

Chapter Reports

Alpha Delta Pi

The women of the Alpha Delta Pi, have been very busy this passed semester. Upon starting the new semester, we attended our Officer Transition Workshop located at Steinway Hall. All the new officers transitioned into their new offices and were explained their responsibilities. Recently, Alpha Delta Pi participated in a local charity event called the Chili Open Golf Tournament, with the men of Phi Gamma Delta. The women of Beta Tau received many awards at their District Leadership Conference. They will continue to hold their Golden Lion status, the highest award Alpha Delta Pi can receive, throughout the year. The women of Alpha Delta Pi are so excited for the Greek Leadership Awards, and Songfest. We will also be hosting our annual Lion Share Challenge Bowling Tournament soon. Upon finishing spring recruitment, we are so happy to welcome our three new women into our chapter! We hope all of the chapters have a great semester and good luck on all of the events coming up in the spring!



Alpha Sigma Phi

The Gentlemen of Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity have yet again proved that they are among the top of the UA Greek community. Recruitment this year and last fall turned out to be a great success, inducting many new members from a series of eclectic backgrounds and programs. During the fall, we were honored to have 10 Brothers attend the nationally recognized Ralph F. Burns Leadership Institute with an addiction 4 serve as Facilitators to other chapters all over Michigan, Pennsylvania, West Virginia, and Ohio. Brotherhood, as well, has never been stronger. Hosting events, such as game nights, outings, dinners, video nights, and sports games, every week has brought our Brothers together to form a stronger and more unique bond than any other found. These past semesters we

have also kept up our dedication to scholarship, achieving an average a 3.0. In terms of sports, Alpha Sigma Phi is setting the standard for friendly sportsmanship and tough competition. All in all, our Brotherhood lives up the highest ideals of mankind. We have welcoming of all men and hoping to see more join our Mystic Circle.

Praise be to the Old Gal and the Brothers that keep her in their hearts.

Delta Gamma

The members of the Eta chapter of Delta Gamma have been having a sensational semester. After our COB's went extremely smoothly, we excitedly welcomed eight admirable new members into our chapter. We recently had our Big/Little reveal and look forward to getting to know them even further and showing them exactly what Delta Gamma stands for. Our chapter just held our annual Italian dinner in which we had a successful outcome, raising a proud amount of money to go toward Delta Gamma Foundation's Anchor Grant. Our chapter is looking forward to our Founder's Day coming up in March and Initiation in the very beginning of April. We all are also excited to attend the GLA's in order to recognize all the achievements made throughout the year within Greek Life.



Kappa Kappa Gamma

The women of Kappa Kappa Gamma have had an exceptionally eventful spring semester. Kappa reached house total once again by recruiting five fabulous new ladies. They welcomed their new members during bid day where they celebrated with cake and ice cream.

The women of Kappa have introduced a new event to their philanthropy "Reading is Fundamental" called The Kappa Signature Event. The ladies traveled to Windemere Elementary School and engaged a kindergarten class in various crafts and reading activities. Each student also earned their own Reading is Fundamental book as encouragement to continue reading.

Kappa also recently had a Game Night social with the men of Phi Delta Theta. Teams of two competed with each other in card games such as Poker and Euchre- it was a blast! Lambda chapter is extremely excited while maintaining preparations to host their Province meeting here at Akron in April. Seven other chapters of Kappa will be staying at Quaker Square for an entire weekend. The ladies are very excited to spend time with all of their active and alumna sisters.



Phi Gamma Delta

This spring semester is an exciting one for the men of Phi Gamma Delta. Our focus is on scholarship and service. We have four great men as new members of our chapter and look forward to watching their growth and development in the chapter over the next few months. We are getting ready for our Dodge Ball Tournament coming up on March 8th. All proceeds from this event go to Akron Children's Hospital. We had fun helping out at this year's Chile Open at Hale Farm

and Village and are already looking forward to next year's event. All three of our volley ball teams have made it to the playoffs. We are also excited for Song Fest and Intramural Basketball to start. This is another great semester for the men of Phi Gamma Delta and the Greek community at the University of Akron!



Phi Kappa Tau

Four of our active members attended a regional Leadership Conference which was held here at the University of Akron. We are starting to prepare for our fourth annual volleyball tournament which is a philanthropy event to raise money for Hole in the Wall Camps and the new Flying Horse Farms cite. Another charity event in the works is a family feud style trivia game that we hope is enjoyable for everyone. Things have been rolling right along this semester as we look forward to participating in events held by the other chapters here at the University of Akron this semester. Good luck to everyone!

Phi Sigma Kappa

The men of Phi Sigma Kappa are pleased to announce that they have five new associate members for the Spring Semester. Our chapter has achieved a ranking among the top 10 Greek organizations based on our cumulative GPA of 3.01. We will be participating in Relay for Life this April, and are proud to be among the top five teams.

We have raised \$225 thus far. Phi Sigma Kappa will be hosting its first annual Beauty Pageant on April 30. Participating sororities will compete in several different

categories, and all of the proceeds will be donated to the Special Olympics, our national philanthropy. We will also be hosting our annual Formal this April where we will recognize our brothers for their excellence. We will be presenting a Scholarship Award, Character Award, Brotherhood Award, as well as a Brother of the Year Award.

On March 7th, we will be attending our Founders Day where we will have a chance to spend some quality time with our Alumni. This will allow us to meet and really get to know the brothers that came before us.

The men of Phi Sigma Kappa would also like to congratulate our president, John Bacak, for being chosen to play semi-professional football for the Northeast Ohio Disciples in the 2009 season. The team is based out of Warren, Ohio and will play their home games at Mollenkopf Stadium.



Sigma Alpha Epsilon

The men of Sigma Alpha Epsilon wish to a new a promising year to fellow Greeks, staff and students. We just initiated 10 new members and now focusing on our new pledge class. 2009 is a new year for us as we are in the processes of owning our chapter house and making new renovations and changes to it. Along with our chapter house, we plan to take part in many community service, fundraisers, and philanthropic events. For intramural news, we have established a whiffleball, basketball and soon to create a flag football later in the semester. We are also excited for our local Founders Day and our 153rd National anniversary come in March. Lastly we have our Paddy Murphy week from April 20th through the 25th. For those unaware of our Paddy week, it is full of philanthropic events that are sure to be a blast.

Tau Kappa Epsilon

It's been a great semester so far. The TKE chapter has begun collecting individual dollars at various events from its members and other members of the Greek Community and the campus as a whole. These donations will be summed and donated to the Ronald and Nancy Reagan Alzheimer's Foundation. In addition, for our annual Parent's Day we will be asking for donations from all in attendance. For another philanthropic event members completed service hours for the Canton Blood Bank. At the Canton Civic Center in Canton, OH the Canton Blood Bank allows The TKE Beta Rho chapter to gain service hours by volunteering to usher. It is ongoing and we often get an event a month. So far this semester the Chapter had the pleasure of ushering for a Harlem Globetrotters event for the second year in a row. The money that would normally be paid to ushers is donated to the Canton Blood Bank. This is a very successful program and The Beta Rho Chapter is doing many more events in the near future, including WWE Raw in March. In other news US vs. Canada Team Slider Competition: One of the Beta Rho's members and former President Anthony Martinez competed in the USA vs. Canada Team Slider Competition. He was part of the victorious US Team. He is ranked among the top Collegiate Eaters in the Country.

This semester we are also looking forward to Race for the Cure and participating in the Greeks in the streets philanthropic events.

Theta Chi

This year has been a flourishing year for Theta Chi Fraternity. 11 new member were initiated into the Fraternity this year. Theta Chi has been busy this semester with philanthropy. This semester, the men of Theta Chi will be part taking in the 30 hour famine. Starting at 2 pm on February 25, and lasting until February 26 at 10 pm, the guys will fast to help raise awareness about the starving people in Africa. Overall, it's been a good year for Theta Chi. Expect more great things from the men of Theta Chi Fraternity.