



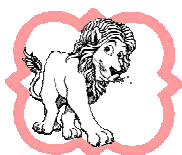
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Phi Mu is very excited for the Fall semester and has many activities planned. The chapter had a very successful recruitment and are thrilled about the 36 new members. Their potential in becoming great new members to Phi Mu and the Greek community has already been seen. This semester Phi Mu will team up with Kappa Sigma for a Philanthropy project with Toms shoes. It will be a "style your sole" party November 6th in Girard Park at 6pm. All UL Students and the community are invited. Another exciting event the chapter is looking forward to is Family Day. They will be tailgating for a UL football game and chapter members are able to invite family and also local alums will be invited. Homecoming is one of Phi Mu's favorite times of the year and cannot wait for all the festivities. Phi Mu wishes all Chapters a great semester!

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In the Spring of 2009, Phi Kappa Theta helped Food Net services package boxes of food for less fortunate families. With the chapters help, over 200 families were fed. Also in the Spring, the brothers held a basketball tournament for their charity, Children's Miracle Network. The tournament raised \$1000 dollars for the cause. Phi Kappa Theta National Convention was held in August and was very successful. Also, this summer, the chapter finished the renovation work since Hurricane Gustav and Ike with the help from their Alumnus of the Year, Charlie Hardy.

The Fall semester is in full swing. Formal Recruitment was held September 15-18. Phi Kappa Theta was proud to have 21 new members from informal and formal recruitment. The chapter is proud to have these associate members and is looking forward to the rest of the Fall 2009 semester and many more semesters to come.



HAPPY HALLOWEEN

FROM

GREEK AFFAIRS





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The Delta Beta Chapter of Alpha Omicron Pi has had a busy and fun filled summer! In June, chapter members and alumnae traveled to Tampa, Florida to attend the annual international convention. There, the Delta Beta chapter won numerous awards including recognition for our outstanding philanthropic events and fundraising, and outstanding alumnae chapter to name a few. Their past chapter president, Karli Sherman, also received the Perry Award which is the highest award a collegian can receive within the organization.

Throughout the last couple of months, the AOPs worked very hard on getting prepared for formal recruitment which was held in August. Throughout the summer, they held workshops in order to better prepare everyone. All of the hard work paid off, because the chapter did very well this recruitment and have twenty new members for the first pledge class of Fall 2009. After finishing recruitment here at UL, the girls of the Delta Beta Chapter traveled to Northwestern University earlier this month to help the Kappa Chi chapter of Alpha Omicron Pi in formal recruitment. The AOPs would also like to congratulate all of the NPC sororities on a job well done with recruitment this Fall. The chapter would also like to send thanks to their alumnae who were gracious enough to help them during recruitment and for their generous donation of time and food.

Besides recruitment, AOP has also participated in other activities as well. The chapter kicked off the Fall semester by showing up strong to Ragin' Roar, which was a very exciting experience for our new pledge class and for the actives alike. The AOPs came together to do one of the chapters most favorite activities, and that is to support the UL Ragin' Cajuns! The ladies of Alpha Omicron Pi are looking forward to more campus wide events to participate in throughout the semester, and are definitely looking forward to participating in Homecoming Week!

ΑΦΑ



Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Inc. has been creating history and defining new precedents when it comes to the college realm as well as in the community for over a century and the Zeta Xi Chapter is of no exception to this pristine movement which encompasses our mission statement. The men of Alpha Phi Alpha are to act as men of action and not reaction and carry out the core values its founders laid out many years ago. A mission bent on developing leaders, promoting brotherhood and academic excellence while providing service and advocacy to the community acts as the basis for all the members of the Zeta Xi Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Inc. at the University of Louisiana at Lafayette. Standing tall upon the shoulders of giants while paving the way towards success and moving towards a greater good has been exemplified through the actions of the members of the Zeta Xi Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Inc.

It was a busy summer for the members of the Zeta Xi Chapter including service events such as, the local charity event "The Running of the Ducks" which helped raised a large amount of funds and taking part in events associated with great charities such as the March of Dimes. Members of the Zeta Xi Chapter also acted as mentors at the Boys and Girls Club of Acadiana during their summer months. Members also volunteered at the Lafayette Community Healthcare Clinic this summer, the clinic is a healthcare facility made available to members of the Lafayette working community which lack healthcare insurance. The Zeta Xi Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Inc. also hosted an annual Big Brother Big Sister picnic this summer which was a huge success. The goal of the Zeta Xi Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Inc. for this upcoming fall semester is 500 community service hours.

The members of the Zeta Xi Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Inc. also participated in the annual National Convention which took place in New Orleans, La where, Bro. Nicholas Potier, Bro. Karlnelius Duhon and Bro. Marcus Jackson all received academic awards based on their pursuit of scholarship. The most recent event that took place was the unveiling of the Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity house. There was a weekend that was reserved for the dedication of the house where members of Zeta Xi Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Inc. new and old came and took part of the historical event.

RAGIN' CAJUN FOOTBALL

REMAINING HOME GAMES

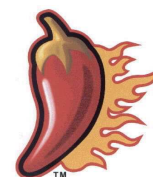
October 10: vs. North Texas

November 21: vs. UL Monroe

October 24: vs. Florida Atlantic

November 28: vs. Troy

Come out and support our RAGIN' CAJUNS!!!



ΣΓΡ

As the Fall semester rapidly moves along the Pi Epsilon Chapter of Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority Incorporated has been busy making sure they carry on the sorority's good name of non-stop service towards the community. With the local high schools beginning their Fall semester, Pi Epsilon volunteered at the Annual Back to School Teen Summit in Opelousas. The event was filled with motivational speakers and informational tables geared to positively motivate and educate teens as they continue the path to becoming young adults.

Pi Epsilon's Vice President, Shanda Domango, visited New Iberia Senior High School to speak with the student body about financial responsibilities that they will soon be taking on as they leave high school and enter college. The sorority knows the importance of educating the youth about finances and has a national program titled Project Wee Savers to cater to this need. During the summer, Domango visited New York on sorority business, where she was able to experience another one of Sigma Gamma Rho's National Projects which profoundly reached out to the Leonardo Da Vinci Intermediate School. Through Project Big Book Bag, the sorority presented students with backpacks filled with school supplies.

This year's NPHC Greek Round Up was a great success as the chapter was able to speak with young women on the UL campus about finding a wonderful sisterhood devoted to service in Greek Life. Pi Epsilon also hosted a Community Service Social where they educated female students on service projects Sigma Gamma Rho is devoted to as well as giving them the opportunity to participate.

Pi Epsilon plans to raise health awareness around the UL campus by presenting information in the Student Union on various health issues. The chapter also plans to participate in the Homecoming events this Fall and will be back at Cajun Field tailgating and cheering for the UL Football team!



HOMEcoming 2009



Congratulations to our Greeks on Homecoming Court 2009

Laura Bullinger- ΑΟΠ

Lindsey LaJack-ΔΔΔ

Patricia McLain-ΔΔΔ

Homecoming Queen 2009:

Natalie Camel- ΔΔΔ

EVENTS:

10/19: Kickoff Party 5pm @ Alumni Center

Cajun Karaoke 7pm @ Union Ballroom

10/20: Drive-in Movie 8pm @ Cajun Field

10/21: Yell Like Hell 7pm @ Blackham

10/22: NPHC Expo-Greek Step Show 7pm @ Union Ballroom

10/24: Homecoming Parade 10am @ Cajun Field

10/24: Homecoming Football Game 4pm @ Cajun Field

