the Omega Chapter (Georgia Tech) and the Mu Delta Chapter (Auburn University) the Tau men were Initiated at the Omega Chapter house on January 15, 2011. The Tau Chapter members will be moving back into their Chapter house in Fall 2011.

Tau Chapter finished the Fall 2010 semester ranked second among all University of Alabama fraternities in the grade point average standings. The Chapter finished with a solid 3.4, well above the All-Men's Average of 2.85 and All-Fraternity Average of 2.84.

**Eric Dakota Hudson, Tau 2014,** placed 82nd in the world skeet shooting competition.



## UPSILON

### Hobart College

Number of Initiates: 8  
Total Membership: 28  
Balance Owed: \$0.00  
Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: No

In October, Upsilon celebrated its 150th anniversary with a series of events including a welcome reception, campus tours, mini college sessions, a banquet dinner, brunch and a Chapter meeting.

## PSI

### Lehigh University

Number of Initiates: 23  
Total Membership: 23  
Balance Owed: \$330.00  
Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: n/a

## OMEGA

### Georgia Institute of Technology

[www.gtchiphi.org](http://www.gtchiphi.org)

Number of Initiates: 10  
Total Membership: 42  
Balance Owed: \$0.00  
Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes

In March, Omega Chapter worked with St. Baldrick's, a cancer research organization that raises money to find cures for childhood cancers. Brothers shaved their heads in solidarity with cancer patients. Omega raised nearly \$2,000 for the cause.

## ALPHA-ALPHA

### University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

[www.aachiphi.com](http://www.aachiphi.com)

Number of Initiates: 18  
Total Membership: 58  
Balance Owed: \$90.00  
Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: No

On Friday October 8, 2010, Kappa Delta Sorority and Chi Phi Fraternity co-hosted their annual Crawfish Boil at Chi Phi. More than 750 people attended the dinner, raising \$1,500 for the Orange Country Rape Crisis Center, Dance Marathon, the Susan Hope Lambeth Ovarian Cancer Fund and HOPE Gardens.

## ALPHA-SIGMA

### Princeton University

Number of Initiates: n/a  
Total Membership: 23  
Balance Owed: \$805.00  
Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes

## ALPHA-TAU

### University of Michigan

[www.alpha-tau.org](http://www.alpha-tau.org)

Number of Initiates: 23  
Total Membership: 80  
Balance Owed: \$7055.00  
Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes

## ALPHA-CHI

### Ohio Wesleyan University

[www.owuchiphi.org](http://www.owuchiphi.org)

Number of Initiates: 2  
Total Membership: 41  
Balance Owed: \$0.00  
Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes

Alpha-Chi alumni are invited to celebrate the Chapter's Centennial Anniversary on September 30 - October 2, 2011 at Ohio Wesleyan University. For more information, and to register for the celebration weekend of events, visit [www.owuchiphi.org](http://www.owuchiphi.org).

For the 26th year in a row, the roar of chainsaws and screams of terror echoed from the Chi Phi house at Ohio Wesleyan University on Halloween weekend as goblins and ghouls scared guests and raised \$4,000 for Big Brothers Big Sisters in Ohio.

## My Personal Mentors

## Great Education + Great Mentors = Great Careers

College students today are better prepared than ever academically. However, there is a strong disconnect between readiness academically and readiness professionally. At the end of the day, the ultimate measure of college graduation is receiving a degree, but just as importantly, it's landing that great job! And, that's where a quality mentor can make all the difference.

For many individuals in the current college generation, the challenge isn't in achieving success in the classroom, but being able to relay that experience to the corporate context.

Some resumes lack quality. Beyond the resume, many of the best and brightest fail to adequately prepare for the interview and are challenged with putting together meaningful sentences and paragraphs that reflect well on themselves.

Don't be left behind. Set yourself apart from the rest of the potential candidate pool. Visit [www.MyPersonalMentors.com/ChiPhi](http://www.MyPersonalMentors.com/ChiPhi) for more information on how you can achieve the Perfect Resume with our Get Started or Getting Out There packages.

Nothing beats landing a great job out of college (or a relevant internship along the way). A great mentor can truly help along the journey!



# Chi Phi BOWL

The defending champions proudly marched into opposing territory to defend their Chi Phi Bowl title. For the second year in a row, the Mu Theta Chapter (University of the Incarnate Word) faced off on the gridiron against Lambda Zeta (St. Mary's University).

The Lambda Zeta 2010 champions came into University of the Incarnate Word's Benson Stadium on February 26, 2011, to defend their title.

St. Mary's won the coin toss, but elected to receive in the second half. UIW scored first in the first quarter for six points followed by a one point conversion. St. Mary's failed to score during their possession. UIW was able to capitalize and scored again for six points with a successful three point conversion. With the score 16 to 0, a lot of tension was rising from both team as frustration and competitiveness became apparent. However, the refereeing of Brother **Michael Martinez, Lambda Zeta 1999** (a graduate student at UIW) and the brotherly spirit was enough to quell hostility.

By the second quarter, St. Mary's finally found their way into the end zone for six points, but failed to convert on the conversion. By half time, the score remained 16 to 6.

In the second half, St. Mary's fought their way back with two critical interceptions, defensive fumble recovery and a last minute kick-off return for a touchdown. However, it was not enough to close the gap with UIW winning 31 to 24.

"It was great to witness our two Chapters coming together for this event," said **Chris Corpus, Mu Theta 2013**. "We did a joint initiation last semester with them, and we are looking forward to doing more events like this together."

## ALPHA DELTA Pennsylvania State University

The Alpha Delta Alumni Association is trying to save their beloved Chapter house that was originally built in 1932.

Three years ago, all active members were asked to leave the house by the end of that semester because a local ordinance required all fraternities in State College have a complete sprinkler system installed before September 2008. In addition to a sprinkler system, the house was in great need of major repairs and a complete renovation. The Alumni Association agreed that it was time to "do it right, or not do it at all." After much planning, they developed the "Fifty-year Plan" and identified \$1.7 million worth of renovations. They also set out to raise an additional \$500,000 maintenance fund to help properly maintain the property and protect it for years to come.

To date, the Alumni Association has raised just over \$1.25 million toward their \$2.25 million goal from 285 of the 965 alumni members - a 30% response rate so far. "Alumni understand the uphill battle we have before us, but as more alumni hear about what is occurring, more Brothers continue to step up and make pledge commitments," said long-time alumni advisor **Andy Schultz, Alpha Delta 1960**. "Until we meet our goal, the property will remain vacant."

To learn more about the effort, contact Schultz at [ASchultzSr@aol.com](mailto:ASchultzSr@aol.com) or **Bob Martin, Alpha Delta 1976** at [rpm163@psu.edu](mailto:rpm163@psu.edu).

## EPSILON DELTA Oregon State University [oregonstate.edu/groups/chiphi](http://oregonstate.edu/groups/chiphi)

*Number of Initiates: 14*  
*Total Membership: 62*  
*Balance Owed: \$0.00*  
*Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes*

# Chapters, Alumni Associations & Alumni Clubs

## THETA DELTA

### University of Florida

grove.ufl.edu/~chiphifl

Number of Initiates: 24

Total Membership: 94

Balance Owed: \$0.00

Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes

Theta Delta will host the 146th Chi Phi Congress in Orlando this June.

The Chapter also hosted its annual capture-the-flag tournament between the members of the University of Florida Panhellenic Council to benefit the Boys and Girls Club of Alachua County. The event raised \$1,502. For the first time this year, Chi Phi Capture was preceded by Chi Phi's own Haunted House on October 20, 2010. The brothers and potential new members of the fraternity turned the house into a spooky walkthrough for a \$3 donation to the Boys and Girls Club and opened it to the general public.

## RHO IOTA KAPPA

### University of Rhode Island

www.chiphiri.com

Number of Initiates: 14

Total Membership: 51

Balance Owed: \$0.00

Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes

## ALPHA THETA CHI

### University of Nebraska

www.nebraskachiphi.org

www.chiphionl.com

Number of Initiates: 4

Total Membership: 15

Balance Owed: \$50.00

Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes

Actives **Tim Uryasz, Alpha Theta Chi 2011; Ryan Riss, Alpha Theta Chi 2013; Evan Keelan-White, Alpha Theta Chi 2012; Christian Sypavongsay, Alpha**

**Theta Chi 2014; Joe Putjenter, Alpha Theta Chi 2012 and Paul Smith, Alpha Theta Chi 2012** recently returned from the Chi Phi Regional Leadership Alliance in Austin Texas.

The Chapter also recently adopted a section of the Bob Devaney Sports Center and "O" streets in the Antelope Valley Project Section for cleanup. The fraternity was recognized with two signs for cleaning up the site starting in March.

## DELTA XI

### West Virginia Wesleyan College

chiphideltaxi.com

Number of Initiates: 2

Total Membership: 21

Balance Owed: \$0.00

Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: No

## KAPPA DELTA

### University of Rochester

sa.rochester.edu/chiphi

Number of Initiates: n/a

Total Membership: 35

Balance Owed: \$0.00

Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes

The Northeast Greek Leadership Association Conference (NGLA) in Stamford, Connecticut recognized Chi Phi with the Amy Vojta Impact Award, which is presented to groups that created an original program with an impact on the community. Chi Phi won the Multi-Cultural Initiative Programming award for its Ise Lyfe Program, during which renowned spoken word artist Ise Lyfe performed for the Rochester community in honor of Black History Month.

NGLA also honored Drew Alessi '11, Kappa Delta 2010, with the Student Greek Leader of Distinction Award. This award recognizes students who exemplify the ideals of their fraternity or sorority within their daily lives. The

individuals were judged on several criteria including leadership, scholastic and academic achievement, character as displayed through fraternity or sorority membership, and service to the University, to the individual's organization, and to the Fraternity and Sorority community at large.

## MU DELTA

### Auburn University

www.auchiphi.com

Number of Initiates: 11

Total Membership: 43

Balance Owed: \$2,663.06

Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes

## NU DELTA

### Florida State University

www.chiphifsu.com

Number of Initiates: 22

Total Membership: 116

Balance Owed: \$50.00

Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes

Nu Delta held a Founders Day Luncheon at the University Center Club on Tuesday, February 15, 2011. They also won the Florida State University Dance Marathon competition raising \$8,800 for the Children's Miracle Network and other causes.

Last Fall, the Nu Delta Alumni Association awarded academic scholarships to the following exceptional Brothers: **Michael Molter, Nu Delta 2012** (The Grand Cayman Spirit Scholarship), **Drew Aldikacti, Nu Delta 2011** (The W. Scott Caldwell Memorial Scholarship) and **Kyle Johnson, Nu Delta 2010** (The Ramsaur Leadership Scholarship). This year, the Alumni Association also awarded the inaugural Captain John Tinsley Memorial Scholarship to new member **James Stern, Nu Delta 2014**.

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# Chapters, Alumni Associations & Alumni Clubs

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During Homecoming weekend, the Alumni Association elected new officers.

**Jason White, Nu Delta 2002** and **Michael Bloch, Nu Delta 2009** will continue to serve as president and treasurer, respectively. The Executive Board welcomes new Vice President **James Garcia, Nu Delta 1999** and new Secretary **Nick Abrahams, Nu Delta 2010**. During this same meeting, the Alumni Association adopted new Bylaws.

Finally, the Nu Delta House Association is proposing to raise \$347,000 to eliminate the current mortgage on the Chapter house by encouraging alumni investors to take over the mortgage in return for annual interest payments paid to investors. To learn more about this investment opportunity that will strengthen Chi Phi's future at Florida State, contact **JD Bauserman, Nu Delta 1991**, President of the Nu Delta House Association, at [jdnole@comcast.net](mailto:jdnole@comcast.net)

## XI DELTA Florida Institute of Technology

[www.xdaa.org/chapter](http://www.xdaa.org/chapter)

*Number of Initiates: 10*  
*Total Membership: 21*  
*Balance Owed: \$1,615.00*  
*Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes*

Two years ahead of schedule, the Xi Delta Alumni Association recently paid off its house improvement loan from the Xi Delta Scholarship Foundation. For the first time ever, the Alumni Association now owns the Chapter house in Melbourne, Florida, free and clear of any debt.

Proper financial management allowed the Xi Delta Scholarship Foundation to repay bond holders who invested in the Foundation. The Scholarship Foundation will continue to exist in the future for purposes of future fund raising via another bond issuance for major facility upgrades and/or other needs from time to time as well as to accommodate people who want to give funds directly to Xi Delta. However, the Xi Delta Alumni Association intends to donate a portion of the future income it collects from student renters to fund its Chapter Excellence Fund at the Chi Phi Educational Trust.

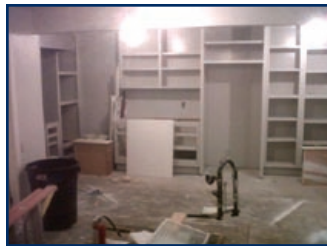
## RHO DELTA Oglethorpe University

*Number of Initiates: 15*  
*Total Membership: 34*  
*Balance Owed: \$0.00*  
*Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes*

Oglethorpe University featured **Stephen Archer, Rho Delta 2008**, in a powerful video about students who uphold high standards. Watch it at <http://www.facebook.com/video/video.php?v=313232133829>

## SIGMA DELTA University of California-Davis

*Number of Initiates: n/a*  
*Total Membership: 26*  
*Balance Owed: \$2,358.00*  
*Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes*



The Sigma Delta Alumni Association has completed a few Chapter house renovation projects over the last two years, including the installation of new double paned windows, a new driveway, removing black mold from the back bathroom and replacing bathroom stalls. An extensive kitchen renovation is underway in the fraternity house. The photos show some of the kitchen work underway.

## PHI DELTA University of Tennessee

[chiphuit.com](http://chiphuit.com)

*Number of Initiates: 10*  
*Total Membership: 31*  
*Balance Owed: \$8.00*  
*Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes*



On November 6, 2011, Phi Delta rechartered at the University of Tennessee. Originally re-colonized in Fall 2008, the Colony made great strides and met all of the criteria in order to re-enter the roll of Chi Phi Chapters. The Chartering

# Chapters, Alumni Associations & Alumni Clubs

Ceremony was held in the historic S&W Grand Hotel in downtown Knoxville. Guests included members of the Chi Phi Grand Council, Chi Phi Educational Trust, Chi Phi National Office staff, active and alumni members of the Phi Delta Chapter as well as family and friends. Grand Alpha **Jim Soderquist , Alpha 1967**, congratulated the men on their successes and challenged them to continue their hard work in the future. The Phi Delta men were presented with their new Charter. Afterwards, the group enjoyed a well deserved night of celebration in downtown Knoxville.

## PSI DELTA

### University of Carolina-Charlotte

[www.chiphicharlotte.com](http://www.chiphicharlotte.com)

*Number of Initiates: 15*

*Total Membership: 52*

*Balance Owed: \$3,815.00*

*Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes*

## ALPHA ZETA

### University of West Georgia

[www.azhouse.org](http://www.azhouse.org)

*Number of Initiates: 18*

*Total Membership: 49*

*Balance Owed: \$447.86*

*Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes*

The Alpha Zeta Home Association will once again host Hackerfest at the Laurel Springs Golf Club on Friday, July 15, 2011.

## DELTA ZETA

### University of South Florida

[usfchiphis.com/home](http://usfchiphis.com/home)

*Number of Initiates: 5*

*Total Membership: 23*

*Balance Owed: \$1,605.00*

*Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes*

## THETA THETA

### Shorter University

*Number of Initiates: 8*

*Total Membership: 8*

*Balanced Owed: \$2,915*

*Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: n/a*

## PHI LAMBDA THETA

### Bucknell University

[www.orgs.bucknell.edu/chiphi](http://www.orgs.bucknell.edu/chiphi)

*Number of Initiates: 29*

*Total Membership: 78*

*Balance Owed: \$0.30*

*Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes*

Last Fall, the Phi Lambda Theta Chapter house became 700 square feet larger when alumni added a new first floor wing, known as the North Addition. The new space expands the social and dining area. Atop the new addition, is a deck finished for Brothers and guests to enjoy with pavers and accessible from the outside. The fraternity dedicated the new addition during Homecoming weekend.

In November, Chapter Alpha **Tyler Moore, Phi Lambda Theta 2011** and Alpha-Elect **Jim Wilcox, Phi Lambda Theta 2012**, travelled to Lehigh University to help initiate the New Members of Psi Chapter. Moore and Wilcox were assisted by **Josh McCall, Phi Lambda Theta 2012** and **Neil Dold, Phi Lambda Theta 2012**.

In an effort to keep the history of Phi Lambda Theta both collaborative and accurate, **Adam Hinshaw, Phi Lambda Theta 2009**, researched and wrote the Chapter's history. The alumni board invites interested alumni to review the document and make comments or suggestions. To obtain a copy of the history in Microsoft Word format and add additional information to it, contact Hinshaw at [adam.hinshaw@gmail.com](mailto:adam.hinshaw@gmail.com).

## EPSILON ZETA

### Humboldt State University

[www.epsilonzeta.org](http://www.epsilonzeta.org)

*Number of Initiates: n/a*

*Total Membership: 20*

*Balance Owed: \$1,355.00*

*Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: No*

Epsilon Zeta Chapter recruited and initiated 60% of its Chapter size last Fall and inducted 62% this Spring.

# Chapters, Alumni Associations & Alumni Clubs

## THETA ZETA

### Texas A&M University

[www.aggiechipheri.com](http://www.aggiechipheri.com)

*Number of Initiates: n/a*  
*Total Membership: 19*  
*Balance Owed: \$497.94*  
*Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes*

## PSI ZETA

### University of Texas-Dallas

[www.chipheriutd.com](http://www.chipheriutd.com)

*Number of Initiates: 20*  
*Total Membership: 45*  
*Balance Owed: \$3,930.00*  
*Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: No*

## LAMBDA ZETA

### St. Mary's University

*Number of Initiates: 3*  
*Total Membership: 23*  
*Balance Owed: \$3,073.08*  
*Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: No*

## OMEGA ZETA

### University of North Florida

[www.chipheriunf.com](http://www.chipheriunf.com)

*Number of Initiates: 17*  
*Total Membership: 55*  
*Balance Owed: \$0.00*  
*Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes*

## MU ZETA

### University of Denver

[www.du.edu/orgs/chipheri](http://www.du.edu/orgs/chipheri)

*Number of Initiates: 3*  
*Total Membership: 25*  
*Balance Owed: \$5,621.26*  
*Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes*

## DELTA PI

### Georgia Southwestern State University

[www.chipherideltapi.com](http://www.chipherideltapi.com)

*Number of Initiates: 5*  
*Total Membership: 22*  
*Balance Owed: \$140.00*  
*Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes*

The men of Delta Pi recently held a barbecue dinner to raise money for Relay for Life. They sold over 300 plates to raise money for their annual philanthropy.

## PI ZETA

### Binghamton University of New York

*Number of Initiates: 5*  
*Total Membership: 42*  
*Balance Owed: \$4,236.30*  
*Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes*

## EPSILON THETA

### East Carolina University

*Number of Initiates: 9*  
*Total Membership: 28*  
*Balance Owed: \$2,005.00*  
*Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes*

## TAU ZETA

### Boston University

[www.chipheritauzeta.net](http://www.chipheritauzeta.net)

*Number of Initiates: 10*  
*Total Membership: 49*  
*Balance Owed: \$5,876.15*  
*Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: No*

## ZETA THETA

### State University of New York, Oneonta

[www.chi-phi.org/](http://www.chi-phi.org/)

*Number of Initiates: 21*  
*Total Membership: 53*  
*Balance Owed: \$240.00*  
*Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes*





# Chapters, Alumni Associations & Alumni Clubs

## ETA THETA

### University of Maryland

www.umdchphi.com

Number of Initiates: 1  
Total Membership: 42  
Balance Owed: \$0.00  
Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes

## IOTA THETA

### Schreiner University

students.schreiner.edu/sub\_chphi/

Number of Initiates: 1  
Total Membership: 15  
Balance Owed: \$3,125.00  
Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes

## LAMBDA THETA

### University of Massachusetts, Dartmouth

Number of Initiates: 3  
Total Membership: 30  
Balance Owed: \$1,692.70  
Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes

## MU THETA

### University of the Incarnate Word

Number of Initiates: 2  
Total Membership: 32  
Balance Owed: \$3,000.93  
Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes

## NU THETA

### The College of William & Mary

Number of Initiates: 4  
Total Membership: 24  
Balance Owed: \$150.00  
Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes

## PCT COLONY

### Pennsylvania College of Technology

Number of Initiates: 1  
Total Membership: 5  
Balance Owed: \$0.00  
Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: No

## SOUTHERN UTAH UNIVERSITY COLONY

### Southern Utah University

Number of Initiates: 4  
Total Membership: 18  
Balance Owed: \$576.58  
Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: No

## SUNY - PLATTSBURG COLONY

### State University of New York - Plattsburg

Number of Initiates: 3  
Total Membership: 21  
Balance Owed: \$955.00  
Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: Yes

## EIU COLONY

### Eastern Illinois University

Number of Initiates: 4  
Total Membership: 10  
Balance Owed: \$0.00  
Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: No

EIU Colony had the highest IFC GPA at EIU in Fall 2010 with a 3.26.

## WISCONSIN - LA CROSSE COLONY

### University of Wisconsin - La Crosse

Number of Initiates: n/a  
Total Membership: 10  
Balance Owed: \$0.00  
Fall Accreditation Report Submitted: n/a

Do you have news you want to share about your Chapter or Alumni Association?

Send it to [sheffield@chphi.org](mailto:sheffield@chphi.org). Include some high resolution pictures. All information must be received by September 1, 2011, to be included in the Fall Chakett.

# 80 Hours of RLA EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMING



Grand Beta **Ron Frank, Nu Delta 1983, Iota Zeta 1989, Delta Zeta 2000**, receives some feedback from students during an interactive session at the Tampa RLA.

This year Chi Phi provided more than eighty hours of educational programming through seven Regional Leadership Alliances (RLA).

In a slight change from years past, the Fraternity hosted six of the seven RLAs at hotels off campus. This format worked well for the 356 students and alumni that attended the sessions in Atlanta, Georgia, Corvallis, Oregon, Austin, Texas, Indianapolis, Indiana, Tampa, Florida, Lancaster, Pennsylvania and Albany, New York.

*“RLAs play such an important role in our educational model,” explained Director of Undergraduate Services Deanne Walters, Zeta Tau Alpha Fraternity. “This year, we worked directly with 19% of all of our undergraduate members and almost all of our chapter officers. It’s a wonderful opportunity to train these young men not only about how to run their chapter but how to lead in all aspects of their lives.”*

The two-day program typically runs all day on Saturday and until 2:00 p.m. on Sunday. There are three general tracks for participants: the Alpha Academy for Chapter and Colony presidents, an Alumni Education Track for alumni advisors and young alumni and an Undergraduate Track for all other students.

## Topics within the Undergraduate Track included:

**Authentically Chi Phi -**  
*A Discussion of Chi Phi Values*

**Developing Better Men -**  
*Total Membership Education*

**Chapter/Individual Finances**

**Communication Etiquette for the 21st Century,**

**Roundtable discussions with all participants.**

Phired Up Productions helped facilitate recruitment training from 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. on Sunday. The Phired Up staff focused on the personal skills necessary to recruit quality men at the Texas, Indianapolis, Florida, Pennsylvania and New York RLAs.

Heritage and Traditions Counselor **Glenn Johnson, Mu Theta 2004**, and Total Membership Education Chairman **Jim Davis, Omega 1975**, conducted Ritual education workshops at the Atlanta and Oregon RLAs.

Donors to the Chi Phi Educational Trust provide a majority of the funding needed to conduct the RLA program. To show their appreciation, students joined the Men of 1824 and raised more than \$1,500 to support future educational programming.

## 2011 RLA Schedule

January 29 - 30.....	Atlanta, Georgia
February 5 - 6.....	Corvallis, Oregon
February 5 - 6.....	Austin, Texas
February 19 - 20.....	Indianapolis, Indiana
February 26 - 27.....	Tampa, Florida
February 26 - 27:.....	Lancaster, Pennsylvania
March 5 - 6.....	Albany, New York

## Comments from RLA Participants

- I learned that other Chapters have THE SAME EXACT problems
- The most beneficial part was connecting with other Chapters.
- I'll be back.
- I learned more about the relationship between the National Fraternity and Chapters.
- The risk management session was very useful and surprising.
- The case studies were great!
- I learned a little more about myself.
- In regards to the risk management session: Eye opening. Forced me to look more closely at my own Chapter.
- Loved the round-table format; I felt much more involved.
- In regards to what I learned at RLA: There are so many ways to make Chi Phi events educational in some way.
- In regards to the overall RLA Experience: I have learned so much through this experience!
- Helped me understand why we consider Ritual to be important.
- In regards to Risk Management: The cases were interesting and thought provoking. Also shocking.
- I learned what being a Chi Phi means to me and really what I want to get out of this experience.
- I thought the sessions were very helpful and informative.
- The differences between Ritual and tradition became clearer, and the roots of Chapter issues in the problem pyramid were very interesting. Also, it was very nice to go over the values and read the Creed/True Gentleman.

## Ways to Support RLAs and Other Leadership Development Programs

Donors can support and change the lives of Chi Phi students and Chapters using a variety of outright, pledged and deferred giving methods. Some of the more popular giving methods are outlined below. Chi Phi volunteers and staff are available to hold a confidential consultation to discuss these options in more detail.

**CASH:** Gifts made by cash, credit card, money order and check provide donors with a charitable deduction and provide immediate support to Chi Phi.

**STOCK:** Giving long-term, appreciated stock allows donors to avoid paying capital gains on the increase in the stock's value. Donors also typically receive a tax deduction for the full fair market value of the stock on the date of the gift.

**PLEDGES:** Many donors may choose to make their gift over a period of time, up to five years. Donors can determine whether they want to make their gift on an annual, semi-annual, quarterly or monthly basis using cash, check, a credit card or stock.

**CORPORATE MATCHING:** Many companies will match or multiply a donation made to the Chi Phi Educational Trust through their matching gift program. As a result, donors can double or triple their gift to the cause they support by simply completing their company's matching gift form.

**BEQUEST:** Donors establish a bequest by adding basic language to their Last Will and Testament or trust documents naming the Chi Phi Educational Trust as a beneficiary of a specific amount or percentage of their estate.

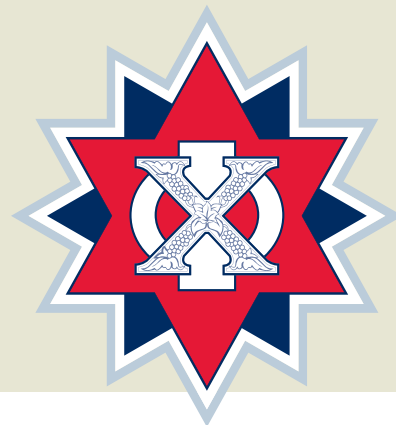
**RETIREMENT PLAN:** Name the Educational Trust as the beneficiary of all or a portion of your IRA, pension, 401(k) or other retirement plan.

**LIFE INSURANCE:** If you own life insurance policy that you no longer need, you can name the Chi Phi Educational Trust as the owner and beneficiary of the policy. If the policy has a cash value, you can take a charitable deduction approximately equal to its cash value. If you still pay annual premiums, you can deduct the premium payment each year.

**CHARITABLE REMAINDER TRUST:** When you create a charitable remainder trust, you give money, securities or other assets to a trust you create that will then pay you an income for life (or for a period of years). If you wish, the trust also can pay income to other beneficiaries of your choice. At the death of the final beneficiary, the remaining balance goes to the Chi Phi Educational Trust.

Make a gift or learn more at [www.chiphi.org](http://www.chiphi.org) or 800.849.1824

# 705 Donors in 2010



In 2010, 705 alumni, students, parents and friends made 1,072 gifts totaling \$444,143.52 to Chi Phi to support students, Chapters, scholarships, leadership training and more – an 11% increase over 2009.

These generous contributors helped more than 400 students attend and learn at Regional Leadership Alliances, and they awarded scholarships worth \$88,464 to students to continue their higher education.

Of the 705 donors, 42 men joined the Gladfelter Circle, with a gift of \$2,000 or more – up nine from the previous year.

**James W. “Jim” Wimberly Jr., Eta 1965**, made the single largest contribution of \$125,825 to support the Eta Chapter Excellence Fund. (See the related story on pages 32 and 33).

As a result of Wimberly’s generosity, Eta Chapter at the University of Georgia took the top spot for contributing the most money. Nearly 43%, \$189,067.48, was contributed by Eta alumni. Alpha Chapter at the University of Virginia held the second spot for dollars donated, but they had more individual donors (51) than any other Chi Phi Chapter.

Graduates from the 1960s contributed nearly half of the money raised in calendar year 2010 followed by alumni from the 1970s.

Donors reside in 44 states, Ontario and Nova Scotia. Nearly 17% - of all donors reside in the State of Georgia.

*“Chi Phi alumni, students and parents were more generous than ever before in 2010,” said Educational Trust Chairman **Christopher J. Shuler, Alpha Zeta 1984.** “We thank all of our generous donors for changing lives and building better men with their generosity.”*

## TOP 10 CHAPTERS –

*By Dollars Contributed in 2010*

Eta.....	\$189,067.48
Alpha.....	\$55,935.44
Alpha Theta Chi.....	\$23,820.00
Theta Delta.....	\$16,620.76
Nu Delta.....	\$15,272.02
Beta.....	\$9,310.00
Nu.....	\$9,250.00
Gamma.....	\$8,970.02
Omega.....	\$8,742.00
Alpha Zeta.....	\$8,503.45

## TOP 10 CHAPTERS –

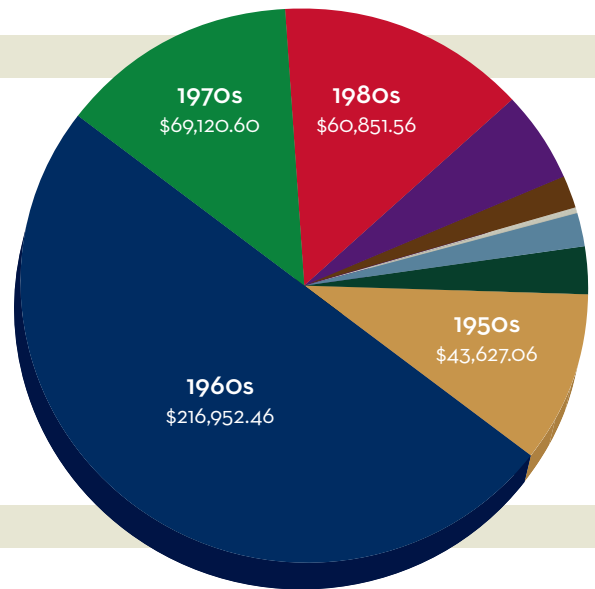
*By Number of Donors in 2010*

Alpha.....	51
Gamma.....	50
Omega.....	42
Eta.....	39
Theta Delta.....	33
Alpha-Tau.....	25
Epsilon Delta.....	25
Theta.....	24
Nu Delta.....	21
Beta.....	20

## 2010 GIVING BY GRADUATION YEAR

	Total # of Donors	Total Dollars
1930s	18	\$9,210.49
1940s	56	\$11,916.00
1950s	160	\$43,627.06
1960s	174	\$216,952.46
1970s	101	\$69,120.60
1980s	72	\$60,851.56
1990s	45	\$23,374.74
2000s	47	\$7,948.25
2010s	32	\$1,142.36
<b>Total</b>	<b>705</b>	<b>\$444,143.52</b>

## Total Dollars Contributed by Decade



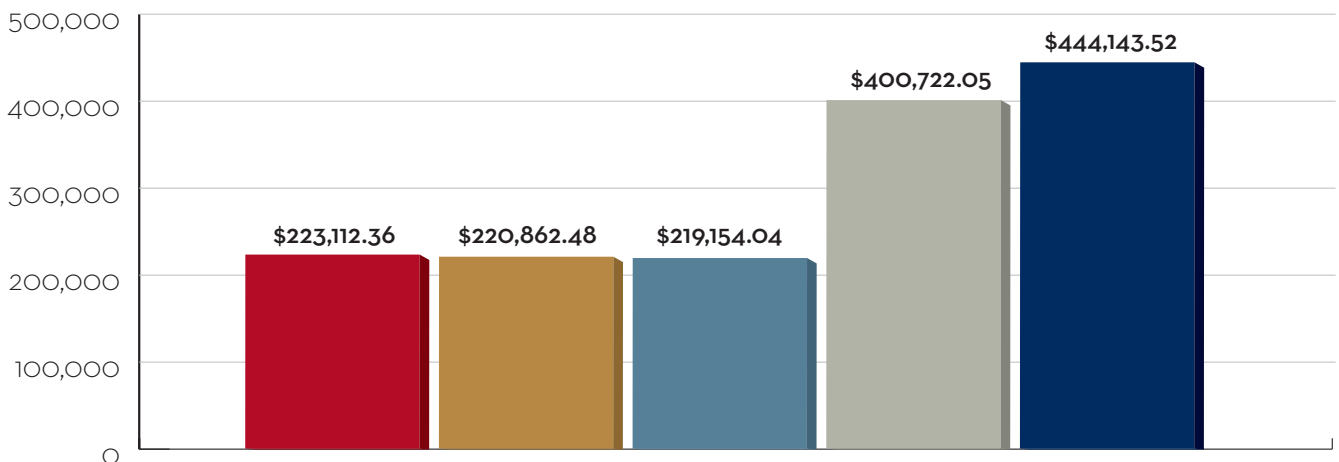
### TOP 10 STATES - By Dollars Contributed in 2010

Georgia	\$218,906.08
Virginia	\$55,027.80
Florida	\$35,584.20
Missouri	\$22,125.00
Texas	\$17,566.64
California	\$16,968.75
Ohio	\$8,157.86
New York	\$7,535.55
Maryland	\$5,745.02
New Jersey	\$5,525.00

### TOP 10 STATES - By Number of Donors in 2010

Georgia	118
Florida	81
California	54
Virginia	53
Pennsylvania	31
New York	30
Texas	27
Ohio	26
New Jersey	26
North Carolina	23

## FIVE YEAR FUNDRAISING PERFORMANCE





Trust Chairman **Christopher Shuler, Alpha Zeta 1984**, presents the gold 2011 Gladfelter Circle with Distinction pin to Grand Beta **Ron Frank, Nu Delta 1983**, Iota Zeta 1989, Delta Zeta 2000.

## GLADFELTER CIRCLE DONORS ADVANCE CHI PHI LEGACY

**Carl Gladfelter, Alpha-Tau 1933, Zeta Delta 1956, Iota Delta 1958**, holds a special place in the hearts of many Chi Phi Brothers. In order to honor his legacy of dedication and support, the top annual giving levels are named for him. The Gladfelter Circle recognizes donors who contribute \$2,000 - \$4,999 in a calendar year. The Gladfelter Circle with Distinction honors those who donate \$5,000 or more.

Members of both Gladfelter Circles can easily be spotted at Chi Phi events by their distinctive gold or silver lapel pin.

"We could not survive as a Fraternity without the generosity of our Gladfelter Circle members," explained Chairman of the Educational Trust **Christopher Shuler, Alpha Zeta 1984**. "These loyal men provide a lifeline for Chi Phi and the resources we need to impact the lives of so many young men across the country."



### GLADFELTER CIRCLE

## 2010 Gladfelter Circle with Distinction

(\$5,000 and above)

### ALPHA

#### University of Virginia

Jim P. Soderquist D.D.S., 1967

### BETA

#### Massachusetts Institute of Technology

John R. Coffman, 1966

### ETA

#### University of Georgia

C. Scott Akers Jr., Eta 1973

Peter A. Amann, Eta 1968

Lamartine G. Hardman IV, Eta 1992

Hon. Albert M. Pickett, Eta 1963

Jim W. Wimberly Jr., Eta 1965

### THETA DELTA

#### University of Florida

Alfred C. Warrington IV, 1958

### NU DELTA

#### Florida State University

Ron P. Frank, 1983

### ALPHA ZETA

#### University of West Georgia

Christopher J. Shuler, 1984

### OTHER

Anonymous

## 2010 Gladfelter Circle Members

(\$2,000 - \$4,999)

### ALPHA

#### University of Virginia

William R. Mellen, 1953

Robert F. Mizell, 1978

Edward Owen Parry Jr., 1965

### BETA

#### Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Denman K. McNear, 1948

### ETA

#### University of Georgia

Senour Reed, 1979

### IOTA

#### Ohio State University

Dan H. Dozer CAE, 1965

Hans Stucki, 1970

### NU

#### University of Texas

James B. Graves, 1948

Steve W. Hopkins, 1999

Edward L. Morris III, 1989

### PI

#### Northwestern University

Dr. Robert P. Christopher, 1954

Robert H. Snyder, 1951

### RHO

#### Lafayette College

Richard S. Gilbert, 1962

### OMEGA

#### Georgia Institute of Technology

Stephen P. Tolleson, 1969

### ALPHA DELTA

#### Pennsylvania State University

Andrew W. Schultz Sr., 1960

### ETA DELTA

#### University of Southern California

Dennis Holt, 1958

### EPSILON DELTA

#### Oregon State University

Joshua L. Price, 1998

### KAPPA DELTA

#### University of Rochester

John E. Hutzler, 1990

George M. MacDonald, 1971

### NU DELTA

#### Florida State University

Rob Parker, 1995

### THETA DELTA

#### University of Florida

Dr. Tony F. Afong, 1991

David F. Davis, 1973

### RHO DELTA

#### Ogelthorpe University

Jonathan Rawls, 1985

### SIGMA DELTA

#### University of California Davis

Larry E. Green, 1972

### XI DELTA

#### Florida Institute of Technology

Sunny Handa, 1989

### ALPHA ZETA

#### University of West Georgia

Eric Pittman, 1993

### MU THETA

#### University of the Incarnate Word

Glenn B. Johnson, 2004

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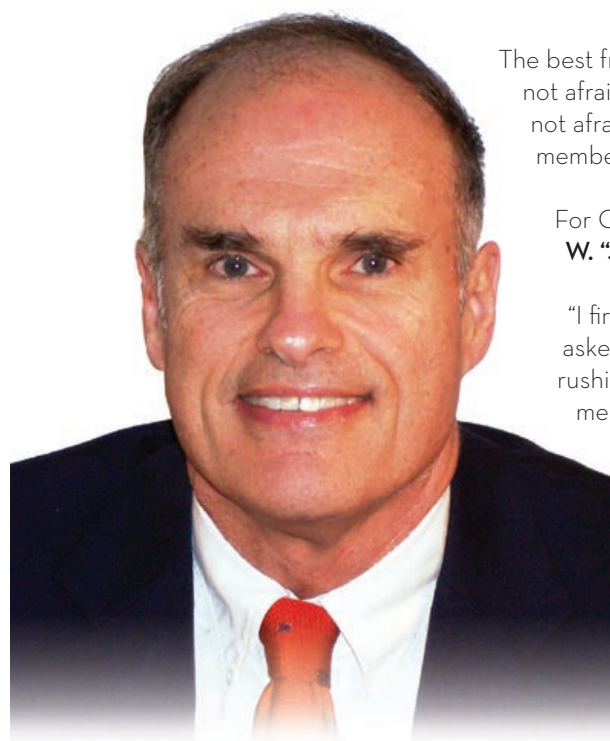
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# Nationally-Renowned Lawyer is a DRIVING FORCE Behind Eta Chapter



The best fraternities have them – long-time, dedicated alumni advisors who are not afraid to go to bat for the Chapter against the university, and who are not afraid to show up at a recruitment event and help rush prospective new members.

For Chi Phi at the University of Georgia, that man is **James W. “Jim” Wimberly Jr., Eta 1965.**

“I first got started working for Chi Phi my sophomore year when I was asked to be Rush Chairman,” explained Wimberly, “and I’ve been rushing boys into this Fraternity ever since. **Peter Amann, Eta 1968,** got me started again in the late 1970’s, in an alumni role.”

When he’s not advising national trade associations or representing employers in a labor management dispute, Wimberly, an attorney, is often at a Chi Phi recruitment event or spending time with the actives at the chapter house in Athens, Georgia. He can quickly cite the statistics and the status of blue-chip recruits for both the University of Georgia Bulldog football program and Eta. On more than one occasion, he’s been known to push back against the University administration when he felt they might be violating a contract or mistreating Eta.

*James W. “Jim” Wimberly Jr., Eta 1965*

“Jim is a force. I don’t know how he does it all,” commented **John McElderry, Eta 1994.** “There’s no question that Jim Wimberly is a legend among our Chapter and one of the reasons we have remained successful over so many years.”

Wimberly’s passion for Chi Phi is contagious. It is fueling Eta Chapter’s efforts to build a new chapter house. To support this project, he’s made a \$500,000 pledge and already contributed nearly \$250,000 to start it.

Explaining why he’s remained so active over the years, Wimberly commented, “My parents taught me to enjoy my college experience, and Chi Phi gave me the opportunity to learn certain leadership qualities that have benefited my career enormously. Working with the boys in the Chapter has always been a great pleasure to me, and I particularly get excited when we pledge legacies from someone I knew in the Chapter. In short, my role at Chi Phi has benefited me personally and professionally.”





*The Eta Chapter House as it looked when Jim Wimberly was an undergraduate. Thanks in large part to Wimberly's leadership and generosity, construction will soon begin on a new Chi Phi house at the University of Georgia.*

A senior principal in the law firm network of Wimberly & Lawson with offices in Georgia, Tennessee and South Carolina, Wimberly received his B.B.A. cum laude in 1965 and his J.D. in 1968, from the University of Georgia. In 1969, he earned his LL.M. from Harvard University.

His practice is national in scope, and he practices in all areas of labor and employment law. He served on the advisory board of Simon and Schuster's Business Practice newsletters, and formerly served on the advisory board to Commerce Clearing House's labor relations publications. He is the author of Georgia Employment Law (West Publishing) and is listed in The Best Lawyers in America. Wimberly is a former member of the Board of Directors of the Georgia Chamber of Commerce and has been a Professor of Labor Law and a General Attorney at the U.S. Department of Labor in Washington, D.C.

Born in Augusta, Georgia, Wimberly arrived at UGA in 1961.

*"From the first moment I met Jim, it was obvious that he possessed strong leadership qualities," commented*  
**Brown Wilder, Eta 1964.**

*"He was serious about his Chi Phi membership responsibilities. He was a leader of his pledge class and supported his Chi Phi colleagues throughout his undergrad career."*

# GAMMA CHAPTER:

## Recruiting, Recolonizing and Raising Money



*Thanks to a renewed effort by alumni, Tom Connolly Hall at Emory University will once again be filled with Chi Phi men beginning in 2012.*

Gone from Emory University since 2009, preparations are underway for Chi Phi to recharter Gamma Chapter in 2012.

Alumni have spent countless hours planning and preparing to ensure a successful return to campus and to the Gamma Chapter house, Connolly Hall. They've spent much time working with University administrators and staff from the National Office to forge a successful partnership that will result in a healthy new Chapter.

In addition to the recolonization planning, Gamma has launched an exciting campaign to build the Gamma Chapter Excellence Fund (CEF) at the Chi Phi Educational Trust. Working with Director of Development **Elizabeth Knott, Kappa Delta Sorority**, the Emory Chi Phis plan to raise at least \$50,000 to recruit the best men on campus and to provide the leadership and educational development necessary to guide the Chapter in perpetuity.

The \$50,000 fundraising effort, combined with nearly \$100,000 that is already in their existing CEF will provide nearly \$7,500 in scholarships and educational grants each year.

Recruitment is a key part of why the alumni felt this campaign was important. Awarding scholarships will help Gamma recruit quality young men, recognize chapter officers, encourage chapter and campus involvement and much more.

Alumnus **Preston Herren, Gamma 1964**, explained, "Scholarships are a selling point to potential members. The kind of men that we want to join will be excited about a scholarship. It is important for Gamma to fund the maximum number of scholarships that we can."

Gamma alumni imagine offering the entire 2012 new member class a scholarship, or being able to send all new chapter officers to the Chi Phi College of Excellence. There are dreams of offering each brother with a 3.5 or higher grade point average a \$1,000 scholarship to reward his hard work.

The second driving force behind the campaign is to provide leadership development opportunities for their members. Gamma alumni know how important strong leadership is to the long term success of the Chapter. By funding the CEF, alumni provide a resource for members to attend vital leadership development programs such as the Chi Phi Regional Leadership Alliance, College of Excellence, the Undergraduate Interfraternity Institute and more.

"Strong leaders will help guide the Chapter and ensure a successful return," said Herren. "They'll also stop problems from happening in the future."

Arming themselves with these recruiting and training tools will help return Gamma to its rightful place at Emory. Installed a mere 33 years after Emory was founded, Chi Phi has a long and distinguished history at the University. Enhancing the resources available to the Chapter will help continue that positive tradition. Scholarships and awards will give Gamma a recruiting edge and lay a foundation for future growth and sustainability.

**Bucky Dykes, Gamma 1972**, summarized the feelings of many donors to the Gamma CEF when he stated, "I decided to support the campaign for Gamma Chapter because of the long legacy of Chi Phi at Emory. There are buildings on campus bearing the names of Chi Phi men. Emory has had many Trustees and Presidents that were Chi Phi men. I couldn't let that legacy end."

Recruiting a quality class of new members and raising the funds to bolster the Gamma CEF are the keys to the successful return and ongoing viability of Chi Phi at Emory.

## SEEKING ALUMNI RECOMMENDATIONS FOR GAMMA

If you know a young man who currently attends or will be attending Emory University next year who would make a good Chi Phi Brother, you are strongly encouraged to provide a recommendation. Send your recommendations to Preston Herren, Gamma 1964, at 1517 Fairview Road Atlanta, GA 30306 or [lherren@bellsouth.net](mailto:lherren@bellsouth.net).

## GAMMA CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTORS

A small group of alumni have been working diligently to raise the funds to ensure the successful return of Gamma, but they need help. Gamma alumni are encouraged to support the effort by making a pledge online at [www.chiphi.org](http://www.chiphi.org) or by using the envelope enclosed in this magazine.

## GAMMA CEF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTORS

*as of 3/15/11*

Glenn Bailey, 1957  
Grady E. Clay, 1938  
Stephen N. Collier, 1964  
Miles K. Crowder, 1963  
W. Brink Dickerson, 1978  
Jackson Thomas Duncan, 1964  
George E. Duncan, 1970  
Bucky Dykes, 1972  
Daniel Elkin, 1950  
Preston Herren, 1964  
Charles P. Howell, 1964  
William Jonakin, 1975  
James G. Kenimer, 1966  
J. Burke Kile, 1959  
Kenneth M. Lusht, 1964  
John P. Norman, 1946  
James W. Owen, 1961  
William J. Peterson, 1940  
Robert K. Purks, 1960  
Gordon M. Smith, 1957  
Reginald S. Smith, 1964  
Michael B. Stoddard, 1966  
Lon Chandler Watson, 1944



## MACLEAN LEGACY SOCIETY

# Seven New Brothers Leave the Ultimate Gift

To many alumni, it is important to know that the causes important to them will thrive and prosper long after their own death. Life's pressures and the uncertainty created by the current economic climate often prohibit generous alumni and friends from fully supporting Chi Phi or their Chapter to the extent they might like.

Planned gifts provide opportunities for alumni to make institution-changing impact on students, their Chapter and Chi Phi in perpetuity. Since publishing the Fall edition of the Chakett, seven new members have stepped forward, committing more than \$700,000 in planned gifts.

The MacLean Legacy Society recognizes those generous alumni and friends who have projected their love and support for Chi Phi and its mission beyond the horizon of their own mortality by making a planned or estate gift of \$10,000 and higher.

As of April 15, 2011, the thirty-six members of the MacLean Legacy Society are:

Herman Charles Krannert, Sigma 1912\*  
Herman O. Swanson, Alpha Tau 1914\*  
Gray C. Ramsaur, Theta Delta 1939\*  
Bates Block, Gamma 1940, Eta 1942\*  
Robert D. Jones\*  
Joseph V. Goeller, Iota Delta 1963  
Richard Gilbert, Rho 1962  
Ed Greenwald, Pi Delta 1971  
George Langford, Alpha 1950  
James B. Hill, Iota Delta 1960  
George Spaur, Epsilon Delta 1925\*  
William D. Nuss, Iota Delta 1968  
Jonathan J. Rawls, Rho Delta 1985  
D. Fort Flowers, Omega 1983  
James Soderquist, Alpha 1967  
Joseph E. Jones, Epsilon 1958  
Donald Pearson, Theta Delta 1959  
Brooks R. Caldwell, Epsilon Delta 1925

J. Darryl McCall, Psi Delta 1982 \*  
Raymond T. Snapp, Iota Delta 1967  
Eugenia L. Neel \*  
William M. Byrd, Nu 1953 \*  
Christopher J. Shuler, Alpha Zeta 1984  
Ross S. Shoolroy, Iota 1939 \*  
Andrew W. Schultz Sr., Alpha Delta 1960  
Richard T. Lane, Kappa Delta 1993  
Jack C. Cook, Alpha 1948 \*  
Randy Loos, Theta Delta 1977  
Senour Reed, Eta 1979  
James Davis, Omega 1975  
R. Preston Herren, Gamma 1964  
Anonymous  
Anonymous  
David F. Davis, Theta Delta 1973  
Tom Guinther, Iota 1972  
Ron Coleman, Alpha Zeta 1983

\* deceased

Do you see a name missing from this list? Have you already included the Chi Phi Educational Trust or your Chapter in your estate plan? Are you interested in learning about the benefits of gift planning? Contact Director of Development Fred Maglione at 800.849.1824 or [maglione@chiphio.org](mailto:maglione@chiphio.org) to discuss in confidence any plans you've already put into place or are considering.



## Two Anonymous Donors Plan to Leave \$100,000 to Chi Phi



Two anonymous donors. One is in his mid-30s. The other is in his mid-50s. One lives in the Southeast. The other lives in the Midwest. Both are leaving generous gifts valued at \$100,000 each to the Chi Phi Educational Trust after their death.

They care deeply about Chi Phi and their specific Chi Phi Chapters. They want to remain anonymous so they don't generate too much attention.

“Chi Phi made me who I am today,” said Anonymous Donor #2. “I want to ensure the Fraternity is there for many years to come, but I don't want any special attention. As a Brother, we're all expected to do our part. This is my way of doing my part and making a big impact long after I'm gone.”

One anonymous donor decided to update his estate plans after experiencing some life-changing family tragedies. He began to focus on the people and institutions that meant the most to him. Chi Phi was at the top of the list.

The other realized Chi Phi played such a pivotal role in his personal and professional career. His personal drive and the relationships he shared with Chi Phi men of multiple ages and from multiple Chapters helped fuel the successful business he runs today.

Both generous Brothers have left a portion of their estate to the Chi Phi Educational Trust in their Last Will and Testament. As a result of these gifts, these men qualify for membership in both the MacLean Legacy Society (Chi Phi's planned giving organization) and as New Founders for making a gift of \$100,000 or more.

“It may be a long way off before we realize any of these contributions,” explained Trust Chairman **Christopher Shuler, Alpha Zeta 1984**, “but the only way we ensure our relevance for generations is when alumni invest significantly in the Educational Trust. The easiest way to make a significant gift is by incorporating it into your estate plans.”

Shuler continued, “Other major, national fraternities were talking to their alumni 10, 15 and 20 years ago, and they are seeing the impact of that investment. Chi Phi is just getting started. We have a long way to go, but we're getting there.”

“These two Brothers are perfect examples of the passion alumni share for our Fraternity and their selfless desire to give without any public recognition - because they believe so strongly in the mission and the Chi Phi experience. I can't thank them enough.”



## Why Responsibility & Accountability Matter:

### *The Perspective of a New Alumnus*

*By Steven Rosson, Psi Zeta 2009*

Our Chapter spends a lot of time talking about how to build better men: developmental instruction we can offer, bonds we can strengthen, activities to plan, etc. But one thing we often overlook is the simple matter of how we think about **responsibility** and **accountability**.

These two topics are not just vital to the organizational function of our Chapter: they are the building blocks for a successful academic and professional career and a productive life.

Before Chi Phi, and even more so before college, I had an extremely poor work ethic. I caused numerous problems for myself. I barely managed to graduate high school on time. I was not held accountable, nor interested in taking responsibility for my actions, until Chi Phi.

Chi Phi taught me how to manage my time and take responsibility. When I became Beta, I had to figure out - and not without help - how to make lists of things that needed to be done, how to keep track of dates so things didn't sneak up on me, and how to hold myself and others accountable to our commitments. These skills are applicable not just to Chi Phi, but to any personal, academic or professional endeavor we will ever undertake.

Chi Phi was one of my first regular commitments that was fully voluntary. I wanted to be a part of the Fraternity, and I knew some shaping up was in order. I had to be at things on time, meet deadlines and do what I said I would do.

No more messing around.

I did a complete 180 because it's what I wanted for myself. This was a big step for me, and my brothers and the rules we had in place were a big part of that.

My perspective now is that of a fairly busy and disciplined alumnus. I spent four very active years in the Fraternity, was Student Body President and now work full-time and own two businesses on the side. **And I unequivocally attribute my success to the responsibility I developed in Chi Phi.**

My duties within the Chapter taught me how to follow through on my commitments. Our debates taught me how to be patient and compromise with people with whom I might disagree. And the strictness of our Chapter's Judicial Board taught me not to expect exceptions or special treatment.

My point here is that some of the biggest life lessons our Chapters can offer are not member development activities but the view we take on our responsibilities and obligations.

Some people are poor time managers and have trouble making good grades, completing study hours, getting to Chapter meetings on time or keeping up with committee work.

The **easy** thing for these people, and for the Chapter to do, is to accommodate.

- “Yes, we’ll excuse your absence even though you didn’t text or call.”
- “Yes, you may attend the brotherhood retreat even though you missed study hours this week.”
- “Yes, you can still run for the officer position you want even though you’re on scholastic probation.”
- “Yes, you can leave the Chapter meeting early because you are behind on your studying.”

The **hard** thing to do - but what I believe is more beneficial in the long term - is to draw hard lines and not bend them except in extreme cases. **This reflects reality.** This is the world after college, and the world that I feel Chi Phi should be preparing its members for.

As students it is relatively easy to shirk responsibility and have things our way. We can skip class without consequence, get special treatment from professors by attending office hours, and get ourselves excused from pretty much any responsibility we have if we play our cards right. This may be convenient, but it does not work in real life.

In real life, there is an unprecedented number of students graduating without ever learning true accountability and responsibility, and it is sorely affecting their employment prospects. Managers get calls - whether on interview day or on work days - with reports like “I’m stuck in traffic,” “I got pulled over,” “I have to take care of some things at home,” or “my car wouldn’t start.”

We might let these excuses work for us in the Chapter, and our professors might even let them slide in class, but we simply cannot depend upon them in the real world.

I’m not suggesting any direct policy changes. I ask only that every Chi Phi Brother consider carefully what is truly important from a development standpoint, and in what ways the Chapter can best deliver upon them and prepare our members for life in the real world.

*“I unequivocally attribute my success to the responsibility I developed in Chi Phi.”*



Last year, Chi Phi awarded **\$88,464**  
in academic scholarships thanks to generous  
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Give the gift of higher education.

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Support scholarships and make a gift at [www.chiphi.org](http://www.chiphi.org)





# What some of last year's scholarship recipients are saying at [www.facebook.com/ChiPhiTrust](http://www.facebook.com/ChiPhiTrust)

*So many Brothers in our Chapter have found ways to make ends-meet through the Educational Trust. Thanks to ya'll again for all of your support.*

- Nick Hinojosa, Psi Zeta 2010

*The Fraternity has provided me many leadership opportunities that have helped me to find a place on campus and grow as an individual. Learning to be a good Brother in my Chapter has gone hand in hand with learning to be a better person. This scholarship has helped me to remain an active member of the Fraternity and has assisted me with educational-related expenses at the university. More importantly, though, the Fraternity has provided me with a wonderful group of Brothers to motivate me and support me in my personal endeavors. The Educational Trust helps college students of different financial backgrounds become Brothers in our Chapter. These Brothers have enriched the fraternal experience tremendously. This semester was particularly rough for me due to the intensity of coursework and responsibilities as an intern. One of my fraternity brothers, Paul, was there for me continuously to make sure I did not completely resign myself to the library study lounge. Another brother, Nick, has been an active Chi Phi for almost four years. When I joined as a freshman, he was three years older than I and was my mentor. He helped me learn how to balance social life, college schoolwork and leadership responsibilities within and outside of the Fraternity. Your contribution has enabled individual Brothers to receive the wonderful benefits of a fraternal experience and has at the same time given individual Chapters the gift of these Brothers' presence. Thank you.*

- Andrew Previc, Psi Zeta 2013

*I would like to sincerely thank the Chi Phi Educational Trust for the generous scholarship fund that has helped me and many Brothers across the country in countless ways both this semester and those past. Your contributions are truly appreciated. We will continue to uphold the values of our Fraternity and excel in every way possible. Your support makes this all possible. On behalf of the Zeta Theta Chapter, thank you very much.*

- Evan Grodzitsky, Zeta Theta 2012

*Thank you very much for the scholarship. It is great to know that members of our fraternity across the nation can get financial help from our National Fraternity and the donors to the Chi Phi E.T.*

- Connor Deeks, Epsilon Delta 2012

*I appreciate the Chi Phi Educational Trust for honoring me with a scholarship this past year. Thank you all for donating money to encourage Chi Phi performance in the classroom. In turn, those who received scholarships, remember to give back and join the Men of 1824 cause!*

- Andrew Schellenberg, Nu Delta 2010

## > Creating a Scholarship

Alumni, friends, Chapters, Alumni Associations and Alumni Clubs can endow and name a scholarship with gift of \$25,000 or more. To learn more about creating a named scholarship that will recognize and reward students in perpetuity, contact Director of Development Elizabeth Knott at (800) 849-1824 or [knott@chiphil.org](mailto:knott@chiphil.org).

## Tax Law Changes Impact Charitable Giving

The Tax Relief, Unemployment Insurance Reauthorization, and Job Creation Act of 2010, signed into law by President Obama on December 17, 2010, extends and expands a wide variety of valuable tax breaks and includes tax provisions affecting individuals and businesses. Key highlights of the new law and their impact on charitable giving are below.

## Special IRA Giving Extended Through 2011

When it comes to charitable giving, individuals can continue to make direct contributions from their IRA to qualified charities (like the Chi Phi Educational Trust) of up to \$100,000 and exclude the IRA distribution from their income. This special provision is only in effect until the end of 2011.

## Top Estate Tax Rate Increases to 35%

The federal government increased the estate tax exemption to \$5 million, and also set the top estate tax payment rate at 35%. This basically means that individuals who have more than \$5 million in their gross estate upon death, may be required to pay as much as 35% of the value above \$5 million to the federal government. Careful estate planning techniques can reduce your tax burden and fund important charitable causes like a scholarship endowment for a Chi Phi student or your Chapter's Chapter Excellence Fund.

## To Learn More

To learn more about how you might employ any of these ideas to your advantage contact Director of Development Fred Maglione, CFRE, JD at 800.849.1824 or [maglione@chiphio.org](mailto:maglione@chiphio.org).

# LOOKING FOR LOST BROTHERS

The National Office has lost touch with 14,565 alumni. Listed below is a small sample of the Chi Phi men without a valid mailing address on file. Help us find and reconnect with these lost Brothers. Submit address updates and any new contact information to Patty Fisher at [fisher@chiphio.org](mailto:fisher@chiphio.org) or by calling 800.849.1824.

### ALPHA

William R. L. Dorman, Alpha 1960  
Joseph T. McDaniel, Alpha 1960  
Thomas L. McGowan, Alpha 1960  
Gallais E. Matheny, Alpha 1960  
Charles S. Cox Jr., Alpha 1961  
Howard J. Brinner Jr., Alpha 1962  
Alexander P. Turner, Alpha 1962  
Robert J. Kilpatrick, Alpha 1964  
Daryl G. Brewster, Alpha 1979

### ALPHA DELTA

Walter H. Cramer, Alpha Delta 1950  
Richard T. McKernan,  
Alpha Delta 1959  
Thomas Thomas Jr., Alpha Delta 1967  
Terrance J. Meddock,  
Alpha Delta 1968  
Allen K. Wicks, Alpha Delta 1968  
Randell G. Craig, Alpha Delta 1969  
Richard A. Starz, Alpha Delta 1969  
Alan B. Wells, Alpha Delta 1970  
Jeffrey V. Hall, Alpha Delta 1974  
Richard L. Farringer Jr.,  
Alpha Delta 1975  
Kenneth G. Snyder, Alpha Delta 1975  
R. Edward Shuster, Alpha Delta 1975

### ALPHA THETA

Eric D. Moore, Alpha Theta 2003  
Eric J. Venable, Alpha Theta 2003  
Xia Wei Li, Alpha Theta 2004  
Muhammed K. Gheith,  
Alpha Theta 2004  
Daniel R. Kizziah, Alpha Theta 2005

### ALPHA THETA CHI

Daniel A. Mulder,  
Alpha Theta Chi 1969  
Maj. Alexander B. Currie,  
Alpha Theta Chi 1969  
Gary E. Ewing, Alpha Theta Chi 1970  
Robert K. Burney,  
Alpha Theta Chi 1970  
E. Wicks, Alpha Theta Chi 1974  
Bradley W. Reynolds,  
Alpha Theta Chi 1974  
Kent D. Johnson,  
Alpha Theta Chi 1974

### ALPHA ZETA

John E. McDaniel Jr.,  
Alpha Zeta 1974, Gamma 1974  
James E. Winderweedle Jr.,  
Alpha Zeta 1975, Gamma 1975  
Thomas R. Gladfelter,  
Alpha Zeta 1975, Gamma 1975  
Charles L. Cooley Jr.,  
Alpha Zeta 1980

Brian W. Pietro, Alpha Zeta 1981  
Julius T. Hollingshed, Alpha Zeta 1981  
Matthew W. Gallman,  
Alpha Zeta 1982  
Thomas S. Johnson, Alpha Zeta 1982  
Steve W. Bruce, Alpha Zeta 1982  
Jeffrey L. Crider, Alpha Zeta 1982  
Jeffery A. McCollum,  
Alpha Zeta 1983  
Richard W. Stark, Alpha Zeta 1984  
William D. Stephens, Alpha Zeta 1984  
Loy Phillip Peppers, Alpha Zeta 1991

### ALPHA-ALPHA

Paul E. Miller III, Alpha-Alpha 1970  
Frank S. McGaughey III,  
Alpha-Alpha 1970  
T. Truxtun Emerson,  
Alpha-Alpha 1970  
John D. Prudden, Alpha-Alpha 1970  
Charles N. Jeffress,  
Alpha-Alpha 1970  
John K. Secunda, Alpha-Alpha 1971  
Douglas S. Lanham, Alpha-Alpha 1971  
Charles H. Henry Jr.,  
Alpha-Alpha 1972

### ALPHA-CHI

Duncan M. Prichard, Alpha-Chi 1995  
Brian M. Sam-Bodden,  
Alpha-Chi 1995  
Peter R. Corbett, Alpha-Chi 1995  
Zoltan Szentkiralyi, Alpha-Chi 1995  
Michael C. Rudolph, Alpha-Chi 1996  
Lee T. Dolsen, Alpha-Chi 1996  
Alexander K. Hardin, Alpha-Chi 1996  
Darren D. Zeck, Alpha-Chi 1996

### ALPHA-MU

Percy O. Rucks Jr., Alpha-Mu 1950  
Ben M. Wiles, Alpha-Mu 1951  
Eugene G. Hunter Jr., Alpha-Mu 1951  
Henry J. Knaepen, Alpha-Mu 1951  
Robert B. VanSkiel Jr.,  
Alpha-Mu 1951, Theta Delta 1951  
John H. Heiney Jr., Alpha-Mu 1953

### ALPHA-PI

Allen D. Betzer, Alpha-Pi 1975  
Kim P. Eggers, Alpha-Pi 1975  
John D. Dilks Jr., Alpha-Pi 1976  
Matthew D. Allgood, Alpha-Pi 1986  
Stephen D. Roche, Alpha-Pi 1986

### ALPHA-SIGMA

Richard B. Simring, Alpha-Sigma 1988  
Patrick A. Arensdorf,  
Alpha-Sigma 1989  
Brandon S. Peters, Alpha-Sigma 1989

Geoffrey W. Tarleton,  
Alpha-Sigma 1989  
Jedd H. Wider, Alpha-Sigma 1989  
Jonathan D. Gerber,  
Alpha-Sigma 1990  
Scott M. Rennie, Alpha-Sigma 1990  
Randall F. Roberts, Alpha-Sigma 1990  
Adam M. Mizel, Alpha-Sigma 1991

### ALPHA-TAU

Jurek Siemiatkowski, Alpha-Tau 1979  
Lt. J.G. Michael J. O'Connell III,  
Alpha-Tau 1979  
Spencer W. Waller, Alpha-Tau 1979  
Richard L. Arden, Alpha-Tau 1980  
David M. Hix, Alpha-Tau 1980  
Maurice A. Glucksman,  
Alpha-Tau 1980  
James A. Frantz, Alpha-Tau 1980  
Jeffrey K. More, Alpha-Tau 1980  
Stephen O. Carter, Alpha-Tau 1980  
Gregory J. Avesian, Alpha-Tau 1981  
John N. Owens, Alpha-Tau 1981  
Matthew J. Bendelow, Alpha-Tau 1982  
Craig T. Trebilcock, Alpha-Tau 1982  
Anthony J. Sherman, Alpha-Tau 1989

### BETA

Thomas A. Remmers, Beta 1960  
James R. VonBenken, Beta 1960  
Larry M. Ayres, Beta 1961  
L. Marshall Ayers, Beta 1961  
Thomas M. Ewing, Beta 1961  
Salvatore J. Fidone, Beta 1961  
Dennis E. Cook, Beta 1962  
Elliott J. Bayly, Beta 1962  
John T. Flaherty, Beta 1963  
Allen A. Harano, Beta 1964  
Jaan Treilman, Beta 1964  
Werner A. Bleyer, Beta 1965  
Harry W. Morris, Beta 1987  
David P. Weilmuenster, Beta 1975  
Andrew James Wheeler, Beta 2000

### BETA DELTA

Willard W. Teibel, Beta Delta 1949  
Tony Karamatic, Beta Delta 1949  
Kendall E. Ludwick, Beta Delta 1949  
Kenneth C. Morris, Beta Delta 1949  
John R. Whitt, Beta Delta 1950  
Fred M. Woldstad, Beta Delta 1950  
Willard I. Ludwick Jr., Beta Delta 1950  
George D. Shine Jr., Beta Delta 1960  
Thomas A. King, Beta Delta 1960  
Donald R. Gies, Beta Delta 1960  
Norris H. Hart, Beta Delta 1961

## BETA SIGMA RHO

Patrick W. Gonzales,  
Beta Sigma Rho 1989  
Todd A. Searight,  
Beta Sigma Rho 1989  
James A. Smith, Beta Sigma Rho 1989  
Gregory P. Brumback,  
Beta Sigma Rho 1990  
David W. Schulke,  
Beta Sigma Rho 1990  
Todd S. Young, Beta Sigma Rho 1991

## BETA THETA

Matthew S. Merkel, Beta Theta 2000  
Will D. Alexander, Beta Theta 2000  
Stephen C. Umphlett,  
Beta Theta 2001  
Keith B. Mullane, Beta Theta 2002  
Karl T. Lipscomb, Beta Theta 2003  
James N. Lowery, Beta Theta 2005  
Douglas G. Chalmers,  
Beta Theta 2005

## BETA ZETA

Steven M. Kurdziolek,  
Beta Zeta 1972, Theta Delta 1972  
Richard A. Dameron,  
Beta Zeta 1972, Theta Delta 1972  
Kent A. Tallaksen,  
Beta Zeta 1974, Theta Delta 1974  
Mark A. Salomon,  
Beta Zeta 1974, Theta Delta 1974  
Anthony F. Ozzimo,  
Beta Zeta 1974, Theta Delta 1974  
Thomas P. Blyth III,  
Beta Zeta 1974, Theta Delta 1974  
Charles P. Bobbitt III,  
Beta Zeta 1974, Theta Delta 1974

## CHI

Donald C. Adams, Chi 1959

## DELTA ZETA

Quincy Lee Banis, Delta Zeta 2007

## EPSILON

William P. Edmondson, Epsilon 1956

## EPSILON ZETA

Steven A. Slanina, Epsilon Zeta 1990  
Calvin J. Clements III,  
Epsilon Zeta 1990  
Todd L. Thalhamer, Epsilon Zeta 1990  
Christopher A. Reighn,  
Epsilon Zeta 1991  
Eric W. Schweitzer, Epsilon Zeta 1991  
John H. Bair, Epsilon Zeta 1991  
Michael T. Klepacki, Epsilon Zeta 1991  
Eric J. Reimer, Epsilon Zeta 1992  
Josh J. Albrecht, Epsilon Zeta 1992  
Joel W. Schmitt, Epsilon Zeta 1992  
Rich E. Johansen, Epsilon Zeta 1992  
Derek B. Myers, Epsilon Zeta 1993  
Harold George Campbell,  
Epsilon Zeta 2007

## ETA

Darryl M. Aldridge, Eta 1983  
H. Black Jr., Eta 1945  
Richard L. DeGolian, Eta 1938  
Arthur F. Dismukes, Eta 1960  
David L. Fortson, Eta 1966  
Douglas K. Garges, Eta 1969  
James D. Horne, Eta 1947  
Thomas W. Connolly, Eta 1944  
J. Frank Kelley, Eta 1954

## ETA DELTA

Robert J. Kastigar, Eta Delta 1961  
Matthew E. Vasgersian,  
Eta Delta 1989

## GAMMA DELTA

John W. Laurens, Gamma Delta 1950  
Melvin W. Walters,  
Gamma Delta 1959

## IOTA

John R. Antonucci, Iota 1943  
Maj. Joe Howard, Iota 1958  
Don F. Meek, Iota 1958  
A. Dean Hindson, Iota 1959  
Alan W. Lee, Iota 1959  
Robert D. Kacur, Iota 1959

## IOTA ZETA

Niraj Sethi, Iota Zeta 1994  
Christopher L. George, Iota Zeta 1994  
Ziad D. Kubursi, Iota Zeta 1994  
Jean-Pierre G. Ltaif, Iota Zeta 1995  
Anthony D. McNair, Iota Zeta 1995  
Robert C. Stringfellow, Iota Zeta 1997  
Ned Allen Krafchick, Iota Zeta 1997

## KAPPA

John Gilbert Powles, Kappa 1958  
Paul J. Gotta, Kappa 1985  
Daniel P. Groh, Kappa 1985  
Douglas P. Haensel, Kappa 1985  
Richard P. Haslam, Kappa 1985  
Todd L. Peters, Kappa 1985

## LAMBDA

Kenneth A. Morrison, Lambda 1978

## MU

Charles A. Halsey, Mu 1967

## MU DELTA

Michael C. Whitaker, Mu Delta 1998  
Jason P. Rhodin, Mu Delta 1999  
Robert A. Null, Mu Delta 1999

## MU THETA

Kevin Lewis Barnes, Mu Theta 2004

## MU ZETA

Christopher D. Dominy, Mu Zeta 1996  
Todd P. Fielder, Mu Zeta 1996  
Michael C. Hoehn, Mu Zeta 1996  
Jerrett B. Jackson, Mu Zeta 1996

## NU

Martin H. Boone, Nu 1944  
Daniel K. Heers, Nu 1970  
William S. Tandy, Nu 1970  
Darrell K. Guess, Nu 1971  
Steven A. Blass, Nu 1990  
Jason S. Coomer, Nu 1990  
David B. Cripe, Nu 1990  
Ernest N. Hill, Nu 1990  
Francesco Masi, Nu 1990  
Robert C. Wills, Nu 1990

## OMEGA

Walter G. Brown, Omega 1950  
Benjamin K. Gillis, Omega 1952  
Herbert C. Skinner, Omega 1959  
William A. Thompson, Omega 1951

## OMICRON

David B. Langmuir, Omicron 1931

## PSI

Geoffrey Harlan Kraft, Psi 1985  
Samuel L. Schwerin, Psi 1994

## SIGMA

William N. Collins, Sigma 1952  
Richard C. Davenport, Sigma 1943

## TAU DELTA

Paul A. Fisher, Tau Delta 1964

## THETA DELTA

William A. Berky, Theta Delta 1969  
Thomas J. Hodge, Theta Delta 1975  
Jack M. Spurlock, Theta Delta 1952

## XI DELTA

Gerald David Benjamin, Xi Delta 1982

## ZETA

Kenneth F. Smith, Zeta 1955

## ZETA DELTA

Nicholas A. Fanelli, Zeta Delta 1961

# Contributing Stock

Contributing stock and other securities provides donors with an opportunity to avoid paying capital gains on the increase in the stock's value. Donors also typically receive a tax deduction for the full fair market value of the stock on the date of the gift.

Individuals wishing to donate stock to the Chi Phi Educational Trust, a 501(c)(3) educational foundation, can do so using the following procedures:

## 1. TRANSFER THE STOCK TO:

Sanford C. Bernstein & Co., LLC  
DTC#: 013  
Acct#: 03907906  
Acct Name: Chi Phi Educational Trust  
Endowment Fund

*\* Note, Chi Phi is unable to accept transfers of open-ended mutual funds (tickers usually end in "X")*

## 2. NOTIFY CHI PHI

Once you transfer the stock, please contact the Chi Phi Development Office at (800) 849-1824 or fax: (404) 237-5090 with the following information:

- Your name
- The amount and name(s) of the shares you transferred
- The date of the transfer
- Any particular fund, if any, you want the stock gift to support

It is very important that you notify Chi Phi with this information so that you receive proper credit and a charitable gift receipt for your generous gift.

## FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Elizabeth Knott  
knott@chiphio.org  
(800) 849-1824

# FROM THE CHI PHI



Λ Willard Hall, in Washington, D.C., site of the first Fraternity Convention in 1874.

< A Convention banner from the 59th Chi Phi Convention in Albany, New York.

# ARCHIVES



Gamma Chapter recorded their own record of Chi Phi songs at some point in the past.

## Reconnect with



# CHI PHI

## June

**9 - 12:**

Reunion 2011 takes place for Xi Chapter at Cornell University. Learn more at [www.chiphicornell.org](http://www.chiphicornell.org).

**23:**

Watts Gunn Memorial Golf Tournament. Register and learn more at [www.chiphi.org/golf](http://www.chiphi.org/golf)

**24 - 26:**

146th Chi Phi Congress in Orlando, Florida. Register and learn more at [www.chiphi.org/congress](http://www.chiphi.org/congress).

## July

**15:**

The Alpha Zeta Home Association will once again host Hackerfest at the Laurel Springs Golf Club on Friday, July 15, 2011. For more information, visit [www.azhouse.org](http://www.azhouse.org).

## September

**17:**

Xi Chapter celebrates Homecoming. Learn more at [www.chiphicornell.org](http://www.chiphicornell.org).

**30:**

Alpha-Chi Celebrates 100 Years (through October 2). For more information, and to register for the celebration weekend of events, visit [www.owuchiphi.org](http://www.owuchiphi.org).

## October

**11 - 14:**

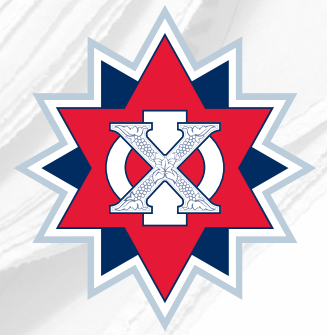
Mu alumni and their spouses will hold a reunion of the Mu "Old Guard" in Orlando, Florida.

**15:**

Penn State takes on Purdue, and Alpha Delta celebrates Homecoming. Visit [www.chiphi-psu.org](http://www.chiphi-psu.org) for more information.

Do you have news or important dates you want to share about your chapter or Alumni Association? Send all relevant information to **Trevor Sheffield, Rho Delta 2008**, at [sheffield@chiphi.org](mailto:sheffield@chiphi.org). All information must be received by September 1, 2011, to be included in the Fall *Chakett*.

# Alumni News & Notes



September 1, 2010 - February 28, 2011

## 1970s . . .



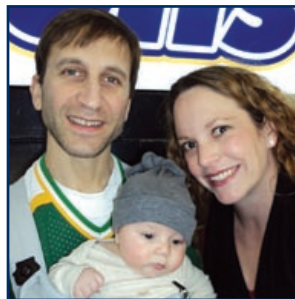
ASQ ([www.asq.org](http://www.asq.org)) has awarded Fellow status to **Robert K. Smith, Omicron Delta 1972**, and 14 other ASQ members. These individuals were elected Fellows by ASQ's board of directors in November 2010. Fellows are recognized as having achieved professional distinction and pre-eminence in the technology, theory, education, application or management of quality control. Smith received Fellow membership status for outstanding promotion and implementation of software quality principles and processes; for contributions to quality in personal life and education; and for continuous contributions to section activities.

## 1980s . . .

**David Carroll, Kappa Zeta 1989**, runs an industrial design services business and is offering discounts to Chi Phi brothers. Learn more at [www.deepblueid.com](http://www.deepblueid.com).

## 1990s . . .

**Brian Miller, Chi Zeta 1995**, won the Shorty Award in Art at the 3rd annual Shorty Awards at the Times Center in New York City on March 28. Miller lives in Lynchburg, VA and works as a counselor to at-risk teens. He also writes for [www.waystationone.com](http://www.waystationone.com). Six months ago, he teamed up with poets Leslie Moon, Pete Marshall and Adam Dustus to form [OneStopPoetry.com](http://OneStopPoetry.com) a place to encourage writers and poets. In the first six months, OneStopPoetry has surpassed 100,000 hits and is teaming up with a publisher in the UK to produce their first book which will be a collection of the best poems from poets that have contributed to the website.



Executive Director **Michael Azarian, Psi Delta 1997**, and his wife, Holly, announce the birth of their son, Michael Carl Azarian, on October 22, 2010.

**Christopher Miller, Eta Delta 1998**, and his wife, Susan, welcomed their first child, Lauren Marie.

## 2000s . . .



On November 2, 2010, the people of the State of Connecticut elected **Lenoard C. "Len" Greene Jr., Zeta Delta 2003** to the Connecticut House of Representatives for the first time. He represents the towns of Seymour, Beacon Falls and Ansonia, Connecticut. He serves on the Energy & Technology Committee, the Environment Committee, and the Public Safety & Security Committee. You can learn more about him at [www.repgreen.com](http://www.repgreen.com).

**Dan Hills, Mu 2006**, is planning a charitable cross-country bicycle ride with a group called Bike the US for MS. Proceeds will benefit the James Q. Miller MS Clinic in Charlottesville, VA and help fund projects for MS patients across the country. View his online Page for Bike the US for MS: <http://www.biketheusforms.org/cyclists/detail.asp?cid=66>

*Send your news and high resolution photographs to Trevor Sheffield at [sheffield@chphi.org](mailto:sheffield@chphi.org). Did you recently get married? Have a baby? Change jobs? Retire? Reconnect with some of your fraternity Brothers? Let us know, and send pictures!*

# CHAPTER ETERNAL

SEPTEMBER 1, 2010 – FEBRUARY 28, 2011

Has a Chi Phi you know entered the Chapter Eternal?

If so, please report this information to the Chi Phi National Office at [fisher@chphi.org](mailto:fisher@chphi.org)

## ALPHA CHAPTER

University of Virginia

Frank M. Thompson, Alpha 1946, died September 29, 2010.

William P. Thurston Jr., Alpha 1945, died July 29, 2010.

## BETA CHAPTER

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Arthur C. Powell II, Beta 1943, died January 14, 2011.

## DELTA CHAPTER

Rutgers University

Donald J. Stefl, Delta 1948, died in July 2010.

## EPSILON CHAPTER

Hampden-Sydney College

Royal E. Cabell Jr., Epsilon 1943, died in the 1990's.

Robert P. Taylor, Epsilon 1953,

Alpha 1953, died September 16, 1999.

## ZETA CHAPTER

Franklin & Marshall College

Carl E. Brothers, Zeta 1954, died, no date given.

Reed W. Kinzer, Zeta 1945, died, no date given.

## ETA CHAPTER

University of Georgia

Harold E. Bailey Jr., Eta 1983, died December 29, 2010.

Morgan C. Byars, Eta 1962, died, no date given.

Bourke S. Floyd, Eta 1950, died, no date given.

William C. Hailey, Eta 1980, died, no date given.

William B. Hardman, Eta 1999, died, no date given.

Thomas C. Howard, Eta 1983, died, no date given.

Dessie F. Miller Jr., Eta 1958, died on February 5, 2011.

Rowell C. Stanton Jr., Eta 1960, died August 2, 2010.

William D. Starnes, Eta 1959, died November 4, 2010.

## THETA CHAPTER

Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

Rusty J. Gordon Jr., Theta 1976, Pi Delta 2006, died March 5, 2010.

Dennis M. Shea, Theta 1965, died, no date given.

## IOTA CHAPTER

Ohio State University

William T. Griffith, Iota 1953, died November 2, 2010.

Robert H. Nixon, Iota 1949, died February 14, 2011.

Robert L. Renfrew, Iota 1948, died, no date given.

William T. Rodenbach, Iota 1949, died July 24, 2010.

## KAPPA CHAPTER

University of Wisconsin

Raymond C. Butman, Kappa 1949, passed away in 2003.

## MU CHAPTER

Stevens Institute of Technology

Kenneth W. DeBaun, Mu 1949, died November 3, 2010.

## NU CHAPTER

University of Texas

Hugh O. Wolfe, Nu 1938, died May 20, 2010.

## XI CHAPTER

Cornell University

James E. Bennett Jr., Xi 1941, died, no date given.

Gordon R. Brooks, Xi 1952, died June 13, 2010.

Wayne F. Currie, Xi 1967, died September 4, 2010.

R. Davis Cutting, Xi 1945, died September 9, 2010.

Martin Schiff Jr., Xi 1952, died, no date given.

## OMICRON CHAPTER

Yale University

Frank Muller, Omicron 1952, died December 11, 2009.

Edward P. Ward, Omicron 1947, died, no date given.

## RHO CHAPTER

Lafayette College

Steven R. Church, Rho 1985, died, no date given.

## TAU CHAPTER

University of Alabama

William H. Holcolmb, Tau 1959, died November 15, 2009.

## CHI CHAPTER

Dartmouth College

William E. Hannan Jr., Chi 1929, died in January 2001.

## PSI CHAPTER

Lehigh University

Keith V. Fike, USAF, Psi 1985, died March 4, 2010.

## OMEGA CHAPTER

Georgia Institute of Technology

Forrest L. Adair II, Omega 1965, died September 30, 2010.

Frampton E. Ellis Jr., Omega 1936, died August 2010.

A. Dent Sullivan, Omega 1966, died, no date given.

Samuel H. Swint Jr., Omega 1957, died September 13, 2010.

### ALPHA-ALPHA CHAPTER

University of North Carolina,  
Chapel Hill  
Franklyn P. Futch USN, Alpha-Alpha  
1954, died August 25, 2010.  
John W. Girard Jr., Alpha-Alpha 1950,  
died September 22, 2009.  
William C. Gray III, Alpha-Alpha 2001,  
died February 16, 2011.  
Samuel T. Haddock, Alpha-Alpha 1952,  
died June 19, 2010.  
Richard M. Kiser, Alpha-Alpha 1946,  
died November 21, 2009.  
Phillip D. Lane, Alpha-Alpha 1980,  
died September 25, 2010.  
Samuel D. McMillan III, Alpha-Alpha 1982,  
died October 25, 2010.  
Raymond D. Shiplett, Alpha-Alpha 1949,  
died December 28, 2009.

### ALPHA-TAU CHAPTER

University of Michigan  
Richard J. Ford, Alpha-Tau 1959,  
died January 29, 2011.

### ALPHA-CHI CHAPTER

Ohio Wesleyan University  
W. Teasdale Bennett Jr., Alpha-Chi 1950,  
died August 14, 2010.

### ALPHA DELTA CHAPTER

Pennsylvania State University  
Richard H. Gibbs, Alpha Delta 1954,  
died January 9, 2011.  
Emil F. Honegger, Alpha Delta 1945,  
deceased, no date given.  
Victor J. Martini, Alpha Delta 1948,  
died January, 2010.  
Reginald B. Nicklas, Alpha Delta 1935,  
died February 2010.  
R. Duffield Sipes Jr., Alpha Delta 1947,  
died, no date given.

### BETA DELTA CHAPTER

University of Washington  
Kenneth G. Wise, Beta Delta 1952,  
died August 1, 2010.

### DELTA DELTA CHAPTER

University of California, Los Angeles  
Jack Chappell, Delta Delta 1944,  
Lambda 1944, died in 2001.  
Harold C. Gwynne Jr., Delta Delta 1943,  
Lambda 1943, died April 1997.

### EPSILON DELTA CHAPTER

Oregon State University  
Keith R. Alrick, Epsilon Delta 1963,  
died November 17, 2010.  
John M. Barnes Jr., Epsilon Delta 1965,  
died September 22, 2010.

### ZETA DELTA CHAPTER

University of Connecticut  
James T. Koczak, Zeta Delta 1960,  
died July 21, 2010.

### ETA DELTA CHAPTER

University of Southern California  
Edmund F. Lindop, Eta Delta 1947,  
died December 3, 2009.  
E. Ray Scott Jr., Eta Delta 1947, died  
February 2, 2010.  
Richard D. Whitesell, Eta Delta 1957,  
died in November 2009.

### THETA DELTA CHAPTER

University of Florida  
James A. Baxter, Theta Delta 1953,  
died September 19, 2010.  
Forest S. Hodges Jr., Theta Delta 1950,  
died February 1, 2011.  
William G. Miller Jr., Theta Delta 1950,  
died November 11, 2010.  
Robert M. Sturup, Theta Delta 1950,  
died December, 8, 2010.

### IOTA DELTA CHAPTER

Indiana University  
Don L. Meyer, Iota Delta 1960,  
Alpha-Chi 1960, died, no date given.  
Ronald J. Werner, Iota Delta 1967,  
died January 25, 2011.

### MU DELTA CHAPTER

Auburn University  
David R. Campbell, Mu Delta 1977,  
died September 26, 2010.

### OMICRON DELTA CHAPTER

Miami University of Ohio  
Daniel W. Karg, Omicron Delta 1975,  
died June 21, 2010.  
Karl W. Ritzler, Omicron Delta 1970,  
Iota 1970, died December 24, 2010.

**Correction:** *The Chakett inadvertently listed Peter Littlefield, Xi 1959, as deceased in the last issue. Brother Littlefield is alive and living in Connecticut.*

# Add Two Lines to Your Will and Make an Everlasting Impact

Making a gift to Chi Phi through a Last Will and Testament is easy. Individuals should instruct their attorney to add a provision to their will naming the Chi Phi Educational Trust as a beneficiary of their estate.

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