

Sigma Pi Alumni Announcement

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ANNUAL MEETING 2012 RECAP

Brent Brewbaker led a terrific Annual Meeting of the Rho Chapter Alumni Association yesterday at the Players Retreat in Raleigh. It was wonderful to see some of the guys that were graduating about the year I pledged, such as Bub Godehn, John "Shorty" Shortridge, Terry Allen, and Speedy Mitchell. Also Dave Drake my big brother, and some of my contemporaries such as Jim Singer, whom I had not seen in about 30 years, Rob Manchester, Lloyd Mattingly, Jim Baggs, Jack Cummings, and many more were in attendance. In total, counting a few of the active EC, and a few of the current pledges, we had more than 30 people in attendance.

It's very gratifying that the actives have 15 pledges again this semester and will start the fall semester with approximately 60 active brothers--a record for many, many years. These are a great bunch of guys led by Thomas Stokes, Sage.

Grady Sykes reviewed a number of key issues including the status of marketing our lot on Greek Way and leasing extensions for the current house we're leasing on Hillsborough Street near Meredith College. Grady has done a fabulous job with the help of Steele Hall, Michael Kaney and others on these key issues.

Speedy reported on the terrific Homecoming event we held this year, the Durham Bulls baseball outing we had during the summer, and plans for future events.

Terry Allen reported on the work to develop new Bylaws that were ratified during the meeting, and Tommy Rodwell discussed many general but important issues such as improving our contact list, gaining dues paying members, and future plans for the alumni web page.

Steele Hall, Treasurer, reported that our finances are in good shape and that all taxes have been paid. We all then enjoyed lunch and a few beverages as we watched the Clemson/NC State basketball game together.

If you have not joined the Rho Chapter Sigma Pi Alumni Association, we would greatly appreciate your joining. Please see the alumni page on the Chapter's website at www.ncsusigmapi.edu. Please contact me for any information.

In the bond!
Jack Daniels

Thank You 2012 Members

Terry Allen	David Anderson	Jim Baggs	Peter Barnes
Jonathan Boland	Brent Brewbaker	Neil Britt	Bill Bunn
George Burnette	Joe Charles	Jeffrey Cline	David Cromartie
Jack Cummings	Jack Daniels	Thomas Geshay	Berkley Godehn
Christopher Hultgren	Brian Johnson	Michael Kaney	Richard Kiernan
Will Lackey	Lloyd Mattingly	David McAuley	Patrick McKee
Paul Mitchell	Lawrence Redmen	Frederick Schmidt	James Singer
Jay Tippette	Raymond Uptegrove		

Check out the Fraternity on the web at www.ncsusigmapi.com

Annual Meeting Alumni Attendance

We had another good showing at this year's Annual Meeting! Thank you to all who attended. We have really enjoyed our meetings at the Player's Retreat, and hope that everyone can make it next year. The following alumni attended this year's annual meeting:

John Shortridge	David Ponce
Terry Allen	Preston Kahn
Bill Bunn	Michael Treszger
Berkley Godehn	Garrett Hill
Jim Baggs	Brent Brewbaker
Jack Cummings	Grady Sykes
Lloyd Mattingly	Steele Hall
Fred Duyck	Dave Drake
Peter Barnes	Pat McKee
Jay Tippet	Michael Kaney
Jim Singer	Paul Mitchell
Tim Bowen	Rob Manchester
Andrew Harris	Jack Daniels
Carson Daniel	Tommy Rodwell

Career Advice for the Actives

After discussions with the Actives, it was decided that they would greatly benefit from occasional presentations by Alumni on career and personal topics. We have decided to try and coordinate a monthly presentation by an alumnus (probably a Sunday night during a Chapter meeting), where the alumnus would briefly speak about their career or another subject relevant to the Actives (financial planning, resume writing, etc.) and answer any questions. If you are interested in speaking please contact Tommy Rodwell at tommy.rodwell@scientificproperties.com or 919-604-7078, please include any topics you would like to present.

The Actives are also always on the lookout for internships or post-graduation career opportunities. If you or your company have any opportunities please let us know. In the future we hope to organize a job board where Alumni can post opportunities directly.

2012 Alumni Dues

The NCSU Sigma Pi Alumni Association now offers two convenient ways to pay your dues:

1. Online via PayPal at www.ncsusigmapi.com
2. Complete and submit the below form.

2012 Alumni Association Membership Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Best Contact Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Pledge Semester/Year: _____ Graduation Year: _____

Membership Type: (Please Select)

Alumnus (More than 4 years removed from Undergraduate) - \$50.00/year _____

Young Alumnus (2-4 years removed from Undergraduate) - \$25.00/year _____

1st Year Alumnus (Up to 1 year removed from Undergraduate) - Free/1st yr. _____

Checks should be made payable to: Sigma Pi Alumni Association

Please fold form and remit with payment to: Steele Hall (Treasurer) at 1046 Brighthurst Drive, Raleigh, NC 27605 or pay online using the Paypal link at www.ncsusigmapi.com.

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