

# NewsNotes On-Line

## Kappa Kappa Psi & Tau Beta Sigma Electronic Newsletter

Volume 6, Number 4

February 24, 2005

<http://www.kkytbs.org>; <http://www.kkpsi.org>

- **New Chapters Installed for KKPsi**
- **NAA Continues to Grow with New Local Associations**
- **KKPsi Seeks Keynote Address Speaker**
- **Important Announcements & Dates to Remember!!**

---

### **1. Kappa Kappa Psi Installs Chapters at Central State University, Tiffin University & University of Arkansas at Fort Smith**

I am happy to announce the re-installation of the Theta Delta Chapter #196 at Central State University. The ceremony took place this past Saturday, February 12th on Central States campus in Wilberforce, Ohio.

I have served as Theta Delta's colony advisor and am very proud and excited for these new brothers. They have worked tremendously hard learning about Kappa Kappa Psi and helping their band program. I talked briefly with Theta Delta before the ceremony about their feelings becoming a chapter and they were thrilled. They feel that the real work is just beginning as they are finally a chapter. It has been an honor to work with them.

Congratulation goes out to Alpha Delta from Ohio University for doing a wonderful job serving as their advising chapter. I was happy to see a tight bond of brotherhood developing between the two chapters and I am confident that it will continue. I enjoyed talking to many of you on your visits to CSU and would like to say that I was very overwhelmed by your very generous financial donation to the Theta Delta chapter.

Another highlight from the evening was that several alumni were in attendance from the original charter line of Theta Delta. It was good to talk with them and see the overwhelming support that they have offered to our new brothers.

Several brothers and guests were in attendance for the ceremony. Thanks goes out to:

**Kappa Kappa Psi**  
Eta – The Ohio State University  
Nu – The University of Michigan  
Alpha Beta – Butler University  
Alpha Delta – Ohio University  
Beta Psi – Kent State University  
Delta Psi – Prairie View A&M  
Eta Delta – Eastern Illinois University  
Zeta Omicron – Akron University  
Iota Zeta – North Carolina State University  
Iota Mu – Kentucky State University  
Kappa Nu – Northern Illinois University  
Kappa Chi – Albion University

**Tau Beta Sigma**  
Zeta Rho – Kentucky State University  
Eta Eta – Central State University

Several dignitaries were also in attendance. Thanks to

Mr. Brian Millsapp, Central State University Director of bands  
Dr. Malinda Matney, NCD Governor  
Marco Krcatovich, NCD President  
Chris Graves, NCD VP Colonization and Membership  
Michelle Wedster, NCD VP Programs  
Sarah Newton, NCD Secretary/ Treasurer  
Rod Whiteman, Past NCD President  
Dominic Alati, Past NCD Member-at- large

Again congratulations to the Theta Delta Chapter of Kappa Kappa Psi.

AEA,

Derrick Mills  
Theta Delta Colony Advisor/ Installing Officer  
National Vice President for Student Affairs  
Kappa Kappa Psi

\*\*\*\*\*

Brothers,

On behalf of the KKPsi National Council it is a distinct pleasure to announce the installation of the Lambda Iota Chapter of Kappa Kappa Psi, Chapter # 273 at Tiffin University in Tiffin, Ohio. The Installation took place on the Tiffin

University Campus. Attending the Installation were members of several chapters including: Beta Rho, Nu, Kappa Chi, Sigma, Alpha Beta, NCD President, Marco Krcatovich, NCD VP Chris Graves, NCD Governor Dr. Malinda Matney, National VP for Student Affairs

Derrick Mills, and myself. In addition, the President of Tiffin University and several members of the Tiffin administration, and community were present to welcome the start of this new chapter.

Thanks to the Beta Rho Chapter for serving as the sponsoring chapter, and Jason Morris (Iota Lambda Alum.) for serving as the advising person for the colony. Both did an outstanding job in shaping this exciting new addition to our National Brotherhood.

Please congratulate and welcome the charter members of Lambda Iota!

Joe Charleston  
Cortney Feehan  
Laurie Phillips  
Wendy Rupert  
Tabitha Keim

And their sponsor and director of bands:

Christian Secrist

AEA

Michael Osborn  
Lambda Iota Installing Officer  
National President  
Kappa Kappa Psi

\*\*\*\*\*

Brothers, It is my honor to announce on behalf of the National Council the installation of the Lambda Kappa Chapter of Kappa Kappa Psi, Chapter #274 at the University of Arkansas at Fort Smith on February 21, 2005. Over 30 guests were in attendance including brothers from Delta Delta, Lambda, Delta Alpha, and Epsilon Beta.

Congratulations to Delta Delta for an excellent job as Advising Chapter and for doing the Installation.

New Charter Members include:

Kathy L. Brewer, President; Evan Mino, Vice President; Cassandra Murphy, Recording Secretary; Brandon Stillwell, Corresponding Secretary & Historian; Richard Gunselman II, Alumni Secretary; and Drena Patterson. Honoraries

include Charles L Booker, Jr., Director of Bands, Dr. Jack L. Jackson II, Chapter Sponsor, and Don Bailey.

Please help us welcome and congratulate our newest chapter through their Director of Bands, Professor Booker at [cbooker@uafortsmith.edu](mailto:cbooker@uafortsmith.edu)

AEA

Lt Col Alan Bonner  
Lambda Kappa Installing Officer  
National Executive Director

---

## **2. KKPsi & TBS National Alumni Association Announces New Local Associations**

Please join me in welcoming our two newest LAAs!

Beta Incorporated (Kappa Kappa Psi) and Theta Theta Alumni Association. Both groups have formed as a commitment to continue to serve the Alumni and Actives of our organizations. These two LAAs join our other **15** active LAAs. For a complete list of active LAAs, check out [www.kkytbsnaa.org](http://www.kkytbsnaa.org). The contact info for the new LAAs are:

Beta Incorporated (BInc) - Jeff McCrumb ([jdouglas1600@yahoo.com](mailto:jdouglas1600@yahoo.com))  
Theta Theta Alumni Association - Kassi Richey Burns ([kricheyb@law.tulane.edu](mailto:kricheyb@law.tulane.edu))

If you are interested in forming a new LAA or re-activating one, please contact me or your district NAA Director for information.

Still Serving,  
Heather Mackey  
NAA Membership Chair 2001 - 05  
NAA Western District Director 2001 - 05

---

## **3. KKPsi Seeks Keynote Address Speaker for 2005 National Convention**

**Motivate...Lead...Inspire...Challenge**  
**Kappa Kappa Psi Keynote Address Contest**

**“As Brothers, we must fulfill certain responsibilities to the bands we serve and love. We are responsible for spreading music wherever we can, for bringing its unique**

message to all corners of our lives, for making a joyful noise in a world so often filled with the sounds of bleakness and pain.”

*Katherine Hoffman, 2003 Keynote Address*

**Set the stage for the 2005 National Convention by giving the 2005 Keynote Address during the opening separate session in Lexington, Kentucky!**

- **Contest open to All Active Kappa Kappa Psi Brothers**
- **Submissions must include a printed copy of the Keynote Address and either an audio or video taped version.**
- **All submissions due (postmarked) by April 1, 2005.**
- **Keynote Address Recipient receives an honorarium of \$115.00 to cover National Convention registration costs.**

Mail Submissions To:  
National Headquarters  
Kappa Kappa Psi Keynote Address  
P.O. Box 849  
Stillwater, OK 74076-0849

For More Information—Contact:  
Michelle Kincheloe  
National Vice President for Programs  
(303) 525-6432  
[enviromtch@kkpsi.org](mailto:enviromtch@kkpsi.org)

---

#### **4. Important Announcements & Dates to Remember!**

##### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

Make plans to attend your District Convention!  
Now is the time to plan for 2005 National Convention!!  
Want to be in a collegiate honor band? Audition for the 2005 National Intercollegiate Band. Information is available from the National Website at <http://www.kkytbs.org/nib.html>.

##### **DATES:**

March 11-13

NED Convention in Storrs, CT  
Hosted by the Delta Omicron Chapter of KKPsi & the Gamma Kappa Chapter of TBS

March 18-20

SED Convention in Orlando, FL  
Hosted by the Eta Sigma Chapter of KKPsi and the Zeta Psi & Theta Rho Chapters of TBS

April 1-3

MWD Convention in Boulder, CO

Hosted by the Alpha Iota Chapter of KKPsi and the Alpha Tau Chapter of TBS

April 1-3

WD Convention in Tucson, AZ

Hosted by the Omega Chapter of KKPsi and the Omega Chapter of TBS

April 8-10

NCD Convention in Mason, OH

Hosted by the Epsilon Xi Chapter of Kappa Kappa Psi

April 15-17

SWD Convention in Norman, OK

Hosted by the Delta Chapter of KKPsi & the Delta Chapter of TBS

April 18

Postmark deadline for NIB Application

June 1

Postmark deadline for the Chapter Summary Report

July 22-24

Summer National Council Meeting in Lexington, KY

July 24-26

National Intercollegiate Band at National Convention in Lexington, KY

July 24-26

District Leadership Conference at National Convention in Lexington, KY

July 26-30

National Convention in Lexington, KY

July 26-30

National Alumni Association Meetings at National Convention in Lexington, KY

---

**ATTN: District Governors/Counselors/Officers/Chapter Presidents...**

**Please ensure widest possible delivery to all chapters, colonies & members in your respective districts!**

**The idea of this electronic newsletter is to be able to quickly and efficiently send out information to every individual member.** Therefore, it is up to the District Leaders to be responsible for forwarding every issue on to the chapters or Chapter Presidents in their district. Once the Chapter Leaders have the newsletter, I would ask that you ensure every member of your

chapter receives it! Unfortunately, I regularly talk to chapters who have not received any recent issues. Please help us to communicate to the individual member!

All NewsNotes On-Line issues are available on-line at <http://www.kkytbs.org/newsnotes.html>.

Many thanks,

Lt Col Alan L. Bonner, USAF (Ret.)  
National Executive Director  
Kappa Kappa Psi & Tau Beta Sigma  
National Band Fraternity & Sorority  
<http://www.kkytbs.org>

\*\*\*\*\*