



Chapter Newsletter

The Iota-Mu Zeta of Lambda Chi Alpha at the University of Evansville

January 2008

FROM THE HIGH PI

As a new semester begins, so do the new plans and ideas of new officers. At this past weekend's meeting of the High Zeta at UE, the chapter's officers discussed ways to better improve their offices and ultimately the chapter. New ways of getting brothers involved and connected to each other and the University were discussed.

As the new High Pi of the Iota Mu chapter I too have new ideas and am excited to have the opportunity to reconnect brothers to the chapter. My first priority is to continue to improve alumni involvement and relations. I, like the new officers, have big plans for my office during this semester. When I first met with some of the officers before Christmas, my question to them was "what do you want to see from me in the near future." Their answer was to create a solid alumni association. This was a great answer from them, and a challenge to me. I find there are many smaller groups that have made their own associations in various cities around the country, but we do not currently have an Iota Mu alumni association that is active in chapter events and plans.

As a UE graduate and Evansville resident, I am in a good position to be an effective High Pi. After already attending a chapter meeting and getting reacquainted with the chapter members I can tell you that positive changes are on the way. There are already plans for an alumni event at the house, and possibly another off campus that I hope many of you can attend. These events, however, will not be well attended unless communication between the active chapter and its alumni members is improved. A goal of mine is to improve this communication through the use of e-mails, the chapter newsletter, and its website. I will try to keep in contact with the various e-mail groups that have already been set up in different areas. The chapter newsletter will help you, as alumni, have a better idea of what is happening at the chapter. Finally, I encourage you to check the chapter's website (<http://lca.evansville.edu/>) to see the calendar, alumni news, and to meet the chapter. The website probably looks a lot differ-

FROM THE HIGH ALPHA

I want to say that I'm excited being elected president and that I hope that I can continue to do a good job. I hope to continue our focus on good rush classes, improving alumni relations, and continuing to improve our image on campus.

In ZAX,
Casey Lindeman
Iota Mu 1510

UPCOMING EVENTS

Undergrad Events:

- Spring Rush:January 26 - February 2
- Passover: Sat. February 2
- AMC:Thur. February 7
- Canoe Trip: Thur. March 20 - Fri. March 21
- I-Week:March 31 - April 4
- Teeter-Totter-a-Thon:.....April 11 - April 13

Alumni Events:

- Teeter-Totter-a-Thon Alumni Cookout ...Sat. April 12

Watch your mailbox and inbox for more information about these events. As always, all Lambda Chi brothers are welcome at all Lambda Chi events.



ent and better since the last time you had a chance to look at it.

If at any time you have questions or comments please feel free to e-mail me at bg29@evansville.edu or the current High Rho, Chris Kilgore, at ck74@evansville.edu. We look forward to working with you and staying in contact with you to keep the brothers of Lambda Chi Alpha connected and involved. We need your support to help make our chapter stay the one we are all proud of.

In ZAX,
Brad Gant
Iota Mu 1423



TRUE BROTHER INITIATIVE: LDRSHIP

This past year I was invested as the new High Kappa. With this position I was given the opportunity to revamp the infamous pop/son packet. As the years have gone by in the fraternity, past Kappa's have neglected to update the information in the pop/son packet. Items such as local history, fraternity processes, and the history of notable alumni have become out dated. I felt it was my duty to remedy this situation.

Last year, High Kappa, Garric Henry, took the initiative to put the pop/son packet into digital form. His idea increased the convenience of the packet and eliminated the extra costs of printing new packets. Unfortunately the packet still contained out dated information.

This past year National Headquarters came out with a new pop/son packet. The packet revolved around the seven qualities of a "True Brother". Nationals encouraged chapters to begin to integrate the new packet into there current packet. This new packet provided me with new information and an excellent template for our new packet.

Our packet now contains all updated information and the "True Brother" aspects that

were brought about by nationals. The True Brother focuses on the seven different attributes of an upstanding member of Lambda Chi Alpha. These attributes are Leadership, Duty, Respect, Service and Stewardship, Honor, Integrity, and Personal Courage. The packet also now contains excerpts from the Statutory Code describing the responsibilities of each fraternity officer.

After a test run of the new packet this semester, the new High Kappa, Aaron Ketzner is excited to continue its use. The effects of the packet were evident in the knowledge possessed by the new members during their final examination.

The packet is still in digital form and is currently in the process of being updated for this semester. Historian Tony Puzan is in the process of writing a new local history and High Kappa, Aaron Ketzner is updating the current officer roster. It is my hope that this packet continues to be used, changed, and developed in years to come.

In ZAX,
Kyle Shatto
Iota Mu 1502

CURRENT OFFICERS

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STUDY LOUNGE PICTURES



NEWLY INITIATED BROTHERS

On November 19 2007, fifteen Associate Members completed the journey to become full initiated brothers of Lambda Chi Alpha. Since our incorporation into Lambda Chi Alpha from Phi Zeta fifteen hundred and thirty five brothers have passed through the Iota-Mu Zeta. Our newest brothers are:

Name	Zeta	Year	Major
John Murray	1521	Freshman	Accounting
Jon Frohning	1522	Sophomore	Athletic Training
Dustin Decker	1523	Freshman	Mechanical Engineering
Scott Meyer	1524	Freshman	Accounting and Finance
Chris Nash	1525	Freshman	History
Tyler Wagler	1526	Freshman	Computer Engineering
Brad Tipton	1527	Sophomore	Mechanical Engineering
Justin Ramirez	1528	Sophomore	Civil Engineering
Austin Murphy	1529	Sophomore	Business Management
Josh Smith	1530	Freshman	Undeclared
Ryan Schmitt	1531	Freshman	Business
Will Spradley	1532	Freshman	Civil Engineering
Nick Wenz	1533	Freshman	History
Charlie Grimes	1534	Freshman	Accounting
Fili Seanez	1535	Sophomore	Business Marketing

3.0 GPA

The following 28 members earned a 3.0 GPA or better during the fall semester.

Brian M (SR), Phil L (SR), Alex K (SR), Chris S (SR), Ryan A (SR), Brian B (SR), Blair B (SR), Ben S (SR), Ryan V (SR), Grant J (SR), Justin K (SR), Andrew M (SO), Daniel C (JR), Brian G (JR), Mike S (JR), Ryan L (JR), Kyle S (JR), Chase S (JR), James N (JR), Jon F (JR), Dustin D (JR), Jesse B (JR), Chad H (JR), Aaron K (JR), John M (FR), Chris N (FR), Scott M (FR), Tyler W (FR)

SIGMA SMARTIES

As the current High Sigma it has come to my attention that our current study lounge was in need of a facelift. Our brothers need an area in our house where they will be able to have a quiet, organized, and spacious area for proper focus on their studies. Upon returning to campus after a relaxing winter break, brothers: Kyle Shatto, Daniel Coomes, Tony Puzan, Chris Kilgore and I set forth in remodeling our feeble study. We installed a 18"x 32' wall mounted desk, 5 new chairs, shelving, and a wireless router. If you would like to see photos of the new study lounge, please feel free to contact High Sigma Keegan McHose at km143@evansville.edu, or visit our newly remodeled website.

In ZAX,
Keegan McHose
High Sigma
Iota Mu 1504

RHO REPORT

First off, let me introduce myself. My name is Chris Kilgore, IM 1511. I am a junior computer science major and was recently elected as High Rho. While not much happened with Rho in the last year, this year will definitely make up for it. Myself, along with Casey Lindeman (High Alpha) and Keegan McHose (High Sigma), have outlined several new ideas for Rho and the Alumni of Iota Mu.

One of my main goals is increasing communication between the active members and you, our alumni. This spring, I will be adding new features to our chapter website to facilitate this communication. One feature is the ability to update your contact information and search for brothers. There will also be information posted soon about joining the alumni email list.

Be sure to check the website frequently. There will be additional features and information posted there in the coming months.

In ZAX,
Chris Kilgore
High Rho
Iota Mu 1511

NEWSLETTER GOES ONLINE

Starting with the next issue, the Alumni Newsletter will be featured online at our website lca.evansville.edu. By creating an electronic newsletter, information can be shared with our alumni in a more timely fashion. It will also save time and money. Starting in 2008, the alumni newsletter will be published more frequently, ideally every other month.

If you don't have access to the internet, or prefer to keep receiving a paper copy of the newsletter, please let me know by send a note to me at the house or include it on the Locate Brothers card on the back of the newsletter.

In ZAX,
Chris Kilgore
High Rho
Iota Mu 1511

