KAPPA KAPPA PSI
NATIONAL HONORARY COLLEGE BAND FRATERNITY
44TH BIENNIAL NATIONAL CONVENTION
Orlando, Florida

Separate Session #1
Tuesday, July 24, 2007

Kappa Kappa Psi National President Dr. Rod Chesnutt started delegate seating at 2:59 p.m. Eastern Daylight Time (EDT) in the Palms Ballroom.

After all delegates and assigned proxies were seated, open delegate seating started with the Chapter #116 Delta Upsilon at Eastern Michigan University, who had no delegates.

Delegate seating was completed at 4:02 p.m. EDT. The open proxy seating in 2009 will open with chapter #17 - Omega at The University of Arizona.

1. The 44th Biennial Convention of Kappa Kappa Psi was called to order by National President Dr. Rod Chesnutt, Gamma Nu, Florida State University at 4:03 p.m. EDT after the seating of the delegates.
2. President Chesnutt explained the procedure with the blue delegate cards and procedure with committees. He further discussed the direction of the convention with several musical opportunities, workshops and committees.
4. President Chesnutt introduced Chris Haughee, Gamma Nu, Florida State University as National Parliamentarian.
5. President Chesnutt introduced the National Council, Board of Trustees, Chapter Field Representative, District Governors, District Presidents, and the newly installed chapters from the biennium.
6. Theodis Chunn of the Kappa Lambda chapter at Winston Salem State University presented the 2007 Kappa Kappa Psi Keynote Address. (APPENDIX 15)
7. President Chesnutt discussed the approval process for the 2005 National Biennial Convention Minutes. The minutes will be approved at a later separate session. A hard copy of the minutes was routed through the delegation for review.
8. Beta Alpha moved and Western District President seconded to approve the pre-convention reports submitted by National Council, Board of Trustees and District Presidents. (APPENDIX 1-14) Motion passed.
9. Dr. Kirk Randazzo, Vice Chair of the Board of Trustees and the Chair of the National Advisory Committee on Nominations, was introduced to speak to the delegation about the role and process of the National Advisory Committee on Nominations.
He presented the names of eligible candidates for each National Office as determined constitutionally eligible by the Committee.

Board of Trustees
Dr. Michael Golemo, Zeta Omicron, University of Akron
Michael Osborn, Zeta Epsilon, Michigan State University
Kevin Nelson, Epsilon Omega, University of Nebraska Lincoln
National President
Dr. Malinda Matney, Nu, University of Michigan
National Vice President for Colonization & Membership
Kate Baker, Iota Kappa, Boise State University
Derrick Mills, Eta, Ohio State University
National Vice President for Programs
Adam Cantley, Omicron, West Virginia University
Dr. Mark Phillips Zeta Psi, Virginia State University
10. Candidates for the office of National Vice President for Student Affairs were asked to announce themselves to the delegation:
Jason Kellison, Delta Sigma, University of Texas at Arlington
Jason Morris, Iota Lambda, Mount Union College
Melanie Muldrow, Kappa Beta, Clemson University and Zeta Phi, Tuskegee University
11. President Chesnutt informed all National Council candidates to see the district presidents for caucus scheduling.
12. President Chesnutt introduced Vice President Cantley and Board of Trustees Vice Chair Dr. Kirk Randazzo to discuss the 2006 National Leadership Symposia and preview the 2008 National Leadership Symposia.
13. Vice President Cantley announced the locations of the 2008 National Leadership Symposia will be June 6-8 at the Double Tree Airport in Pittsburgh, PA and June 20-22 at the Sheraton Downtown in Oklahoma City, OK.
14. President Chesnutt welcomed the members of the National Intercollegiate Band from their rehearsal.
15. President Chesnutt recognized the 2007 Chapter Leadership Award Recipients:
   Alpha – Oklahoma State University
   Nu – University of Michigan
   Pi – Auburn University
   Omicron – West Virginia University
   Alpha Beta – Butler University
   Alpha Omega – University of Pittsburgh
Zeta Chi – University of South Carolina
Theta Zeta – Ashland University
Theta Phi – Henderson State University
Iota Pi – California Polytechnic State University
Kappa Mu – University of Georgia

16. President Chesnutt introduced Vice Presidents Dr. Malinda Matney and Adam Cantley to discuss the Gold Star recognition program (APPENDIX 16)
17. The district presidents announced Gold Star, Blue Star, Silver Star, and White Star recipients from their district (APPENDIX 17)
18. President Chesnutt made announcements surrounding the Nominations Committee and the Chapter Leadership Committee regarding their respective interview schedules.
19. President Chesnutt made general announcements
20. President Chesnutt encouraged brothers to come forward and recognize those who had passed away during the last biennium. President Chesnutt asked for a moment of silence in honor of those recognized.
22. The first session recessed at 5:04 P.M. EDT

Separate Session #2
Friday, July 27, 2007

1. KKΨ National President Dr. Rod Chesnutt called the Second Session of the 2007 National Convention to order at 1:31 p.m. EDT.
2. President Chesnutt recognized all chapter sponsors in attendance.
3. President Chesnutt offered thanks for the active member participation in convention thus far. He encouraged all to keep up good work. President Chesnutt talked to the delegation about workshops that were yet to be offered at convention
4. Gamma Epsilon moved and Beta Theta seconded that the National Chapter support the National Alumni Program developed by the National Alumni Steering Committee and presented by the National Board of Trustees at this convention. Motion passed
5. The six District Presidents presented the Student Advisory Committee Report (APPENDIX 18)
6. Neil Jansen, Iota Pi, California Polytechnic State University presented the Credentials and Resolutions Committee Report (APPENDIX 19)
7. Tesla Hartsog, Omicron, West Virginia University presented the Publications Committee Report (APPENDIX 20)
8. Emily Rogers, Midwest District President, Alpha Theta, University of Northern Colorado presented the Programs Committee Report (APPENDIX 21)
9. Austin Ambrose, Alpha, Oklahoma State University presented the Colonization Committee Report APPENDIX 22)
10. Charles Cattrell, Zeta Lambda, Marshall University presented the History and Traditions Committee Report (APPENDIX 23)
11. President Chesnutt made general announcements pertaining to the rest of convention
12. The second session recessed at 2:13 p.m. EDT.

Separate Session #3
Saturday, July 28, 2007

1. KKΨ National President Dr. Rod Chesnutt called the Third Session of the 2007 National Convention to order at 10:19 a.m. EDT.
2. President Chesnutt introduced National Convention Parliamentarian Chris Haughee to explain the voting procedure. Brother Haughee reported there are 202 votes total. He explained that any changes to the ritual for example would take a 3/4 vote. Most other votes would take a simple majority.
3. Nick Annan, Zeta Chi, University of South Carolina presented the Membership Committee Report (APPENDIX 24)
4. Jeremy Horner, North Central District President, Alpha Beta, Butler University presented the Ways and Means Committee Report. (APPENDIX 25)
5. NCD President moved and Theta Phi seconded a $3.00 dues increase for initiate and membership dues making them $80.00 and $70.00 respectively. Motion passed.
6. NCD President moved and Zeta Zeta seconded to increase life membership fee to $500.00 starting at July 1, 2008. A long discussion ensued.
7. Western District President and Beta Sigma moved the previous motion of life membership fee increase to immediate vote. Previous motion on life membership fee increase passed
8. Lance Coochyouma, Western District President, Omega Chapter, University of Arizona presented the Jurisdiction Committee Report (APPENDIX 26)
9. Kappa Iota moved and Delta Alpha seconded to approve all constitution changes proposed by the Jurisdiction Committee. A long discussion ensued.
10. Alpha Psi moved and Lambda Chi seconded to divide previous question of constitutional changes into sections. Motion failed
11. North Central District President and second by Beta Kappa moves previous question of all constitution changes to immediate vote.
12. Motion passed 149 affirmative and 32 against
13. Jessica McAlarney, Northeast District President, Eta Alpha, Lock Haven University presented the Ritual and Regalia Committee Report (APPENDIX 27)
14. ***All votes pertaining to the fraternity ritual have been removed from the public minutes. If you like to see these records please contact Kappa Kappa Psi National Headquarters***
15. Northeast District President moved and Iota Nu seconded for a moratorium on proposed ritual changes until 2017. Motion passed.
16. President Chesnutt passed out recognition plaques to Chapter Leadership Finalists.
17. Immediate Past President Michael Osborn, Zeta Epsilon, Michigan State University presented the Chapter Leadership Committee Report (APPENDIX 28)
18. President Chesnutt made general announcements
19. The third session recessed at 11:55 a.m. EDT.

**Separate Session #4**
Saturday, July 28, 2007

1. KKΨ National President Dr. Rod Chesnutt called the Fourth Session of the 2005 National Convention to order at 3:03 p.m. EDT.

2. President Chesnutt thanked all members of Kappa Kappa Psi on the positive way they have handled themselves during convention.

3. President Chesnutt presented the Report of the National President (APPENDIX 29)

4. Motion by Gamma Nu and second by Eta Pi to grant honorary life membership into the national chapter of Kappa Kappa Psi. Motion passed.

5. Heather Owens, Southeast District President, Kappa Mu, University of Georgia presented the Nominations Committee Report (APPENDIX 30)

6. Dr. Malinda Matney, Nu, University of Michigan was slated for the office of National President. Nu Chapter moved to elect Dr. Malinda Matney National President, second by Beta Tau. Motion passed unanimously.

7. Derrick Mills, Eta, Ohio State University was slated for the office of National Vice President for Colonization for Membership. Eta moved to elect Derrick Mills National Vice President for Colonization and Membership, second by Gamma Xi. Motion passed.

8. Adam Cantley, Omicron, West Virginia University was slated for the office of National Vice President for Programs. Omicron moved to elect Adam Cantley National Vice President for Programs, second by Alpha. Motion passed unanimously.

9. Jason Kellison, Delta Sigma, University of Texas at Arlington was slated for the office of National Vice President for Student Affairs.

10. Zeta Phi nominated Dr. Melanie Muldrow, Kappa Beta, Clemson University for the office of National Vice President for Student Affairs, second by Kappa Beta. Dr. Melanie Muldrow accepted.

11. Beta nominated Jason Morris for the office of National Vice President for Student Affairs, second by Iota Lambda. Jason Morris accepted.

12. During the counting of the ballots, President Chesnutt presented the Chapter Delegate Award to the Gamma Chapter at the University of Washington and the Delegate Distance awards to the Kappa Lambda Chapter at Winston Salem State University and the Kappa Tau Chapter at the University of South Florida.

13. National Chapter Field Representative Phil Rubin, Kappa Mu, University of Georgia discussed his upcoming fall schedule.

14. President Chesnutt announced a run off between Jason Morris and Jason Kellison for National Vice President for Student Affairs.

15. President Chesnutt granted a two minute caucus. Voting followed

16. President Chesnutt made general announcements during counting of ballots

17. Jason Morris was elected National Vice President for Student Affairs.

18. Gamma Kappa moved and Iota Omega second to elect Dr. Michael Golemo and Michael Osborn to the Board of Trustees by acclamation. Motion failed

19. Zeta Epsilon moved and Lambda Tau second to elect Michael Osborn to the Board of Trustees. Motion passed.

20. Iota Omega moved and Zeta Omicron second to elect Dr. Michael Golemo to the Board of Trustees. Motion passed.

21. President Chesnutt performed the installation ceremony for the newly elected officers to the National Council and Board of Trustees.

22. Incoming National President Dr. Malinda Matney outlined her goals for the 2007-2009 biennium. She introduced the 2007-2009 National Vice President for Professional Relations Dr. Bruce Moss, Beta Kappa, Bowling Green State University, and announced the 2007-2009 District Governors. (APPENDIX 31)

23. Kappa Tau moved and Eta Sigma second to adjourn the 44th Biennial National Convention of Kappa Kappa Psi. Motion passed

24. The 44th Biennial Convention of Kappa Kappa Psi adjourned at 4:12 p.m. EDT.

**APPENDIX 1**

**REPORT OF THE NATIONAL PRESIDENT**

By Rod M. Chesnutt, PH. D. Gamma Nu chapter, Florida State University

It is indeed a privilege to present the Report of the National President. This has been an eventful two years and this National Council made remarkable progress achieving their goals for the biennium. My thanks to all of my brothers for your help and support. The recent move to Florida has provided a challenge, particularly due to the timing, but the support of the various members of the Council and the Board has eased this.

**Appointments**

Much time was spent during the first quarter putting new appointments in place. Dr. Rick Greenwood from the University of Central Florida accepted the position of National Vice President for Professional Relations. Professor Kelvin Washington from Howard University will serve as co-Governor in the Northeast District and joined Marie Burleigh. New governors in the Southeast District were Michael Green at Mississippi State University and Dr. David O’Sheilds at the University of South Carolina. Professor Christine Beason at Quincy College and Rod Whiteman, a former district president, agreed to take the governor positions in the North Central District. In the Midwest District, new governors were Denali Alt, a former district president, and Dr. Lisa Hunter at Montana State University. Dr. David Scott from Angelo State University, also a former district officer, joins Danny George in the Southwest District. After some interplay, Don Hower tendered his resignation in the Western District. I appointed Dr. Patrick Carney at the Uni-
versity of Oregon to join Tanya Marsh as co-governors. At the midterm, changes in positions had Dr. Patrick Carney replace Dr. Hunter in the Midwest as she left for another position and he assumed the Director of Bands at Montana State. Professor Chris Chapman became the Director of Bands at Oregon State and agreed to fill out the Western District term.

Information dissemination

I re-instituted and re-developed the Sponsor letter and brochure. The letter from Dr. Golemo and myself and the brochure containing FAQs and frequently needed information was sent to all directors and sponsors.

Since there were so many new governors, and since there has often been discussion of the need for governors' information/education, I started at Guidelines for Governors brochure. Brother Chris Haughee was tasked with putting together information that I then ‘tweaked’ and formatted.

Both of these should be on the web site.

Biennium Preparation

I met with Executive Director Alan Bonner and Chair of the Board of Trustees Mike Golemo during September 2005 in Cedar Falls, Iowa. This allowed us to focus on procedure and roles for the biennium. We discussed time line for convention, the roles of the officers in relation to the National Headquarters and how the entities of the Council, Board and Headquarter relate to each other. We also tried to be proactive in determining potential conflicts and solutions.

Communication

I maintain communication through emails, phone calls and the moderated list serve. I have had some success on some of the district list serves, but that varies between districts. I continue to be most impressed with the level of communication in the North Central District and the ability of that district to use media to further develop their component of the fraternity. The Western and Northeast districts elevated to a similar level. I did not jump into the various discussions unless I deemed it necessary for clarification, but I was pleased to see student members contribute a balanced perspective. Unfortunately, it seems that I inserted myself more into the Southeast District than I would desire.

I continued communications with the Executive Director almost daily. Sometimes, those calls were several times a day. Vice President Matney is a good sounding board as she offers a contrasting set of insights on issues and had to endure a heightened number of phone calls to deal with membership issues while I visited with Vice President Mills often. When Vice President Cantley called, it was a rare emergency and his insights with students are invaluable. I have enjoyed good relations with Kathy Godwin, President of Tau Beta Sigma. The level of communication was directly related to outside influences, but she was professional and I consider her a colleague.

We now have an additional avenue of communication that we tried for the first time. An information list serve was developed through the emails acquired through chapter reports. This will allow for some succinct, informative emails that directly communicate with the active membership.

I have spent a good deal of time this past biennium talking to band directors and explaining who we are and what we represent. I had a director state that he did not see what I was describing when looking at the number of chapters that no longer exist. He is correct, we should continue to explore opportunities to re-colonize those chapters.

We have to discuss public relations. Communication is only as good as it is received. I have had the opportunity to visit with many band directors about their chapters. I am finding that once directors are aware of some of the issues and that sometimes it is their students, they tend to have a very effective conversation. I find that much of what I get from students is second-hand information. This is consistent with how they deal with their own band directors. Perhaps we need to explore the relationships between our students and their directors. The few students that create issues do not want their directors to know of their behavior, much like their parents.

Districts

In 2006 I was pleased to see the district conventions trying to implement more workshops and using the national officers and other resources to a much greater degree. This had varying degrees of success depending on the observer, but all students commented on more effective, informative conventions. I attribute this to a long-time effort to educate the students on how to operate their conventions. Vice President Matney’s work with DLC continued developing this effort.

I attended three district conventions, the Midwest, Southeast and Western districts. I was honored with guest-conducting the Iowa State University Wind Ensemble at the Midwest Convention, and I did a workshop on conducting. I had the opportunity to do a workshop on music education at the Southeast Convention. I advised committees at the Southeast and Western conventions.

At the Southeast convention, we had issues with drinking, weapons, and behavior unbecoming a fraternity built upon developing intercollegiate relations around music. While the student leaders tried to control this behavior, it was clear that this convention’s participants had crossed the line that students could control. Our chapters’ were cursing/ridiculing each other at the banquet, active members damaged property, weapons and alcohol were identified at activities and a group of alumni sponsored an activity with alcohol. The host chapter was left with a damaged reputation and the hotel threatening a major bill. This bill started at many thousands. I stepped in at this time and dealt with the hotel. A major reduction in this bill led
to a $1,275.00 bill split between the two district organizations.

The Western convention was enjoyable as we had the opportunity to present honorary memberships to the children of William Scroggs. They also offered some unique perspectives on their father and one could easily see the associations between their upbringing and the foundation of our fraternity. I thank Trustee Ken Corbett and active members in the Western District for putting this together. At the same time, the concerns with the former chapter at San Diego State were often a topic of discussion.

In fall of 2006 all but one district submitted their tentative convention schedules by the December 1 deadline. I believe we are doing more to establish a support system for these districts. We had to deal with some issues in the Midwest district with replacing a district president who was dealing with severe issues. However, they handled it very well and moved forward with distinction.

In 2007 the Southeast District presented some complex issues dealing with personalities and agendas. The coming district convention was a challenge as the student leaders were having a difficult time with creating a new direction. The Governors worked very hard to change the culture and this is a long-term project. However, with the support and guidance of Georgia Tech Director of Bands Andrea Strauss, the Iota chapter hosted a wonderful convention. Kudos goes to the active membership of this district for a marvelous convention. However, the lack of attendance at a marvelous concert indicates that we still need to remember our primary focus. I was privileged to work with the Nominations committee and to guest conduct the Georgia Tech Symphonic Band.

The Southwest District did not follow through in a timely manner and therefore did not receive the financial support that the other districts for the 2007 convention season I attended this convention and found that the brothers put together a very fine convention. I did a workshop on developing musicality and enjoyed the unique reading band experience.

The Western, North Central and Northeast Districts put together impressive conventions and I am excited about the potential demonstrated by the respective councils.

One of the primary concerns in the districts has been that the National Council will place parameters on their conventions. With the assistance of leadership funds and last summer’s DLC spearheaded by Vice President Matney, the leadership at the district level designed their own, clearly defined parameters.

Travel

I had the opportunity to visit our chapter at Syracuse in December 2006. It was one of those rare occasions that a director wanted to show the positive results of suspension and re-evaluation. This chapter has transformed itself into a real force in the band program and I was impressed with the brotherhood developed. They have a nice balance of music majors and non-music majors and boast a more diverse membership. In hindsight, they appreciate the opportunity that suspension provided.

I went Kean University to install the colony as a new chapter. Though small, they have a dedicated director who is invested in the success of the new chapter. I think they will do quite well.

I went to Midwest Band and Orchestra Clinic in December. There is a great degree of interest from universities in becoming a part of our family. Vice President Matney did a terrific job of connecting with folks in this regard.

I was afforded the opportunity to visit my alma mater, Tennessee Technological University, to install the new Lambda Rho chapter. This was a tremendous honor and this chapter has some remarkable students who will make a major impact on the campus.

I had the opportunity to work as colony advisor for the Florida Atlantic University colony. I also was honored to serve as their installing officer as they were the fifteenth new chapter this biennium, Mu Beta.

Caboose

During the past biennia, some discussion occurred regarding space for archives and display of fraternity memorabilia. During the meeting with the Executive Director and the Chair of the Board, I charged the Executive Director with researching the possibility for the purchase of a caboose for such a purpose. This would be appropriate with Stillwater Station and its landmark status. He did so and found a caboose in Michigan. He and Vice President Mills went to investigate in November. Upon their recommendation, the Council determined to purchase this caboose. In December at Midwest Band and Orchestra Clinic, Al and Gladys Wright told the Executive Director they might be interested in making a contribution toward that purchase. They followed through with a $25,000 donation, which covers the purchase price and some of the cost for moving. The caboose will bear their name in recognition of their donation.

Budget

I have had to manipulate the budget a great deal this past year. It has not reflected how we have spent. We are now using the Leadership Funds to cover the Leadership Symposia. Also, members of the Council have traveled extensively, more than was budgeted. As we deal with significant increases in travel costs, this will have to be a consideration in future scheduling. The fraternity can afford to absorb at this point, but two years hence there could be a financial strain.

The North Central District overspent their budget. We determined additional funding for this district and considered our expectations. We are rightfully concerned about our district
leadership ‘getting the word out,’ but we must consider the investment.

Our policy of having National officers install new chapters will continue to overspend the investment of said colonies. As we deal with significant increases in travel costs, this will have to be a consideration in future scheduling.

We have made a substantial commitment to the Caboose. I believe this a long-term positive investment. While we acquired a great deal of donations for the Caboose, those have been off set by expenditures by the Board on the alumni project.

I had to designate additional funds to cover the addition of a phone system, to accommodate our new CFR and the Caboose. It is hoped that Tau Beta Sigma will assume some of that cost if they add usage.

**Chapter Field Representative**

After a series of decisions and conversations, Dusty Brown resigned as Chapter Field Representative. The position was advertised and Vice President Matney, Alan Bonner and I interviewed finalists in Stillwater the first weekend in December 2005. We hired Phil Rubin and six months later, we added Jen Murdock as Chapter Field Representative. This has allowed better, more frequent interaction with the active membership with opportunities to better serve through workshops and on-campus resources. Phil has made some tremendous first impressions in the field. I believe he has elevated the expectations and status. He has a clear understanding of the fraternity and communicates the decision-making process behind Council decision very well to the students. We are in a unique position with the addition of Jen Murdock to really impact our active chapters with workshops and growth opportunities. Although Vice President Matney covers this in her report, I want to add that we are fortunate that our CFRs are first class with a wealth of experience and insights that are invaluable in the field. They continue to present a positive image and I think we have made a terrific impact in our chapters in this regard.

**Miscellaneous**

Although Strategic Planning was originally schedule for the Labor Day weekend 2005, conflicts required a decision to postpone to February 2006. Thus, the location moved from Detroit to San Antonio.

After discussion with Kathy Godwin, Vice President Mills and Dollie Nelson were asked to take the lead on developing a Katrina Project.

We developed a combined committee to make recommendations regarding National Intercollegiate Band composers and conductors. The Executive Director, Rick Greenwood, Mike Golemo, Greg Byrnes and Sarah McKoin make up the committee.

We have initiated discussion regarding the Duck Street property. It seems the general consensus is that we should continue to own and maintain that property.

Through the help and expertise of Trustee Scott Stowell, we had an alcohol policy for discussion. This has been tabled on occasion and is still something that should be addressed.

I sent an arrangement to the family of Jon Woods in their bereavement.

I compiled feedback for the evaluation of the National Executive Director and the National Headquarters Staff. I asked the Executive Director to research possibilities for moving to electronic meetings.

After years of discussion and development, the National Council implemented the Leadership Symposia.

I am convinced that this Council strove to set a standard for how we can operate on the national level. The support between the members and the true brotherhood demonstrated while focused on college bands is where our fraternity should head.

Thank you, and continue to Strive for the Highest.

Respectfully submitted,

Rod Chesnutt
National President
Kappa Kappa Psi

**APPENDIX 2**

**REPORT OF THE NATIONAL VICE PRESIDENT FOR COLONIZATION AND MEMBERSHIP**

By Malinda Matney, PHD, Nu Chapter, The University of Michigan

Brothers of the National Council, Board of Trustees, District Governors and Officers, Alumni, Distinguished Guests and all Brothers of Kappa Kappa Psi:

It is a privilege to share with you a glimpse of the state of colonization and membership at the end of this biennium. The responsibilities and activities of this office range widely, a reflection of the growth and dynamic nature of our Brotherhood today.

**Colonization**

The 2005-2007 biennium witnessed an incredible number of colonies across all six districts. Congratulations to the recently installed chapters, as well as our current colonies in progress. I have a special gratitude toward the advising people and advising chapters for their dedication and assistance. All of these Brothers (and Brothers in the making) have dedicated extraordinary work and investment in Kappa Kappa Psi’s future.

- Southeastern Louisiana State University (Lambda Xi)
I would also like to acknowledge the continuing work of our colonies in progress as of the writing of this report:

- Diablo Valley College
- Western Michigan University
- University of Oregon
- Grove City College
- Bethel College
- Alcorn State University
- East Stroudsburg University
- Mississippi Valley State University
- Houston Baptist University
- Paul Quinn College
- University of Texas at El Paso

This is about to become the \textit{decade of greatest expansion in our history}, with two years left to go within this decade. We are the \textit{second greatest biennium of expansion in the history of Kappa Kappa Psi} as well. I note these items with both excitement and caution. We should not pursue installation just for the sake of setting a record. However, it is clear that more campuses are gravitating toward what we offer. This is part of a national trend on campuses in general of wanting to establish new fraternities and student organizations. Kappa Kappa Psi is positioned well for this current student and director interest.

\textbf{Growth and trends within KKPsi}
At the end of this report I have attached two tables. One reflects our membership trends of the past three years, and one reflects our colonization trends over the history of Kappa Kappa Psi.

It is interesting to note that half of our Fraternity’s chapters have been installed since 1988 – they have existed for less than 20 years. A third of our Fraternity’s chapters have been installed since 1996 – barely over a decade. When we speak of “tradition” and of growth, both of these numbers are important. We are a rapidly expanding Fraternity that looks very different than it did when I attended my first national convention in 1985. That does not suggest a loss of quality, but rather, a development of both new campuses and higher quality in all of our areas of endeavor. However, it does challenge us to continue to examine what we do at every level, and work to retain this growth and meet the challenges of college bands today.

This flurry of activity has happened at other times in the history of Kappa Kappa Psi. Often they’ve been followed by a struggle to retain these newer chapters. As a Fraternity, everyone has a responsibility to look after the newer chapters. This should be a strong focus of districts. If each district vice president alone were to focus most attention on membership retention and recruitment, rather than colonization, Kappa Kappa Psi would leap forward in numbers. Again, these should not be numbers just for the sake of having numbers. Rather, these should be quality people who help our chapters move forward and serve well without burning out a small membership.

Trends of the future on campuses

As we’ve demonstrated within the colonization section of this report, people want to be part of organizations, and we’re catching that wave. This is a wave that campuses are seeing with frequency, particularly with a trend toward forming new organizations. Campuses are seeing the formation of new organizations as both exciting and as a cause for caution. It causes caution because campuses want students to continue to invest in the organizations that exist, and not form organizations just for the sake of being called a “founder.” For Kappa Kappa Psi, that is a special call to us to continue to look after our own chapters and after other chapters to ensure that membership recruitment and retention are a strong focus.

Campuses are calling for greater accountability. You, as the representatives of Kappa Kappa Psi on your campuses, will need to be able to demonstrate, in quantifiable terms, what your chapter does to live our mission and why you should continue. If you try to live a mission that is not Kappa Kappa Psi’s, you’ll be lost – other organizations exist to do general community service or general activities. We are the people who give uniquely to band music through how we serve our bands, how we promote them across campus to ensure their future, and how we encourage our fellow band members to be the best students within bands and across campus. Every aspect of what we do should be about band. That’s not limiting, but empowering. Think of the ways you can amplify your fellow band members in their contribution on campus. Think about how far your band can go with your effort and with what strength your chapter can solidify its importance on your campus.

Membership education

Throughout the biennium, we have worked to meet student needs in various aspects of educational effort. I summarize a few here to demonstrate the wide variety of educational efforts we have done and also to note the ways that student observations and requests have shaped this area of our Fraternity’s work.

Colonization improvements

During this biennium, several innovations were tried within the colonization arena, largely at the request of students.

The new Kappa Kappa Psi colonization handbook created in Fall 2005 has received rave reviews. Web materials for colonization were improved early as well, allowing for more direct connection between those surfing to our website with interest with the tools to get started.

We have now, following the suggestion of the 2005 National Convention Colonization Committee, started charging only a portion of the initiate fee per colonist up front. At this time, they pay only $15 per colonist at the beginning (in addition to the colonization fee), with the balance due with the petitioning document. One effect of this has been that several colonies now delay installation until fall to avoid paying both installation and regular chapter fees next year. This is a budget impact not anticipated in the original proposal that needs to be accounted in future budgets – it is a reduction in available funds to support chapters and colonies, and a longer period of years needed to recover the financial investment in these newest chapters.

The new Kappa Kappa Psi colonization website was started. Thanks to the work of Derrick Mills and Ken Corbett for making this site go, and to Dixie Mosier-Greene and Alan Bonner for support from Headquarters. It is clear that this site will take root with new colonies that come onboard, and not as much with previously established colonies. As well, it cannot take the place of personalized communication. Where it can augment our efforts greatly is in helping a wider circle of Brothers know what progress a particular colony has made, allowing these Brothers to help support the colony. None of this will happen without the colonies, advising chapters, and advising people (many of them being you) working with the site and encouraging others to do so.

During winter 2007 we have started to test a new colony advising model, bringing together a team of chapters (more than two). Each chapter has an assigned role in the colonization, rather than being asked to work it out amongst themselves (which we have found to not be a viable approach). As well, two advising people are assigned in the first test of this, each with a set of assignments. A ritual team is composed of people from all advising chapters, with no expectation that an entire
chapter can attend any of the degrees that occur. I hope that this strategy will allow more chapters to participate, as well as provide more help to advising chapters. The Grove City Colony process is our first test, with the advising team of Alpha Omega (Pittsburgh), Epsilon Phi (Clarion), and Kappa Rho (Duquesne) and advising people Anthony Roscoe and Ryan Minster. The colony and all members of this team have stepped up to make this live well so far. Their lessons will help us continue to improve our colony advising and at the same time build lasting educational networks between our active chapters. This group has been exciting and energetic, and they truly are leaders.

**VCMEP**

In Fall 2005 I started the Virtual Continuing Membership Education Program (or VCMEP, since everyone loves abbreviations). This has been a great success, continuing to garner great student response to various issues. I have heard from many chapters looking for models to start their own Continuing Membership Education Programs, as well as help with specific issues, as a result of the variety of topics covered. The VCMEPs are housed within the publications area of the national website.

We have had all Council members, both CFRs, and many Governors and Board Members write for the series, which only enriches the material. Thanks to all of you for your contributions.

**VCMEP topics published during the biennium:**

- September 2005: What is a CMEP?
- October 2005: Director/sponsor involvement
- November 2005: Membership recruitment and selection
- December 2005: Chapter discipline and investigations
- January 2006: Awards
- February 2006: Road Trip
- March 2006: Is the Music On?
- April 2006: Malinda’s Mailbag 1: Membership Issues
- May 2006: What to do over the summer
- June 2006: Malinda’s Mailbag 2: Is It Hazing?
- July 2006: A year from now (planning to attend national convention)
- August 2006: Program Planning and Assessment
- September 2006: Facebook, Blogs, and other Internet Communication
- October 2006: National Month of Musicianship
- November 2006: Does music make you smarter 1? Music and Your Brain
- December 2006: Does music make you smarter 2? Music and How You Learn
- January 2007: Malinda’s Mailbag 3: Is it Brotherhood?
- February 2007: Leadership for non-officers
- March 2007: Meet the Parents: Involving Parents in KKPsi
- April 2007: mmmmmmmMeetings!
- May 2007: Recording Chapter History
- June 2007: The Biennial Report of the VPCM

**The goals of the VCMEP were simple:**

1) To educate the active membership about the role of a Continuing Membership Education Program.
2) To provide a model CMEP that Brothers or chapters can emulate or directly copy at home.
3) To promote a proactive image of the National Council through leadership on membership education issues.
4) To elevate the level of conversation on the listserv(s).

While it will be up to the next VPCM to determine if this program continues, I strongly recommend that this program does, incorporating a variety of writers to tap into the array of talents we have available to support our students.

**District Leadership Conference**

Following on President Chesnutt’s request, I created and led both the 2006 and 2007 District Leadership Conferences. I worked collaboratively with Tau Beta Sigma VPCM Kimbi Sigle to coordinate our various efforts. The 2006 DLC included the first DLC reading band, a Saturday night joint social activity that students and alumni alike enjoyed and considered a highlight of the event.

**The DLC had three areas of focus:**

- District challenges and leadership through challenges
- Building relationships to help with the various challenges ahead
- Creating district conventions as educational and musical events

These district presidents needed time in the skill building and idea testing phases of this work in order to be ready to confront the unique challenges of district presidents through the year. One goal I had was for them build more substantive conversations with each other so as a peer group they can support each others’ work through the year. They were able to do this both as a Kappa Kappa Psi group and with their Tau Beta Sigma counterparts, enjoying both separate and joint time to share.

**District conventions and evaluations**

The various activities of the 2005 National Convention were well received, and the results of the evaluations helped shape both President Chesnutt’s planning of the 2007 National Convention and the work that each district did to create its own district conventions. Each district convention had evaluations distributed each year of the biennium. The results of this and their helpfulness for future planning are as good as your participation in the evaluation. Evaluation participation is an important way to add your voice and help shape future events. Take advantage of it.

**Discipline**

This has been a relatively quiet biennium for disciplinary activity. While we have had a higher rate of probations, most have resulted from the July 2005 National Council decision to assign automatic probation for chapters who fail to submit two...
consecutive reports. Chapters have responded well to this call for improvement; our chapters tend to thrive when they have higher standards to attain.

We have distributed through the Virtual Continuing Membership Education Program the general process for investigations in December 2005, and this document is still on the national website. This document met the charge of the 2005 National Convention Membership Committee to create a publication detailing this process.

Six chapters have lost their charters this biennium:

- Morehouse College – Iota Theta (hazing)
- Waynesburg College – Iota Eta (chapter request)
- Central State University – Theta Delta (director request)
- University of Louisville – Theta Eta (failure to submit dues)
- San Diego State University – Eta Mu (repeated failure to follow the constitution and edicts of the National Council)
- Livingstone College – Theta Chi (hazing)

It is always a negative moment in the life of Kappa Kappa Psi when we lose a chapter or must revoke a charter, no matter what the reason for the action is. It is truly a loss in the family, and usually after both painful actions and careful deliberation. Our hope, and our goal through our education, is to never arrive at a day when the actions of a chapter would make charter revocation a possibility. These actions hurt not just those whose chapter is closed, but also the nation. The harm includes higher insurance premiums (such as we experienced last year), inability to secure affordable venues for district conventions or chapter events, and a reputation other campuses and band programs do not want to invite to campus. Our policies, procedures, edicts, and bylaws exist to protect our students and our Fraternity. Choosing to ignore them is not a choice that is made in a vacuum. We are seeing more and more how our actions and behavior affect everyone else in the fraternity. Negative behavior of a few truly does have an impact on everyone today, and on Brothers in the future as well.

CFRs

During this biennium, we have expanded the Chapter Field Representative program to a two-position program. As this Fraternity has grown – in membership, chapters, complexity, and quality expectations – it has been obvious that to do the work we would like to support students, limiting ourselves to one person in the role was no longer sufficient.

We have learned many lessons from the expansion of the program, probably the leading issue being the misconception that the CFR is a one person position, rather than a program in high demand, needing more CFRs and different approaches to the work our chapters need. This is a transition that will take further root as we have new CFRs and everyone gets used to seeing multiple people, rather than making one person into a program by himself for a long stretch of time. This transition is a result of growth, and we must remember that such growth can also be a challenge.

Having said this about the program, our CFRs have both been hard at work. I believe that both the movement in the colonization arena and the lack of activity in the disciplinary arena has been in part the result of the work of Jen Murdock and Phil Rubin. They have each demonstrated great strengths, and the result has been positive for Kappa Kappa Psi.

Jennifer Murdock (Life Member from the Gamma Chapter) and Phillip Rubin (Life Member from the Kappa Mu Chapter) have each brought intelligence, humor, flexibility, dedication, drive, and curiosity to the position. They come from differing Fraternal backgrounds, and bring different ways of “living” Kappa Kappa Psi, and this has been to the benefit of the nation and, in specific, the development of the Chapter Field Representative program. Thanks to the both of them for the gift they are to Kappa Kappa Psi and the gift they are to me.

Other activities

It has been a privilege to be able to serve you through presentations, advising, installations, and simply meeting you at events in all six districts. I have been able to go to district conventions in five districts, often doing presentations at student request. As well, being a part of the Leadership Symposia has given me a way to both work with you and see your wonderful work in progress. Meeting students in person is a vital part of National Council work, and one of the most invigorating parts of the role.

I had the honor to present the Distinguished Service to Music Medal to Craig Kirkhoff, University of Minnesota; the A. Frank Martin Award to Robert Greschesky, Director of Bands at Butler University; and the J. Lee Burke Student Achievement Award to Edward Savoy, Lock Haven University and James Madison University; Eric Gilliam, Butler University; and Lance Coochyouma, Northern Arizona University and the University of Arizona. Seeing this level of accomplishment at multiple levels brings home the impact of college bands on so many lives in many ways.

Thanks!

To write a report at the end of the biennium and not say “thank you” would not simply be rude, it would be untrue to the nature of what we do. One of the great purposes of a Fraternity for college bands is to bring band members together. I can assure you that many band members (students and alumni) have been important to this work, and have carried part of this load. Our National Headquarters staff has worked hard to provide the daily support to Brothers (and Sisters) at every level. Their work to collect paperwork and dues, answer questions, provide logistical help, and spread spirit has been wonderful. Thanks to Alan, Dixie, Di, Debbie, and Jake for all that they do.

The Brothers of the National Council and Board of Trustees
have operated as a family. The moments we brainstorm, argue, celebrate, and commiserate are all part of our lives. Being around this gathering has challenged me to work even harder to honor the work that each of these officers and trustees produces. I am indebted to the Board for their support and help as I transitioned into the role of VPCM. Their support, answers to questions, and help with historical knowledge was vital to the future work this VP does. To my fellow VPs, Rick, Adam, and Derrick, thanks to you for the vital roles you play on this team. Your support, friendship, and assumption of your part of the team’s work has been inspirational; together, this has been a great experience. To Rod C., I cherish the opportunity to get to know you better and to work with you throughout this biennium. You have brought many ideas to the conversation, and I remain inspired by your devotion to the band directing profession.

It has been a privilege to work together with Tau Beta Sigma’s National Council at various times throughout this biennium. Our Sisters have been fun to work with, and great partners in a variety of conversations. In particular, thanks to Kimbi Sigle, Tau Beta Sigma’s Vice President for Colonization and Membership, for her energy, creativity, and collaboration. As we have collaborated on DLCs and other events, I have been impressed with her love for bands and for Tau Beta Sigma. Thanks for the light you bring!

Kappa Kappa Psi had 11 new District Governors over the course of the biennium, with only two Governors continuing from previous biennia. This is a large turnover such that I have not seen in over a decade. I have been impressed with their talent and flexibility, and challenged by their energy as they assumed their roles. As we end the biennium, it is a privilege to call them not only outstanding Brothers and colleagues, but truly as friends I cherish. Thanks to Marie, Danny, Rod W., Christine, Denali, Lisa, Patrick, Tanya, Chris, David S., Michael, David O., and Kelvin.

No Brother serves in any office well without support at home, whether it is district office or national leadership. The Brothers of Nu at the University of Michigan have provided ideas, energy, enthusiasm, and perspective. Seeing them love this Fraternity, enjoy their bands, imagine new ways to serve while enjoying their position on campus has reminded me of why we all do what we do more times than I can count. Watching them spread their love of band in multiple ways has been an inspiration, and it remains an honor to be their sponsor. Go Blue!

Several alumni have provided support and inspiration along the way. My special appreciation goes to Andy Mullin, Chris Haughee, Marie Burleigh, Rod Whiteman, Deb Eakins, Marci Jones, Michael Green, David O’Shields, and Ed Savoy for their continued conversations and help throughout the biennium. Mike Osborn, in particular, has had the “opportunity” to answer many questions, listen to vents, develop brainstorms, and in general be an incredibly giving and supportive friend. To all Brothers across the nation: Whether we meet in person or over email, you have provided many reasons to keep working in this role. Whether you sent a response to a late night email saying “Yes, you do burn the midnight oil,” or you simply said “I’m using this idea with my chapter tonight,” those notes let us know that all of this matters. That is a gift without comparison. Your bands are the reason for the Fraternity, and you are the inspiration for even greater service.

Finally

The challenges before us are many. We are at a transitional point within Kappa Kappa Psi. We must understand that student and band needs are changing, and they will call for a renewed activism on behalf of college bands. Every week it seems, we see another campus try to curtail band as a part of the campus culture, whether cutting concert ensembles or deciding that a sound system and dancing girls provides a “better family environment” than a true college marching band or pep band. Through this, we learn two lessons:

- Our mission calls on us to advocate on behalf of our bands, and
- We cannot assume that “how it has always been done” (as we imagine it) will continue without campus intervention.

Kappa Kappa Psi has lived through almost 90 years. We have not done so because of resting on what we imagine was done before. Even in the just over two decades of my involvement, how KKPsi happens has changed rapidly. We’d never imagine a day without cell phones, email, internet, active governors, CFRs, and annual district conventions. We’d never imagine a day without our hymn. However, none of those were part of the landscape of the Fraternity I joined those years ago. Likewise, in the coming 20 years, we’ll see a very different way of enacting KKPsi. Having that history in my life has been invaluable in performing the role of Vice President for Colonization and Membership. Having Brothers with extensive history around all of us helps us better appreciate the lessons of the past and the gifts we can continue to develop in the future.

What should never change is what Kappa Kappa Psi stands for: Our college bands, with their members and directors together. As we move into the next biennium, and toward the 90th anniversary, we have our work ahead to ensure the survival of what we hold dear. Let’s join in this work, and let our campuses and communities know that without college bands, they will have lost something uniquely community building and uniquely American. It is why we exist.

Thank you for this opportunity to serve. I have appreciated these two years greatly, and look forward to what Kappa Kappa Psi can yet become. Time flies, and there is yet much to experience!

Fraternally,

Malinda M. Matney, Ph.D.
National Vice President for Colonization and Membership
Kappa Kappa Psi
2005-2007

Sponsor of Nu Chapter
University of Michigan

Top biennia for installations
# Membership Trend Comparison, AY 2005 to AY 2007

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th></th>
<th></th>
<th></th>
<th></th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Active chapters</td>
<td>179</td>
<td>180</td>
<td>186</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Total active membership at year end</td>
<td>4420</td>
<td>4614</td>
<td>4790</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Average chapter size, year end</td>
<td>24.69</td>
<td>25.63</td>
<td>25.75</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Total actives (initiated prior to this year)</td>
<td>2937</td>
<td>3239</td>
<td>3321</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Total initiates, not from colonies</td>
<td>924</td>
<td>1319</td>
<td>1364</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Initiates from new chapter charters</td>
<td>128 (9 charters)</td>
<td>56 (5 charters)</td>
<td>105 (10 charters)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Midwest prior actives</td>
<td>359</td>
<td>383</td>
<td>376</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Midwest initiates</td>
<td>174</td>
<td>153</td>
<td>195</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>MW membership net change from prior year</td>
<td>+3</td>
<td>+35</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>North Central prior actives</td>
<td>484</td>
<td>527</td>
<td>542</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>North Central initiates</td>
<td>240 (incl. 37 charter initiates)</td>
<td>225</td>
<td>252 (incl. 39 charter initiates)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>NC membership net change from prior year</td>
<td>+28</td>
<td>+42</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Northeast prior actives</td>
<td>569</td>
<td>630</td>
<td>694</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Northeast initiates</td>
<td>299 (incl. 34 charter initiates)</td>
<td>268</td>
<td>255 (incl. 4 charter initiates)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>NE membership net change from prior year</td>
<td>+30</td>
<td>+57</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Southeast prior actives</td>
<td>501</td>
<td>606</td>
<td>609</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Southeast initiates</td>
<td>283 (incl. 38 charter year initiates)</td>
<td>247 (incl. 37 charter initiates)</td>
<td>278 (incl. 20 charter initiates)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>SE membership net change from prior year</td>
<td>+69</td>
<td>+34</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Southwest prior actives</td>
<td>788</td>
<td>856</td>
<td>861</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Southwest initiates</td>
<td>392 (incl. 19 charter initiates)</td>
<td>341 (incl. 19 charter initiates)</td>
<td>374 (incl. 11 charter initiates)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>SW membership net change from prior year</td>
<td>+17</td>
<td>+38</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Western prior actives</td>
<td>236</td>
<td>237</td>
<td>239</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Western initiates</td>
<td>95</td>
<td>85</td>
<td>115</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>W membership net change from prior year</td>
<td>-9</td>
<td>+32</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
### Chapters chartered by biennium

As of 10 June 2007 (including Mu Beta installation on 9 June 07)
Data prior to current biennium based on 2005-2007 Guide to Membership

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Biennium</th>
<th>Number of charters</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1919-1921</td>
<td>4</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1921-1923</td>
<td>4</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1923-1925</td>
<td>5</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1925-1927</td>
<td>5</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1927-1929</td>
<td>8</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>First decade</strong></td>
<td><strong>26</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1929-1931</td>
<td>6</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1931-1933</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1933-1935</td>
<td>4</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1935-1937</td>
<td>1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1937-1939</td>
<td>3</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Second decade</strong></td>
<td><strong>14</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1939-1941</td>
<td>2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1941-1943</td>
<td>2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1943-1945</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1945-1947</td>
<td>1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1947-1949</td>
<td>14</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Third decade</strong></td>
<td><strong>19</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1949-1951</td>
<td>13</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1951-1953</td>
<td>4</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1953-1955</td>
<td>9</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1955-1957</td>
<td>11</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1957-1959</td>
<td>7</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Fourth decade</strong></td>
<td><strong>44</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1959-1961</td>
<td>2 recharters, 1 new (3 total)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1961-1963</td>
<td>6 recharters, 6 new (12 total)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1963-1965</td>
<td>0 recharters, 4 new (4 total)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1965-1967</td>
<td>2 recharters, 4 new (6 total)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1967-1969</td>
<td>2 recharters, 6 new (8 total)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Fifth decade</strong></td>
<td><strong>12 recharters, 21 new (33 total)</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1969-1971</td>
<td>1 recharters, 16 new (17 total)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1971-1973</td>
<td>2 recharters, 12 new (14 total)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1973-1975</td>
<td>2 recharters, 7 new (9 total)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1975-1977</td>
<td>1 recharters, 6 new (7 total)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1977-1979</td>
<td>0 recharters, 7 new (7 total)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Sixth decade</strong></td>
<td><strong>6 recharters, 48 new (54 total)</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1979-1981</td>
<td>1 recharters, 2 new (3 total)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1981-1983</td>
<td>1 recharters, 7 new (8 total)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1983-1985</td>
<td>1 recharters, 8 new (9 total)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1985-1987</td>
<td>2 recharters, 9 new (11 total)</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
### Kappa Kappa Psi Separate Sessions

1987-1989 | 1 recharters, 12 new (13 total)
---|---
**Seventh decade** | **6 recharters, 38 new (44 total)**
1989-1991 | 1 recharters, 10 new (11 total)
1991-1993 | 6 recharters, 7 new (13 total)
1993-1995 | 2 recharters, 8 new (10 total)
1995-1997 | 4 recharters, 3 new (7 total)
1997-1999 | 5 recharters, 5 new (10 total)
**Eighth decade** | **18 recharters, 33 new (51 total)**
1999-2001 | 6 recharters, 7 new (13 total)
2001-2003 | 5 recharters, 8 new (13 total)
2003-2005 | 3 recharters, 9 new (12 total)
2005-2007 (to date) | 2 recharters, 13 new (15 total)
2007-2009 | n/a
**Ninth decade (to date)** | **16 recharters, 38 new (53 total)**

- 1969-1971 (17 installations)
- 2005-2007 (15 installations)
- 1971-1973 (14 installations)
- Four at 13 installations (87-89, 91-93, 99-01, 01-03)
- Two at 12 installations (61-63, 03-05)

### Decades in order of growth

- Sixth – 1969-1979 (54)
- Ninth – 1999-2009 (53)
- Eighth – 1989-1999 (51)
- Fourth – 1949-1959 (44)
- Seventh – 1979-1989 (44)
- Fifth – 1959-1969 (33)
- First – founding-1929 (26)
- Third – 1939-1949 (19)
- Second – 1929-1939 (14)

### Appendix 3

**REPORT OF THE NATIONAL VICE PRESIDENT FOR PROGRAMS**

By Derrick A. Mills, Eta Chapter, The Ohio State University

Brothers of the national chapter:

It has been an honor and pleasure to serve as your national vice president for programs. I feel that this biennium has been one of tremendous effectiveness and growth with our fraternity programs. The amount of fraternity programs I manage have sometimes been challenging. Working with the national council, district officers, alumni and active members has made serving in this position fun and rewarding.

I believe that this biennium has been one of the most revolutionary biennium’s in our fraternity’s history. The stars have aligned where we have a student leadership wanting more resources and challenges, a talented, energized national council and an extremely ambitious national president. As a result, we have had numerous programs that were in “planning” stage for years actually happen. Some examples being our district officers have met the challenges of changing their district conventions to offer more meaningful resources. We have literally changed the face of our national headquarters with the addition of the caboose. We have added a second CFR. Our fraternity programs have flourished!

Please allow me to highlight the fraternity programs over the biennium:

**National Convention and national council meeting minutes**

Immediately following the 2005 National Convention in Lexington, KY the convention minutes needed to be completed. I worked with Immediate past National Vice President for Programs Michelle Kincheloe to compile and publish the minutes. Traditionally, the retiring national vice president for programs compiles the minutes without help from the incoming vice president for programs. Thanks to Brother Kincheloe for allowing me to work with her towards the completion of the minutes. It has truly prepared me for taking the lead for these convention minutes. I hope to work closely with the next vice president for programs on the completion of this biennium’s minutes.

**Membership resources CD**

Organizing the membership resource CD is another responsibility of the vice president for programs. At the beginning of the biennium, I had the responsibility of updating the CD and getting it out to our active members. In an effort to streamline the process and better communicate with potential headquarters personnel changes, I created a resources CD check list. The check list was created to help the vice president for programs and the national headquarters publications manager...
have an early list of sections in the resources CD that will always be updated. This is especially beneficial in an effort to diminish the large amount of work for the VPP and the publications manager after national convention. This way, most of the busy work is done early. In addition to the checklist, I will submit recommendations for new sections into the guide to membership to the newly elected VPP. I recommend the next VPP continue streamlining the process of editing our membership resources CD. I believe we have made great strides in providing useful resources to active members and that should continue.

**Fraternity Website (kkpsi.org)**

It has been an honor to continue working on the development of our national website (kkpsi.org). I worked closely with national publications managers Marcus Brown and Jake Burk to keep the website as current as possible. I was part of the website development team along with Board of Trustees member Ken Corbett and Vice President Adam Cantley. We brainstormed ideas for the future and answered emails.

During the biennium, I had the opportunity of working on the developmental team towards a new colonization reporting system. The purpose of this reporting system is to streamline the colonization process and provide a visual representation of where each colony is in the colonization process. The developmental team consisted of myself, Vice President Malinda Matney, Board of Trustees member Ken Corbett. With the assistance of Executive Director Alan Bonner and National Headquarters Administrator Dixie Mosier-Green we were able to go live with the system in the fall of 2006. With expected growing pains for a new system, the colonization reporting website will continually be improved and be a vital tool for colonization.

**Leadership development Funds/Speaker funds**

The leadership symposia went from planning to a reality this biennium. The national chapter charged the national council to keep the cost of the symposia under $50.00 for attendees. To stay within that financial commitment, the national council voted to greatly subsidize the cost of the symposia to each attendee. As a result the fraternity has invested in future leaders of the organization and utilized each member’s dues for future leadership. The fraternity offered two sites Louisville Kentucky and Dallas Texas. I had the opportunity to attend the Symposia in Louisville which went very well. Thanks to vice president Adam Cantley and the national headquarters staff towards the promotion and execution of these very special and historic events.

This biennium, I worked closely with your district presidents and governors to ensure that all of the resources were used. One strong example of that use was the utilization of leadership speaker funds for district conventions. The main problem in the past has been that there was no clear process or structure for how to use the funds. I created an application and set of deadlines for the district presidents to follow. As a result, the national council was able to fund at least one leadership speaker for every district at least once. The Leadership speakers include the following:

2006

Derrick Mills presented workshops on building the bonds of brotherhood and fraternity programs at the Southeast District Convention in Greenville, SC.

Chris Haughee presented a workshop on building fraternity relations at the Southeast District Convention in Greenville, SC.

Dr. Kirk Randazzo presented a workshop on strategic planning at the North Central District Convention at Marshall University Jen DiBennedetto presented a workshop on marketing at the North Central District Convention at Marshall University.

2007

Brian Dorn presented a ritual workshop at the Midwest District Convention in Kearney, Nebraska

Dr. Kirk Randazzo presented a workshop based off his leadership symposia curriculum at the Southeast District Convention in Atlanta, GA

Dr. Ken Singleton presented a workshop about the history of wind bands at the Midwest District Convention in Kearney, NE.

Tanya Marsh presented two workshops on leadership and motivation at the Midwest District Convention in Kearney, NE.

Rod Whiteman presented a workshop on hazing at the Western District Convention in Las Vegas, NV.

Bob Calonico presented a workshop on music at the Western District Convention at Las Vegas, NV.

William Humbert presented a workshop on music at the Western District Convention at Las Vegas, NV.

Dr. Malinda Matney presented a workshop on women in the fraternity at the Northeast District Convention at Clarion, PA.

Ken Corbett presented a workshop on the fraternity ritual at the Northeast District Convention at Clarion, PA.

Deb Eakins presented a workshop on conflict resolution at the Northeast District Convention at Clarion, PA.

Calvin Spencer presented a workshop on music education at the Northeast District Convention at Clarion, PA.

Scott Stowell presented a workshop on risk management at the North Central District Convention at Cincinnati, OH.

As you can see from our biennium’s activities, our national chapter has invested a tremendous amount of financial resources (nearly $24,000.00) towards leadership and leadership development. I recommend the next VPP continue promoting the leadership funds available to each district for speakers. I also encourage all active members of the national chapter to take advantage of the leadership symposia offered in 2008.

**National Month of Musicianship**

November 2006 was designated as Kappa Kappa Psi National Month of Musicianship. This was an opportunity for brothers across the national to reflect on musicianship in their band programs and life.

**Matching grant**
The national chapter approved three (3) matching grant applications for various musical programs. The matching grants were awarded to:

Texas State University for a guest Conductor
California Polytechnic State University towards wind ensemble
The University of Kentucky for the jazz studies program

Brothers, it is admirable that we have funded three special musical programs; however we can and must do better! Last biennium we funded two matching grants and we were encouraged to do better. I sent reminder emails and promotional information to help spark interest in this program and was still met with frustration. I charge the next VPP to research and evaluate the entire matching grant program.

Disaster Relief

As a result of the devastation of Hurricanes Katrina and Rita, the joint national councils of Kappa Kappa Psi and Tau Beta Sigma created the disaster relief fund. The purpose of these funds is to provide students, alumni and anyone else who would like to contribute monetary donations toward tragic events. The funds collected in the disaster relief fund are designed to specifically aid college band programs affected. The first relief fund was the “Katrina Challenge.” I coordinated the fund drive with Tau Beta Sigma Vice President for Special Projects Dollie McDonald. To date, the relief fund has raised approximately $500.00 towards disaster relief. Thank you to all alumni, chapter and districts that have contributed to this cause.

AEA Scholarship

This biennium has been filled with tremendous AEA Scholarship applicants and award winners. We have had student majors ranging from music education, business and engineers! I have been touched and inspired coordinating this award process on behalf of the national council. Reading the dedication each applicant has for college band and still producing in the classroom at the highest level is a true testament of their character.

To the date of this report before national convention, we have awarded two (2) AEA Scholarships this biennium. They are:

Ashley Tippe, Alpha Theta Chapter at the University of Northern Colorado
Nicholas Annan, Zeta Chi Chapter at the University of South Carolina

At the due date of this report, the national council was reviewing over 10 scholarship applications at the pending July meeting before national convention. GREAT JOB to everyone for showing a huge interest in this scholarship program. Be mindful that EVERY ACTIVE MEMBER funds this scholarship so if you meet the academic standards I encourage you to apply for YOUR scholarship.

Caboose project

The national chapter at the 2005 national convention charged the national council with researching the possibility of purchasing a caboose for storage of the fraternity’s national archives. Why a caboose? The main reason is due to the limited storage and display space that national headquarters provides. Due to my professional construction background, I was appointed to coordinate the entire project. I worked closely with the history and archives team to insure their needs were addressed in each step of the planning. I coordinated with executive director Lt. Col Alan Bonner to conduct the search. With some unbelievable luck, we found a caboose that appeared to suit our needs. I traveled to the Traverse City Michigan with Col Bonner and we inspected the potential caboose. After our recommendation and deliberation from the council, we purchased the caboose. The Board of Trustees quickly started the “All Aboard” campaign to help with the renovations and purchase of the caboose.

After the caboose arrived in Stillwater in the spring of 2006, the long and time consuming process of renovations began. I coordinated with Col Bonner a construction project plan. We secured relationships with an electrical contractor, heating and cooling contractor and general contractor to see the project thro was securely fastened to its new home. Secondly we had the electrician and heating and cooling contractors install electricity and a heating unit.

The current phase is working on the exterior of the caboose to ensure it is capable to withstand the weather conditions in its new home. This phase includes new exterior windows, power washing and sand blasting, body repair, and exterior painting. The next proposed phase of the project will be interior renovations. I have discussed with the history and archives team and the national council conceptual ideas for the interior. The consensus is to have one half of the caboose designated as a display area and the second half designated a research area. I have submitted several architectural renderings of the interior to the council, board of trustees and the history and archives team.

This project has been a tremendous undertaking. I would like to thank the national council and especially Rod Chesnutt for the opportunity to take on this major project of the fraternity. I would also like to thank Alan Bonner for his commitment to this project on behalf of the fraternity; it has been a pleasure to work with you. Thank you to the Ken Corbett and Scott Stowell for your input and guidance in this project.

Conn-Selmer University

Kappa Kappa Psi has continued to support Conn-Selmer University. This biennium we offered scholarships to attendees of the summer sessions up to $300.00. The brothers who were
selected for the scholarships were:

- Robert Bryant from the Delta Iota Chapter at Florida A&M University
- Phillip Oliver from the Iota Upsilon Chapter at McNeese State University
- Laura Reardon from the Beta Rho Chapter at The University of Toledo

Kudos to brothers Bryant, Oliver and Reardon for taking advantage of the Conn-Selmer Scholarship offered by Kappa Kappa Psi. I encourage all brothers to take advantage of this wonderful program towards the advancement of your music education professional careers.

**National awards**

This biennium has been tremendous towards national awards offered. Active members have been great submitting applications on time for the national council to consider. I have worked with both national publications managers Marcus Brown and Jake Burke on enhancing the applications on the web to make them as user friendly as possible. I had the publications manager create a certificate for AEA Scholarship winners and for the Keynote Speaker. I have also sent various reminder emails and announcements about upcoming deadlines. As a result, the following awards were approved and awarded this biennium:

**Distinguished Service to Music**
- Dr. Jack Anderson from the University of Pittsburgh for music education (Presented by Past National VP Programs Deb Eakins)
- Dr. William Gora from Appalachian State University for Conducting (Presented at 2007 National Convention)
- Dr. Johnnie Vinson from Auburn University for Concert band (Presented by National President Dr. Rod Chesnutt)

**A. Frank Martin Award**
- Dr. Brad McDavid from the University of Washington for marching band (Presented by Vice President Derrick Mills)
- Jeffery Stone from Texas A&M at Kingsville for instrumental music (Presented by SWD Governor Danny George)
- Dr. Robert Grechesky from Butler University for music education (Presented by Vice President Dr. Malinda Matney)

**J. Lee Burke Student Achievement Award**
- Lance Coochyoma from the Gamma Kappa Chapter at Northern Arizona University (Presented by Vice President Dr. Malinda Matney)
- Holly Tetreault Alpha Chapter at Oklahoma State University (Presented by Vice President Adam Cantley)
- Kate Cummings from the Delta Omicron Chapter at the University of Connecticut (Presented by Vice President Adam Cantley)
- Ed Savoy from the Eta Alpha Chapter at Lock Haven University (Presented by Vice President Malinda Matney)
- Clinton Wieden from the Alpha Chapter at Oklahoma State University Adam Cantley
- Tesla Hartsog from the Omicron Chapter at West Virginia University Adam Cantley

The 10 J. Lee Burke Student Achievement Award winners tie the amount given last biennium. Congratulations to all award winners and thank you to all chapters that submitted applications. You have done a tremendous job submitting award applications... Keep up the good work!

**Chapter Leadership finalist process**

For the chapter leadership award, I coordinated the selection process with national president Rod Chesnutt. Our goal was to include the governors in the selection process to ensure that the council would have the most information possible. I had national headquarters scan all fall activity and chapter summery reports onto CD’s for review by the national council and governors. In the fall of 2006, I coordinated with the governors to get their recommendations and suggestions towards the list. We incorporated the input of the Chapter Field Representatives in the selection process also. The national council conducted a conference call in February 2007 to deliberate and select the chapter leadership finalist for the 2005-2007 biennium. Congratulations to the following Chapter Leadership Finalist:

- Alpha – Oklahoma State University
- Nu – The University of Michigan
- Pi – Auburn University
- Omicron – West Virginia University
- Alpha Beta – Butler University
- Alpha Omega – The University of Pittsburgh
- Zeta Chi – The University of South Carolina
- Theta Zeta – Ashland University
- Theta Phi – Henderson State University
- Iota Pi – California Polytechnic State University
- Kappa Mu – The University of Georgia

**Keynote Speaker**

The Keynote Speaker Contest has been a tradition for national convention since 1985. Each national convention, one active member has the opportunity to be the first brother to address the national chapter with their address. This biennium in an
would like to first thank my father, James Page for his un-

Thank you

In addition to the previously mentioned travel, I had the oppor-

Additional Fraternity travel

In addition to the previously mentioned travel, I had the oppor-

I began promotion of the contest in the fall of 2006 with 

I began promotion of the contest in the fall of 2006 with 

To the district presidents and officers I have worked with, thank you for all of your energy and enthusiasm. It energizes me 

Thank you especially to governors Tanya Marsh, Denali Alt, David O'Shields and Danny George for your support and input. Governors Rod Whiteman and Christine Beason, thank you so much for your dedication and belief in our active members. It was refreshing to go to my 

To the district presidents and officers I have worked with, thank you for all of your energy and enthusiasm. It energizes me 

I recommend the next VPP to continue in the early promotion of 

Additional Fraternity travel

I attended the 2005 Midwest Band and Orchestra Clinic in 

I attended the 2005 Midwest Band and Orchestra Clinic in 

Thank you to the headquarters staff. Thank you Alan, it has 

Thank you to the headquarters staff. Thank you Alan, it has 

I traveled to Quincy University to serve as installing officer for 

I traveled to Quincy University to serve as installing officer for 

Thank you to Tau Beta Sigma CFR Meredith Brazzell

Thank you to the Tau Beta Sigma CFR Meredith Brazzell

I have a great deal of family, friends and brothers to thank. I 

I have a great deal of family, friends and brothers to thank. I 

Thank you

I would also like to thank brother’s Marci Jones and Darius 

Thank you to my fellow brothers on the national council. 

Thank you to my fellow brothers on the national council. 

Thank you especially to Adam Cantley, you are like the brother 

Thank you especially to Adam Cantley, you are like the brother 

To the governors across the nation, thank you for your dedica-

tion to the fraternity and support. I have enjoyed working with 

tion to the fraternity and support. I have enjoyed working with 

for your belief in me. You have been an amazing president to work with. It has been refreshing to have a president who allows each national council member to showcase their talent. Words cannot express my gratitude.

Lastly I would like to thank the brothers of Kappa Kappa Psi for the opportunity to serve. It has been an honor to represent you on the national council. I encourage all of you to forever walk in the ways of Kappa Kappa Psi.

AEA

Derrick Alexander Mills
Kappa Kappa Psi
National Vice President for Programs
Life Member #3660 Eta Chapter, The Ohio State University

Appendix 4
REPORT OF THE NATIONAL VICE PRESIDENT FOR STUDENT AFFAIRS
By Adam Cantley, Omicron Chapter, West Virginia University

Those of you who know me can attest to how much I detest writing final reports. Luckily, this year you will not have to hear me drone on and on.

I will start by saying thank you to the students of Kappa Kappa Psi for allowing me the opportunity to represent you on the National Council this biennium. Your passion, brotherhood, and musicianship truly inspire me to strive for the highest.

I took this position in student affairs as I began my own professional journey in collegiate student affairs. I can honestly say I learned more from being on the National Council than I did in some of my classroom experiences. The most important lesson I have learned is how to make the hard decision that isn’t always popular, but is right for the betterment of the entire student body. Hazing is an unacceptable activity no matter what you choose to rationalize it. I hope we all start holding each other accountable for the prevention of hazing. I think it is disgraceful that as a National Council we had to discuss raising our dues because of lawsuits and an increase in insurance premiums due to hazing. We should all be ashamed of ourselves.

However, I feel that Kappa Kappa Psi has had one of the most productive biennia it has seen in recent history. We have started the caboose history project that was just an idea two years ago. We have added a second National Chapter Field Representative to help better serve our growing membership. We created a summer leadership curriculum that is focused on our values and beliefs. It seemed like every week a new colony was being formed or a chapter was being installed. This productivity cannot be attributed to the National Council, but rather to you the students of Kappa Kappa Psi. It is through your support that these programs are possible. I want to thank you for your part in building a foundation that will provide great programs for many more brothers after you.

The following is a brief summary of my activities on the National Council:

**District Leader**

I am excited to say that the District Leader has continued to grow. This year it was submitted 6 times, which is more than the required minimum. This publication is supposed to reflect the actions of the National Council of Kappa Kappa Psi. Typically, it is only sent to the district officers. However, I felt this information should be made available to all student members of Kappa Kappa Psi. Therefore I made sure the district leader was available online for all members. I feel that a successful National Council is as transparent as possible to the members. This is why I included an in-depth summary of our meetings, and activities. Hopefully it gave you a glimpse into what we do as national officers for Kappa Kappa Psi. I received great feedback from students and I hope the next VPSA continues to expand this publication and make it available to all members of Kappa Kappa Psi.

**Student Interaction/Technology**

With the current generation of college student being more wired than any other in the past I felt it was important to meet students where they were, ONLINE. I worked with Derrick Mills, Ken Corbett, and the National Publications Managers (both Marcus Brown and Jake Burk) to continue updating kkpsi.org and to answer questions from members. I formatted and published online the District Leader as well a list of leadership presenters for Kappa Kappa Psi. I hope this presenters list will continue to grow into a viable leadership resource/present program for the fraternity. I organized and worked to make sure the forums section of kkpsi.org was running and publicized to students. I am a member of every district and national listserv (yeah, try sorting that mail). I hosted an online chat to talk about what students wanted at conventions. I sent this information to the Council and district officers. This information helped to guide our 2006 District Leadership Conference and gave presidents an idea of how to plan for convention. I hope you are all seeing a different focus at your conventions towards education and membership building. My greatest online tool was facebook.com. For example, I created a group with Dawn Farmer for National Convention that grew to over 750 members. It was a quick and easy way for people to share information, find roommates, and just talk to people about National Convention. I would encourage the next VPSA to examine current trends in college student communication and make sure he or she uses them to the best advantage.

I also had the chance to visit with various students as they made the trek to Stillwater Station. I thoroughly enjoyed showing them around Stillwater, going to the Shrine, and eating at Eskimo Joe’s. Finally, I had the chance to attend 7 district conventions over the past 2 years. It was an amazing experience to meet so many of you personally and I am thankful for all the students I met over the past two years.

**Leadership Symposia**
I will give a very detailed account of the summer leadership symposia program since this was the first biennium for this event. “Building Success From Our Foundation” was the theme for the 2006 Leadership Symposia. The two sites for these meetings were Louisville, KY (July 16 -18th) and Dallas, TX (July 7th-19th). I worked with Marcus Brown, National Publications Manager at the time, to create the publication materials for this event. I really appreciate all the work Marcus Brown did on this project for me. He truly was a great asset to our organization and laid the foundation for the Publication Manager position for years to come. I also worked with Kirk Randazzo and Alan Bonner on the hotel site and coordinating with onsite managers. Finally, I had the opportunity to present at the Dallas Symposium. This is truly a great program for our fraternity.

The following was our time line for promotion for the 2006 Symposia:

**Time Line for Promotion**

- **January 20th** - Announcement and save the date online through all list serves and online forums.
- **January 30th** - Send a mailer to all chapters including informational flyers and registration information. Also, have all information online for download. This will be followed by an e-mail stating that it was sent out.
- **PODIUM** - All registration info and an advertisement will be in the Podium.
- **March 1st** - Postcard reminder sent to chapters.
- **Conventions** - Information about the Symposia given out to attendees.

**Louisville Deadlines:**

- On-Time registration: Postmarked by **March 31st**
- Late Registration: Received by **April 17th**
- No registration accepted after **April 17th**

**Dallas Deadlines:**

- On-Time registration: Postmarked by **April 29th**
- Later Registration: Received by **May 17th**
- No registration accepted after **May 17th**

Our Attendance by district was as follows at the 2006 symposiums:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>District</th>
<th>Louisville</th>
<th>Dallas</th>
<th>Total at Symposia</th>
<th>% of active membership</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Midwest</td>
<td>9</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>11</td>
<td>2.0%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>North Central</td>
<td>58</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>58</td>
<td>7.7%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Northeast</td>
<td>23</td>
<td>1</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>2.7%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Southeast</td>
<td>15</td>
<td>11</td>
<td>26</td>
<td>3.0%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Southwest</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>2.0%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Western</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>12</td>
<td>14</td>
<td>4.4%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Nation</td>
<td>107</td>
<td>50</td>
<td>157</td>
<td>3.4%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Locations:**

The Louisville symposium was in a great location and the hotel was amazing to us as a group. I feel that part of the problem of the Dallas workshop was that it was in Dallas and the SWD has so many connections there that students did not want to pay for a hotel room.

**Recommendations:**

We received great feedback for the program and it was definitely a success for our first run. For the summer of 2008 promotions should start earlier, and there should be a lower cost for those participants who are in the area and do not want to stay in the hotel. I want to thank Kirk Randazzo for an amazing curriculum that students not only learn from, but also enjoy. Once again, this program is truly an asset to our fraternity and hope it continues to expand.

**District President Conference Calls**

District President conference calls were stated by Derrick Mills during the 2003-2005 biennium. I conducted various conference calls with your district presidents. These conference calls usually had very specific topics such as Fraternity Programs and Convention Planning. It was great to hear these students actively sharing thoughts and ideas. I encourage the next VPSA to continue this effort.

**The Star Memorial Program**

In 1947 at the National Convention in Stillwater, Oklahoma, the National Chapter of Kappa Kappa Psi recognized members of Kappa Kappa Psi who were killed while serving our country during World War II. They created a memorial recognition known as the Gold Star.

Danielle Adams-Davis, current active member from Zeta Sigma and alumna from Kappa Epsilon, asked the National Council what could be done to recognize current military band members and brothers. The National Council of Kappa Kappa Psi felt the National Convention this summer would be an appropriate time to recognize members of Kappa Kappa Psi and our band family who have served our country. Using the Gold Star recognition from 1947 as inspiration we will recognize various members in the following manner:

- **Gold Star Memorial** for Brothers who have passed while serving our country, accompanied by a memorial resolution from the National Council.
- **Blue Star Recognition** for Brothers who are currently serving our country or are veterans.
- **Silver Star Memorial** for band members who have passed while serving our country, accompanied by a memorial resolution from the National Council.
- **White Star Recognition** for band members who are currently serving our country or are veterans.

We will recognize these members at a separate session at National Convention in Orlando this summer. Thank you for your
participation and recognition of these members. Below you will find more information about the Gold Star. Thank you to Steven Nelson, Alpha Life Member and past National Council Member, for compiling this information. It is my hope that this recognition program will be added to the list of Kappa Kappa Psi awards and recognitions permanently, so chapters can order this and honor members throughout the academic year.

Colony Advisor/Installing Officer

National Vice President for Colonization and Membership Dr. Malinda Matney appointed me to serve as colony advisor for the Colony at Northwest Oklahoma State University in Alva, Oklahoma. It was amazing to see this group grow, with the help of Director of Bands Dr. Kathryn Lindberg and the Alpha Chapter, into the Lambda Omega Chapter of Kappa Kappa Psi. I had the opportunity to make several trips to Alva and work with this colony. Finally, I was thrilled to have the opportunity to install this chapter in May of 2007. A special thanks goes to Alpha Colony Liaison Holly Tetreault and Colony President Yvonne Colle-Burden for all of their hard work.

I also had the opportunity to travel to Tyler, Texas, to serve as installing officer for the Lambda Pi Chapter at University of Texas at Tyler. Although a very brief trip, I still have memories that I will carry with me for a lifetime. Congratulations to all of our new chapters and colonies this semester. Kappa Kappa Psi is truly moving in a positive direction and we are all apart of that growth.

The dreaded thank you section

Since I am not reading this at convention, I don’t feel as bad about having a lengthy thank you section. First to my fellow National Council members: many of you knew me as a freshman when Deb used to cart me around, and now it has been a privilege to represent Kappa Kappa Psi with you. Rod, you are a visionary leader for this fraternity. Your love of bands and Kappa Kappa Psi are truly what guide you in your decisions. Malinda, you are more than a friend; you are a mentor to me both professionally and in the fraternity. I one day hope to be half the professional and brother you are today. Derrick, you are my brother from another mother! I love you like family and will be there for you and your family anytime you need me. Thank you for being a true brother. Rick, I commend you on doing an outstanding job on this council and with the NIB. It is a task that requires so much more than people will ever see. I commend you on a successful biennium and a great addition to the history of the National Intercollegiate Band. Mike Osborn, thank you for guidance and friendship this past biennium both in KKPsi and in my life. Mike Gollemo, thank you for having the ability to step back, analyze, and present a unbiased perspective on a situation. It is truly a gift you possess and I am glad we have it in our organization. To the Board of Trustees: thank you for your advice and guidance. We are truly fortunate to have a Board with diverse talents and strengths helping to guide our Fraternity. You have helped me realize my potential as a leader and driven me to things I never thought I could achieve.

Our fraternity would not exist without the work of our national Headquarters. Thank you to Alan Bonner, Dixie Mosier-Greene, Di Spiva, Debbie Morris, Carolyn Steckel, Meredith Brazel, Jake Burk, Marcus Brown, Dusty Brown, Phil Rubin and Jen Murdock for all the hard work you put into KKPsi this past biennium.

I have to give thanks to brothers of Omicron at West Virginia University, especially Deb Eakins, Jen Blum, Melanie Ostrand-er, John Ross, Daniel and Kelly Miller, Ryan Boyd, Gerlfee Davison, Crystal Finch, Julie Rach, and Lauren Eakins. You all still inspire me daily whether you realize it or not. Also, thanks to my home district, the NED, and to their two mamas Marie Burleigh and Marci Jones. These two women keep me real and in check, and we all know I need that sometimes. Also, to my 5 cohorts in crime back in 2001-2002 Denali Alt, Rod White, Dr. Melanie Muldrow, Tanya Marsh and Burt Daigle I love you all and thank you for everything.

Randy Kitchens you are my best friend and I can’t imagine my OSU journey without you. GEH! Rebecca Lee and Victoria Kathrein thank you for your friendship, listening skills, and keeping me sane. To the Men of Sigma Phi Epsilon Kathrein thank you for your friendship, listening skills, and keeping me sane. To the Men of Sigma Phi Epsilon at Oklahoma State University, thank you for allowing me the opportunity to work with this wonderful organization. Thank you for the honor of calling you all my brothers and your support over the past year. To Dr. Lee Bird, Kathy Shelton and Jill Rucker for providing the best G.A. position at Oklahoma State University, and supporting me in Kappa Kappa Psi and my education. Thank you to Holly Tetreault for your honesty, friendship, and showing true drive for Kappa Kappa Psi (and for cooking me dinner!). Joe Panzer sometimes I think you have the most impossible task in the world. Thank you for your support.

Finally, this year could potentially end my stay in what I feel is one the greatest places America has to offer, Stillwater, OK. I want to thank all the people that made Stillwater home for 5 years of my life. I can’t imagine this experience without the Alpha Chapters, HQ Staff, and Dale and Lisa Croston. A special thank you to Di and Glen Spiva for not only showing me friendship, but making feel like part of your family. I can’t imagine my life without you all being a part of it.

In closing, I challenge you all to be better brothers in not only your bands, but also in your daily lives. “Strive for the Highest” can apply anywhere you chose. Strive to be better musicians, scholars, brothers, friends, family members, and people.

AEA,

Adam Cantley
Appendix 5
REPORT OF THE NATIONAL VICE PRESIDENT FOR PROFESSIONAL RELATIONS
By Richard A. Greenwood, Eta Sigma Chapter,
University of Central Florida

NATIONAL INTERCOLLEGIATE BAND

In our effort to reach for an even higher artistic level for the National Intercollegiate Band (NIB), we launched an extensive nation-wide recruiting campaign last fall. A brochure was created that contained a short history of the NIB, information on the NIB commissioning project, biographical sketches of conductor Frank Wicks and composer Eric Ewazen, Orlando convention information and an application for membership. This brochure was placed on our website, sent to each chapter of both organizations, mailed to each member of the College Band Directors National Association and distributed at the Mid-West International Band and Orchestra Clinic in Chicago. Over 150 applications were received.

Each CD or cassette recording was reviewed. A total of 80 musicians plus alternates were accepted. National Headquarters then sent appropriate letters to all applicants. Musical excerpts of some of the more difficult selections were mailed them along with a cover letter and the Orlando schedule to the 80 participants.

Conductor Frank Wicks of Louisiana State University has chosen some exceptional works for the NIB. These works will both challenge and inspire our musicians. Once again, Kappa Kappa Psi and Tau Beta Sigma will be adding an important new work to the international wind band repertoire when the NIB performs the premier’s the four movement, 20-minute work titled “Celestial Dancers” by Eric Ewazen.

Considering technological advances, it may be possible to increase the ease and efficiency of the auditioning process by utilizing the Internet. When students begin to record their auditions directly to the hard disk, files can be developed that will then be sent to our website in a secure way and the person(s) auditioning can listen from the computer connecting directly to the database. Future VPPRs might want to consider this type of option, which may increase the number of applicants.

A big thank you goes to Dr. Greg Byrne, TBS/VPPR for his work in producing the 2007 NIB. Dr. Byrne is a fine person and committed educator. He has shared all aspects of the NIB. All students and colleagues would benefit by knowing Dr. Byrne.

Alan Bonner is to be commended for his work with Eric Ewazen including the endless complexities involved in commissioning a major work. A special thanks goes to Alan for obtaining Frank Wicks as our conductor, organizing a luncheon for the NIB members so that they will be able to share some fun time with both Frank Wicks and Eric Ewazen and for providing important information to the NIB participants. Alan Bonner is a professional.

I want to personally thank Dixie Mosier-Greene of National Headquarters for establishing strong lines of communications with NIB members who needed assistance and answering their many questions. She has been a tremendous help.

Special thanks goes to Jen Murdock and Phil Rubin. As effective KKPsi Field Representatives, both have promoted the NIB project throughout their travels. This positive force has played a significant role in increasing the awareness of the NIB and ultimately ensuring high quality and success of the program. Both Jen and Phil are outstanding models of brotherhood.

PROFESSIONAL RELATIONS

Kappa Kappa Psi is a well-respected organization. The dedication of its members with regard to service for athletic bands is without question. In addition, much needed service to athletic bands appears to be growing. Balancing the organization with a commitment to artistic endeavor will ensure ultimate respect throughout the band community.

It has been my pleasure to visit district conventions in California, West Virginia, Georgia, and Pennsylvania. It was inspiring to see competent leadership in students across the country.

It has been an honor to serve as a member of the National Council. Kappa Kappa Psi is fortunate to have such dedicated and wise national officers and board members. We are also fortunate to have a highly competent staff and Executive Director.

RECOMMENDATION

Ensure District and National Conventions go beyond the traditional reading band opportunities and offer clinics and workshops that promote a deeper level of musical understanding.

To increase the level of participation of college band directors, invite individuals to district and national conventions to give clinics and workshops. Pay some expenses.

Utilize high school directors at national and district conventions.

Keep public school directors that are alums involved by seeking their help withchapter workshops and meetings. Individually promote the organizations matching grant fund to directors.

Market the commissioning project with additional performances.

Remove the VPPR position from the national council.

Thanks to President Rod Chesnutt, Vice-President for Colonization and Membership Malinda Matney, Vice-President for Programs Derrick Mills, Vice-President for Student Affairs Adam Cantley, and Past-President Michael Osborn. They are all incredibly knowledgeable of KKPsi policy and consistently working to uphold those policies for the advancement of students.
Appendix 6
REPORT OF THE IMMEDIATE PAST NATIONAL PRESIDENT
By Mike Osborn, Zeta Epsilon Chapter, Michigan State University

Brothers of The National Chapter of Kappa Kappa Psi:

It is a pleasure to submit to you the report of the Immediate Past National President.

As a student in 1991 I can remember discussing and ultimately voting for the creation of a non-voting place for the Immediate Past National President on the National Council. In retrospect I am glad I ultimately supported this proposal as now I have seen first hand the benefits that retaining the person in this role can have for the National Council, the National Chapter as well as the Immediate Past National President him/herself.

In this role it has been a pleasure to offer insight, historical perspective, as well a venting board for the current National Council. Likewise it has also been gratifying to be utilized, when needed, to represent the council at events, district conventions, and chapter installations. The role has proved to be a nice transition from the day-to-day daunting workload of the National Council and especially the National President, to a less frantic pace, and has provided an opportunity to remind me of the wonderfully positive things that Kappa Kappa Psi is all about that sometimes gets hidden when dealing with the less positive aspects of leading a national fraternity.

I want to commend the National Council for their outstanding work this biennium. This council had to tackle some very difficult issues and make some major decisions- often unpopular decisions with some of you. I can honestly state that the decisions the national council made and continue to make were taken with the utmost diligence and after long and thorough discussions the decisions that were made were in the best interest of the long term survival, growth and strength of Kappa Kappa Psi, our purposes, mission and vision. I also commend the National Council for being open and forthright in providing you, the members of Kappa Kappa Psi with information regarding these decisions. Aside from the tough decisions the council also deserves additional commendation on the great amount of work they have done in their roles and often on new projects over the course of the biennium. I am certain the other officers will detail these in their reports so I will not duplicate effort here. Their work has created an even greater time to be a Brother of Kappa Kappa Psi.

I want to congratulate President Chesnutt on the pending completion of his term, as National President and wish him well in this role- may it be as rewarding to you next biennium as it was for me. I also want to congratulate Dr. Matney as she prepares to join the ranks of the National Presidents. Your work to date speaks volumes for the great hands the Fraternity will be in for the next two years.

Lastly, I want to thank the Brothers of Kappa Kappa Psi for their continued work on behalf of bands and the Fraternity. I continue to be extremely honored to serve you.

Fraternally Submitted

Michael K. Osborn
Immediate Past National President

Appendix 7
REPORT OF THE NATIONAL CHAPTER FIELD REPRESENTATIVES
By, Jen Murdock, Gamma Chapter, the University of Washington
Phil Rubin, Life Member, Kappa Mu Chapter, the University of Georgia

The motto of the National Chapter Field Representative program is, “to inquire, to analyze, to instruct, and to inspire.” During visits and through talking with students, we seek to gain a better understanding of chapters and provide tools to improve the chapter and bands which they serve. During the 2005-2007 biennium, the National Chapter Field Representative (CFR) program as seen several changes. With two CFRs, we have conducted 138 visits and have been able to spend more time with individual chapters. With 195 currently active chapters and colonies, only 62 have yet to receive visits within the past two years and roughly 45 of these will be visited during fall 2007.

In efforts to continue the discussions we have during official visits, we began creating educational handouts on a plethora of topics. Leaving tools in the hands of chapter officers after visits provides further education and dialogue between chapters and CFRs. In spring 2007, we experimented with e-packets on two of our trips and chapters reported that they found them easy to use and helpful. Based upon this trial all future preparation materials about CFR visits will be sent electronically, saving the fraternity time and resources.

On our visits, we focus on helping chapters Strive for the Highest and truly become outstanding examples of our Fraternity. We’ve seen some outstanding chapters and many that are rapidly reaching that level of achievement as well. So what does an outstanding chapter look like?

- An outstanding chapter takes recruitment and membership education seriously as the lifeblood of their chapter’s future. Recruiting is based on the purposes and ideals of Kappa Kappa Psi with education building an understanding of the Fraternity – not mindless memorization.
- An outstanding chapter sets firm goals for itself, uses those goals to guide projects and efforts, and revisits those goals regularly.
- An outstanding chapter gives each brother a chance to lead, constantly building future leaders and officers. These chapters are intense about building and continuing success, creating documentation for how to succeed and passing it on to future officers.
An outstanding chapter participates on the district and national levels, completes its national obligations, and follows national policies.

Outstanding chapters innovate. They constantly seek to do things better and find more ways to help their band. They literally do things no one else is doing and continue to refine and improve with each passing day.

Is your chapter outstanding? Do you want it to be? Our visits focus on all of these things and more – but you don’t have to have a visit to discuss them. We’re always a phone call away. All educational information, visit preparation materials, and fall visit schedules can be found on the CFR page of the national website. Please visit the national website and talk with us to learn more about this position and to see if your chapter is receiving a visit this fall.

Phil and Jen would both like to thank the brothers of the National Council for their guidance, leadership and confidence in us. Thanks to the National Headquarters Staff – Dixie, Di, Debbie, Jake, Meredith, and Alan – for their support and friendship in Stillwater. Thanks to the brothers and sisters of the Alpha Chapters, the Spiva family, and the Croston family for welcoming us with open arms and treating us like family. And thanks to the governors, district officers, and brothers and sisters everywhere who make this job the joy that it truly is. Finally, we’d like to give special thanks to Malinda and Alan: their support and encouragement has continued to make this program so successful.

Phil would like to thank the brothers of the Kappa Mu Chapter and the Southeast District for their continued encouragement, brotherhood, and confidence from initiation and onward. Also, deep thanks to Rob Izzo, Latessa Bortner, Jordan Shaw, Kristen Haggart, Meredith Brazzell, Adam Cantley, Denali Alt, Derrick Mills, and Rod Chesnutt for their support, friendship, and open ears.

Jen would like to thank the brothers of the Western District and Gamma Chapter for their support and encouragement. Thanks to Jake Burk, Jesse Fowler, Holly Tetreault, and Joe Panzer for making me feel at home whether in Stillwater or on the road. Special thanks to Brad McDavid, Derrick Mills, Adam Cantley, Lance Coochyouma and the Schunke family brothers for their friendship and brotherhood.

It continues to be our pleasure and honor to serve the brothers of Kappa Kappa Psi as Chapter Field Representatives. We look forward to seeing you on the road!

Respectfully submitted,

Phil Rubin and Jen Murdock
Chapter Field Representatives

Appendix 8
REPORT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

by Michael Golemo, Chairperson, Kappa Kappa Psi Board of Trustees
Zeta Omicron, The University of Akron

Mr. President, National Officers, Fellow Trustees, District Officers, Sponsors and Brothers of Kappa Kappa Psi National Honorary Band Fraternity:

The Board currently has six at-large voting members and the National President who serves on the board as an ex-officio member. A major responsibility of the Board is to oversee the National Trust Fund. The Board shall also consider all issues of national policy, public relations, legal matters, and internal problems of the Fraternity, which are referred to it by the National Council. The Board also has oversight of the Alumni Program of the Fraternity.

This past summer, the Board of Trustees felt that it was not in the best interest of the Fraternity to continue our relationship with the National Alumni Association. This was not an easy decision, nor a premeditated decision, but a decision born out of what we felt was best for our membership and the future of our organization. We realize this was an upsetting decision for some, but we remain convinced that this was the right decision.

Since last summer’s meeting, we appointed a steering committee to create a new direction, a mission statement, and an overall Alumni Program. This program was listed on our national web page and presented at each of this year’s district conventions. It was enthusiastically received at each convention.

One of the recommendations of this program was to solicit applications and create a standing Alumni Affairs Committee to coordinate and guide the Alumni Program. The five members of this committee were selected earlier this month, and we are proud of the level of excellence and diversity of this committee. We look forward to their accomplishments and thank them in advance for their service to our Brotherhood.

This is an exciting time for the alumni and the future alumni of our Fraternity. We are excited about the ideas, opportunities, and direction of our alumni program.

I would like to thank Ken Corbett, who served as the Advisor to the Steering Committee, for all of the time and energy he dedicated to this task. Ken has an endless amount of ideas and energy for Kappa Kappa Psi and was an enormous help to this committee.

Although we are a Fraternity in name, we are also a corporation. The Board of Trustees has the responsibility of overseeing this corporation. We are a corporation with assets, employees, and liabilities.

I am pleased to report to you that our assets had an incredibly good biennium. We maintain five different investment
accounts for the Fraternity, including the Trust Fund, and each account had solid growth over the past biennium. For example, our trust fund balance has increased from $117,000 to over $138,000.

Another accomplishment of the Trustees this past biennium was the creation of a campaign to support the purchase and refurbishing of a caboose at the site of our national headquarters. This caboose will be used as a repository for many of our fraternal archives, and will provide us with a study area and historical displays.

I am pleased to report that this campaign has already raised $27,696. We were fortunate to receive a grant from the Kerr Foundation which provided us with $10,000 in matching money. This campaign has also allowed us to maintain regular contact with our alumni, and share with them the progress and success of our campaign.

It is important to remember that your National Council and Board of Trustees are volunteers who are dedicated to furthering the ideals of Kappa Kappa Psi. You have elected them to positions of great responsibility, trust, and leadership within our organization. They have all provided superb leadership to our Fraternity.

I would like to thank all of the members of the Board of Trustees personally for their dedication, time, talent and expertise. Would you please help me in thanking: Brothers Ken Corbett, Scott Stowell, Mike Osborn, Al Sergel, Rod Chesnutt, and Vice-Chair, Kirk Randazzo? Al Sergel is leaving the Board after this convention after literally a lifetime of service in numerous positions of leadership, and he will be sorely missed. If you have a moment this week, please thank Al personally.

Congratulations to Brother Rod Chesnutt for his outstanding work as National President during this past biennium. I have known Rod since he was a district governor and director of the marching band at the University of Nebraska, and his loyalty, integrity and vision for our Fraternity has always been remarkable. Congratulations, Rod.

All of us are Brothers of Kappa Kappa Psi and we encourage you to meet each of us this week. We are all volunteers and bring a different perspective to the Fraternity.

The Board of Trustees wish you well this week as you choose leaders for the next biennium and as you provide guidance for those leaders in the challenging tasks that lie ahead for them.

Respectfully submitted,
Michael Golemo
Chairman, Board of Trustees

---

**Appendix 9**

**REPORT OF THE MIDWEST DISTRICT**

By Emily P. Rogers, MWD President
Alpha Theta Chapter
University of Northern Colorado

Brothers of the National Chapter of Kappa Kappa Psi,

Over the last biennium, the Brothers of the Midwest District have revamped programs developed in the past in addition to developing new programs that serve to better our district. Our winter workshop weekend was held in Omaha, Nebraska and hosted by the Kappa Iota Chapter. District workshop weekends were previously run by our alumni association, but it was felt that the district and its membership would be better served by the active members of the district running these weekends with assistance from our alumni association. With the recent restructuring of the National Alumni Association, the Midwest District has been taking steps to insure that the MWD Alumni Association stays as involved in district affairs as possible. During our spring Membership Education Summit, we met with concerned alumni and active members. The District Officers have also shared many emails and phone calls with the MWD Alumni Association. In the Midwest District, we recognize the many contributions that our alumni have made over the years and appreciate their willingness to share their experiences and knowledge with us. We look forward to maintaining a strong relationship with our alumni.

This Biennium we have installed two new chapters. We welcome Gamma Delta from Wayne State College and Xi from Colorado School of Mines. Both of these chapters are off to a great start and I know that we will see great things from them in the future.

With the help of our newly elected publications chapter, Xi from Colorado School of Mines, we continue to put out our district publication Midwest Notes. This publication allows members from all over the district to share their events and activities. Several editions are posted throughout the year. I would like to thank the previous host of MWD Notes, Kappa Iota from University of Nebraska- Omaha for all of their hard work.

Some goals of this year’s district council include increasing involvement of the less active chapters. We would also like in increase the amount of communication that goes on within the chapters of the district. Using each other as resources will be able to make every chapter in the district stronger. We are developing a district contact sheet to increase communication between the district officers and the chapter officers. Using this contact sheet, we hope to reinstate the chapter calling program.

I would like to recognize the 2005-2006 MWD officers:
Jared Kirk- President
Levi Nichol- Vice President
Jenny Burmeister- Secretary/Treasurer
Leslie Green- Member at Large
Governors: Denali Alt and Dr. Lisa Hunter
Special Thanks to Martinique Martineau.
Convention Host Chapters: KKY:Alpha Iota- University of Colorado-Boulder and TBS:Alpha Tau- University of Wyoming.

I would also like to recognize the 2006-2007 officers:
Emily Rogers-President
Ashley Tippie- Vice President
Nick Sondag- Secretary/Treasurer
Drew Wilson- Member at Large
Governors- Denali Alt Dr. Patrick Carney
Special thanks to Leslie Allen.
Convention Host Chapters: KKY:Epsilon Omega from University of Nebraska-Lincoln and YBS:Theta Mu from the University of Nebraska-Kearny

I would also like to introduce the 2007-2008 district officers:
Emily Rogers-President
Mike Shoup-Vice President
Laura Voss- Secretary/Treasurer
Kylee Kearns- Member at Large
Governors- Denali Alt and Dr. Patrick Carney

The 2007 MWD District convention will be held in Cedar Falls Iowa and will be hosted by KKY:Eta Pi and TBS: Zeta Nu from the University of Northern Iowa.

In the Midwest district, we have a lot of exciting plans for the upcoming year. At convention, we were challenged to “Get Striving!” and we take this challenge very seriously. In the Midwest District, It’s ON! This year will see a lot of great things and I feel very honored to be a part of them. I would like to thank the Midwest District for allowing me to serve as your President again and I look forward to a great year. I would like to thank the National Council and Denali Alt for their assistance and patience over the previous year.

Respectfully Submitted,
Emily P. Rogers
President- Midwest District
Kappa Kappa Psi-Alpha Theta
University of Northern Colorado

Appendix 10
REPORT OF THE NORTH CENTRAL DISTRICT
By Jeremy D. Horner, NCD President
Alpha Beta Chapter
Butler University

Brothers of the National Chapter:

I am looking forward to finally seeing all of you at National Convention in Orlando. For those who are going for the first time, I hope you have an amazing and meaningful experience. And for those veterans, like me, it will certainly be nice seeing and meeting all of you again.

The North Central District, upon the conclusion of the current biennium, contains 30 active chapters. I would like to congratulate our newest chapters as they attend their first National Convention: the Lambda Tau Chapter at Central Michigan University, the Lambda Chi Chapter at Quincy University, and the Mu Alpha Chapter at McKendree College. I would like to thank each of their advising chapters Kappa Chi, Gamma Pi, and Eta, respectively. The North Central District has also recently welcomed a new colony at Western Michigan University and we are looking forward to having them join our Brotherhood in the future.

The North Central District is a strong district with a great deal of leadership and I am proud to have been elected as their representative. Attendance has been astounding at our past two NCD Leadership Weekends; Brothers throughout the district have eagerly wanted to learn ways of developing their own and their chapters’ leadership skills. I would also like to congratulate the Chapter Leadership Finalists from our district and wish the best of luck to the Nu Chapter from the University of Michigan, the Alpha Beta Chapter from Butler University, and the Theta Zeta Chapter from Ashland University. It is my hope that the leadership within our district continues to grow and develop throughout the coming year.

Some of the best developments in the North Central District over the past two years have been the continued strengthening of our conventions. As in the previous biennium, each of the conventions in the past two years have had over 700 people in attendance. The 2006 and 2007 conventions also had over 20 workshops between them to bring important topics and information to the Brothers and chapters across our district. Each convention has brought an important theme or message to the Brotherhood, serving as a focal point for an entire year of development. In 2006 this included using directors as resources, building a stronger brotherhood, and developing the individual brother. The 2007 convention focused on “Back to the Basics,” which included important topics on Musicanship, Membership, and Leadership. This past convention also saw the creation of the Jazz Reading Band, an addition to the annual Concert Reading Band as one of the opportunities to further promote musicianship.

One final convention program that I would like to mention is the “NCD Expo.” First introduced during the 2006 convention, the NCD Expo is an opportunity for the chapters of our district to showcase the great things that they are doing throughout the year in the form of displays, handouts, and presenters, similar to a poster session. Expo is included as part of a more general “block party” where Brothers can also mingle with each other and also meet district officer candidates, chapters bidding for convention, and national officers in attendance. Since its introduction Expo has become a very successful and enjoyable part of our district conventions. Through all of these convention developments, we have a strong foundation to continue striving for yet another excellent convention in 2008.

As the 2007-08 District Council looks forward to the upcoming year we are already hard at work developing themes and
plans for the year. We hope to focus on strengthening our chapters and band programs. To accomplish this we have already begun working on an approach that encompasses visionary leadership, membership education, chapter operations, and how each of these components can have impact beyond our chapters. I am excited to see where the rest of the year leads the council and the district.

We owe the developments of the past biennium to the dedication and work of two District Councils over the past two years. For 2005-06: President Eric Gilliam, Alpha Beta; Vice President of Membership Aimée Dudas, Beta Psi; Vice President of Programs Travis Dickendesher, Nu; and Secretary-Treasurer Katie Schneider, Alpha Zeta. For 2006-07: President Charles Cattrell, Zeta Lambda; Vice President of Membership Bri Stahr, Kappa Nu; Vice President of Programs Diana Cox, Alpha Beta; and Secretary-Treasurer Nick Geruntino, Eta.

Fortunately, the North Central District has also been able to benefit from the insight and wisdom of two wonderful governors, Christine Beason and Rod Whiteman. I am looking forward to the all the work we are undertaking for this coming year. Along with our governors, our district has also benefited greatly from the experience of other members of the Fraternity whom I would also like to thank: Immediate Past National President Michael Osborn, National VPP Derrick Mills, Dr. Kirk Randazzo of the Board of Trustees, and Mark Bradbourne our district webmaster among others. Best of luck to Malinda, Derrick, and Mike as they pursue new leadership opportunities in the Fraternity.

On behalf of this year’s North Central District Council, VPM Raina Regan, Zeta Epsilon; VPP RJ Perkins, Nu; and Secretary-Treasurer Alex Smith, Alpha Beta; I would like to invite you all to our 2008 District Convention hosted by the Alpha Beta and Epsilon Chapters in Indianapolis, Indiana. We also would like to wish each of your districts and chapters the best of luck with your own conventions for this coming biennium.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jeremy D. Horner, President
North Central District, Kappa Kappa Psi
Alpha Beta Chapter, Butler University

Appendix 11
REPORT OF THE NORTHEAST DISTRICT
By Jessica McAlarney, NED President
Eta Alpha Chapter
Lock Haven University of Pennsylvania

Brothers of the National Chapter of Kappa Kappa Psi,

Greetings from the Northeast District! I am more than honored to present this report on behalf of the NED and I look forward to working with and meeting all of you at the 2007 National Convention in Orlando, Florida this summer. Since the last National Convention in 2005, the Northeast has continued Striving for the Highest, serving college and university bands from Maine to Virginia. We have expanded our membership, and I am proud to say that the NED has seen the installation of the Lambda Chi chapter at Kean University, as well as the addition of the Grove City and East Stroudsburg University colonies within the last 2 years. I’d like to take this time to thank and acknowledge the advising chapters of these colonies, for without you, these chapters would flounder by the wayside. The Northeast District has a total of 36 chapters, strong and dedicated to music, and to the ideals set by the founding fathers and Bohumil Makovsky almost 90 years ago.

Spread across nearly 1,000 miles, the Northeast District embraces its’ diversity throughout the three precincts. Each precinct (Northern, Central, Southern) organizes its’ own meeting prior to convention in which chapters get together on a more intimate level to discuss issues, interact, and to learn and grow as Brothers. These meetings also allow chapters to work and communicate with the District Council one-on-one to evaluate each chapter and to offer advice and suggestions. The 2006 Precinct meetings were held by Eta Omicron at James Madison University, Eta Alpha at Lock Haven University of Pennsylvania, and Kappa Eta, SUNY Buffalo. The 2007 Precinct meetings were held by Eta Omega at Howard University, Alpha Omega at the University of Pittsburgh, and Kappa Upsilon at Marist College. The upcoming precinct meetings in 2008 will be held by Delta Omicron at the University of Connecticut, Eta Rho at West Chester University of Pennsylvania, and Gamma Xi at the University of Maryland.

Our two District Conventions this biennium were also incredibly successful, due to both the careful planning of the host chapters, Zeta Psi at Virginia State University, and Epsilon Phi at Clarion University. These conventions were both highly attended, in spite of snowy weather and 14 hour car trips! These conventions included reading bands, step shows, various workshops, NIB auditions, and even meetings and workshops for alumni. The 2008 District Convention will be held by the Eta Beta chapter of Virginia Tech in the month of March, and I am more than confident that we will see much of the same at that convention.

The NED also uses a publication, the Northeast Notes, in which chapters bid to produce it, in the fall and spring semesters. This publication calls for submissions of everything from articles to pictures to crossword puzzles from brothers across the district in efforts to stay in touch and to keep the lines of communication flowing. The two chapters which successfully published the Northeast Notes in the last 2 years were Epsilon Phi at Clarion University and Epsilon Iota at Mansfield University of Pennsylvania. The NED is looking forward to 2 new issues of the Northeast Notes in the 2007-2008 school year, to be published by the Omicron chapter at West Virginia University.

The publication is not the only tool that the NED uses to keep in touch. With the creation of Facebook, Brothers from around
The Northeast District prides itself on leadership and the development of leadership among this Brotherhood. This past biennium has seen outstanding leadership among the district council and within chapters and alumni. The 2005-2006 council has two outstanding leaders, both winners of the J. Lee Burke Award, past president Katherine Cummings (Delta Omicron) and Secretary/Treasurer (as well as 2006-2007 President) Ed Savoy (Eta Alpha/Eta Omicron). Both of these individuals have truly Striven for the Highest, as students, council members, and as Brothers, and are a fine example of the kind of leaders that are present in the Northeast District. Another member of the 2005-2006 council is past Alumni Liaison (as well as 2006-2007 Vice President of Membership) Adam Bates (Gamma Xi), whose dedication and attitude towards Kappa Kappa Psi is present in his work for the betterment of our district. The 2005-2006 Member-at-Large was Kalem Graham (Zeta Psi), whose work and presence on that council was much appreciated.

The 2006-2007 council saw much of the same leadership, with Ed Savoy and Adam Bates. New additions to the council included Member-at-Large Stephan “Truck” Naylor (Eta Omega), Secretary-Treasurer Eric Paradis (Epsilon Nu), and Kelsey Frasier (Eta Omicron). These three fine individuals contributed leaps and bounds to the success of that year, with new ideas, workshops, and a sense of brotherhood. The councils could not have done it all without the help and guidance of our Ned Governors, Mr. Kelvin Washington and the one and only, Marie Burleigh. The wisdom and friendship of both of these individuals are precious and deeply appreciated. Thank you both for being outstanding examples of what it is to be a Brother of Kappa Kappa Psi.

The 2007-2008 council started off as the “Ned Pink Lady Council” with four females on the District Council: Miss Jackie Blinke, Member-at-Large (Iota Delta-Towson University), Miss Laurin Gross, Secretary-Treasurer (Lambda Delta-Shippsenburg University), Miss Robin Puzzo (Delta Omicron-University of Connecticut) and myself. We were left with the overwhelming task to appoint a District Vice President of Colonization and Membership. After much consideration and careful deliberation of the outstanding Brothers who submitted packets, the Brother who stood out was Matt Gallen from the Delta Omicron chapter at the University of Connecticut. We had found our “Danny.” All of these individuals have a dedication and unwavering loyalty to this fraternity, and already I have been blessed with the leadership, organization, and commitment of these fine Brothers. They are a credit to both their chapters and to the Northeast District and I look forward to the next year of working together.

While recognizing the individual leadership of brothers throughout the district, there are also those chapters who go above and beyond, and are to be recognized as extraordinary chapters in their efforts to Strive for the Highest. Each year, at the Northeast District Convention, two awards are given to chapters who meet the criteria of “extraordinary.” The first award is the Top Chapter Award, which is given to a chapter who shows outstanding leadership, superior service, and dedication to the college band and Kappa Kappa Psi. The past two winners of this award include the Gamma Xi chapter of the University of Maryland in 2006 and the Eta Rho chapter of West Chester University in 2007. The second award is the Northeast District Governor’s Cup, which is for the most improved chapter. Chapters are nominated by other chapters in the district for this award and it is then chosen by the Governor. The past two winners of this award include the Theta Gamma chapter of California University of Pennsylvania in 2006 and the Eta Alpha Chapter of Lock Haven University of Pennsylvania in 2007. Many congratulations to all of these chapters.

We must also acknowledge the Northeast District Alumni Association and all of our alumni Brothers for their support, dedication, and wisdom that they pass on to all of the active membership of the Northeast District. Many thanks go to Lansing Dimon, Marcus Wyche, and “Momma” Marci Jones for their efforts in keeping the alumni active within the fraternity. Also to be acknowledged for his efforts is Mr. Adam Cantley, Vice President for Student Affairs, and an alumnus of the Omicron chapter at West Virginia University. He is an inspiration to all of us in the Northeast District and a resource that many of us have called upon time and time again.

The Brotherhood of Kappa Kappa Psi is a vast one, and yet we continued to stay connected through conventions, precinct meetings, technology, and social gatherings. Without the Brothers in every chapter, we would not have a District and so I’d like to thank the Brothers of the Northeast for their love and loyalty to music, band, service, and to Kappa Kappa Psi. It is the combined efforts of a district of Brothers that makes the NED what it is.

In whatever you do, continue to Strive for the Highest. For when you Strive for the Highest, you will never fail.
Our District has had amazing growth over the past two years with the addition of the Lambda Mu Chapter at East Tennessee State University, the Lambda Rho Chapter at Tennessee Technological University, the Lambda Sigma Chapter at Coahoma Community College, the Lambda Upsilon Chapter at Savannah State University, and most recently the Mu Beta Chapter at Florida Atlantic University; which brings us up to a strong 38 active chapters throughout the District. We welcome those new chapters into the Brotherhood and offer continued support to our colonies at Bethel College, Alcorn State University and Mississippi Valley State University.

As many of you know, the SED ran into some problems at our District Convention in 2006. The fantastic business that we accomplished was overshadowed by unfortunate events that led to sanctions being placed upon the District. I thank the Kappa Beta Chapter at Clemson University and the National Council for dealing with the events that took place.

Though the sanctions became a large issue in the District, great things were still accomplished this biennium: The Eighth Note, our District publication was hosted by the Kappa Mu Chapter in 2005 and the Zeta Upsilon Chapter in 2006. Both paper copies and online formats were attempted, and we received more submission than we had in many previous years.

We also continued our District Leadership Conference in the spring. It was hosted by the Alpha Eta Chapter in 2006 and the Zeta Eta Chapter in 2007. This year was the best DLC we have had yet. Brothers from across the District presented workshops on membership, fundraising and leadership. We shared ideas and solutions with each other and spent time asking questions and discussing the state of the District. I know everyone in attendance found it to be a helpful preparation for Convention and the upcoming year.

Because of low attendance at our Fall Area Workshop in 2005, we decided not to continue the event in 2006. To replace this event, we are going to have State Days in every state this upcoming year, and follow up in the spring with DLC as a “Best of State Days” format. We also did not give out any awards at this last convention, but have now created five new awards to honor our great chapters.

One of the greatest accomplishments of this year was finding ways to allocate our District funds. In the past, we have collected a significant amount of money and struggled to find ways to use it. The Ways and Means Committee established two emergency funds: one for Chapters that need a loan to meet their National commitments and one to give a gift to chapters who have experienced a natural disaster or other tragedy. We also allocated funds for State Days, new awards, and convention speakers, among other things. I commend the Brothers of the District for bringing these innovative uses to the table.

I also cannot forget to mention the support of our District Governors, Dr. David O’Shields and Mike Green. They have been a great support over the last biennium, and right down in the trenches with us helping and advising the District. Thank you to them.

Congratulations to our Chapters in the running for the William A. Scroggs Founder’s Trophy, they are: the Kappa Mu Chapter from the University of Georgia, the Pi Chapter from Auburn University and the Zeta Chi Chapter from the University of South Carolina. Good luck to all of them! Congratulations also to Phil Rubin from the Kappa Mu Chapter who was selected as Chapter Field Representative.

Next, I would like to commend the District on how they have rallied together this past year. They were not discouraged by the events that took place. Convention went off without a hitch this spring, due in large part to the Iota Chapter at Georgia Tech, so thank you to them. We crammed one day with committees running simultaneously alongside closed committees. We also had an amazing number of Brothers run for a District Office, including our new second member-at-large position. It is great to see Brothers so passionate about being involved in the District. Congratulations to our 2007-2008 Officers: Vice President Nick Annan, Secretary-Treasurer David Smith, Member at Large North Justin Moore, and Member at Large South Lauren Case. We have all set up blogs to keep the District updated. We are also keeping the website well updated. It is going to be completely revamped in the coming months.

Finally thank you to the National Council and especially the District Presidents of 2006-2007. As a member of last year’s District Council and attendee of the National District Leadership Conference, I can say they have served as a great source of support as well as inspiration over the last year. But most importantly, thank you to all of the Chapters in the Southeast District who I know are going to continue their hard work in the upcoming biennium to take the SED to new heights.

Fraternally submitted,
Heather Owens
Southeast District President
Kappa Mu Chapter, The University of Georgia
Appendix 13
REPORT OF THE SOUTHWEST DISTRICT
By Jack Lee, Southwest District President
Delta Sigma Chapter,
The University of Texas at Arlington

President Chesnutt, Members of the National Council, Board of Trustees, National Headquarters Staff, District Governors, District Officers, and Brothers of Kappa Kappa Psi:

It is my great honor and privilege to share with you the news, accomplishments, and activities from the Southwest District. We currently have 50 active chapters. We are the largest district in the fraternity and have a total make up of 27% of all chapters in the nation.

The past biennium has been a season of continued growth for the district. Joining us for the first time as active chapters are the Lambda Xi chapter at Southeastern Louisiana University, the Lambda Pi chapter at the University of Texas at Tyler, and the newest addition to the Southwest District the Lambda Omega chapter at Northwestern Oklahoma State University. Much thanks and appreciation is given to the Beta Gamma, Theta Nu, and Alpha chapters for their serving as advising chapters, respectively.

We have seen marked growth over the past three biennia, and the next biennium will be no different. We currently have three potential chapters going through the colonization process. The Paul Quinn Colony at Paul Quinn College in Dallas, TX, the Alpha Xi colony (re-chartering) at the University of Texas at El Paso, and the Houston Baptist Colony at Houston Baptist University in Houston, TX. As we all know, the colonization process is long but well worth the reward of becoming a brother. I hope you will all join us in helping their future chapters come to fruition.

Our yearly activities begin during the summer with our Chapter Leadership Retreat and annual District Day. Both of these activities are hosted at the University of Texas at Arlington. I give many thanks to the Delta Sigma – Kappa Kappa Psi and the Gamma Nu – Tau Beta Sigma Chapters there. Each year continues to become better than the last and I know that the future will be no different.

The usual activity of a Texas Rangers’ baseball game was abandoned – they did not win while the brothers and sisters were in attendance anyway – for a more exciting activity: Six Flags Over Texas. Nothing screams brotherhood and sisterhood like a giant rollercoaster. The District was lucky, as the weather was perfect and the lines were short. Bonding occurred while standing in lines and on the rides.

The Chapter Leadership Conference was a great success and I would also like to thank this year’s coordinators for the Chapter Leadership Conference: Kappa Kappa Psi Southwest District Vice President Sean “Shane” Smith from the Theta Alpha chapter and Tau Beta Sigma Southwest District Vice President of Membership Laura Pokorski from the Gamma Tau chapter. You have set the bar high for future leadership conferences. Great work!

The workshop season for the district takes place in the spring semester. The district has one workshop for each area of the district; this is a total of six. This is somewhat of a build up to district convention and I would be remiss if I did not recognize the outstanding job our great hosts of this past biennium did.

Oklahoma Area
2006 – Southwestern Oklahoma State – Epsilon Epsilon
2007 – Southeastern Oklahoma State – Eta Nu

North Texas Area
2006 – Baylor University – Beta Alpha
2007 – East Texas Baptist – Kappa Phi

Louisiana Area
2006 – Louisiana State University – Beta Gamma
2007 – University of Louisiana at Monroe – Epsilon Theta

Arkansas Area
2006 – Arkansas Tech – Delta Delta
2007 – Arkansas State – Gamma Xi of Tau Beta Sigma

South Texas Area
2006 – Blinn College – Iota Sigma
2007 – Sam Houston State University – Beta Delta

West Texas / New Mexico Area
2006 – Angelo State University – Epsilon Kappa
2007 – University of New Mexico – Gamma Iota

There have been two outstanding Southwest District conventions this past biennium. I would like to thank the 2006 convention host chapters at Texas Tech University (Alpha Omicron – KKY and Beta – TBS) for an outstanding job. I would also like to thank the 2007 convention hosts at the Oklahoma State University (Alpha – KKY and Alpha – TBS). This next year will be a continuation of the high standards our conventions have maintained as the district will travel to Stephen F. Austin University (Gamma Phi – KKY and Beta Zeta – TBS) for the 2008 SWD Convention.

At every convention the Southwest District recognizes chapters that have gone above and beyond throughout the year. While space and time does not allow me to recognize every chapter that has received awards this past biennium, I would like to recognize the top awards presented.

The Spirit Drum is a tradition that has been maintained since the districts used to be numbered. Chapters that are awarded the drum take pride in carrying the drum in their travels throughout the district and nation. The drum was presented to the Alpha Rho chapter at Northeastern State University in 2006 and to the Epsilon Chi at the University of Arkansas - Pine Bluff chapter in 2007.

The Spirit of the Southwest Award, or as we affectionately call it: “The Cup,” is a relatively new award being first presented in 2002. This award is presented to the chapter that was the...
most active in communication and activities within the district. The cup was presented to the Theta Phi chapter at Henderson State University in 2006 and to the Delta Sigma chapter at The University of Texas at Arlington in 2007.

Finally, our most prestigious and highest honor the Southwest District can award is the D. O. Wiley Outstanding Chapter Award. The award is named after D. O. Wiley, a former band director at Texas Tech University for his outstanding influence not only in Texas Band programs, but also in colonizing the majority of the Texas chapters. The chapters chosen for this award represent the best in the Southwest District and are considered the leading chapters of the district. The Delta Sigma chapter at the University of Texas at Arlington was the recipient of both the 2006 and 2007 award, sweeping this past biennium.

I would like to recognize the Delta Sigma – KKY and the Gamma Nu – TBS chapters at the University of Texas in Arlington for serving as hosts of our district publication the New Alto in 2005-2006. I would also like to thank the 2006-2007 publishers at West Texas A&M University the Alpha Psi – KKY and XI – TBS chapters. The 2007 – 2008 host is the Gamma Iota chapter at the University of New Mexico.

Our thanks go to our district councils of the past biennium. Their service and dedication to the fraternity and the Southwest District never faltered.

2005 – 2006
Clinton Wieden, President, Alpha – Oklahoma State University
Kevin Wolfe, Vice President, Delta – University of Oklahoma
Matthew Baggerly, Secretary / Treasurer, Delta Sigma – The University of Texas at Arlington
Adam McFarlin, Member-at-Large, Theta Phi – Henderson State University
Holly Tetreault, Member-at-Large, Alpha – Oklahoma State University

2006 – 2007
Clinton Wieden, President, Alpha – Oklahoma State University
Holly Tetreault, Vice President, Alpha – Oklahoma State University
Anna Rivera, Secretary / Treasurer, Epsilon Epsilon – Southwestern Oklahoma State University
Karen Norton, Member-at-Large, Theta Phi – Henderson State University
Derek Harris, Member-at-Large, Alpha Psi – West Texas A&M University (Sep-Apr)
Louis Buehling, Member-at-Large, Epsilon Beta – (Apr-Jun)

I speak on behalf of the entire district when I say it is impossible to express our sincerest thanks and appreciation to two individuals. These men go above and beyond with their dedication and devotion to the Southwest District and the fraternity; our District Governors Mr. Danny George and Dr. David Scott. You two share a love for this fraternity that so many envy and hope to achieve. You have helped so many brothers realize what service and dedication are all about. The District thanks you both from the very bottom of all our hearts.

Since being elected in April this year, the newest Southwest District council has been hard at work. I would like to recognize them now:

2007 – 2008
Jack Lee, President, Delta Sigma – University of Texas at Arlington
Sean Smith, Vice President, Theta Alpha, Texas State University
Anna Rivera, Secretary / Treasurer, Epsilon Epsilon – Southwestern Oklahoma State University
Sean LaFollette, Member at Large, Theta Phi – Henderson State University
Chase Giddings, Member at Large, Beta Delta – Sam Houston State University

Lastly, I would like to make a few recognitions:

The Southwest District congratulates Alpha at Oklahoma State University and Theta Phi at Henderson State University for being named Chapter Leadership Finalists.

The Southwest District would like to congratulate Phillip Oliver from the Iota Upsilon Chapter at McNeese State University for being selected as one of the Conn-Selmer Scholarship winners.

Many thanks are given to Brother Chris Joyce Life Member of the Zeta Beta chapter. Your continued devotion to the Southwest District does not go unnoticed. Thank you for all the help that you have offered to this and previous administrations.

I would like to thank Adam “Boots” Butenschoen for his help in getting the Southwest District well represented at this National Convention. You’re hard work and dedication to the district does not go unnoticed and you are deserving of our sincere “Thank You.”

The Southwest District would like to wish Jason Kellison the best of luck in his pursuance of the National Vice President of Student Affairs office. Jason has been active in the fraternity since his initiation in the Fall of 1995. Since that time, he has served his chapter and the district on numerous levels. His district participation includes serving as Member at Large and as District President. His love and commitment to the fraternity is something that will help him succeed on the national level.

The district would also like to thank the brothers of the Southeast District for their generous and gracious hospitality. I hope you are enjoying having so many brothers in your district. Finally, the Southwest District would like to extend an open invitation to all brothers for our 2008 convention. As stated
above, the convention will be held at Stephen F. Austin State University with the Gamma Phi – Kappa Kappa Psi, and Beta Zeta – Tau Beta Sigma chapters. There is no doubt it will be a successful convention and it would only be enhanced by the attendance of brothers and sisters from across the nation.

The Southwest District continues to grow and demonstrate the absolute best in service to the college and university band programs. The individual chapters take great pride in their progress and continued devotion to the fraternity. With that pride comes a great sense of brotherhood throughout the district. I know the Southwest District will continue to be an example for all brothers, as we truly strive for the highest.

Ever Striving,

Jack Lee
Southwest District President
Delta Sigma, The University of Texas at Arlington

Appendix 14
REPORT OF THE WESTERN DISTRICT
By Lance Coochyouma, Western District President
Omega Chapter, University of Arizona

Brothers of the National Chapter-

This past biennium has been one of extreme growth, excitement, success, and fellowship for the Brothers of the Western District. When we left all of you 2 years ago, our District Membership had a renewed sense of Musicianship, Band Service, and Brotherhood, which is what National Convention is all about! It was not just the District Leadership that was energized but also the Chapter Leadership that had a fresh outlook and brought back a book of new ideas to make their Chapters stronger and closer.

The Western District spans the entire West Coast, with over 1,600 miles between our furthest Chapters, so we work to appreciate our distance and utilize the time we have together the best that we can. It is very uplifting to sit back and see just how connected our District Membership is with each other. It helps that we have online resources to connect, never-ending email, and of course the good times with text messaging. When we do get to see each other we are appreciative of that time, Brothers reach outside of their Chapters, and a sincere feeling of Pride is established for being members of the Western District.

One tool that was revitalized and used this past biennium to correspond within the District was our District publication, The Accent. In the first year of the biennium our publication was not effective for our District membership. However, this last year it has become something actually read and used to exchange ideas and experiences. It was great to see submissions from District Officers and Chapters, pages with pictures, and general District announcements throughout. I would like to thank the Beta Omicron Chapter for serving as the Publishing Chapter this past year. We look forward to the future utilization of The Accent, and hope that it continues to serve the District membership.

We have had the opportunity to experience some inspiring and educational District Events through the past biennium as well. Our major events are our State Days, Western District Leadership Conference, and of course District Convention.

The purpose of State Days is for Brothers and Sisters in that geographical area to spend time together, experience fellowship, and ultimately have fun! State Day Host Chapters are selected on a rotational basis, so every School has the opportunity to plan and execute the event. It is also a great chance for each Chapter to “personalize” it and share an event or activity that their Chapter enjoys with other Brothers and Sisters. Usually held from late January to mid March, our State Days are a great way to get away and spend some fun time with each other. A Special Thank you to the following Chapters for serving as State Day Host Chapters:

2005-2006:
- Arizona- Beta Omicron Chapter (KKΨ)-Arizona State University
- California- Iota Pi Chapter (KKΨ)- California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo
- Utah- Omicron Chapter (TBΣ)- University of Utah
- Northern States- Iota Kappa Chapter (KKΨ)- Boise State University

2006-2007:
- Arizona- Omega Chapter (KKΨ) and Omega Chapter (TBΣ)- University of Arizona
- California- Iota Alpha Chapter (KKΨ) and Eta Omega Chapter (TBΣ)- California State University, Fresno
- Utah- Iota Iota Chapter (KKΨ) and Theta Eta Chapter (TBΣ)- Utah State University
- Washaho- Gamma Chapter (KKΨ)- University of Washington

Since the creation of the Western District Leadership Conference, the concept has remained but the format, purpose, delivery style, and impact has grown and now works to push the envelope each time it is planned. From a weekend of activities and a guest speaker, the WDLC now works to provide solid tools that can be used to improve the Chapter Level, engage the leader in all Brothers and Sisters, and energize our bonds. Always held the weekend of MLK Day in January, the extended weekend facilitates travel time and a good length for our Conference. Our 2006 WDLC was a great success being held in the Northern part of our District giving our membership up North a chance to “represent”, while still seeing those bright shining faces from the rest of the District that enjoy a good road trip or lucked out on a plane ticket! The focus was to ensure that everyone left with tools to utilize at the Chapter and Local Level. Great fun was had by all and it all ended by
“beating” a piñata in the freezing weather. Our 2007 WDLC was one of sheer energy, impact, and musical essence. The 2007 WDLC worked to integrate service, music, and leadership into every activity, presentation, and breakout session. With over 150 in attendance, it was an experience that many will remember. From a HUGE group Service Project to a Non-Traditional Musical Talent Show, from an AWESOME presentation by our District Governors and Counselor to a GIGANTIC Game of Twister, the Conference was one for the books and truly set the stage for the future. Often times Brothers go back and forth as to the importance of Service Over Brotherhood and visa versa, but this Conference brought both together and the energy created when united, was just magical and intense. It was also an honor to be highlighted in the Spring 2007 issue of *The Podium*.

I hope that everyone gets a chance to read the article submitted, it was great to share what the Western District experienced with the rest of our Brothers and Sisters.

Much thank you and appreciation goes to the District Councils that planned our past Western District Leadership Conferences, it set the tone for what can be done, and set the standard for what our District membership can expect. Next year will mark our 10th Annual District Leadership Conference, a tradition we will continue for many more years into the future. A Special Thank You also goes to the following Chapters for serving as Western District Leadership Conference Host Chapters:

### 2006:
- Washington State University – Pullman, WA.
  - Iota Gamma Chapter (ΚΚΨ) and Theta Delta Chapter (ΤΒΣ)

### 2007:
- California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo – San Luis Obispo, CA.
  - Iota Pi Chapter (ΚΚΨ)

I do have to say that one of the biggest highlights of every District Year is the one the only...District Convention. We have been fortunate enough to have two absolutely fabulous District Conventions this past biennium. We have been working very hard to maximize the opportunities given, both educationally and musically. We have also been working to lessen the amount of time spent in just committees and business sessions so that workshops, presentations, and forums could be presented on a variety of topics to again, benefit out membership. Western District Convention 2006 was held in Ontario California, a great hotel combined with new fresh ideas and super weather made for a weekend of musicianship, bonding, and exploring.

One of our greatest accomplishments in the past biennium was the implementation of the “For Music’s Sake: Outreach Conference 2007”. We joined together to Move Music Forward in, that’s right, LAS VEGAS, NEVADA! We capitalized on a concept that we had used in the past but took a different angle. Our 2007 Convention was an Outreach Conference to any and all Band Students and Band Directors on the West Coast to come together for a professional musical conference to experience musicianship both in performance and education. Yes, we still had Committee Meetings and Business Sessions, but everything else was an opportunity to focus on music and service, we turned our Convention into a huge service project. We targeted some of the most comprehensive and competitive College Band Programs to invite band students and Directors to attend our Conference, and were lucky enough to get a few students to attend, as well as some very impressive Band Directors. It was great to have five different institutions represented that did not have Chapters. The event offered 14 different workshops for all students in attendance, including topics such as leadership development, music advocacy, conducting, band hazing, and even a forum on different careers in music. The Conference was highlighted by the Keynote Speaker, Kirsten Brooks, from VH1’s Save the Music Foundation. There were multiple musical performances throughout the weekend, including a performance from a one of the Nation’s Top High School Bands, the Green Valley High School Symphonic Band Conducted by Diane Koutsulis. Chapter Displays were sporting creative ideas, the Talent Show was something else, and the Convention Banquet was a special time for special guests and the entire membership. Overall, it was an extremely successful Conference because of the amount of effort and work taken on by the District Councils, Host Chapters, Advisors, National Officers, and Actives in the District. As always seeing old faces, meeting new faces, and sharing in that common bond is a very special experience that one gets when attending a District Convention.

The work of the District Councils in the execution and presentation of these Conventions is appreciated, and neither Convention would have been such a great success without the work and organization of our incredible Host Chapters:

### 2006:
- “The Best on Record”
  - Psi Chapter (ΚΚΨ) and Epsilon Kappa Chapter (ΤΒΣ)

### 2007:
- “For Music’s Sake: Outreach Conference 2007”
  - Iota Kappa Chapter (ΚΚΨ) and Eta Omega Chapter (ΤΒΣ)

Serving in a District Leadership Role as a student is fraternally educational, energizing, and intense. It is so hard to pin point exactly what the District Officers that make up the District Council do. They serve as a resource to the District Membership when questions come up and ultimately make sure that District Convention is pulled off. However, serving as a District Officer is so much more. We underestimate how lucky we are to have such a driven and passionate corps of District leaders. I believe that our District would be great just because our Membership is so “into it”, but I also believe that without the leadership and innovation of our past District Councils we would not be pushing forward and striving. We have seen a
dramatic increase in the number of Brothers running for District Council, involving themselves on the District Level, and assisting in ways possible to make the Western District such a close and diversified District. I believe that is a direct reflection of those that have lead our District, we thank them for paving the road, setting the tone, and encouraging us to Strive.

2005-2006:
President: Michael Juner, Iota Pi Chapter
Vice President: Jeff Gander, Iota Kappa Chapter
Secretary/Treasurer: Chris Boccuzzo, Beta Omicron Chapter
Member-at-Large: Lance Coochyouma, Gamma Kappa Chapter/Omega Chapter

2006-2007:
President: Lance Coochyouma, Omega Chapter
Vice President: Neil Jansen, Iota Pi Chapter
Secretary/Treasurer: Val Scrivner, Gamma Chapter
Member-at-Large: Michael Gray, Gamma Kappa Chapter

Equally as important is the solid advisement from our National District Leadership. We have seen a few faces serving as our District Governors and each of them have provided leadership and input that fueled the District Council and encouraged our District Membership. We would like to thank Don Hower, Director of Bands, Washington State University, and Dr. Patrick Carney, the current Director of Bands, Montana State University, and Midwest District Governor, for serving in this capacity and serving the Western District. However, the two District Governors that we have serving us now have got to be the most thought provoking, supportive, and professional minded Governors. Tanya Marsh, Life Member, Beta Omicron Chapter and Chris Chapman, Director of Bands, Oregon State University are what make the Western District the best District. They push us, make us think, and sincerely want nothing but the best for our Band Programs, Chapters, and Fraternity. We are so thankful and lucky to have them serving our Fraternity in their National District Leadership roles.

While speaking about the leadership of the District, it is also important to recognize and thank our Chapter Sponsors and our Director of Bands. Without the leadership and support of these individuals our Chapters would not be able to function, grow, and ultimately serve and support our band programs. I would also like to extend appreciation to all those Brothers that served in Chapter Leadership Roles this past biennium. It is because of all their hard work and dedication to the foundations of Kappa Kappa Psi at the local level that allows our Chapters to serve their bands and contribute to the Western District. It is also important to note that this biennium saw the passing of Past Grand President, Jack K. Lee. President Lee is the former Director of Bands at the University of Arizona and Past Chapter Sponsor of the Omega Chapter. He had a significant role in the development of the band program, most significantly the Marching Band at the University of Arizona. In his term as Grand President the Fraternity also introduced new initiatives and showed great progress leading us to where we are today. The Western District thanks President Lee for all his dedication to our Bands and our Fraternity.

The Western District has continued with programs that we feel serve our membership and recognize the outstanding work going on at the Chapter Level. We have the Ideal Active Achievement Award given three times a year to Brothers who stand out and hold the ideals of the Fraternity close to heart. We also have the Western District Music Competition, which promotes music achievement amongst the Active membership. Brothers and Sisters record themselves playing contrasting pieces of music and submit their recording to be judged. The top entry is awarded a scholarship and they are given the opportunity to play a solo performance in front of the Delegation at the District Convention. I would like to note that Evan Lynch, a Brother from the Beta Omicron Chapter has earned 1st place the past two years and given musically impressive performances on his clarinet. We look forward to continued support of these District programs and hope that we can develop even more.

The Western District is the Brothers, IS the Band Programs, IS the Service. Without our Chapters pushing themselves and our Chapter Leadership leading with vision, the Western District would not be what it is. The Western District is simply a fusion of the diversity, musicianship, and brotherhood that is taught and fostered at the Chapter level. When our Brothers are innovative and engaged they begin the chain of excellence. I pride myself on the fact that the Western District works so hard to provide and stimulate a relationship on all levels, Chapter to Chapter, Brother to Brother, it is because of this that we have seen growth in our Active membership and in total Chapters. We were fortunate enough to bring another Chapter into our family, the Lambda Psi Chapter at San Jose State University. These Brothers are a great addition to our District and we also thank the Iota Pi Chapter for serving as the Advising Chapter. It is also very exciting for the Western District to see the beginning of TWO new Colonies in our District. The University of Oregon and Diablo Valley College have begun their journey towards becoming Brothers of Kappa Kappa Psi. We wish them luck, as well as support the Iota Kappa Chapter and Iota Alpha Chapter as they serve as the Advising Chapters to our new Colonies. I cannot begin to express my excitement about our new Chapter and our new Colonies. It is not every day that you see this kind of growth in the Western District. It is just great to see more people interested in joining our amazing Brotherhood.

We have a lot of Brothers and Sisters that work to make the Western District what it is, either by directly serving or providing support in multiple capacities. On behalf of the Western District I would like to thank our National Council and Board of Trustees for all the input, support, and energy that you have shown for our District, our Chapter Field Representatives Phil and Jen for the guidance and input to improve our Chapters, 10 out of 13 of our Chapters greatly benefited from Phil’s visits and its great to see Jen sharing her experiences as an Alumni of the Western District. I would also like to thank Kris Wright,
Tau Beta Sigma Western District Counselor, and Marissa Garcia and Meghan Fay, Tau Beta Sigma Western District Presidents, along with their Councils, for all the support and joint initiatives that were explored and developed through the past biennium. Again, thank you to all Brothers of the Western District for doing what you do. Our service, musicianship, and brotherhood is constantly improved because of your dedication and efforts. I also would like to Congratulate the Iota Pi Chapter for being selected as a Chapter Leadership Finalist, we wish them the best of luck and thank them for representing the Western District on the National Level. I would also like to recognize and Congratulate those Brothers that auditioned for and were selected to participate in the National Intercollegiate Band 2007, it is such a great testament of the dedication to music and musicianship that the Brothers of the Western District have.

It was at the National Convention in 1977 that the Western District became the Western District. Now, exactly 20 years later we celebrate our history, our contributions to the Fraternity, and our love of band! It is just inspiring to see how far we have come in those years. The Western District has set a standard for itself that is committed to enthusiastic service to our College and University Bands, and committed to establishing the standards of excellence for the Nation’s leadership, expansion, loyalty, and cooperation. The Western District is in a state of constant never-ending improvement. We continuously work to expose and highlight all that our Chapters and Brothers have to offer, in the hopes that we are doing all that we can to contribute to the National Level, thus doing our part to advance the Fraternity as a whole.

As we look to the future I would like to introduce the 2007-2008 Western District Council that will be guiding us:

President: Lance Coochyouma, Omega Chapter  
Vice President: James Llamas, Psi Chapter  
Secretary/Treasurer: Adam “ShaRk Bait” Hagans, Iota Alpha Chapter  
Member-at-Large: Gene “MORGaaN” Smith IV, Iota Alpha Chapter  
Governors: Tanya Marsh and Chris Chapman

We may be small, we might be a little odd, but we are honored to be a part of our Fraternity. Together as one, and together with our Sisters of Tau Beta Sigma we can advance band music, participate in effective band service, and promote our Brotherhood. As we try new things, explore new concepts, and invigorate our love of music, we look forward to working together with our Brothers around the Nation to continually Strive for the Highest!

Here’s to another 20 years of Music, Service, Brotherhood, Joint Relations, and Excellence!

Respectfully Submitted,

Lance Coochyouma  
Western District President  
Omega Chapter, KKP, University of Arizona

Appendix 15
KEYNOTE ADDRESS
Theodis Chunn, Kappa Lambda, Winston Salem State University

“Building Success from the Band Up”

Quote: When success is build quickly, it soon falls down.  When it is planned out and gradually built, then it will survive any storm that comes its way.

Hello, my name is Theodis Chunn, I am a Junior Mass Communications Major from Winston-Salem State University. I became a member of the Kappa Lambda Chapter of Kappa Kappa Psi in the spring of 2006. Since becoming a member of this illustrious organization, I have witnessed the fraternity perform many worthwhile projects for our band program and its members. Truly it is an honor to have been selected to serve and it is equally an honor to have been selected to deliver a few thoughts to the distinguished, goal oriented, and dedicated brothers of KK (wait for the Psi). Also, I would like to take this opportunity to welcome all of you to the Birthplace of Leaders, the Southeast District.

In order to help large, giving organizations like our college and university bands, I believe that we as bandsmen and women must do and continually strive to “REMIT”. The Webster’s dictionary gives a plethora of definitions, but two that are mentioned include transmitting money in payment and the other is to refer an authority for decision. As applicable as these definitions could be to our band programs (because we as brothers must continue to help build our programs by transmitting money and services to them because they are our ultimate authority) that is not the purpose for which we will utilize this word today. Instead I ask that we examine this word in an acronymic sense. “REMIT”, stands for R-Recruiting, E-Empowering, M-Mentoring, I-Inspiring, and T-Tutoring. In order for us to fully lend our support and help to our band programs, we must have our personal and chapter “houses” in order.

R-Recruitment is a key tool to having a successful band program. As important as recruitment is to the band program, it is equally as important to recruit for your chapter. Through recruitment, one will be able to assist the program as a whole by identifying true bandsmen/women within the band program. In the generation in which we live in today, quality is very hard to come by. Sure, it is possible to have a chapter with an active membership in excess of 50, but how often can we say that we have 50 or more working members? It is imperative that we act as ambassadors for the band program by being a good example of gracious conduct and unswerving loyalty.

Once members are in place, we are in the position to give them the best in all tasks. Denotatively speaking, empower means to equip or supply with ability. This brings to mind the image of an army. With any army, must know the image of an army. With any army, soldiers have to be equipped with weapons and must possess the ability to properly utilize equipment. Comparatively, our chapters need to be equipped with the most powerful weapon of all, Knowledge.
Empowering chapters includes assuring that the proper and correct information is being presented on all levels.

Knowledge without application is useless, so it becomes important that we M-Mentor our chapters members. Mentoring includes coaching, guiding, counseling, and being willing to spend his/her time and expertise to guide the development of another person. The evidence of effective mentoring is the sustaining impartation of knowledge. Therefore, as brothers must encourage each other to strive for the highest and guide those who follow in our fraternal footsteps.

I-Inspiring one another to develop leadership and to have a positive relationship with the members of the band program is very essential in this organization. When other band members see that members of Kappa Kappa Psi are leaders and have that great positive attitude, they have young men and women to look up to. One will then perform better not only musically but socially and morally. When we as a fraternity are seen as inspiring individuals then we can move on to the last letter which is T.

The “T” in the last part of the acronym stands for Tutoring. We as college students first and foremost enter into collegiate matriculation for one reason and one reason only - and that is to receive an education. It is imperative that we assist one another in any manner concerning matriculation. This encompasses anything from learning new music for an upcoming show to preparation for a general biology test. As brothers we need to be able to use our individual greatness to tutor others. This will help others know that we are here to assist them and to help them graduate. No, we are not professors or school teachers, but it is important that we carry an attitude of leadership in wanting to assist others. In building this fraternity, being able to REMIT is our fraternal foundation.

When we as brothers are ready and armed then we can move into the band and build success. Appropriately, since the theme of this convention is “Building Success from the Band Up” - “B-U-I-L-D” is the acronym that I will be using to illustrate what each of us should aspire to do within the band program. As I have said earlier, it is very important that we as members of Kappa Kappa Psi, know how to Recruit, Empower, Mentor, Inspire, and Tutor each other in order to build success in a band program. We have to be trained and highly recommended in order to build this great success. Our band programs are filled with intelligent individuals who will soon become the world’s next great doctors, lawyers, band directors and other professionals. As we have to transition from college student to professional upon graduating, we have to transition our band programs from current success to greater success.

B-Brick, U-Unify, I-Initiate, L-Lead, and D-Develop are the words that I will use to represent the acronym “BUILD.” To B-Brick or the concept of bricking is used in construction; Of course, bricks are rectangles of baked clay that are used for building. In the context of this acronym, Brick simply means to lay a foundation. In order for us to build success, we must make sure that the foundations we are preparing, which are the students of the band program, are strong & sturdy. That is when we can move forward or upward with the development of our programs. That is also when we, as well as others, can identify that building success for the band program has begun. With students succeeding and striving to do and be better bandsmen and women, then will be the time for us to unify the program.

It may sound strange or hard to accomplish, but we as a fraternity must not form groups and or “clicks” with just people in the Fraternity. We as a band must become U-Unified. Like armies, we must get on one accord. Sometimes it is impossible to avoid gravitating to groups, but we as a program and fraternity have to be flexible enough to know everyone and allow others to get to know us. We can begin by forming councils to focus on areas lacking within the band. Councils such as the recruitment council would actually go to different high and middle schools to engage potential college freshmen. This way, we have awareness of who is coming to the program and they will be familiar with some people within the program. Another thing we can do is form clubs and associations for other members not in the fraternity. This serves as a great tool for recruitment for the fraternity and shows a great deal of unity.

It is a high priority that we facilitate organizations and dedicate our services and assistance to our band. I-Initiation becomes just as important as our DUTY is to our band programs and our fraternity. In initiating, we must take the next step and go forth with our building process. Study groups and rides to the nearest store are things freshmen and other students need. We are indeed outstanding bandsmen and women, therefore we must go into different networks, initiate new unified programs, and facilitate them in anyway necessary. In order to facilitate something you must be able to lead.

To give direction, is one of the definitions I unearthed for the word L-Lead. Overall we must be able to be good leaders. Our very own mission statement declares this very clearly. It states; “Kappa Kappa Psi is a fraternal organization that promotes the advancement of college and university bands through dedicated service and support to bands; comprehensive education; leadership opportunities; and recognition; for the benefit of its members and society.” Therefore, we must show different ways which we can present leadership in the program. There are several ways of doing this, one of which I have already spoken about - being a leader within yourself. Another way to illustrate this leadership is by simply recruiting, empowering, mentoring, inspiring, and tutoring or REMIT-ting. When others see that they can follow your lead because you have used yourself as a standard and not a substitute, then they too will soon become great leaders.

Once the previous concepts have been realized, it is time to go and D-Develop our programs. There are countless ways we can do this. You have all been given one sheet of paper. Place your name and e-mail address and phone number on it so that your brothers here can contact you and see what new ideas they can facilitate or develop on their campuses. It is vital that we
network by developing this method and using it often. Each of you are my resources and I am yours. It will be important that you have the same way of networking in band camps, during rehearsals, and within the band program as a whole. When individuals have positive personal experiences and know that they can count on you, then you and your organization have built success in your band program and community.

I want each of us to leave here with the drive to BUILD our programs and chapters from the ground up, starting with each individual involved. I want to encourage each of you not only to be a BUILDER, but a volunteer BUILDER. In order to build, **Brick, Unify, Initiate, Lead, and Develop**, you have to be willing to **B-Be a U-Utensil of I-Individual L-Life D-Development**. By this, I mean that we should offer ourselves and our talents to others to ensure that they have the necessary tools to develop into strong individuals. That growth will become apparent and will positively affect band programs and chapters. We as bandmen and women must find various ways to serve our communities, our institutions, and most of all our bands. When our programs are built cautiously, carefully, and gradually then we will have Better Bands, Better Chapters, and a Better Fraternity!!!

**Appendix 16**
**Gold Star Ceremony Presentation at the 2007 National Convention**
by Malinda M Matney, Ph.D. National Vice President for Colonization and Membership

**Leader**

In 1947, Kappa Kappa Psi marked in National Convention the memory and celebration of Brothers who had served in the armed forces during World War II. In that ceremony, six Brothers of Alpha represented all Gold Star Brothers from every chapter as the honor roll was read. Sixty years later, we have Brothers serving in our nation’s ongoing military commitments. Our active Brothers have asked that band members serving in the military be recognized with honor by Kappa Kappa Psi. We look to our history, recognizing that these band members join a national tradition and the tradition of Kappa Kappa Psi Brothers in serving their community and nation.

“Gold Star” members were those who were killed during World War II. Gold Star Mothers were those mothers who lost a son during the war. If you look at old publications from that period, you may see that it was the custom of people to put banners in their front windows, showing white stars in a red and blue frame. One star was on display for each son on active duty. If one of those sons was killed, the white star would be changed to gold as an indication of the sacrifice that that family had made. Gold Star Brothers, then, were those Brothers who were killed during the war.

Today, we recognize Brothers and other band members who serve today or who have died in service. We know that this is just the start of the list of those band members who have continued into military service. This is the continuation of our Brotherhood’s tradition of dedication to community beyond the college years.

Each District President will step forward and read the names of those Gold Star, Blue Star, Silver Star, and White Star recipients. Gold and Blue Star recipients are Brothers of Kappa Kappa Psi who served, and in the case of Gold Star Brothers, have died in service. Silver and White Star recipients are other college band members who have served, and in the case of Silver Star recipients, have died in service. (Each District President reads the Star, Name, Rank, Branch, Chapter or School, and if needed death notation for each recipient from his or her district.) We honor these band members for their courage and for their exemplification of our Kappa Kappa Psi values. Before we move forward into our memoriam of Brothers who have passed this biennium, let us take a moment to celebrate our Star recipients.

**APPENDIX 17**
**Star Recognition for Military Members**
**Kappa Kappa Psi National Convention 2007**

**Gold Star**

Name: Armer N. Burkart  
Rank: Specialist  
Branch of Service: Army  
Chapter: Kappa Gamma  
Notes: Killed by an improvised bomb in Iraq

**Blue Star**

Name: Alan L. Bonner  
Rank: Lt. Colonel  
Branch of Service: Air Force, Retired  
Chapter: National  
Notes: National Executive Director

Name: Hannah Gabrielle Eckerd  
Rank: Specialist  
Branch of Service: 440th Army National Guard Band, Active  
Chapter: Iota Omicron  
Notes:

Name: Scott Fitzgerald  
Rank: BM3  
Branch of Service: Coast Guard  
Chapter: Iota Delta  
Notes: Small Boat Coxswain/Federal Law Enforcement Officer

Name: Cameron Ware  
Rank: MM3  
Branch of Service: United States Navy  
Chapter: Iota Delta
Name: James L. Morrison  
Rank: Musician  
Branch of Service: Maryland National Guard  
Chapter: Iota Delta

Name: Jennifer D. Valentine  
Rank: Musician  
Branch of Service: Maryland National Guard  
Chapter: Iota Delta

Name: Christopher Scott Huggins  
Rank: Specialist  
Branch of Service: 56th Army Band, National Guard  
Chapter: Theta Nu

Name: Jacob Tyrone Mitchell  
Rank: Specialist  
Branch of Service: 156th Army Band, National Guard  
Chapter: Theta Nu

Name: Mark R. Gardner  
Rank: Senior Airman  
Branch of Service: US Air Force  
Chapter: Iota Omega  
Notes: Computer programmer, Active duty, vet. of Operation Iraqi Freedom

Name: Jennifer Ann Griffith-Rush  
Rank: Staff Sergeant  
Branch of Service: US Air Force  
Chapter: Epsilon Omega  
Notes: Flautist in the Heartland of America Band, Active duty

Name: John M. Huffman III  
Rank: Specialist  
Branch of Service: Ohio Army National Guard, 122nd Army Band  
Chapter: Eta  
Notes: Veteran,

Name: John M. Huffman Jr.  
Rank: First Sergeant  
Branch of Service: Ohio Army National Guard, 122nd Army Band  
Chapter: Eta  
Notes: Active

Name: Joseph M. Anderson  
Rank: Sergeant  
Branch of Service: U.S. Army  
Chapter: Zeta Eta  
Notes: Military Intelligence Corps, Active Duty (soon to be serving in Iraq)

Name: Robert Wesley Lovett  
Rank: Specialist  
Branch of Service: Army National Guard  
Chapter: Alpha Rho  
Notes: 11 Hotel (heavy weapons anti-tank), Veteran – served in Afghanistan

Name: Joshua Wakely  
Rank: Specialist  
Branch of Service: Air Force  
Chapter: Alpha Rho  
Notes: Electrical and Environmental Specialist on the E-3 AWACS, Active Duty

Name: Kristen Rene Bell  
Rank: Specialist  
Branch of Service: US Army  
Chapter: Alpha Rho  
Notes: 25U Commo, Active Duty – Currently serving in Iraq, will soon be promoted to Sergeant

Name: Eric Santo Jones  
Rank: Operations Specialist 3rd Class  
Branch of Service: Navy  
Chapter: Alpha Rho  
Notes: Active Duty

Name: Brandon Paul Wells  
Rank: Lance Corporal  
Branch of Service: United States Marine Corps  
Chapter: Alpha Rho  
Notes: 5711 Chemical, Biological, Radiological, and Nuclear Defense Specialist, Active Duty

Name: Martinique J. Shepherd  
Rank: Corporal  
Branch of Service: United States Marine Corps  
Chapter: Iota Omega  
Notes: Logistical Vehicle Systems Operator (big truck driver) On Active Duty currently stationed in Okinawa, Japan

Name: Robert Noel Thomas Carden  
Rank: F-16 Pilot  
Branch of Service: United States Air Force  
Chapter: Iota Alpha

Name: Nicholas Raymond Greeson  
Rank: Staff Sergeant  
Branch of Service: US Army Reserve  
Chapter: Eta Upsilon  
listed in the database as an Alum of Alpha Epsilon who transferred to Eta Rho

Name: Frank J. Busso, Jr.  
Rank: Technical Sergeant  
Branch of Service: U.S. Air Force Band  
Chapter: Theta Beta  
Notes: Active

Name: Jeremy Duplechin  
Rank: Second Lt.  
Branch of Service:  
Chapter: Beta Gamma  
Notes: Field Artillery, Active Duty
Name: Howard Hoffman
Rank: Radiologist
Branch of Service: United States Air Force
Chapter: Gamma Xi
Notes: Aviano Air Base, Italy, Active Duty

Name: Thomas D. Eckert
Rank:
Branch of Service: Heartland of America Air Force Band
Chapter: Beta Psi
Notes: Offutt AFB in Omaha Nebraska

Name: Bryan E. Raya
Rank: Sergeant
Branch of Service: US Army Band
Chapter: Iota Alpha
Notes: Currently Serving with the 25th Infantry Div., Tropic Lightning Band in Iraq (from Hawaii) Music for Troupes, Ceremonial performances and Musical support Active.

Name: Holly Ann Schmitt
Rank:
Branch of Service: US Army Reserve
Chapter: Lambda Omega
Notes: Active

Name: Walter Daniel Neira
Rank: Band Member
Branch of Service: Marine Corps
Chapter: Epsilon Delta

Name: Matthew Ryan Leske
Rank: Security Forces
Branch of Service: United States Air Force Reserve
Chapter: Beta Kappa
Notes: Active Status (Currently serving in Iraq)

Name: Ossawa F. Gillespie
Rank: Staff Sergeant
Branch of Service: Air Force Reserve
Chapter: Eta Gamma
Notes: Electrical and Environmental Specialist for the C-5

Name: Johnathan Jordon
Rank: 1st Lieutenant
Branch of Service: United States Air Force
Chapter: Psi
Notes: Communications and Information Systems, Active, Alumni and Former Sergeant-at-Arms of the Psi Chapter

Name: Tarrance Copeland
Rank: Human Resources Sergeant
Branch of Service:
Chapter: Iota Nu
Notes: Unit of Assignment: 1993rd Personnel Service Detachment Montgomery, Al

Name: Earl Claire Prechtel
Rank: Lieutenant Colonel (Retired)
Branch of Service: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
Chapter: Iota

Name: Luigi R. Baccala
Rank: Staff Sergeant
Branch of Service:
Chapter: Gamma Xi
Notes: Active Reserve

Name: Michael Stephen Kings
Rank: Aerographer’s Mate Airman
Branch of Service: United States Navy
Chapter: Gamma Nu
Notes: Weather Observer USS Kitty Hawk

Name: Richard A. Rivera II
Rank: Army Bandsman
Branch of Service: Army
Chapter: Epsilon Epsilon
Notes: Active

Name: SPC Steve Herman
Branch of Service: Ohio Army National Guard
Primary Job: 122nd Army Band
Current Status: Reserves
Star Requested: White
Ohio State

Name: Corporal Erik Brinker
Branch of Service: US Marine Corps
Primary Job: Infantry
Current Status: Reserves (after serving 1 tour in Iraq in 2005)
Star Requested: White
Ohio State

Sergeant Hannah Raya
US Army Band (Flute & vocals)
Currently Serving with the 25th Infantry Div, Tropic Lightning Band in Iraq (out of Hawaii)
Musical support, Instrumental and Vocals performances for our Troupes
Active

CPT Jason C. Latella
United States Army
Military Intelligence Officer
Active Duty (currently in Iraq ... again)
Georgia Tech University

Silver Star

White Star

Name & Rank: Johnathan Jordon
Branch of Service: United States Air Force
Current Status: Active Duty (currently in Iraq ... again)
Appendix 18
STUDENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE
Presented by the District Presidents

The Student Advisory Committee met during two sessions of the 2007 National Convention. Prior to convention, each district proposed topics to be discussed by the committee.

The 2007 Student Advisory Committee discussed the following items pertaining to the fraternity:
1. Star Recognition Program
2. The limitation of terms for board of trustee members
3. Splitting of the National Vice President for Colonization and Membership office.
4. Diversity issues in the fraternity
5. National Council Relations with the student membership of the fraternity.
6. How public internet sites are portraying our fraternity
7. The implementation of District Officer Listservs
8. Colors of the Fraternity Letters

After reviewing the items discussed the committee decided the following forms of action were appropriate:

1. Star Recognition Program
   a. The committee agreed to charge the program committee to add the Recognition Program to the Guide to Membership as an official program of the Fraternity.
   b. The following information should be included in the Program to ensure members are properly informed of the Recognition Program:
      i. The history of the program
      ii. Descriptions of each of the awards offered
      iii. Requirements to be recognized through the program
      iv. The proper procedures for chapters to recognize individuals worthy for recognition through the program

2. Term limits for board of trustee members
   a. The committee agreed that term limits should not be established for Board of Trustee members.
   b. The committee agreed to charge District Officers with the responsibility of informing the active membership of the role of the Board of Trustees and the operations that they handle throughout the year.

3. Splitting of the National Vice President for Colonization and Membership
   a. The committee agreed that the limited information and research pertaining to the splitting of the office was not sufficient to make a decision at this time.
   b. The committee agreed to charge the National Council with investigating the pros and cons of such a split. From that information the council should present a recommendation for the membership at the 2009 National Convention.

4. Diversity Issues in the Fraternity
   a. Due to time constraints the committee was unable to fully research the issues during the committee meetings.
   b. The committee agreed that due to the lack of information no action was necessary at this time.

5. National Council relations with the student membership.
   a. The committee agreed to charge the National Council with reviewing ways to improve communication and education on the roles and duties of the National Headquarters Staff, National Council, and Board of Trustees.

6. How public Internet sites are portraying our fraternity.
   a. The committee agreed to charge each district with the following items:
      i. Educate their members on the Code of Conduct
      ii. Inform their members of the consequences should a violation of fraternity policy occur on an Internet site.

7. The implementation of District Officer Listservs.
   a. The committee agreed that officer listservs would serve a viable and constant line of communication amongst all district officers across the nation.
   b. The committee agreed to charge the VPSA with implementing this listserv for the next biennium. The VPSA will be responsible for maintaining and updating e-mail addresses for this listserv throughout the biennium.

8. Colors of Fraternity Letters
   a. In regards to the restriction of colors of letters, the Student Advisory Committee agreed to NOT charge the Ritual and Regalia Committee to further discussion or investigation of the issue.
   b. While there were many issues contributing to the decision, the following key points were heavily considered:
      i. A restriction does not change the effectiveness of the Fraternity nor does it fulfill any of the five purposes for which we exist.
      ii. Due to the prevalence of multiple letter colors already throughout the nation, enforcement becomes an impossible task for any national restriction involving the issue.
      iii. With the continued growth of the Fraternity, it is essential to embrace all forms of diversity including that which we see in the colors of letters

Respectfully Submitted,

The Members of the Student Advisory Committee
Adam Hagans, WD Sec/Treas.
Alex Smith, NCD Sec/Treas.
Anna Rivera, SWD Sec/Treas.
Chase Gidding, SWD MAL
David Smith, SED Sec/Treas.
Emily Rogers, MWD President
Eugene Smith, WD MAL
Heather Owens, SED President
Jack Lee, SWD President
Jackie Blinke, NED MAL
James Llamas, WD VP
Jeremy Horner, NCD President
Jessica McAlarney, NED President
Justin Moore, SED MAL
Kylee Kern, MWD MAL
Lance Choochyouma, WD President
Lauren Case, SED MAL
Laurin Gross, NED Sec/Treas.
Matt Gallen, NED VP
Michael Shoup, MWD VP
Nicholas Annan, SED VP
Raina Regan, NCD VP
Robin Puzzo, NED Alumni Liaison
Ronald Perkins, NCD V
Sean LaFollette, SWD MAL
Shane Smith, SWD VP

Adam Cantley, Chair/Advisor

Appendix 19
FINAL REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS AND RESOLUTIONS
By Neil Jansen, Iota Pi, California Polytechnic State University

We resolve to thank the following for their fraternal service:
Our Delegates and Proxies
198 Delegates
203 Voting
6 District Presidents
5 National Officers

Our National Officers:
National President, Dr. Rod Chesnutt
National Vice President for Colonization and Membership, Dr. Malinda Matney
National Vice President for Programs, Derrick Mills
National Vice President for Student Affairs, Adam Cantley
National Vice President for Professional Relations, Dr. Richard Greenwood

The members of the Board of Trustees:
Chair, Mike Golemo
Vice Chair, Kirk Randazzo
Kenneth M. Corbett
Mike Osborne, IPP
Al Sergel
Scott Stowell

Our Past National Presidents in attendance:
Melvin Miles
Timothy Greenwell
Scott Stowell
Mike Golemo
Kirk Randazzo
Ken Corbett
Michael Osborne

Our Headquarters Staff:
National Executive Director, Alan Bonner
National Headquarters Administrator, Dixie Mosier-Greene
National Accountant, Diana Spiva
National Publications Manager, Jake Burk
National Membership Services Assistant, Debbie Morris
National Chapter Field Representative, Phil Rubin

District Governors:
Midwest, Denali Alt
Midwest, James G. Hudson
North Central, Christine Beason
North Central, Rod Whiteman
Northeast, Marie Burleigh
Southeast, David O'Shields
Southwest, Danny George
Southwest, David Scott
Western, Tanya Marsh
Western, Chris Chapman

District Presidents:
Midwest, Emily Rogers
North Central, Jeremy Horner
Northeast, Jessica McAlarney
Southeast, Heather Owens
Southwest, Jack Lee
Western, Lance Choochyouma

NAA Board of Directors:
North Central, Kelly Eidson
Midwest, Michelle Kincheloe
Northeast, Lansing Dimon
Southeast, Darius Cureton
Southwest, Amanda Grace
Western, Heather Mackey-Chair

Host chapters:
Eta Sigma, University of Central Florida
Alpha Eta, University of Florida
Kappa Tau, University of South Florida

We resolve to thank the following chapters and individuals for their service to Kappa Kappa Psi and their band programs:

Chapter Leadership Award Recipients:
Alpha – Oklahoma State University
Nu – The University of Michigan
Pi – Auburn University
Omicron – West Virginia University
Alpha Beta – Butler University
Alpha Omega – The University of Pittsburgh
Zeta Chi – The University of South Carolina
Theta Zeta – Ashland University
Theta Phi – Henderson State University
Iota Pi – California Polytechnic State University
Kappa Mu – The University of Georgia
Chapter Sponsors in attendance:
Ken Corbett, Zeta Chi
Darius Cureton, Kappa Lambda
David Scott, Beta Alpha
Frank Wickes, Beta Gamma
Anthony Roscoe, Alpha Omega
David O’Sheilds, XXX
Dr. Rick Greenwood, Eta Sigma
Dr. Michael Golemo, Iota Omega
Melvin Miles Jr., Eta Gamma
Malinda Matney, Nu
Christine Beason, Lambda Chi
Jason Morris, Iota Lambda
Jerome Jackson, Kappa Beta
Scott Stowell, Alpha Eta
Debra Eakins, Omicron
Michael Osborn, Zeta Epsilon
Hubert Toney Jr. Epsilon Phi

And to sponsors who were unable to attend this convention, but who continue to serve.

We resolve to thank the following individuals for their contribution to Kappa Kappa Psi this week:

NIB Conductor Frank Wickes and Composer Eric Ewazen.
Our Brothers and other musicians who participated in the NIB for their hard work and dedication to music and to this important National program.
The Boston Brass for their wonderful concert.
The Reading Band Conductors and participants.
To all the Chapters who provided displays.

To our newest Distinguished Service to Music Medal recipients:
Dr. Jack Anderson from the University of Pittsburgh for music education (Presented by Past National VPP Deb Eakins)
Dr. William Gora from Appalachian State University for Conducting (Presented at 2007 National Convention)
Dr. Johnnie Vinson from Auburn University for Concert band (Presented by National President Dr. Rod Chesnutt)

To the recipients of the J. Lee Burke Student Achievement Award:
Lance Coochyouma from the Gamma Kappa Chapter at Northern Arizona University (Presented by Vice President Dr. Malinda Matney)
Holly Tetreault Alpha Chapter at Oklahoma State University (Presented by Vice President Adam Cantley)
Eric Gilliam Alpha Beta Chapter at Butler University (Presented by Vice President Dr. Malinda Matney)
Karen Norton from the Theta Phi Chapter at Henderson State University (Presented by Vice President Adam Cantley)
Daniel Villanueva Alpha Omicron Chapter at Texas Tech University

Michelle Wedster from the Eta Delta Chapter at Eastern Illinois University (Presented by Vice President Dr. Malinda Matney)
Kate Cummings from the Delta Omicron Chapter at the University of Connecticut (Presented by Vice President Adam Cantley)
Ed Savoy from the Eta Alpha Chapter at Lock Haven University (Presented by Vice President Adam Cantley)
Clinton Wieden from the Alpha Chapter at Oklahoma State University
Tesia Hartsog from the Omicron Chapter at West Virginia University

Recipient of the A. Frank Martin Award
Marie Burleigh

The award winners at the Banquet Friday night.

To the recipient of the Delegate Distance Award:
Christie Hoffman, Active, Gamma

To the recipient of the Chapter Distance Award:
Psi, UCLA – 27665 miles

To the recipient of the Chapter Participation Award:
Zeta Psi, Virginia State University – 50%

The newest Honorary members of the National Chapter:
Kathy Godwin
Jake Burk
Meredith Brazzell

Candidates running for National Office:
Dr. Malinda Mattney
Derrick Mills
Adam Cantley
Dr. Mark Phillips
Jason Kellison
Jason Morris
Melanie Muldrow
Michael Golemo
Michael Osborn

Honored Guests:
Dr. William Gora
Dr. David Mills, Outstanding Sponsor, Delta Omicron, University of Connecticut
Paula Crider
Andrea Strauss

We resolve to thank the following individuals by name for their support and dedication to our Fraternity this week:
• Life Members in attendance.
• Student Keynote Speaker, Theodis Chunn.
• All workshop presenters.
• We would like to thank Dr. Lori Ebert for her very energetic and informative presentation on making Kappa Kappa Psi and Tau Beta Sigma Great.
• We would like to thank Tim Lautzenheiser for his animated workshop on leadership.
• To the Wyndham Orlando Resort Staff for providing exceptional service to us during our convention this week.
• And to each of you, the Brothers of Kappa Kappa Psi for taking the time to attend and participate in your National Convention. Thank you for making a commitment to serve your band program and to always “Strive for the Highest.”

It was the opinion of the Credentials and Resolutions Committee that its duties did not need a full committee to fulfill. This is due to the advancement of technology and information storage and also to the fact that the protocol for Resolutions is outlined in Roberts Rules of Order and can be dealt with in the appropriate committees. It was recommended that the Jurisdiction strike this committee from the National Constitution and add the reporting of the Credentials to a National Officer as specified in the Jurisdiction Report.

Respectfully Submitted,
Neil Jansen, Iota Pi

Appendix 20
FINAL REPORT OF THE STRATEGIC COMMITTEE ON PUBLICATIONS
By Tesla Hartsog, Omicron chapter, West Virginia University

The Strategic Committee on Publications was asked to answer the following charges:
1. Evaluate the current Membership resources CD and determine a timeline for a new CD if necessary.
2. Discuss effectiveness of NewsNotes online.
3. Discuss and make recommendations of the e-mail system.
4. Evaluate the District Leader.
5. Evaluate kkpsi.org and make recommendations.

Before coming to convention I started asking brothers from my chapter and brothers from one of our little brother chapters if they used the current Membership Resources CD. After talking with Deb Eakins, one of the committee’s advisors, I decided to give each of the delegates a short survey. This helped our committee find out that of the delegates surveyed, a majority of them did not use the Membership CD mostly because they did not find anything useful in it and/or the material on it was also available on the website and easier to access.

In order to get more use out of the CD the publications committee would like to change the CD to only contain a recruitment video geared towards colonization and potential new members and a history video. The publications recommended the history video to the history and traditions committee so they might decide on particular content and a potential deadline. We would like the national council to compile and edit a new recruitment video by this time next year. We also recommend that instead of sending one CD to every new member, that one CD would go to each chapter.

In discussing NewsNotes and the District Leader the committee agreed that both publications were important, but recommend that each issue be sent to each district listserve as well as the national listserve. We thought this was necessary since some brothers only belong to their district listserve and might not receive it if it was only on the national listserve. We also discussed the Virtual Continuing Membership publication and recommend that the next Vice President of Colonization and Membership continue and expand upon it and continue publishing a variety of material. The committee would also like to congratulate Dr. Matney for working so hard to make such a useful publication.

In regards to the e-mail system, we recommend that it be updated with more user-friendly applications such as folders for organizing e-mails and a new spam filter put into place.

This committee charges the joint national councils to update the Podium website on kkytbs.org to provide a link to the current issue and contain the online archives once created. To make this archive possible we ask all the chapters to find all of their old Podiums since nationals has only a few or one copy of some Podiums which will make it hard to scan them. We also charge the joint councils to make a more prominent link to the e-mail address for submissions to the Podium.

In regards to the kkytbs.org website we would like to see the joint council to take extra steps to making sure that dates of events and information on the separate and joint websites are all the same. We also charge the joint councils to have joint information merged to the kkytbs.org website.

Several brothers and sisters voiced concerns about having problems loading the websites because of the flash application. This committee charges the managers of the three website to allow greater access to the websites by ensuring that a version is available to users who are not able to download plugins. We also charge the website managers to ensure that the websites are functioning correctly and to improve their usability.

Looking at our own kkpsi.org website we had a lot of discussion about the set-up. We thought there needed to be more organization to the website with a standardized navigation system. We also recommend the chapter directory be updated to include a more visual option as well as a text search such as maps to show chapters’ location. We would also like to see a calendar of events added to the website that chapters can submit their events to. This calendar would hold dates for chapter rituals, workshops, chapter fundraisers, and so on. There was also a recommendation to have more forms available for chapters to submit electronically and/or have more forms available to fill out online. With these two options we thought it would make the forms easier to submit which would be another incentive for chapters to turn their paperwork in, but also make the forms typed instead of in handwriting so they would be easier to read. This committee wanted to see more merchandise for sale on the website, and we recommend that the council look into providing links to chapter websites also selling merchan-
dise. We also recommend adding a workshop section to alert brothers of their dates, location and content. This section would also have follow-ups from past workshops as well. And we would also recommend that the pictures on the front page of the website be updated to include new bands and chapters.

I would like to thank all of the brothers who were on the publications committee for their thoughts, concerns and ideas. I would also like to thank our advisors David Scott of the Southwest District and Deb Eakins of the Northeast District. And last but not least I would like to thank the national council for choosing me to head the committee.

Respectfully submitted,

Tesla Hartsog
Omicron chapter, West Virginia University

Appendix 21
FINAL REPORT ON THE COMMITTEE ON PROGRAMS
Emily P. Rogers, Midwest District, Alpha Theta, University of Northern Colorado

The 2007 committee on programs met two times and discussed many aspects of our four charges. The following were the charges to the committee (the discussions are included below):

1.) Evaluate the Summer Leadership Symposium.
   a. Discussion: The committee raised concerns such as why there were only two Leadership Symposia and what kind of criteria were taken into consideration when selecting a site. Upon the request of the committee, Dr. Kirk Randazzo (one of the coordinators of the Leadership Symposium) attended the programs committee meeting to address the concerns of the committee. Dr. Randazzo assured the committee that every effort was being made to ensure the most cost effective hotel is selected in order to keep costs down for students attending the Symposia. When asked why there were only two, Dr. Randazzo informed the committee that due to lack of interest at the second Symposia, a third was not currently economically advisable. Dr. Randazzo assured the committee that if a solid commitment was made, a third Symposia would be feasible.
   b. Recommendations:
      i. It is recommended that the National Council continue providing this resource to students due to the positive response from students that attended.
      ii. We also recommend that an official Survey/Evaluation for future Symposia be developed. This will track the success of the program and enable future programs committees to provide a more accurate evaluation.
      iii. Members of the committee would strongly recommend that the VPP consider all regional areas when planning the location for future symposia.

2.) Determine the future of the Service Showcase.
   a. Discussion: This program was discussed at great length. The committee decided that a deadline to determine the final outcome of the program needed to be set. While several different actions have been taken in order to assure the success of this program, a few more efforts need to be made before the program is discontinued. The committee decided that while the old purpose of this program was to showcase Kappa Kappa Psi service projects to people outside of the organization (i.e. band directors, music associations, potential colonies, and high school bands). While this is an admirable idea, the committee felt that this program needed to be directed more inside of the organization (i.e. a resource for chapters across the nation to use in order to develop new service projects.)
   b. Recommendations:
      i. The committee recommends removal of any reference the Service Showcase as an award. The committee feels that adding competition to this award may demean some of the work done at the chapter level.
      ii. The committee charges the district councils to be more proactive about the program.
      iii. The committee charges district councils to set official deadlines for applications to members of their district.
      iv. We charge the VPP to set criteria for this program and to create a document which clarifies the purpose of this program. We then recommend that the top projects in the nation are presented to the National Chapter at National Convention.

3.) Evaluate the web site.
   a. Discussion: After discussing the status of many of the national awards with Derrick Mills, VPP, the committee determined that national awards are actively being applied for. The response from the members of our organization lead the committee to believe that there are no changes necessary at this point in time.

4.) Discuss the status of each award and the related participation.
   a. Discussion: After discussing the status of many of the national awards with Derrick Mills, VPP, the committee determined that national awards are actively being applied for. The response from the members of our organization lead the committee to believe that there are no changes necessary at this point in time.

5.) The Student Advisory Committee requested that the programs committee discuss the future of the STAR recognition program.
   a. Discussion: The committee is in favor of reactivating this award. While the committee approved of the purpose of the award overall, there were several points that we felt needed further examination or discussion.
   b. Recommendations:
      i. We recommend including the historical significance of this award in the Guide to Membership.
      ii. While many members agreed with the current structure of this award, there were several members who did not agree. It is recommended that the VPP examine whether or not it is appropriate to distinguish between brothers and non-brothers when awarding the STAR recognition for brothers and non-brother band members.
I would like to thank everyone on the committee for providing such lively and insightful discussions. I would also like to thank Dr. Kirk Randazzo for attending one of our meetings and answering questions that we might have had. I am confident that the discussions going on during this committee meeting will help to make this year incredibly successful for Kappa Kappa Psi. Thank you to Derrick Mills for advising this committee.

Respectfully submitted,

Committee Chair: Emily P. Rogers, Midwest District
Alpha Theta, University of Northern Colorado

Emily P. Rogers

Appendix 22
FINAL REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON COLONIZATION
By Austin Ambrose, Alpha Chapter President, Serving as Epsilon Zeta Proxy

The Committee on Colonization was given four charges to discuss. Thanks to everyone in the committees’ contributions to the discussions and for the exceptional help of Vice President of Colonization and Membership Malinda Matney, the committee was able to address all charges in an efficient manner.

The Committee on Colonization was charged with the following:
1. Evaluate the colonization website.
2. Evaluate the new fee structure.
3. Determine if appropriate to move from written handbook to website.
4. Evaluate advising chapter development opportunities as proposed by 2005 convention.

The discussions for each charge are as follows:
1. Evaluate the colonization website.
   The committee discussed everything that was on the colonization website and was given a briefing from Dr. Matney on what all advising chapters see and what the colony can see. The committee offers the following recommendations.
   1. Allow advising chapters to be able to see reports of the colony
   2. Allow the advising chapter to see what the colony has to do and have the colony be able to see what the advising chapter has to do.
   Justification for these recommendations is that both the colony and the advising chapter need to hold each other accountable for what the other is doing and by letting each side see what the other has to do before a certain time, it allows better communication and efficiency to get things done.

2. Evaluate the new fee structure.
   Before the committee discussed the new fee structure, we discussed the old fee structure. Before this last biennium, colonies had to pay $150 to begin the process and members had to pay a $75 fee up front. The new fee structure has colonies still paying $150 but then has members paying $15 at the beginning of the process and then $60 at the end. The committee decided the new fee structure was efficient. The old system was seen as a struggle for new colonies to come up with their fees. The new structure allows colonies to start their fundraising programs to see how effective they are. The committee would also like to recommend the National Vice President for Colonization and Membership investigate the idea of raising colonization fees in the future to make up some of our operating costs to start up a colony.

3. Determine if appropriate to move from written handbook to website.
   The committee discussed the idea of moving all documents of the colonization process to the website. The committee felt the President of the Colony, the Advising Chapter Liaison, and the Colony Advisor Sponsor should still receive hard bound copies of the handbook. The committee recommends that a Membership Resources CD be included with each packet that includes everything but ritual information and that also includes sample documents such as Membership Education programs, Constitutions and Petitioning Documents from other chapters to provide ideas for colonies.

4. Evaluate advising chapter development opportunities as proposed by 2005 convention.
   The committee discussed this charge as to what could be done to develop opportunities for potential advising chapters. The committee recommends that each district have an advising chapter workshop at a district wide gathering so that those chapters interested in becoming an advising chapter could start that process. District Presidents could bring a previous advising chapter or another person equally experienced with the colonization process to come in and speak to the workshop on everything chapters need to know to serve as an advising chapter.

The 2007 Committee on Colonization leaves the following charges:
1. The 2009 National Convention Committee on Colonization is charged with:
   • Evaluating the colonization website as technology changes and to make any improvements as seen fit.
   • Evaluate the current fee structure and make recommendations for improvement as deemed necessary.
   • Review advising chapter handbook as created by the Vice
President for Colonization and Membership.

2. The District Presidents are charged to create an advising chapter workshop at a district event. This committee recommends having said workshop at upcoming district conventions.

3. The 2009 National Convention is charged to make a decision regarding the fee structure for colonization.

4. The National Vice President for Colonization and Membership is charged with the following:
   • To make changes to the colonization website to allow both the advising chapter and the colony to see what each other is doing
   • To create an advising chapter handbook to be reviewed by the 2009 Committee on Colonization.

I would like to thank all of the members of our fraternity that served on this committee. Chairing this committee was an unbelievable experience and I’m honored to have been able to work with such an amazing group of brothers. I would also like to thank Dr. Malinda Matney for her guidance, inspiring thoughts and her encouragement throughout the entire process.

Fraternally submitted,
Austin Ambrose, Chair
Alpha Chapter President, Oklahoma State University
Serving as Epsilon Zeta Proxy

Committee Delegate Members:
S. Fike, Nu
N. Shafer, Xi
D. Momodu, Alpha Tau proxy
D. Harris, Alpha Psi
S. Hubbs, Epsilon Iota
M. Parent, Epsilon Nu
Z. Corpus, Epsilon Pi
K. Gyhra, Zeta Epsilon
S. Smith, Zeta Phi
A. Goplen, Eta Upsilon proxy
C. Gibson, Iota Gamma proxy
N. Bellmyer, Lambda Iota proxy
L. Ramos, Lambda Mu

Dr. Malinda Matney, National Vice President for Colonization and Membership

Appendix 23
FINAL REPORT ON THE COMMITTEE ON HISTORY AND TRADITIONS
Charles W. Cattrell, Zeta Lambda, Marshall University

The Committee on History and Traditions of the 2007 National Convention of Kappa Kappa Psi has met to address the following charges:

1. Determine and evaluate expenditures on the archives.
2. Evaluate and make recommendations on the current status of the Caboose project.
3. Develop interview questions and record interviews with the NIB composer and conductor.
4. Evaluate the budget framework that was developed by the History and Archives team and presented to the National Council in 2006. Revise to reflect the current Caboose project with the National Council determining the budget framework with input from the History and Archives team.

Of the four charges listed, the committee addressed numbers 2 and 3.

Due to time constraints involved with the scheduled committee meeting times and the availability of the NIB composer and conductor, the committee chairperson used the Composer and Conductor Forum on Wednesday morning as a means to interview the two guests.

It is the recommendation of the 2007 Committee that the 2009 Committee once again use the Composer and Conductor Forum as a means to interview our convention guests. The committee came up with a list of questions to supplement those that were developed by the 2003 Committee. The committee also recommends that audio/visual equipment be made available to record these interviews.

The following are suggested interview questions, generated by members of this committee in 2003 and 2007:

**NIB Composer**
1. What was your inspiration for writing the piece?
2. Why did you choose the style of your piece?
3. Describe the experience of your world premiere.
4. What is your favorite genre to compose for and why?
5. Which of your pieces are you most proud of and why?

**NIB Conductor**
1. What is your favorite genre of music to conduct and why?

**NIB Composer and Conductor**
1. What are your thoughts on the National Convention and the National Intercollegiate Band?
2. What did you know about the NIB and Kappa Kappa Psi/Tau Beta Sigma prior to this experience?
3. What was it like to work with the NIB?
4. Based on your experience, what is your opinion on our commissioning program and what are its strengths, weaknesses, and benefits?
5. Who influenced you the most in your life and career?
6. What is your career/family/fraternal/educational history?

The committee also reviewed the Archives and History Report, prepared by Mr. Scott Stowell and Mr. Ken Corbett. As one of the committee’s advisors, Scott Stowell was on hand to present the report, and to take questions and suggestions from the committee. Chapters are encouraged to contribute information to the history and archives project by reviewing older documents and submitting a copy of important information to National Headquarters.
As a part of this discussion, the committee talked about different aspects of the 2019 National Convention that it would like to see implemented, in honor of our Fraternity’s 100th Anniversary. Included in this discussion was the committee’s desire to see a second time capsule created, displays about our founding chapters, and a tour guide with information about attractions in Stillwater, related to the history of our Fraternity.

Finally, the committee listened to an update on the Caboose project at National Headquarters from Lt. Col. Alan Bonner, Kappa Kappa Psi and Tau Beta Sigma National Executive Director, and Mr. Derrick Mills, National Vice-President for Programs for Kappa Kappa Psi. The committee asked questions of the gentlemen and is very excited about the progress that has been made thus far, and where the project will be going in the near future. The committee strongly suggests that interested parties – Active Members, Alumni, and Chapters – contribute to this worthwhile project as they see fit.

As chairperson of this committee, I would like to thank its members for their hard work and input. I would also like Mr. Jason Morris, Sponsor of the Iota Lambda Chapter, for advising this committee, Mr. Scott Stowell, Board of Trustees Member, for advising this committee and presenting the History and Archives Report, and Lt. Col. Alan Bonner and Mr. Derrick Mills for sharing information with this committee about the Caboose project.

Respectfully Submitted,

Charles W. Cattrell
Zeta Lambda Chapter
Marshall University

Committee Members

Zac Humphrey – Beta Omicron
Joe Panzer – Alpha (Proxy for Gamma Zeta)
Chad Pierce – Gamma Theta
Nancy Rice – Delta Xi
Robin Puzzo – Delta Omicron
Sylvanus Davies – Eta Kappa
Jeff Barbee – Theta Epsilon
Dorien Plutzner – Theta Sigma
Erica Abbey – Iota Delta
Joe Whetstone – Iota Omega
Stacy Harris – Delta Sigma (Proxy for Kappa Phi)
Laura Behm – Kappa Mu (Proxy for Lambda Rho)
Marissa Kenney – Zeta Mu (Proxy for Lambda Phi)

Gallery

Jonathan Brown – Alpha
Eric Snowden – Eta
Brandon Gross – Alpha Omicron
Natasha Fortune – Gamma Nu
Amy Levenson – Gamma Nu

Orin Odom – Epsilon Chi
Seamus Welch – Zeta Chi
Kelsey Fraser – Eta Omicron
Patrick Haggerty – Eta Omicron
Andrew Eastham – Eta Phi
Franklin Nesmith, Jr. – Eta Omega
MaryBeth Pregenzer – Iota Delta
Christy Holland – Iota Omicron
Adam Brover – Iota Pi
Ashley Anderson – Kappa Psi

Appendix 24
FINAL REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON MEMBERSHIP
By Nicholas Annan, Southeast District Vice President, Zeta Chi, University of South Carolina

The membership committee used the meetings this week to discuss the following topics and charges:

Charges:
• Evaluate Leadership Symposia
• Evaluate Fraternity Hazing Education Program
• Determine if a need exists for a discipline policy handbook
• Determine need for a new DVD
• Evaluate the effectiveness of additional CFR
• Evaluate effectiveness of Continuing Education Program
• Consider what would go into a district membership retention program, led by each district’s Vice President

Other Topics:
• Need for a membership status for those who graduate inactive
• How to educate brothers on exemplifying the lessons of ritual daily

Committee Notes

Membership Committee – Session #1
Checked brothers at the door
Intros of Chair & Advisors
Roll Call

Charges
Meeting started at 1:30PM. On July 25, 2007

Charges:
1. Evaluate the Leadership Symposium
   - Adam Cantley gave a summary of what the Leadership Symposium was about, while giving the positive and negative feedback from the students. More people attended the Louisville symposium than the Dallas symposium, but it still worked well. The two locations for 2008 will be in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Members of the committee requested considering a third location, because of the location of the next sites.
   - The Committee on Membership supports the continuation
of the Summer Leadership Symposia
2. Evaluate the Hazing Education Program.
   - As a delegation, we decided that there is no need for a hazing education program, but instead each chapter should be proactive; educating their members and adhering steadfastly to the purposes on which Kappa Kappa Psi was founded.

   **Motion:** Add a statement in the hazing policy that states, “If you feel a hazing situation at your chapter is not being handled efficiently, please contact your district governor.”
   **By Beta. 2nd Lambda Epsilon proxy. Motion passes.**

3. Evaluate the Discipline Policy Handbook
   - The committee believes that it is unnecessary to create a discipline policy handbook.

4. Evaluate the Membership Resources DVD.
   - The committee recognizes the usefulness of the membership resource DVD/CD and recommends the continuous updating of its contents.

5. Evaluate the Continuing Education Program
   - The committee delegation would like to commend Dr. Malinda Matney on her work with the Virtual Continuing Membership Education Program, (VCMEP), and believes this program should continue.
   - The committee also considered the issue of the lack of people on the National and district listservs. Many people are having a hard time getting on the National listserv, preventing them from knowing about the VCMEP.

   **Motion:** The committee charges the incoming VPCM to continue the VCMEP, and improve brother awareness of the program. **by Kappa Rho. 2nd Alpha Omega. Motion passes.**

6. District Membership Retention Program
   - This topic is also in the Ritual and Regalia committee. Suggestion made that District Presidents create graduating senior ritual as a district-wide event that can take place at a district convention.

   **Motion:** The committee charges the District Presidents to create a district-wide graduating senior ceremony/ritual for every district convention. **by Beta Gamma. 2nd Alpha Omega. Motion passes.**

   **Motion:** The committee charges the District Vice Presidents to address the issue of membership retention in any means appropriate. **by Kappa Rho. 2nd Beta. Motion passes.**

   **Notes from Committee Meeting #2**

All delegates were in attendance. The meeting was held in on July 26, 2007 at 8:30 AM.

1. The committee on Publications will be altering the membership resource CD by adding more information on the history of the fraternity, as well as the purposes. In addition to the alteration of the CD, they also plan to send one CD to each chapter, instead of sending them to every member. This will also help cut down the costs of the production of the CD.

2. In discussion as to what occurs when an inactive member graduates or otherwise leaves the university, the description of the “alumni” status came into question. Many of the delegates believe there needs to be more clarification as to what the alumni status actually means.

   **Motion rescinded in third committee meeting**

3. We received a charge from the ritual and regalia committee to consider coming up with a way of making the lessons of the ritual more applicable to life outside the band. We concluded that it was already being covered with the Leadership Symposium. We learned that some chapters actually hold ritual lessons after every degree, whether it was within the membership candidate class, or within the brotherhood.

   **Motion:** The committee charges the incoming VPCM to examining the possibility of adding another status to the membership description by Alpha Omega. 2nd Gamma Omega. Motion carries.

4. Derrick Mills and Phil Rubin came in the meeting to discuss the CFR program. The committee agrees that a dual CFR program is currently in the best interest of the fraternity, but the issue of chapters not being visited by the CFR still comes up. The committee also discussed the cost of the dual CFR program. The committee believes that the 2009 Ways and Means committee should evaluate the cost-effectiveness of the program after a full biennium of having two CFRs.

   **Motion:** The committee charges the VPCM to make sure every chapter is visited each biennium by the two CFRs. **by Beta Gamma. 2nd Beta. Alpha Omega amends to add that the policy on chapter visitations continue to be enforced. Motion passes.**
Notes from Committee Meeting 3

Delegates met during the last schedule committee time to reevaluate a charge after further consideration. The committee rescinded the charge to the incoming national VPCM to evaluate inactive status as it pertains to those who have graduated or otherwise left the university.

Motion: The Committee on Membership recommends that the Alumni Advisory Committee study the inactive and alumni membership categories to determine if additional clarification is needed.

The 2007 Committee on Membership Charges the Following:

Charges to the incoming Vice President for Colonization and Membership
- Continue the VCMEP, and improve brother awareness of the program
- Develop ritual lessons that chapters can use to educate brothers away from the ritual environment
- Continue to enforce the rule stating that every chapter should receive a CFR visit each biennium

Charges to incoming District Presidents
- Create a district-wide graduating senior ceremony/ritual for performance at the district convention

Charges to incoming District Vice Presidents
- Address the issue of membership retention through any means appropriate

Charges to the 2009 Strategic Committee on Membership:
- Evaluate the effectiveness of having two Chapter Field Representatives.
- Evaluate the effectiveness of the current District Retention Program and work on expanding one.

Charges to the 2009 Ways and Means Committee
- Examine the cost-effectiveness of having two Chapter Field Representatives.

Charges to the 2009 Ritual and Regalia Committee
- Formalize and expand the graduating senior ceremony.

The committee would like to thank Adam Cantley, Derrick Mills and Phil Rubin for taking time to discuss some of our charges, Dr. Malinda Matney for her work with the VCMEP, Phil Rubin and Jen Murdock for their work as Chapter Field Representatives.

Many thanks to the delegates assigned to the committee and the Brothers who volunteered for the committee. Thank you to our Advisors, Southeast District Governor Dr. David O’ Shields and Western District Governor, Chris Chapman. Also, thank you to Alexis Barlow of Alpha Omega for recording the minutes, and Lauren Case for chairing during my brief absence.

Fraternally submitted,

Nicholas Annan
Southeast District Vice President
Zeta Chi Chapter President
Committee on Membership Chair

Advisor David O’ Shields, Southeast District Governor
Advisor Chris Chapman, Western District Governor
Morgan Gabbert, Beta Delegate
Cliff Rybick, Epsilon Delegate
Robert Davis, Alpha Delta Delegate
Bethany Godar, Alpha Zeta Delegate – proxy
Lauren Case, Alpha Eta Delegate
Alexis Barlow, Alpha Omega Delegate
Brian Higginbotham, Beta Gamma Delegate
Rich Garinger III, Gamma Omega Delegate – proxy
Emily Holden, Delta Gamma Delegate
Adam Buenschoen, Epsilon Beta Delegate
Reynaldo Gonzalez, Zeta Kappa Delegate – proxy
Geoff Osmen, Zeta Mu Delegate
Kenny Williams, Eta Psi Delegate
Greg Smith, Theta Zeta Delegate
Heather Walker, Iota Iota Delegate – proxy
Krista Behrenberg, Kappa Rho Delegate
Andy Smith, Lambda Epsilon Delegate – proxy
Yvonne Burden, Lambda Omega Delegate

Other Brothers in attendance:
Chelsea Levine, Gamma Nu
Gillian Lawrick, Gamma Nu
Mary Herman, Gamma Nu
Mark Brosche, Gamma Nu
Kellie Gordon, Gamma Nu
Jackie Blinke, Iota Delta, NED Member At Large
Katie Boehne, Lambda Delta, Life Member

Appendix 25

FINAL REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS
Jeremy D. Horner, North Central District President, Alpha Beta, Butler University

Brothers of the National Chapter:

The Committee on Ways and Means has effectively concluded its efforts and charges in preparation for the 2007-2009 biennium. The Committee was given three very important charges for its consideration:

1. Consider the proposed budget, make appropriate adjustments, and forward to the National Chapter.
2. Determine if there is a need for a $3.00 dues increase to
cover the expenditures in the proposed budget.

3. Examine the District Governor Travel allowances and consider an increase.

The committee was also tasked to review the increase in the Life Member fee from $250 to $500 as proposed by the Board of Trustees.

While reviewing the proposed budget, the Committee found it necessary to make the following adjustments so as to reduce expenditures and the $26,480 deficit present in the budget:

- Line item 520 Headquarters Supplies & Expense was decreased from $15,500 to $15,000.
- Line item 551.1 (Archives Project) was decreased from $7500 to $6500.
- Line item 552.2 Diversity in Music was decreased from $2,000 to $1,000.

After considering these and other possible methods of reducing the proposed budget deficit, the Committee discovered that its revision of the proposed budget would still contain nearly a $20,000 deficit.

Based on the adjustments the Committee took the time to evaluate several options to help balance the budget. Ultimately the Committee decided that it would be unwise to increase the Chapter Fee because it did not make a significant reduction in the amount of the deficit and could potentially burden smaller or less financially stable chapters. The Committee did support the use of one-time cash transfers from other funds, including $4,000 from the capital funds and $10,000 from the leadership funds to help fund leadership activities and ease the burden on the budget.

The Committee does, however, recommend an increase in the active membership dues and the initiate dues by $3 each making the total amount for dues $70 and $80 respectively. Increasing the amount would push the proposed budget into a surplus of $3,520 and allow the Fraternity to continue its growth in the amount and variety of programming offered to the membership. The Committee feels that this is the most viable way to ensure a balanced budget for this coming biergium.

While reviewing the budget, the Committee also reviewed the increases in the District Governor Travel Allowances. The Committee chose to support the proposed increase to $5,000 for each district. The Committee would like charge the District Governors to continue traveling as much as possible to make use of these extra funds. In addition, the Committee also charges the National President to encourage the use of the District Officer Travel Funds to help encourage further district officer travel and to ease some of the burden on district budgets.

In addition to the three charges, the Committee was also asked to consider the increase in the Life Member Fee from $250 to $500 as proposed by the Board of Trustees for the National Alumni Program. The Committee felt that the proposal was well researched and that the increase is justified. The topics most discussed by the Committee involved the need to provide more financial growth for the Trust Fund. Further income in the Trust Fund would allow more funds to be used to provide additional support to the National Intercollegiate Band, allowing us to continue bringing talented conductors and composers to work with the ensemble in the future. The Committee also felt that $500 was not an unreasonable sum to ask for Life Membership considering that similar fees in other organizations offering comparable benefits are often in excess of that amount.

For these reasons the Committee recommends the adoption of a $500 Life Membership fee. The Committee also recommends that the increase be implemented on July 1, 2008, to allow this year’s graduating seniors one final opportunity for Life Membership at the $250 rate. Lastly, the Committee recommends that the sum of the Life Membership fee be divided as follows: $100 for the operating budget of the Fraternity and $400 going to the Trust Fund.

I would like to thank Ken Corbett for his experience involving the Fraternity’s budget and his insight as a member of the Board of Trustees. I would also like to thank Danny George, CPA for the professional experience he brought to the committee and for his encouragement throughout the week. Finally, I would like to thank each of the delegates on the committee for their willingness to tackle each of the charges and the openness in which we were able to discuss business.

Respectfully submitted,

Jeremy D. Horner, Chair
President, North Central District

Timothy Curry, Eta (Sigma proxy)
Kyle Mitchell, Alpha Nu
Jeff Bertleff, Beta Psi
Michael Gray, Gamma Kappa
Jarrod Beard, Gamma Phi
Corey Mitchell, Epsilon Chi
Kevin Gadson, Zeta Eta
Brandon Farrar, Zeta Psi
Sean Smith, Theta Alpha
Marcus D. Smith, Iota Zeta
Brittany Maxwell, Iota Lambda
Christopher Stehle, Iota Omicron
Sarah Groteluschen, Kappa Delta
Meredith Feigel, Kappa Eta
Theresa Stafford, Kappa Nu
Ashley Kees, Psi (Lambda Alpha proxy)
Laurin Gross, Lambda Delta
Stephanie Hood, Lambda Pi
Albert Bush, Lambda Sigma

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th></th>
<th></th>
<th></th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>KKPsi Income</td>
<td>KKPsi Projected Income</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>401.0</td>
<td>Charter Fee 2,250.00</td>
<td>2,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>402.0</td>
<td>Chapter Fee 17,175.00</td>
<td>18,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>403.0</td>
<td>Initiate Fee 251,324.75</td>
<td>253,500</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>404.0</td>
<td>Honorary Fee 8,887.00</td>
<td>8,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>405.0</td>
<td>Membership Fee 440,829.36</td>
<td>458,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>407.0</td>
<td>Life Memberships 4,900.00</td>
<td>3,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>408.0</td>
<td>Supply Sales 7,121.00</td>
<td>7,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>409</td>
<td>Jewelry Sales 6,429.00</td>
<td>6,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>410.0</td>
<td>Clothing Royalties 2,805.27</td>
<td>2,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>410.1</td>
<td>Jewelry Royalties 10,946.15</td>
<td>13,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>411.0</td>
<td>Podium Subscriptions 215.00</td>
<td>200</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>412.0</td>
<td>Nat’l Conv. Income 47,515.63</td>
<td>44,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>414.0</td>
<td>Interest 3,695.67</td>
<td>3,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>414.1</td>
<td>Interest Capital Improvement 2,510.19</td>
<td>2,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>416.0</td>
<td>Donations and Contributions 25,884.50</td>
<td>10,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>417.0</td>
<td>Cap. Imprv-Brick 155.00</td>
<td>100</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>417.1</td>
<td>Cap. Imprv-Archives 0.00</td>
<td>100</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>417.2</td>
<td>Cap. Imprv-SOS 1,587.50</td>
<td>1,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>419.0</td>
<td>Interest-Schol/Leadership 3,550.74</td>
<td>3,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4XX</td>
<td>Leadership Symposium Registration Fees 8,000.00</td>
<td>8,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>435</td>
<td>KKPsi Special Projects 100.00</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>440</td>
<td>Joint Disaster Fund 1,301.37</td>
<td>500</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Total Income</strong></td>
<td><strong>847,183.13</strong></td>
<td><strong>842,500</strong></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
## EXPENSES

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>STAFF COMP., BENEFITS, &amp; EXPENSES</th>
<th>KKPsi Expenses</th>
<th>KKPsi Projected Expenses</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td><strong>SUB-TOTAL</strong></td>
<td><strong>255,454.98</strong></td>
<td><strong>281,500</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>TRAVEL</strong></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>507.1 Officer Travel/Expense</td>
<td>47,092.56</td>
<td>48,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>507.2 Board Travel/Expense</td>
<td>18,502.53</td>
<td>16,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>508.0 Executive Director Travel &amp; Expenses</td>
<td>12,685.83</td>
<td>12,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>509.0 CFR Travel &amp; Expense</td>
<td>40,783.33</td>
<td>41,500</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>510.0 District - Gov/Coun/Adv/Trav/Exp</td>
<td>18,964.07</td>
<td>31,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>511.0 District - Officer Travel</td>
<td>690.85</td>
<td>9,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>SUB-TOTAL</strong></td>
<td><strong>138,719.17</strong></td>
<td><strong>157,500.00</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>ADMIN., CONV., &amp; PROGRAM EXPENSES</strong></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>512.0 Auditing &amp; Accounting</td>
<td>10,480.00</td>
<td>11,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>513.0 Public Relations</td>
<td>14,678.39</td>
<td>12,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>514.0 Legal Services</td>
<td>263.80</td>
<td>1,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>515.0 Business &amp; Liability Insurance</td>
<td>48,172.56</td>
<td>54,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>516.0 VISA &amp; Mastercard Fee</td>
<td>1,537.77</td>
<td>1,300</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>517.0 Telephone</td>
<td>6,195.34</td>
<td>7,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>518.0 Postage</td>
<td>20,592.55</td>
<td>18,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>519.1 Interest Expense</td>
<td>1,070.49</td>
<td>1,680</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>520.0 Headquarters Supplies &amp; Expense</td>
<td>14,951.56</td>
<td>15,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>521.0 Headquarter Purchases</td>
<td>31,848.59</td>
<td>10,500</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>521.1 Duck Street Purchases</td>
<td>0.00</td>
<td>500</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>521.2 Duck Street Property Tax</td>
<td>812.57</td>
<td>850</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>522.0 Office Equipment Maintenance</td>
<td>4,321.00</td>
<td>5,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>522.1 Computer Services</td>
<td>16,777.43</td>
<td>21,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>523.0 Headquarters - Utilities</td>
<td>12,002.44</td>
<td>12,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>524.0 Headquarters - Maintenance</td>
<td>6,270.27</td>
<td>7,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>524.1 Caboose Maintenance</td>
<td>0.00</td>
<td>3,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>525.0 Duck Street - Utilities</td>
<td>2,800</td>
<td>5,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>526.0 Duck Street - Maintenance</td>
<td>4,569.12</td>
<td>3,500</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>527.0 Chapter Supplies &amp; Expenses</td>
<td>10,388.20</td>
<td>10,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>528.0 Supplies for Resale</td>
<td>2,366.21</td>
<td>2,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>529.0 Trophies &amp; Awards</td>
<td>3,307.63</td>
<td>3,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>530.0 Jewelry Purchases</td>
<td>7,133.52</td>
<td>6,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>531.0 Jewelry Giveaway</td>
<td>18,835.56</td>
<td>15,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>533.0 Association Dues</td>
<td>1,292.50</td>
<td>1,300</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>534.0 District Officer Leadership Conf.</td>
<td>9,680.26</td>
<td>10,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>535.0 District Allotment Expense</td>
<td>26,647.00</td>
<td>26,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>536.0 Strategic Planning</td>
<td>6,475.82</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>536.1 Training</td>
<td>199.50</td>
<td>500.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>539.0 Staff Search Expenses</td>
<td>3,129.28</td>
<td>4,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>543.0 PODIUM Expense</td>
<td>21,189.72</td>
<td>22,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>545.0 Bank Service Charges</td>
<td>-70.86</td>
<td>100</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>547.0 Donation Expenses</td>
<td>500.00</td>
<td>1,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>SUB-TOTAL</strong></td>
<td><strong>847,183.13</strong></td>
<td><strong>842,500</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>--------------------</td>
<td>-----------------------------</td>
<td>-------------------</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>KKPsi Expenses</td>
<td>KKPsi Projected Expenses</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>CONVENTION EXPENSES</strong></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>541.3 National Convention Exp. - 2005</td>
<td>79,766.04</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>541.4 National Convention Exp. - 2007</td>
<td>418.21</td>
<td>80,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>541.5 National Convention Exp. - 2009</td>
<td>864.13</td>
<td>2,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>541.6 National Convention Exp. - 2011</td>
<td>0.00</td>
<td>2,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>SUB-TOTAL</strong></td>
<td><strong>81,048.38</strong></td>
<td><strong>84,000.00</strong></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th><strong>SPECIAL PROGRAMS</strong></th>
<th></th>
<th></th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>551 Capital Improvement Project Expenses</td>
<td>0.00</td>
<td>0.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>551.0 Bricks</td>
<td>4,040.76</td>
<td>6,500.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>551.1 Archive Project</td>
<td>1,500.00</td>
<td>2,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>551.2 Matching Grant</td>
<td>-400.00</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>551.5 Service Showcase</td>
<td>8,339.63</td>
<td>0.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>552.0 Leadership Development Expense</td>
<td>17,973.49</td>
<td>19,000.00</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>552.1 Leadership Symposium Expense</td>
<td>0.00</td>
<td>1,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>553.0 Scholarship Expense</td>
<td>1,450.00</td>
<td>2,000</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>SUB-TOTAL</strong></td>
<td><strong>31,413.88</strong></td>
<td><strong>30,750.00</strong></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th><strong>OTHER MISC. EXPENSES</strong></th>
<th></th>
<th></th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td><strong>Total Operating Expenses</strong></td>
<td><strong>818,655.75</strong></td>
<td><strong>852,980.00</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Income vs. Expenses</td>
<td>28,527.38</td>
<td>(10,480)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Use of 107 Capital Improvement Fund Cash</td>
<td>4,000</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Use of 104.2 Leadership Funds Cash</td>
<td>10,000</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Net Income (Loss)</strong></td>
<td><strong>3,520</strong></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Appendix 26

REPORT OF THE JURISDICTION COMMITTEE
By: Lance Coochyouma, Western District President, Omega Chapter, University of Arizona

Brothers of the National Chapter:

The 2007 National Committee on Jurisdiction gathered to begin our business on Wednesday, and completed all business and discussion on Friday. In all, the Committee met for 4 hours and 45 minutes and was able to hold discussions based on charges given, recommendations given, and business derived from the committee delegates. While Jurisdiction and the act of completing jurisdictional changes and discussion can be tedious and often “not fun”, the entire Committee pulled together to add a sense of energy and made it “fun”. We also had the opportunity to work jointly with the Tau Beta Sigma Jurisdiction Committee to work on unifying language in both National Constitutions. Discussion on all of our topics was run with a sense of time consciousness, sincere attitude toward what is best for the Fraternity as a whole, and keeping our outcome and goals close to mind.

The Committee was charged with and discussed the following discussion points:

1. Review the Recognition of the NAA as the Official Alumni Organization.
2. Evaluate Alumni Status to remove the perception of “entitled” to active activities.
3. Evaluate a Clarification of Conditional Status.
4. Review and Consider Striking the Credentials and Resolutions Committee from the list of Standing Committee’s, and assign the task to a National Office.
5. Review Proposal to amend in regards to the deadline for the submission of proxy paperwork for National Convention Proxies and Proxy seating clarification.

The Committee then met, discussed, and wrote recommendations as a whole. After much deliberation and discussion, the National Committee on Jurisdiction recommends the following changes to the Kappa Kappa Psi National Constitution:

*** All language to be stricken will be highlighted and all language changes will be in italics***

In regards to reviewing and recognizing the NAA as the Official Alumni Organization, we recommend the following:

1. Strike “(5) National Alumni Association of Kappa Kappa Psi Fraternity and Tau Beta Sigma Sorority”.

1.102 For the purpose of administration, the Fraternity shall be divided into the following component parts: (1) Corporation; (2) National Chapter; (3) Districts; (4) Chapters; (5) National Alumni Association of Kappa Kappa Psi Fraternity and Tau Beta Sigma Sorority.

2. Strike all of 1.105

1.105 Kappa Kappa Psi recognizes that the National Alumni Association of Kappa Kappa Psi Fraternity and Tau Beta Sigma Sorority is a separate entity within the Corporation responsible for all National Alumni Association activities.

3. Strike “The National Vice President for Programs shall be responsible for the coordination of alumni and alumni relations”

3.207 The National Vice President for Programs shall promote and publicize the national programs of the Fraternity to the membership and the outside community. The National Vice President for Programs shall be responsible for the coordination of alumni and alumni relations. The National Vice President for Programs shall take minutes at National Conventions and National Council meetings, and publish them as needed.

4. Strike “NAA Directors”

3.403A one hundred twenty (120) day written notice prior to the dates of all regular conventions and sixty (60) days before special conventions shall be given all National Officers, District Presidents, NAA Directors, and Chapters by the National Executive Director. Written notice will include a preliminary agenda and all available and pertinent information concerning the issues to be considered at the convention of the National Chapter. Following the January meeting of the National Council, the National Vice President for Student Affairs shall prepare an article for national publication providing available and pertinent information on issues which will be presented to a regular convention and any recommendations of the National Council relating thereto. Similar information shall be included in the April issue of NEWS NOTES. Thirty (30) days prior to any convention the National President shall send to each known delegate a letter updating and detailing the issues which will be presented to the convention and any recommendations of the National Council pertinent thereto.

5. Strike “and the NAA Directors representing the District”

5.307 The District Secretary-Treasurer shall record, publish and distribute to all chapters in the District, the District Governor(s), all members of the National Council, and the NAA Directors representing the District the minutes of all meetings of the District and shall, as necessary, control the receipt and disbursement of all monies of the District.

6. Strike “the NAA Directors representing the District”

5.503 A sixty (60) day written notice prior to the date of all regular District Conventions and thirty (30) days for all special District Conventions shall be given to all National Officers, District Officers, the NAA Directors representing the District; and chapters in the District by the District Secretary-Treasurer or, in his/her absence, a person appointed by the District President.
7. Strike “Alumni Secretary” and rename to “Alumni Relations Officer”

6.201 The officers of a chapter shall be: Sponsor/Advisor (ex officio), President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Historian, Alumni Secretary Alumni Relations Officer and other officers as needed.

8. Strike “Alumni Secretary” and rename to “Alumni Relations Officer”

6.212 The Alumni Secretary Alumni Relations Officer shall collect permanent address information and dispense Life Membership applications to all brothers graduating or leaving the college or university, and to supply this information to the National Headquarters. The Alumni Secretary Alumni Relations Officer shall work with and promote alumni activities.

In regards to Evaluating Alumni Status to remove the perception of “entitled” to active activities, we recommend the following:

1. Strike “Any alumni member shall have all privileges of an active or associate member, except those of voting and introducing business.”

6.514 Alumni members of the Fraternity shall be those Active, Associate or Conditional members of the Fraternity who have completed their education or who have terminated their affiliation with their college or university. Any alumni member shall have all privileges of an active or associate member, except those of voting and introducing business. In the event an alumni member wishes to reactivate with the respective chapter, said alumni must be registered as a student, be an active member of the institution’s band, and meet requirements as an active or associate member of the local chapter.

2. Create a new 6.515 to read:

Alumni members have privileges that are at the discretion of the local Chapter. These privileges include but are not limited to: attending Chapter meetings, participating in Ritual, participating in Chapter fundraisers, and attending Chapter social functions. Alumni members shall not, at the Chapter or District level, hold office, propose candidates for membership, introduce business, vote on any matters, or act in the capacity of a big brother.

In regards to Evaluating a Clarification of Conditional Status recommend the following:

1. The Committee felt that the explanation of the Conditional Status was clear and needed no corrections or clarification. No recommendations are given.

In regards to Reviewing and Considering to Strike the Credentials and Resolutions Committee from the list of Standing Committee’s, and assign the task to a National Office, the Committee recommends the following:

1. Strike “Committee on Credentials and Resolutions”

3.701 The Standing Committees of the National Chapter shall be: Committee on Jurisdiction; Committee on Ways and Means; Committee on Colonization and Membership; Committee on Programs; Committee on Credentials and Resolutions; Committee on History and Traditions; Committee on Nominations; Committee on Ritual and Regalia; Committee on Publications; and National Student Advisory Committee. Such other committees, as may be considered necessary, may be appointed by the National Council, or National President.

2. Strike all of 3.707:

3.207 The National Vice President for Programs shall promote and publicize the national programs of the Fraternity to the membership and the outside community. The National Vice President for Programs shall submit a report of the credentials, compiled by National Headquarters, to the National Chapter. The National Vice President for Programs shall take minutes at National Conventions and National Council meetings, and publish them as needed.

In regards to Reviewing the Proposal to amend the deadline for the submission of proxy paperwork for National Convention Proxies and proxy seating clarification, the Committee recommends:

1. Remove “The written proxy may be submitted at any time prior to the opening session of the Convention”

3.605 An active chapter may submit a written proxy, designating any other chapter to represent it to the National Convention. The written proxy may be submitted at any time prior to the opening session of the Convention. The chapter issuing the proxy and the chapter designated as the proxy holder must be active with the National Headquarters. Written confirmation of the acceptance of a proxy must be made prior to the opening session of the Convention. All proxies not meeting the above requirements are void. The National Headquarters shall notify the proxy-issuing chapter as soon as possible. All seats of active chapters with the National Headquarters that are vacant, after seating of delegates and written proxies, shall be filled alphabetically with proxies from the chapters present and voting. No chapter shall hold more than two (2) proxies (i.e., shall hold more than three [3] voting seats). Should official chapter del-
egates appear following the seating of the proxies, the chapter’s proxy shall cede the seat to the official chapter delegate.

2. Add new language.

3.605 An active chapter may submit a written proxy, designating any other chapter to represent it to the National Convention. The written proxy may be submitted at any time prior to the opening session of the Convention. The written proxy must be postmarked no later than two (2) weeks prior to the opening session of the National Convention. The chapter issuing the proxy and the chapter designated as the proxy holder must be active with the National Headquarters. Written confirmation of the acceptance of a proxy must be made prior to the opening session of the Convention. All proxies not meeting the above requirements are void. The National Headquarters shall notify the proxy-issuing chapter as soon as possible. All seats of active chapters with the National Headquarters that are vacant, after seating of delegates and written proxies, shall be filled alphabetically with proxies from the chapters present and voting. No chapter shall hold more than two (2) proxies (i.e., shall hold more than three [3] voting seats). Should official chapter delegates appear following the seating of the proxies, the chapter’s proxy shall cede the seat to the official chapter delegate.

3. Add new language.

3.605 An active chapter may submit a written proxy, designating any other chapter to represent it to the National Convention. The written proxy must be postmarked no later than two (2) weeks prior to the opening session of the National Convention. The chapter issuing the proxy and the chapter designated as the proxy holder must be active with the National Headquarters. Written confirmation of the acceptance of a proxy must be made prior to the opening session of the Convention. All proxies not meeting the above requirements are void. The National Headquarters shall notify the proxy-issuing chapter as soon as possible. All seats of active chapters with the National Headquarters that are vacant, after seating of delegates and written proxies, shall be filled alphabetically with proxies from the chapters present and voting. No chapter shall hold more than two (2) proxies (i.e., shall hold more than three [3] voting seats). Should official chapter delegates appear following the seating of the proxies, the chapter’s proxy shall cede the seat to the official chapter delegate.

The National Committee on Jurisdiction would also like to charge the 2009 National Committee on Jurisdiction to Review the Report Submission Process and possibly make it line-up with current practice and technological advancement.

I would like to give a special thank you to Beth Wenger from Kent State, sitting proxy for Zeta Omicron, for taking minutes and keeping track of the verbiage discussions that the Committee had and ensuring that we were keeping updated on all decisions.

I would like to thank Dr. Melanie Muldrow and Mr. Ed Savoy for being such great Advisors and giving input and advice when needed. They were able to shine light on certain situations that helped to guide our discussion, and served as a great resource in regards to past practice.

I would also like to thank Ken Corbett, Member of the Board of Trustees, and Marie Burleigh, NED Governor, for answering questions that the Committee had and for providing information needed to make solid recommendations.

Lastly, I would like to thank President Chesnutt for allowing me the opportunity to serve the Fraternity in this capacity, the National Council for guidance and amazing leadership this past biennium, the National Chapter as a whole for keeping our Fraternity growing and serving our bands, the Western District for setting the standard and keeping the spirit alive, and the Omega Chapter for the support and opportunity to continue to love and serve our Brotherhood.

Respectfully Submitted,

Lance Coochyouma
Western District President
Omega Chapter – The University of Arizona
Kappa Kappa Psi

National Committee on Jurisdiction Delegates:

T. Kalgreen  Eta
J. Johns  Iota
S. Myers  Upsilon (Proxy for Kappa Omega)
E. Lee  Psi
S. Young  Alpha Theta
S. Lamb  Alpha Iota (Proxy for Eta Zeta)
S. Lee  Beta Alpha
C. Giddings  Beta Delta
B. Wenger  Beta Psi (Proxy for Zeta Omicron)
J. Garcia  Epsilon Delta
L. Allison  Epsilon Phi
K. Joyner  Zeta Sigma
A. Hamrick  Eta Omicron (Proxy for Beta Chi)
R. Pippin  Eta Rho
A. Harmon  Theta Phi
J. Detlefsen  Iota Alpha
J. Piazza  Iota Upsilon
B. Hawkins  Kappa Psi
JM Russell  Lambda Beta
Z. Cantazara  Mu Beta
Appendix 27
FINAL REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RITUAL AND REGALIA
Jessica McAlarney, Northeast District President, Eta Alpha, Lock Haven University

***This committee report is available to initiated members of Kappa Kappa Psi only by contacting National Headquarters at 1-800-543-6505.***

Appendix 28
2007 FINAL REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CHAPTER LEADERSHIP
Michael K. Osborn, Immediate Past National President, Zeta Epsilon, Michigan State University

The Committee on Chapter Leadership was charged with the task of selecting the recipient of the William A. Scorggs Founder’s Trophy, designating the most outstanding Kappa Kappa Psi Chapter of the 2005-2007 biennium. This is an exciting task however it obviously comes with a great deal of work and responsibility to determine the “best of the best” from a fine collection of chapters coming from such a diverse set of locations, sizes, band programs and situations.

The following Chapters were recipients of the Chapter Leadership Award for the 2005-2007 biennium:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Chapter</th>
<th>University</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Alpha</td>
<td>Oklahoma State University</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Nu</td>
<td>University of Michigan</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Pi</td>
<td>Auburn University</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Omicron</td>
<td>West Virginia University</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Alpha Beta</td>
<td>Butler University</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Alpha Omega</td>
<td>University of Pittsburgh</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Zeta Chi</td>
<td>University of South Carolina</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Theta Zeta</td>
<td>Ashland University</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Theta Phi</td>
<td>Henderson State University</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Iota Pi</td>
<td>California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Kappa Mu</td>
<td>University of Georgia</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Each of these chapters are to be commended for the fine quality of work they have accomplished over the past two years. This list is made up of several “first time” recipients who are to be further commended on reaching this new level of recognition, also some of these chapters are frequent members of this select group and should be recognized for continuing to consistently represent the best of Kappa Kappa Psi over a long period of time.

In an effort to determine the “Top Chapter” the committee listened to presentations from each of the 11 chapters. These presentations were set in 20 minute time blocks with 10-15 minutes being used for a presentation and the remaining time used for question and answer from the committee. Thank you to each chapter for their work on their presentations and their success in showing the committee, through content, what makes their particular chapter different, and successful. The committee also reviewed materials submitted by the individuals chapters as well as observed chapter poster displays at the “Interactive Psi” session on Wednesday morning.

While the deliberations were extremely difficult the committee feels very strongly that the Zeta Chi Chapter that was announced last night as our Top Chapter represents the ideals of the Fraternity in an outstanding way. This is truly an honor, as is receiving the Chapter Leadership Award, as Kappa Kappa Psi sets the bar very high nationally with a large number of chapters achieving at an outstanding level. This is a testament to the hard work that all of our members do across the National Chapter to support our bands and our Fraternity.

The committee recommends the following to the National Council and future committees on Chapter Leadership:

- The committee truly appreciated and enjoyed the “interactive Psi” session and recommends that it be continued in future conventions, we suggest that more guidance is provided to Chapter Leadership Award recipients so their posters can serve as an even greater resource for the committee and the Brothers of the National Chapter.
- That the packet of the recipient of the Founder’s Trophy, or as many chapter leadership recipients as possible) be made available on line as a resource for chapters as well as a template for future Chapter Leadership recipients to use for future conventions.
- That the materials sent to the Chapter Leadership Recipients be clearer in regards to the number of packets needed for the use of the committee. As well the committee asks that the materials also makes clear what a/v equipment will be available in the committee meeting room to assist chapters with their pre-convention planning.

Respectfully Submitted,

Michael K. Osborn, Chair, Immediate Past National President
Denali Alt, MWD Gov.
Raina Regan, Zeta Epsilon
Jack Lee, Delta Sigma
Amanda “Sky” Harris, Eta Phi
Justin Moore, Iota Zeta
James Llamas, Psi

Appendix 29
NATIONAL PRESIDENT REPORT AT NATIONAL CONVENTION
Rod M. Chesnutt, National President, Gamma Nu, Florida State University

Brothers of the 2007 National Convention of Kappa Kappa Psi National Honorary Band Service Fraternity, it is my honor and privilege to stand before you at the end of a productive bienni-
This biennium has seen the establishment of the Leadership Symposium, design to enhance that component of personal development. It is hoped that this program will grow into one that is self-sustaining without underwriting from the General Fund.

I must share a few of the unique experiences afforded me during the past biennium. I had the opportunity to go to Syracuse and to Auburn and ‘hang’ with two outstanding chapters, Eta Phi and Pi. While the Auburn trip was initiated by a DSMM presentation, the Syracuse trip was at the invitation of the director of bands. Imagine, a director of bands calling and saying that he is proud of his chapter and wants to share what they are doing, at the bands’ expense. The level of brotherhood at those places and at district conventions, and this week remind me of why I believe this fraternity is so special.

I want to add a note about Eta Pi, the chapter I had the privilege to sponsor at Northern Iowa. I miss this chapter. They are a good chapter; they even started their own college band, which in my band director’s mind is an ultimate fulfillment of the president at the time. When I asked why the chapter didn’t ‘sell’ itself better, he replied “we’re not about awards, we’re about band.” I was so proud, and still am. I would like to think that we are all focused in the same manner.

There are concerns that continue weigh on me. I am relieved that I have not had to appear in court representing the fraternity. I know that I am preaching to the choir, but hazing continues to be a drain on our fraternity, both in the price placed upon brotherhood and the financial drain. I am immediately reminded of lawsuits placed against the fraternity as a result of incidents at Morehouse, Langston, Central State and Bethune-Cookman during my time on the Council. This has increased our insurance costs in addition to the cost of doing our own investigation. When a chapter makes the decision to create an experience contrary to the ideals of our fraternity, they choose to put the fraternity at risk. This is not my idea of brotherhood.

Tim Lautzenheiser was here during the District Leadership conference earlier this week and commented at that time about the positive, and negative effects of competition. We see both in our fraternity. The politicizing of the fraternity is an observation that may be a concern unique to myself. While we do business and elect new leadership at convention, it is really the opportunity to interact as a chapter, a brotherhood if I may, focused upon the exchange of ideas that allow for growth and development. I am not certain that voting charts, delegate manipulation and the dissection of good people asking for the opportunity to serve are tenants of brotherhood.

However, let’s get off the negative. The fraternity is accomplishing a lot for bands, and I credit a great deal of this to active chapters and committed district leadership. Mike Huckabee states that change does not occur at the national level. If you want change, it happens at the grass roots and state level. Our district leaders have had the courage to make changes that have allowed the active membership to re-focus on music and leadership development. As all of us know from our own, home chapters, that sometimes individuals with personal agendas can sidetrack an outstanding organization. I caution you to zealously guard your rights as active members to determine your future. Just like band, we are a student-driven organization. And just like in band, sometimes we make mistakes, but we learn from those mistakes and become stronger.

I want to mention the parties currently at play in the fraternity.

The current group of governors and district councils has already prepared for the coming biennium and you will be excited as you see the opportunities they are offering throughout the coming year. It is a remarkable mix of band professionals, alumni and active members and demonstrates what we are capable of achieving.

The Board of Trustees loves this fraternity deeply and commits an inordinate amount of time to the fraternity. Financially, we have never been stronger and this should create more opportunities for you, the active members, in the future.

Our Headquarters Staff does yeomen’s duty to make certain we have the resources necessary for success. They do the little things that sometimes go unnoticed, but deserve the validation of ‘thank you’ from each and every one of us.

It would be self-fulfilling to take credit for the successes this past biennium. However, a Council is only as strong as the people you elect. That sounds like a band, doesn’t it? The National President is really just a facilitator. I wonder if we know how fortunate we have been to have these folks working for you? Ever one of them have had to deal with extraordinary personal and professional challenges and yet, they have been force for this fraternity. All of them bring brilliant and innovative ideas to the table and, while we have not always agreed with each other, I believe that they have maintained the greatest degree of respect for each other. Their achievements are unparalleled.

I have been excited this week, and gratified knowing that you are the active membership. The attendance at workshops and other events has been outstanding. It is rejuvenating listening to you and your ideas. We have tremendous young leaders who
are poised to move into positions that can drive this fraternity in an exciting direction. Please do not allow the creation of a glass ceiling. This organization has invested in the training of student leaders; I hope we invest even more in trusting those same leaders. This can only happen if they feel they will have the opportunity to move into leadership positions.

You have afforded me a tremendous opportunity and the experience has been one that will never be equaled. I do not know what the future holds for me, none of us do. But I do know that there will always be K-K-Psi. Thank you, for allowing me the honor to be “Selected to Serve,” may we always “Strive for the Highest.”

Respectfully submitted,

Rod M. Chesnutt, Ph.D
National President

Appendix 30
FINAL REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS
By Heather Owens, Southeast District President, Kappa Mu, The University of Georgia

The Committee on Nominations met all three committee sessions, but luckily only went over by only twenty minutes on Thursday and fifteen minutes on Friday. This was due to the diligence and hard work of all committee members. We fulfilled all committee charges passed down from the 2005 National Convention.

The committee was charged with the following:
1. Create an interview schedule and post at the Interactive Psi session Wednesday morning, if possible.
2. Collect materials from all candidates.
4. Develop interview questions for each office.
5. Interview candidates.
6. Coordinate Meet the Candidate session with the districts.
7. Discuss candidates and prepare slate for presentation during Session #6.

In regards to our first charge to create an interview schedule, our committee did not meet until after Interactive Psi, so as Chair of the Committee on Nominations, I created a schedule so we were able to move ahead and interview candidates during our first meeting.

As our second charge, all but one candidate submitted materials to me to distribute to the Committee on Nominations before our first meeting.

To fulfill the third charge, we then reviewed these materials before starting the interview process.

For the fourth charge, the committee referenced the questions used on last year’s Committee on Nominations and also created some of our own. The following are the questions that were asked to every candidate, but we also asked questions specific to each candidate running:

**National President**
1. What ideals do you plan to implement to maintain the professional image of KKKpsi? 
2. What are your goals for the next biennium? 
3. How do you plan to work with the new VPCM to continue the growth of the fraternity through contacting band directors or sponsors? 
4. How do you plan to continue your connection with the students over the next biennium? 
5. How do you feel about so much direct contact between Council and students?

**National Vice President of Colonization and Membership**
1. Since this office is essentially a commitment for the next 6 years, what is your vision for that period of time? 
2. What are your short term goals to achieving that vision through this office? 
3. What framework do you intend to give chapters to set up their own continuing membership education program? 
4. Do you have a plan for guidelines for a Big Brother chapter assisting their Little Brother Chapter post-colonization? 
5. How do you plan to support older chapters and keep them involved on the National level?

**National Vice President for Programs**
1. What have you done in preparation for this position? 
2. Do you have any programs that would help make district and national events more appealing?

**National Vice President for Student Affairs**
1. How will you represent the diversity from all districts across the country? 
2. How will you solicit information from the active membership and how will you get information from the council back to the active membership? 
3. What would you do in a situation where an active chapter has lost interest? 
4. Why do you want this position? 
5. What do you see as a problem facing the chapters across the nation and how would you remedy that problem?

**Board of Trustees**
1. What specific skill set do you believe you bring to the board of trustees? 
2. What is your role in the development of a new alumni association? 
3. Why are you seeking another term on the Board of Trustees?

To fulfill the fifth charge, all candidates were interviewed Wednesday, Thursday or Friday.

The sixth charge is to create a Meet the Candidates schedule. The District Presidents met earlier in the week and created
the schedule of candidate rotations because we were the ones coordinating the caucus schedules.

We charge the 2009 Committee on Nominations with the following:
1. The Committee Chair shall create an interview schedule and post at the Interactive Psi session or the first full day of convention, whichever is first.
2. Collect materials from all candidates before the first meeting of the committee.
4. Develop interview questions for each office.
5. Interview candidates.
6. Discuss candidates and prepare slate for presentation during the session of elections.

The committee has elected to provide comments about each candidate:

For the office of National President, Dr. Malinda Matney is automatically slated. We feel Dr. Matney has a good understanding of the image of Kappa Kappa Psi and also where that image needs to go through both casual and professional contact. She demonstrated a clear understanding of the issues the fraternity faces, meaning she can meet those challenges head on. We feel confident in her abilities of serving as our National President in the next biennium.

In regards to the office of National Vice President of Colonization and Membership, this committee believes that Derrick Mills has sufficiently prepared for this position and that he will succeed in this role. He has plans for working with our CFRs, will enhance the membership resources to active members, and plans to use the colonization reporting system, which he helped develop, as a model for all colonies. While there are reservations from some members of this committee that he may lack vision as President-elect, we still feel he will be a strong asset to the National Council.

For the office of National Vice President for Programs, we feel candidate Adam Cantley is very prepared for the role of VPP and has shown that he has clear goals for the position including restarting “Get With the Program”. His experience as a National Officer and member of the National Council will be an asset in the upcoming biennium. Adam has a desire for personal growth and has shown an interest in getting more students involved in presenting at district and national events.

Also for the office of National Vice President of Programs, we feel candidate Dr. Mark Phillips lacks ideas and a clear understanding of the role of VPP. He mentioned using this office as a stepping stone to other National Offices and did not turn in a packet to the committee. Dr. Phillips mentioned “visibility” numerous times but was unable to give specific methods to be visible.

In regards to the office of National Vice President for Student Affairs, we feel that Jason Kellison has a passion for being the voice of the students. He offered concrete ideas including scheduled online chats every six weeks and meeting with district officers before speaking to each district. Jason also wants to clearly define the office of VPSA and set the groundwork for VPSAs in the future.

Also for the office of National Vice President for Student Affairs, we feel that Melanie Muldrow would bring a high level of professionalism to the office. She wants to increase the transparency and availability of the National Council by revitalizing the National website forums.

Finally for the office of National Vice President for Student Affairs, we feel that Jason Morris is practical and realistic with his goals. While not having any new ideas, he has strong thoughts on how to improve the existing programs.

For the Board of Trustees, we feel that candidate Dr. Mike Golemo has much to offer this office. He has experience serving on the Board, and while never an active Brother, has many levels of experience including sponsor, governor and National President. His biggest accomplishment is his work with the “All Aboard” project, by raising large amounts for the renovation of the caboose. He plans to continue on this project if elected.

Also for the Board of Trustees, we feel that candidate Mike Osborn will be an asset. He brings to the table the experience of a K-12 band director and a wide variety of experiences by running his own program which requires not only the skill of a band director, but also secretarial and publishing skills.

To fulfill the seventh charge, this committee recommends the following candidates for office:

For the office of National President: Dr. Malinda Matney
For the office of National Vice President of Colonization and Membership: Derrick Mills
For the office of National Vice President for Programs: Adam Cantley
For the office of National Vice President for Student Affairs: Jason Kellison
For the office of Board of Trustees: Mike Osborn and Dr. Mike Golemo

A huge thank you to all of the delegates sitting on this committee as well as Marie Burleigh, Northeast District Governor for serving as advisor. There was open and respectful communication on each delegate and though we did not agree on every issue, we were all willing to compromise in the best interest of the fraternity. This committee had the potential to be long and tedious but it was truly a delight to work with each one of these delegates.
Respectfully submitted,
Heather Owens, Chair
Southeast District President
Kappa Mu Chapter, The University of Georgia

Committee members:
B. Rainey, Beta Lambda
A. Shelton, Alpha Rho
J. Waldschmidt, Eta Pi
A. Helms, Pi
T. Earley, Zeta Chi
C. Coy, Beta Kappa
A. Harris, Gamma Pi
G. Weuland, Epsilon Psi
A. Shotwell, Eta Omicron
K. Fetzer, Kappa Gamma
C. Hoffman, Gamma
N. Korach, Iota Kappa

Appendix 31
REMARKS OF THE INCOMING NATIONAL PRESIDENT
Malinda Matney, PHD. Nu, University Of Michigan

Over the past 23 years, Kappa Kappa Psi has struck me by the transformative power that it has in Brothers’ lives.

• As a college band fraternity, we have a unique role in helping students develop into more effective band members, into leaders, making an impact on the world.
• I have been fortunate to be a part of the lives of so many Brothers. Every student I meet is an opportunity to help that student develop as a leader, a musician, a scholar – as a Brother.

We are a cultural force.
We are a leadership force.
We have work to do!

As we have gone through the past few days together, your energy, love, positive attitude and intellect have been on display. It is clear that you are ready to lead through the challenges ahead.

What is ahead in 2007-2009?
We have work to do today to ensure that our college bands and our Fraternity thrive until the Centennial and well beyond. That is why the theme of the next biennium will be:

“Celebrating the History of College Band”: Kappa Kappa Psi’s 90th Anniversary
We have a vital Fraternity today, one that has changed as our bands have continued to develop.

It is time to honor their development and growth. How?

• We will focus on presentations about history, musical development, and different approaches to band at the 2009 National Convention.

• I challenge each district to bring presentations to their conventions focusing on the different band histories within each district’s borders, and particularly their diversity.

• I challenge each chapter to create a dedicated service project to your band program, named in honor of Kappa Kappa Psi’s 90th anniversary. By doing this project, you will start our anniversary, and our countdown toward Centennial, where the spirit begins. At the same time you will spread the word and work of Kappa Kappa Psi to your fellow band members and involve them in the celebration.

Trends of the future on college campuses
People want to be part of organizations, and we’re catching that wave. This is a wave that campuses are seeing with frequency, particularly with a trend toward forming new organizations. Campuses are seeing the formation of new organizations as both exciting and as a cause for caution. It causes caution because campuses want students to continue to invest in the organizations that exist, and not form organizations just for the sake of being called a “founder.” For Kappa Kappa Psi, that is a special call to us to continue to look after our own chapters and after other chapters to ensure that membership recruitment and retention are a strong focus. Campuses are calling for greater accountability.

You, as the representatives of Kappa Kappa Psi on your campuses, will need to be able to demonstrate, in quantifiable terms, what your chapter does to live our mission and why you should continue. We are the people who give uniquely to band music through how we serve our bands, how we promote them across campus to ensure their future, and how we encourage our fellow band members to be the best students within bands and across campus. Every aspect of what we do should be about band. That’s not limiting, but empowering. Think of the ways you can amplify your fellow band members in their contribution on campus. Think about how far your band can go with your effort and with what strength your chapter can solidify its importance on your campus. Your band may need you to come to stand as its friend and advocate – the time is now to be ready and active.

-----

It is my pleasure to announce the District Governors for the 2007-2009 Biennium:

Midwest District:
Denali Alt
A second Midwest Governor will be appointed in the coming weeks.

North Central District:
Christine Beason
Rod Whiteman

Northeast District:
Marie Burleigh
Dr. Hubert Toney
Southeast District:
   Michael Green
   Dr. David O’Shields

Southwest District:
   Danny George
   Dr. David Scott

Western District:
   Tanya Marsh
   Chris Chapman

As well, one honor and privilege of the National President is to appoint a Vice President for Professional Relations, who serves as a critical link to our band director community. It is my pleasure to announce that Dr. Bruce Moss of Bowling Green State University, sponsor of Beta Kappa Chapter, has accepted my invitation to join us for this biennium.

Mom
As we recognize these great leaders, I want to recognize a special guest today. The most important leadership teacher in my life is here. I have learned from example about perseverance, excellence, and commitment to common good. I have learned a responsibility to my community by watching this level of dedication. As I think about what it means to have compassion and vision, I hope I live up to her example. Please welcome my Mom, Linda Matney. Thanks, Mom!

As we move into the next biennium, and toward the 90th anniversary, we have our work ahead to ensure the survival of what we hold dear. Let’s join in this work, and let our campuses and communities know that without college bands, they will have lost something uniquely community building and uniquely American. It is why we exist.

I look forward to the work we do together as we start the new biennium. Thank you for your support now, and for your Brotherhood and service throughout the next two years.

Fraternally,

Malinda M. Matney, Ph.D.
National President
Kappa Kappa Psi
2007-2009
## 2007 Kappa Kappa Psi
### National Convention – Delegate Information

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Ch. NO</th>
<th>Dist.</th>
<th>Proxy Dist.</th>
<th>Chapter</th>
<th>Delegate/Proxy Name</th>
<th>School</th>
<th>Proxy Chapter</th>
<th>Committee Assignment</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Alpha</td>
<td>Clinton Wieden</td>
<td>Oklahoma State Univ.</td>
<td>Ritual &amp; Regalia</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2</td>
<td>MWD</td>
<td>MWD</td>
<td>Beta</td>
<td>Morgan Gabbert</td>
<td>Montana State Univ.</td>
<td>Membership</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3</td>
<td>WD</td>
<td>WD</td>
<td>Gamma</td>
<td>Christine Hoffman</td>
<td>Univ. of Washington</td>
<td>Nominations</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Delta</td>
<td>Drew Harnish</td>
<td>Univ. of Oklahoma</td>
<td>Publications</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>Epsilon</td>
<td>Clifton Rybick</td>
<td>Mississippi State Univ.</td>
<td>Membership</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>Eta</td>
<td>Tim Kalgreen</td>
<td>Ohio State Univ.</td>
<td>Jurisdiction</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>Iota</td>
<td>Brian Johns</td>
<td>Georgia Institute of Tech.</td>
<td>Jurisdiction</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>11</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Lambda</td>
<td>James Wilson</td>
<td>Univ. of Arkansas</td>
<td>Cred. &amp; Resolutions</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>13</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>Nu</td>
<td>Sarah Pike</td>
<td>Univ. of Michigan</td>
<td>Colonization</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>14</td>
<td>MWD</td>
<td>MWD</td>
<td>Xi</td>
<td>Niki Shafer</td>
<td>Colorado School Of Mines</td>
<td>Colonization</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>15</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>Omicron</td>
<td>Tesla Hartsog</td>
<td>West Virginia Univ.</td>
<td>Publications - Chair</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>16</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>Pi</td>
<td>Allison Helms</td>
<td>Auburn Univ.</td>
<td>Nominations</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>18</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>Sigma-proxy</td>
<td>Timothy Curry</td>
<td>Ohio Northern Univ.</td>
<td>Eta Ways &amp; Means</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>20</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>Upsilon</td>
<td>Robert Jaques</td>
<td>Univ. of Cincinnati</td>
<td>Ritual &amp; Regalia</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>23</td>
<td>WD</td>
<td>WD</td>
<td>Psi</td>
<td>Esther Lee</td>
<td>Univ. of California, LA</td>
<td>Jurisdiction</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>24</td>
<td>WD</td>
<td>WD</td>
<td>Omega</td>
<td>Kassidy Bennett</td>
<td>Univ. of Arizona</td>
<td>Ritual &amp; Regalia</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>26</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>Alpha Beta</td>
<td>Lauren Miller</td>
<td>Butler Univ.</td>
<td>Ritual &amp; Regalia</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>28</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>Alpha Delta</td>
<td>Robert Davis</td>
<td>Ohio Univ.</td>
<td>Membership</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>30</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>Alpha-zeta-proxy</td>
<td>Bethany Godar</td>
<td>Indiana Univ.</td>
<td>Alpha Beta Membership</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>31</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>Alpha Eta</td>
<td>Lauren Case</td>
<td>Univ. of Florida</td>
<td>Membership</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>32</td>
<td>MWD</td>
<td>MWD</td>
<td>Alpha Theta</td>
<td>Stefanie Young</td>
<td>Univ. of Northern Colorado</td>
<td>Jurisdiction</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>33</td>
<td>MWD</td>
<td>MWD</td>
<td>Alpha Iota</td>
<td>Leslie Q. Allen</td>
<td>Univ. of Colorado</td>
<td>Cred. &amp; Resolutions</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>37</td>
<td>MWD</td>
<td>MWD</td>
<td>Alpha Nu</td>
<td>Kyle Mitchell</td>
<td>Univ. of Wyoming</td>
<td>Ways &amp; Means</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>39</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Alpha Omicron</td>
<td>David Biel</td>
<td>Texas Tech Univ.</td>
<td>Ritual &amp; Regalia</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>41</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Alpha Rho</td>
<td>Artric Shelton, Jr.</td>
<td>Northeastern State Univ.</td>
<td>Nominations</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>43</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Alpha Tau-proxy</td>
<td>David Momodu</td>
<td>The Univ. of Texas at Austin</td>
<td>Delta Sigma Colonization</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>47</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Alpha Psi</td>
<td>Derek Harris</td>
<td>West Texas A &amp; M Univ.</td>
<td>Colonization</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>48</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>Alpha Omega</td>
<td>Alexis Barlow</td>
<td>Univ. of Pittsburgh</td>
<td>Membership</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>49</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Alpha Beta</td>
<td>Sung Mu Lee</td>
<td>Baylor Univ.</td>
<td>Jurisdiction</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>50</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>Beta Beta</td>
<td>Jonathan Hawkins</td>
<td>Univ. of Mississippi</td>
<td>Epsilon Psi</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>51</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>Beta Omega</td>
<td>Brian Higginbotham</td>
<td>Louisiana State Univ.</td>
<td>Membership</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>52</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Beta Delta</td>
<td>Chase Giddings</td>
<td>Sam Houston State Univ.</td>
<td>Jurisdiction</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>58</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>Beta Kappa</td>
<td>Bowling Green</td>
<td>Bowling Green State Univ.</td>
<td>Nominations</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>59</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Beta Lambda</td>
<td>Benjamin Rainey</td>
<td>Eastern New Mexico Univ.</td>
<td>Nominations</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>63</td>
<td>WD</td>
<td>WD</td>
<td>Beta Omicron</td>
<td>Zac Humphrey</td>
<td>Arizona State Univ.</td>
<td>History &amp; Traditions</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>65</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>Beta Rho</td>
<td>Richard Enderle</td>
<td>Univ. of Toledo</td>
<td>Ritual &amp; Regalia</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>66</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Beta Sigma</td>
<td>Raina Regan</td>
<td>Univ. of Houston</td>
<td>Zeta Epsilon Ritual &amp; Regalia</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>67</td>
<td>MWD</td>
<td>MWD</td>
<td>Beta Tau</td>
<td>Eric Berman</td>
<td>The Wichita State Univ.</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>70</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>Beta-Chi-proxy</td>
<td>Ashley Hamrick</td>
<td>Univ. of Virginia</td>
<td>Jurisdiction</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>71</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>Beta Psi</td>
<td>Jeffery Bertleff</td>
<td>Kent State Univ.</td>
<td>Ways &amp; Means</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>76</td>
<td>MWD</td>
<td>MWD</td>
<td>Gamma Delta-proxy</td>
<td>Sarah Casias</td>
<td>Wayne State College</td>
<td>Xi Programs</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>78</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Gamma Zeta</td>
<td>Joe Panzer</td>
<td>Lamar Univ.</td>
<td>Alpha History &amp; Traditions</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>80</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Gamma Theta-proxy</td>
<td>Chad Pierce</td>
<td>E Central OK State Univ.</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>81</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>Gamma Iota</td>
<td>Charles Cattrell</td>
<td>Univ. of New Mexico</td>
<td>Zeta Lambda Publications</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>82</td>
<td>WD</td>
<td>WD</td>
<td>Gamma Kappa</td>
<td>Michael Gray</td>
<td>Northern Arizona Univ.</td>
<td>Ways &amp; Means</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>85</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>Gamma Nu</td>
<td>Matthew Guglielmello</td>
<td>Florida State Univ.</td>
<td>Ritual &amp; Regalia</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>86</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>Gamma Xi</td>
<td>Darian Scott-Carter</td>
<td>Univ. of Maryland</td>
<td>History &amp; Traditions</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>88</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>Gamma Pi</td>
<td>Ashley Harris</td>
<td>Purdue Univ.</td>
<td>Nominations</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>90</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Gamma Sigma-proxy</td>
<td>Jonathan McCray</td>
<td>Texas Christian Univ.</td>
<td>Theta Phi Programs</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>93</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Gamma Phi</td>
<td>Jarrod L. Beard</td>
<td>Stephen F. Austin State Univ.</td>
<td>Ways &amp; Means</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>96</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>Gamma Omega-proxy</td>
<td>Rich Gearinger III</td>
<td>Texas Southern Univ.</td>
<td>Zeta Mu Membership</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>97</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>Delta Alpha</td>
<td>Robert Martin</td>
<td>Langston Univ.</td>
<td>Zeta Upsilon</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>99</td>
<td>MWD</td>
<td>MWD</td>
<td>Delta Gamma</td>
<td>Emily Holden</td>
<td>Univ. of Missouri at Rolla</td>
<td>Membership</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>100</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>Delta Delta</td>
<td>Stanford Rich</td>
<td>Arkansas Tech Univ.</td>
<td>Zeta Phi</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>103</td>
<td>MWD</td>
<td>MWD</td>
<td>Delta Eta</td>
<td>Leeann Graves</td>
<td>Pittsburg State Univ.</td>
<td>Delta Xi Publications</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>105</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>Delta Iota</td>
<td>Jarrell Thomas</td>
<td>Florida A&amp;M Univ.</td>
<td>History &amp; Traditions</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>110</td>
<td>MWD</td>
<td>Delta Xi</td>
<td>Nancy Rice</td>
<td>Emporia State Univ.</td>
<td>History &amp; Traditions</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>111</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>Delta Omicron</td>
<td>Robin Puzzo</td>
<td>Univ. of Connecticut</td>
<td>Programs</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>114</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Delta Sigma</td>
<td>Juan Gutierrez</td>
<td>Univ. of Texas at Arlington</td>
<td>Programs</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>116</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>Delta Upsilon</td>
<td>Thomas Harmon</td>
<td>Eastern Michigan Univ.</td>
<td>Ritual &amp; Regalia</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>118</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Delta Chi-proxy</td>
<td>Nathan Johnson</td>
<td>Southern Arkansas Univ.</td>
<td>Eta Kappa Publications</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>119</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Delta Psi</td>
<td>Christopher &quot;Drew&quot; Dickey</td>
<td>Prairie View &amp; A &amp; M Univ.</td>
<td>Zeta Chi</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>122</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Epsilon Beta</td>
<td>Adam Butenschoen</td>
<td>Univ. of Central Arkansas</td>
<td>Membership</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>124</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Epsilon Delta</td>
<td>Jonathan Garcia</td>
<td>Texas A&amp;M Univ., Kingsville</td>
<td>Jurisdiction</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>125</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Epsilon Epsilon</td>
<td>Anna Rivera</td>
<td>SW Oklahoma State Univ.</td>
<td>Programs</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>126</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Epsilon Epsilon-Zeta-proxy</td>
<td>Austin Ambrose</td>
<td>Oklahoma Baptist Univ.</td>
<td>Alpha Colonization</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>128</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Epsilon Theta</td>
<td>Rachel Ledebruhr</td>
<td>Univ. of Louisiana, Monroe</td>
<td>Eta Omicron</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>129</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>Epsilon Iota</td>
<td>Shanna Hubbs</td>
<td>Mans.??eld Univ.</td>
<td>Colonization</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>130</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Epsilon Kappa</td>
<td>Elizabeth Phillips</td>
<td>Anglo State Univ.</td>
<td>Eta Sigma Programs</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>131</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>Epsilon Lambda</td>
<td>Amanda &quot;Sky&quot; Harris</td>
<td>Western Carolina Univ.</td>
<td>Eta Phi</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>133</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>Epsilon Nu</td>
<td>Matthew Parent</td>
<td>Univ. of Massachusetts</td>
<td>Colonization</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>134</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>Epsilon Xi-proxy</td>
<td>James Beding??eld</td>
<td>Miami Univ. of Oxford, Ohio</td>
<td>Upsilon Publications</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>136</td>
<td>MWD</td>
<td>Epsilon Pi</td>
<td>Zachary Corpus</td>
<td>Kansas State Univ.</td>
<td>Colonization</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>137</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>Epsilon Rho</td>
<td>Michael Purnell</td>
<td>Grambling State Univ.</td>
<td>Eta Psi</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>140</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>Epsilon Upsilon</td>
<td>Lawrence Perkins</td>
<td>Univ. of Maine, Orono</td>
<td>Eta Omega</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>141</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>Epsilon Phi</td>
<td>Alice Olmstead</td>
<td>Clarion Univ.</td>
<td>Theta Beta Jurisdiction</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>142</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Epsilon Chi</td>
<td>Corey Mitchell</td>
<td>Univ. of Arkansas, Pine Bluff</td>
<td>Ways &amp; Means</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>143</td>
<td>MWD</td>
<td>Epsilon Psi</td>
<td>Gayle Wannlund</td>
<td>Missouri State Univ.</td>
<td>Nominations</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>144</td>
<td>MWD</td>
<td>Epsilon Omegalpha-proxy</td>
<td>Jocelyn Odegard</td>
<td>Univ. of Nebraska at Lincoln</td>
<td>Eta Pi Publications</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>145</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>Zeta Alpha-proxy</td>
<td>Jonathan Shuc</td>
<td>Bloomburg Univ., PA</td>
<td>Lambda Delta Programs</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>146</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Zeta Beta</td>
<td>John Tapley</td>
<td>Howard Payne Univ.</td>
<td>Ritual &amp; Regalia</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>147</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Zeta Gamma-proxy</td>
<td>Jake Miley</td>
<td>Texas Lutheran Univ.</td>
<td>Beta Gamma Publications</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>149</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>Zeta Epsilon</td>
<td>Katelyn Gyhra</td>
<td>Michigan State Univ.</td>
<td>Colonization</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>150</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Zeta Zeta-proxy</td>
<td>Brandon Gross</td>
<td>Univ. of Arkansas, Monticello</td>
<td>Alpha Omicron History &amp; Traditions</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>151</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>Zeta Eta</td>
<td>Kevin Gadsdon</td>
<td>South Carolina State Univ.</td>
<td>Ways &amp; Means</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>154</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Zeta Kappa-proxy</td>
<td>Reynald Gonzalez</td>
<td>Texas A&amp;M Univ., Commerce</td>
<td>Epsilon Delta Membership</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>155</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>Zeta Lambda</td>
<td>Josh Reed</td>
<td>Marshall Univ.</td>
<td>Ritual &amp; Regalia</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>156</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>Zeta Mu</td>
<td>Geoffrey Osman</td>
<td>Kutztown Univ.</td>
<td>Membership</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>157</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Zeta Nu</td>
<td>Chad Smith</td>
<td>Southern Univ.</td>
<td>Theta Zeta Publications</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>158</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Zeta Xi-proxy</td>
<td>J. Moorhead</td>
<td>Tyler Junior College</td>
<td>Lambda Pi Programs</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>159</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>Zeta Omicron-proxy</td>
<td>Beth Wengor</td>
<td>The Univ. of Akron</td>
<td>Beta Psi Jurisdiction</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>161</td>
<td>WD</td>
<td>Zeta Rho</td>
<td>Judson Berry</td>
<td>modesto junior college</td>
<td>Theta Kappa Publications</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>162</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>Zeta Sigma</td>
<td>Kennet Joyner</td>
<td>North Carolina Central Univ.</td>
<td>Jurisdiction</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>164</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>Zeta Upsilon</td>
<td>Jeremy Leach</td>
<td>Troy Univ.</td>
<td>Membership</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>165</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>Zeta Phi</td>
<td>Stefan Smith</td>
<td>Tuskegee Univ.</td>
<td>Colonization</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>166</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>Zeta Chi</td>
<td>Trey Earley</td>
<td>Univ. of South Carolina</td>
<td>Nominations</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>167</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>Zeta Psi</td>
<td>Brandon Farrar</td>
<td>Virginia State Univ.</td>
<td>Ways &amp; Means</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>169</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>Eta Alpha</td>
<td>Kimberly Eskildsen</td>
<td>Lock Haven Univ.</td>
<td>Ritual &amp; Regalia</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>170</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>Eta Beta</td>
<td>Michael Rannels</td>
<td>VA Poly. Institute &amp; State Univ.</td>
<td>Ritual &amp; Regalia</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>171</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>Eta Gamma</td>
<td>Morgan State Univ.</td>
<td>Programs</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>172</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>Eta Delta-proxy</td>
<td>Zebulon Watkins</td>
<td>Eastern Illinois Univ.</td>
<td>Alpha Beta Publications</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>174</td>
<td>MWD</td>
<td>Eta Zeta-proxy</td>
<td>Elisaa Uhl</td>
<td>Univ. of Kansas</td>
<td>Iota Omicron Jurisdiction</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>178</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>Eta Kappa</td>
<td>Sylvanus Davies</td>
<td>Albany State Univ.</td>
<td>History &amp; Traditions</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>181</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Eta Nu</td>
<td>Adam Hagans</td>
<td>SE Oklahoma State Univ.</td>
<td>Iota Alpha</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>182</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Eta Xi-proxy</td>
<td>Orin Odum</td>
<td>Louisiana Tech Univ.</td>
<td>Epsilon Chi History &amp; Traditions</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>183</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>Eta Omicron</td>
<td>Amy Shotwell</td>
<td>James Madison Univ.</td>
<td>Epsilon Phi Nominations</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>184</td>
<td>MWD</td>
<td>Eta Pi</td>
<td>Jeffrey Waldschmidt</td>
<td>Univ. of Northern Iowa</td>
<td>Nominations</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>185</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>Eta Rho</td>
<td>Laura Stemler</td>
<td>West Chester Univ.</td>
<td>Iota Delta Jurisdiction</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>186</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>Eta Sigma</td>
<td>AJ Young</td>
<td>Univ. of Central Florida</td>
<td>Ritual &amp; Regalia</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>188</td>
<td>MWD</td>
<td>Eta Upsilon-proxy</td>
<td>Amanda Goplen</td>
<td>Univ. of Missouri at Columbia</td>
<td>Kappa Alpha Colonization</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>189</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>Eta Phi</td>
<td>Kevin Kern</td>
<td>Syracuse Univ.</td>
<td>Ritual &amp; Regalia</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>191</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>Eta Psi</td>
<td>Kenneth Williams</td>
<td>Delaware State Univ.</td>
<td>Membership</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>192</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>Eta Omega</td>
<td>Kenneth Tate</td>
<td>Howard Univ.</td>
<td>Programs</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>193</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Theta Alpha</td>
<td>Sean Smith</td>
<td>Texas State Univ. at San Marcos</td>
<td>Ways &amp; Means</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>194</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>Theta Beta</td>
<td>Jessica Pawlowski</td>
<td>Boston Univ.</td>
<td>Ritual &amp; Regalia</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>195</td>
<td>NED</td>
<td>Theta Gamma-proxy</td>
<td>Pete Dawida</td>
<td>California Univ., Pennsylvania</td>
<td>Alpha Omicron Ritual &amp; Regalia</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>197</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>Theta Epsilon-proxy</td>
<td>Jeff Barbee</td>
<td>Univ. of Kentucky</td>
<td>History &amp; Traditions</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>198</td>
<td>NCD</td>
<td>Theta Zeta</td>
<td>Greg Smith</td>
<td>Ashland Univ.</td>
<td>Membership</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>200</td>
<td>SED</td>
<td>Theta Theta</td>
<td>Justin Moore</td>
<td>Univ. of Alabama Birmingham</td>
<td>Iota Zeta</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>202</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Theta Kappa</td>
<td>Nathan Glasco</td>
<td>Turfleton State Univ.</td>
<td>Ways &amp; Means</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>205</td>
<td>SWD</td>
<td>Theta Nu</td>
<td>Christy Holland</td>
<td>NW State Univ. of Louisiana</td>
<td>Iota Omicron History &amp; Traditions</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>209</td>
<td>MWD WD</td>
<td>Theta Rho</td>
<td>Joshua Parker</td>
<td>Lincoln Univ.</td>
<td>Iota Pi</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>210</td>
<td>NED NED</td>
<td>Theta Sigma</td>
<td>Doreen Plutzner</td>
<td>Fairmont State College</td>
<td>History &amp; Traditions</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>212</td>
<td>NED MWD</td>
<td>Theta Upsilon</td>
<td>Erik Mayr</td>
<td>Univ. of Rhode Island</td>
<td>Kappa Alpha</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>213</td>
<td>SWD SWD</td>
<td>Theta Phi</td>
<td>Anthony Harmon</td>
<td>Henderson State Univ.</td>
<td>Jurisdiction</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>217</td>
<td>WD WD</td>
<td>Iota Alpha</td>
<td>Jeff Delelson</td>
<td>California State Univ., Fresno</td>
<td>Jurisdiction</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>219</td>
<td>WD MWD</td>
<td>Iota Gamma-proxy</td>
<td>Caleb Gibson</td>
<td>Washington State Univ.</td>
<td>Kappa Delta</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>220</td>
<td>NED NED</td>
<td>Iota Delta</td>
<td>Erica Abbey</td>
<td>Towson Univ.</td>
<td>History &amp; Traditions</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>222</td>
<td>SED SED</td>
<td>Iota Zeta</td>
<td>Marcus Smith</td>
<td>N Carolina A &amp; T State Univ.</td>
<td>Ways &amp; Means</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>225</td>
<td>WD NED</td>
<td>Iota Iota-proxy</td>
<td>Heather Paolini</td>
<td>Utah State Univ.</td>
<td>Kappa Eta</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>226</td>
<td>WD WD</td>
<td>Iota Kappa</td>
<td>Anthony Holland</td>
<td>Boise State Univ.</td>
<td>Kappa Lambda</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>227</td>
<td>NCD NCD</td>
<td>Iota Lambda-proxy</td>
<td>Brittany Maxwell</td>
<td>Mount Union College</td>
<td>Ways &amp; Means</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>228</td>
<td>NCD SED</td>
<td>Iota Mu</td>
<td>Katie Eaton</td>
<td>Kentucky State Univ.</td>
<td>Kappa Mu</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>229</td>
<td>SED NED</td>
<td>Iota Nu</td>
<td>Christopher Rich</td>
<td>Alabama A &amp; M Univ.</td>
<td>Kappa Psi</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>230</td>
<td>SED NED</td>
<td>Iota Xi</td>
<td>Janae Hill</td>
<td>Norfolk State Univ.</td>
<td>Lambda Beta</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>231</td>
<td>SED SED</td>
<td>Iota Omicron</td>
<td>Christopher Stile</td>
<td>Appalachian State Univ.</td>
<td>Ways &amp; Means</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>232</td>
<td>WD WD</td>
<td>Iota Pi</td>
<td>Neil Jansen</td>
<td>Cal Poly State Univ., SLO</td>
<td>Cred. &amp; Res. - Chair</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>234</td>
<td>SED NED</td>
<td>Iota Sigma-proxy</td>
<td>Eric Buck</td>
<td>Blinn Junior College</td>
<td>Lambda Delta</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>235</td>
<td>SED SED</td>
<td>Iota Tau</td>
<td>Brandon Owens</td>
<td>Clark Atlanta Univ.</td>
<td>History &amp; Traditions</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>236</td>
<td>SWD SWD</td>
<td>Iota Upsilon</td>
<td>Brittany Nicole Parks</td>
<td>McNeese State Univ.</td>
<td>Theta Sigma</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>237</td>
<td>NED MWD</td>
<td>Iota Phi</td>
<td>Deborah Harkness</td>
<td>Univ. of New Hampshire</td>
<td>Beta</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>239</td>
<td>MWD SWD</td>
<td>Iota Psi</td>
<td>Seth Davis</td>
<td>Univ. of Nebraska at Kearney</td>
<td>Lambda Pi</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>240</td>
<td>MWD MWD</td>
<td>Iota Omega</td>
<td>Joseph Whetstone</td>
<td>Iowa State Univ.</td>
<td>History &amp; Traditions</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>241</td>
<td>MWD MWD</td>
<td>Kappa Alpha</td>
<td>Rachelle Werth</td>
<td>Univ. of Minnesota</td>
<td>Ritual &amp; Regalia</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>242</td>
<td>SED NCD</td>
<td>Kappa Beta</td>
<td>Steven Ford</td>
<td>Clemson Univ.</td>
<td>Lambda Tau</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>243</td>
<td>NED NED</td>
<td>Kappa Gamma</td>
<td>Karl Fetzer</td>
<td>Lehigh Univ.</td>
<td>Nominations</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>244</td>
<td>MWD MWD</td>
<td>Kappa Delta</td>
<td>Sarah Groteluschen</td>
<td>NW Missouri State Univ.</td>
<td>Ways &amp; Means</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>245</td>
<td>NED SED</td>
<td>Kappa Epsilon</td>
<td>Bryan Murphy</td>
<td>Shenandoah Univ.</td>
<td>Mu Beta</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>247</td>
<td>NED NED</td>
<td>Kappa Eta</td>
<td>Meredith Fiege</td>
<td>S.U.N.Y - Buffalo</td>
<td>Ways &amp; Means</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>249</td>
<td>MWD MWD</td>
<td>Kappa Iota</td>
<td>Nicholas Sonnad</td>
<td>Univ. of Nebraska at Omaha</td>
<td>Publications</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>250</td>
<td>SED WD</td>
<td>Kappa Lambda</td>
<td>Val Scriver</td>
<td>Miles College</td>
<td>Gamma</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>251</td>
<td>SED SED</td>
<td>Kappa Lambda</td>
<td>Theodis Chunn</td>
<td>Winston-Salem State Univ.</td>
<td>Programs</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>252</td>
<td>SED SED</td>
<td>Kappa Mu</td>
<td>Jordan Shaw</td>
<td>Univ. of Georgia</td>
<td>Ritual &amp; Regalia</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>253</td>
<td>NCD SED</td>
<td>Kappa Nu</td>
<td>Theresa Stafford</td>
<td>Northern Illinois Univ.</td>
<td>Ways &amp; Means</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>255</td>
<td>SED SED</td>
<td>Kappa Omicron</td>
<td>Kathy Goodman</td>
<td>Stillman College</td>
<td>Iota</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>257</td>
<td>NED NED</td>
<td>Kappa Rho</td>
<td>Krista Behrenden</td>
<td>Duquesne Univ.</td>
<td>Membership</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>258</td>
<td>SED SED</td>
<td>Kappa Sigma</td>
<td>Casey Gardner</td>
<td>East Carolina Univ.</td>
<td>Publications</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>259</td>
<td>SED SED</td>
<td>Kappa Tau</td>
<td>Brian Schmidt</td>
<td>Univ. of South Florida</td>
<td>Programs</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>260</td>
<td>NED NCD</td>
<td>Kappa Upsilon</td>
<td>Ronald Perkins, Jr.</td>
<td>Marist College</td>
<td>Nu</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>261</td>
<td>SWD SWD</td>
<td>Kappa Phi-proxy</td>
<td>Stacy Harris</td>
<td>East Texas Baptist Univ.</td>
<td>Delta Sigma</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>262</td>
<td>NCD NCD</td>
<td>Kappa Chi</td>
<td>Lizzy Thornton</td>
<td>Albion College</td>
<td>Cred. &amp; Resolutions</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>263</td>
<td>NED NED</td>
<td>Kappa Psi</td>
<td>Brandon Hawkins</td>
<td>Virginia Commonwealth Univ.</td>
<td>Jurisdiction</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>264</td>
<td>NCD NCD</td>
<td>Kappa Omega-proxy</td>
<td>Stephen Myers</td>
<td>Northern Kentucky Univ.</td>
<td>Upsilon</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>265</td>
<td>WD WD</td>
<td>Lambda Alpha-proxy</td>
<td>Ashley Kee</td>
<td>Univ. of California, Irvine</td>
<td>Psi</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>266</td>
<td>SED SED</td>
<td>Lambda Beta</td>
<td>Jessica-Michele Russell</td>
<td>Charleston Southern Univ.</td>
<td>Ways &amp; Means</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>267</td>
<td>SED SED</td>
<td>Lambda Gamma</td>
<td>Andy Gonzalez</td>
<td>Florida International Univ.</td>
<td>Cred. &amp; Resolutions</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>268</td>
<td>NED SED</td>
<td>Lambda Delta</td>
<td>Laurin Gross</td>
<td>Shippensburg Univ.</td>
<td>Ways &amp; Means</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>269</td>
<td>SWD SWD</td>
<td>Lambda Epsilon-proxy</td>
<td>Amith Smith</td>
<td>Ouachita Baptist Univ.</td>
<td>Theta Phi</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>270</td>
<td>SED SED</td>
<td>Lambda Zeta</td>
<td>Terry Jackson</td>
<td>Fort Valley State Univ.</td>
<td>Omicron</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>271</td>
<td>SED SED</td>
<td>Lambda Eta</td>
<td>Robert Johnson</td>
<td>Univ. of West Georgia</td>
<td>Pi</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>273</td>
<td>NCD NCD</td>
<td>Lambda Iota-proxy</td>
<td>Nicholas Bellmyer</td>
<td>Tiffin Univ.</td>
<td>Beta Rho</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>274</td>
<td>SWD WD</td>
<td>Lambda Kappa</td>
<td>Sarah Diringer</td>
<td>Univ. of Arkansas - Fort Smith</td>
<td>Psi</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>275</td>
<td>NCD NCD</td>
<td>Lambda Lambda</td>
<td>Lisa Wallyn</td>
<td>Indiana State Univ.</td>
<td>Programs</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>276</td>
<td>SED SED</td>
<td>Lambda Mu</td>
<td>Leita Ramos</td>
<td>East Tennessee State Univ.</td>
<td>Colonization</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>277</td>
<td>NED NED</td>
<td>Lambda Nu</td>
<td>Charlie Thompson</td>
<td>Sacred Heart Univ.</td>
<td>Cred. &amp; Resolutions</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>278</td>
<td>SWD SWD</td>
<td>Lambda Xi-proxy</td>
<td>Kevin Morgan</td>
<td>Southeastern Louisiana Univ.</td>
<td>Epsilon Beta</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>279</td>
<td>SED SED</td>
<td>Lambda Omicron</td>
<td>Jennifer Larsen</td>
<td>Valdosta State Univ.</td>
<td>Epsilon Delta</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>280</td>
<td>SWD SWD</td>
<td>Lambda Pi</td>
<td>Stephanie Hoed</td>
<td>Univ. of Texas at Tyler</td>
<td>Ways &amp; Means</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>281</td>
<td>SED SED</td>
<td>Lambda Rho-proxy</td>
<td>Laura Behm</td>
<td>Tennessee Tech Univ.</td>
<td>Kappa Mu</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>282</td>
<td>SED SED</td>
<td>Lambda Sigma</td>
<td>Albert Bush</td>
<td>Coahoma Community College</td>
<td>Ways &amp; Means</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>283</td>
<td>NCD NCD</td>
<td>Lambda Tau</td>
<td>Mandy Johnson</td>
<td>Central Michigan Univ.</td>
<td>Colonization</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>284</td>
<td>SED NED</td>
<td>Lambda Upsilon</td>
<td>Carlton Bloom</td>
<td>Savannah State Univ.</td>
<td>Epsilon Iota</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>285</td>
<td>NED NED</td>
<td>Lambda Phi-proxy</td>
<td>Marissa Kenney</td>
<td>Kean Univ.</td>
<td>Zeta Mu</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>286</td>
<td>NCD NCD</td>
<td>Lambda Chi</td>
<td>Yasmine Pulido</td>
<td>Quincy Univ.</td>
<td>History &amp; Traditions</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>287</td>
<td>WD NED</td>
<td>Lambda Psi</td>
<td>Brendan Ferrari</td>
<td>San Jose State Univ.</td>
<td>Epsilon Nu</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>288</td>
<td>SWD SWD</td>
<td>Lambda Omega</td>
<td>Yvonne Collie-Burden</td>
<td>NW Oklahoma State Univ.</td>
<td>Membership</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>289</td>
<td>NCD NCD</td>
<td>Mu Alpha-proxy</td>
<td>Nick Geruntino</td>
<td>McKendree College</td>
<td>Eta</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>290</td>
<td>NCD NCD</td>
<td>Mu Eta-proxy</td>
<td>Imane Benmarzouf</td>
<td>Gardner Webb Univ.</td>
<td>Publications</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Chapter Name/Title</td>
<td>Delegate/Proxy Name</td>
<td>District/School/College/Office</td>
<td>Proxy Form</td>
<td>Committee Assignment</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>-----------------------------------------------</td>
<td>---------------------</td>
<td>---------------------------------</td>
<td>------------</td>
<td>-------------------------------------</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>National Officer</td>
<td>Rod Chesnutt</td>
<td>National President</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>National Officer</td>
<td>Malinda Matney</td>
<td>National VP Colonization &amp; Membership</td>
<td></td>
<td>Colonization - Advisor</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>National Officer</td>
<td>Derrick Mills</td>
<td>National VP Programs</td>
<td></td>
<td>Programs - Advisor</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>National Officer</td>
<td>Adam Cantley</td>
<td>National VP Student Affairs</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Past National President &amp; Board of Trustees</td>
<td>Mike Osborn</td>
<td>Immediate Past National President 2003-2005 &amp; Ex-Officio National Council</td>
<td></td>
<td>Chapter Leadership - Advisor/Chair</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Past National President &amp; Board of Trustees</td>
<td>Mike Galemo</td>
<td>Board Chair &amp; Ex-Officio National Council, PNP 1999-2001</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Past National President &amp; Board of Trustees</td>
<td>Kirk Randazzo</td>
<td>Board Vice Chair &amp; Ex-Officio National Council, PNP 2001-2003</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Past National President &amp; Board of Trustees</td>
<td>Kenneth Corbett</td>
<td>Member-Board of Trustees, PNP 1989-1991</td>
<td></td>
<td>Ways and Means - Advisor</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Past National President &amp; Board of Trustees</td>
<td>Scott Stowell</td>
<td>Member-Board of Trustees, PNP 1997-1999</td>
<td></td>
<td>History &amp; Traditions - Advisor</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Past National President</td>
<td>Timothy Greenwell, Jr.</td>
<td>PNP 1995-1997</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Past National President</td>
<td>Melvin Miles, Jr.</td>
<td>PNP 1993-1995</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>National Executive Director</td>
<td>Alan Bonner</td>
<td>National Executive Director</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>National HQ Administrator</td>
<td>Dixie Mosier-Greene</td>
<td>National Administrator</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>National HQ Accountant</td>
<td>Diana Spiva</td>
<td>National Headquarters Accountant</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>National HQ Membership Services Coordinator</td>
<td>Debbie Morris</td>
<td>National Headquarters Service Coordinator</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>National Publications Manager</td>
<td>Jake Burk</td>
<td>National Publications Manager</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Advisor &amp; National CFR</td>
<td>Phil Rubin</td>
<td>National Chapter Field Representative</td>
<td></td>
<td>Strategic Committee on Publications - Advisor</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>David Scott</td>
<td>Southwest District</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Deb Eakins</td>
<td>Northeast District</td>
<td></td>
<td>Strategic Committee on Publications - Advisor</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Iota Lambda - Sponsor</td>
<td>Jason Morris</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>History &amp; Traditions - Advisor</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Southeast District Gov.</td>
<td>Dr. David O’ Shields</td>
<td>Southwest District</td>
<td></td>
<td>Membership - Advisor</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Western District Gov.</td>
<td>Chris Chapman</td>
<td>Western District</td>
<td></td>
<td>Membership - Advisor</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Southwest District Gov.</td>
<td>Danny George, CPA</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Ways &amp; Means - Advisor</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Dr. Melanie Muldrow</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Ed Savoy</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Jurisdiction - Advisor</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Midwest District Gov.</td>
<td>Denali Alt</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Chapter Leadership - Advisor</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Northeast District Gov.</td>
<td>Marie Burleigh</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
2007 National Convention

District Presidents 6
Chapters 189
National Officers 5
Past Presidents 4
Total Voting 204

Voting By District

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>District</th>
<th>Percentage by Chapter</th>
<th>Percentage Overall</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>MW</td>
<td>11.79%</td>
<td>11.27%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>NC</td>
<td>15.38%</td>
<td>14.71%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>NE</td>
<td>18.97%</td>
<td>18.14%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>SE</td>
<td>19.49%</td>
<td>18.63%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>SW</td>
<td>27.18%</td>
<td>25.98%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>W</td>
<td>7.19%</td>
<td>6.86%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>195</td>
<td>100%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

National Officers 5 2.45% Randazzo, Golemo, and Miles left convention early and were not counted.

Past Presidents 4 1.96%

204 100%

Chapter Seated by Delegates 155 82.01%
Chapter Seated by Proxies 34 17.99%

Total Chapters Seated 189 100%