



*Kappa Alpha Order
National Administrative Office*

ALUMNI RELATIONS
TRAINING PACKET SUPPLEMENT

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The ability to communicate with alumni is a very integral aspect of chapter operations, yet it is one of the most difficult tasks facing an active chapter. This Training Packet Supplement was developed to help you bridge the gap between your active chapter and your alumni brothers. Active chapter members are the reason that our Order exists, but we must always remember that our alumni are a vital to the fraternity and we should never underestimate the tools and assets that they can bring to the Order.

Office of the Number V

Traditionally the office of Number V has served as the alumni relations officer. The *Kappa Alpha Laws* describe the Number V and his duties as such:

The V shall accumulate material for the history of the chapter and its members, past and present; keep the prescribed chapter register up to date; act as contact officer between the chapter and its alumni, performing such duties in this regard as may be required of him by the Executive Director; and be responsible to the Number I for the safekeeping of the chapter register, records of historical data, chapter library, pictures and other properties of a historical nature.

As we are initiated into the Order, we are bound together as brothers until death. Unfortunately, this lifelong commitment can easily be overlooked unless the Number V takes a proactive position in contacting the alumni. Unless you and the chapter have taken steps to include your alumni in the chapter's activities, you are overlooking your most valuable asset. Most alumni are still interested in their chapter, but they are often hesitant to get involved with the chapter. It is your job as the Number V to provide opportunities for the alumni to become involved. There are several ways to gather alumni support and this Training Packet Supplement covers the following:

- **ALUMNI & CHAPTER NEWSLETTERS**
- **PLANNING EVENTS**
- **ALUMNI ADVISORY COMMITTEE**
- **ALUMNI CHAPTERS**
- **EXAMPLES OF ALUMNI EVENTS**

- **PLANNING EVENTS**

When planning your alumni events consider some of these tips:

1. Send your first mailing well in advance (8 weeks or more) of the event.
2. Enlist the help and advice of your alumnus advisor during the planning of your chapter's event. The alumnus advisor will be able to provide valuable insight to the type of event that will best suit the chapter's alumni. Remember that the event should be as fun for the actives as it is for the alumni.
3. In the most current newsletter ensure that you provide all the details of the event. Include the time, location, parking information, dress, and any related costs associated with the event.
4. Remember to hold 5, 10, 20 year reunions and ask former Number 1's or other notable alumni members to help you plan these events.
5. List the names and numbers of local hotels.
6. Consider scheduling an alumni advisory board meeting or alumni chapter meeting to thank them for their support. This meeting may also help fulfill the alumni chapter's requirements to meet once a year.
7. Schedule your activities so they do not conflict with those of the school.
8. Ensure that your house is clean and orderly.
9. During an alumni event, make sure that all chapter members are present and properly dressed.

If you consider these tips during the planning and preparation of your event, then you have set the stage for a successful event.

- **EXAMPLES OF EVENTS**

Almost any event can be considered an alumni event. The following is a list of events that chapters have had success with in the past:

- Homecoming
- Golf Tournament
- Convivium
- BBQ, shrimp, crawfish, etc...boil
- Attendance at sporting events i.e. Football, Basketball, etc...
- Fishing Tournaments

Included with this report are promotional examples for these events.

ALUMNI NEWSLETTER CHECKLIST

- _____ Information concerning all alumni related social events (Homecoming, Convivium, etc...). Include the 5 W's.
 - Who -
 - What-
 - Where-
 - When-
 - What to bring & wear-

- _____ A short capsule of previous alumni events (Include pictures if possible).

- _____ List all alumni who made financial contributions to the Kappa Alpha Order Educational Foundation or the chapter.

- _____ A status report of the chapter from the Number I or the Number IV. Include information covering the following topics:
 - Names of New Officers
 - Number of Pledges
 - Rush & Recruitment
 - Finances
 - Community Service
 - Individual Accomplishments
 - Campus Leadership

- _____ Space for alumni to update their address and to comment on the chapter or the newsletter.

- _____ Send updated alumni contact information to the National Administrative Office.

SPECIAL EVENTS PLANNING CHECKLIST
(HOMECOMING, AND OTHER TYPES OF EVENTS)

- _____ Appoint your committee and make assignments.
- _____ Set a schedule for committee meetings – KEEP THE MEETINGS SHORT!
- _____ Secure the speaker if you are having one, ask as far in advance as possible.
- _____ Secure the location as far in advance as possible. Select a menu.
- _____ Send out invitations.
- _____ Secure a master of ceremonies and give him time to prepare.
- _____ Don't forget any decorations that may be necessary.
- _____ Assign the head table (place cards are a nice gesture.)
- _____ Inform the chapter on the time, location, cost, and attire.
- _____ Have a guest register available at the event.
- _____ Ensure that if you are presenting awards that you have them in advance and they are correct.
- _____ Send out news releases to the Kappa Alpha Journal and to the school newspaper.
- _____ Send out thank you notes to all the parties who helped make your event successful.



Joe Fawcett: Chapter Address

The Zeta Lambda chapter of Kappa Alpha Order has been extremely busy this semester. In ten short weeks we have visited Florida to help children who suffer from chronic illnesses, many of our members planned and ran Mid-American Greek Council Association, and last but not least made our presence known at Dance Marathon. At Convivium I spoke about the most important factor in fraternities, which is brotherhood. Our brothers have lived this since that night, and nothing could speak of this more clearly than Boggy Creek Gang Camp and Dance Marathon. These are just some of the many events we were apart of. We are still planning events such as the MDA Golf tournament, parents weekend, and Province Council. My job as president is a very busy one; however, it is one that brings great joy in my life. We have accomplished much, but we all will agree we can accomplish much, much more! I congratulate our brothers on what we have done, and just how hard we have worked. I also encourage that we, as a team, keep up the hard work and strive for excellence.

Paul Daniels: Convivium Celebration

This year's Convivium celebrated the five year anniversary for Zeta Lambda. We had over 150 people in attendance at Nazareth Hall, the place where Zeta Lambda began just over five years ago. Our key note speaker this year was Matt Bonner, the Director of Communications for the Kappa Alpha Order. He had nothing but wonderful things to say about Zeta Lambda. Matt commented on all of the great work we are doing at Zeta Lambda and issued a challenge to us to continue to do the best. Also, this year we incorporated a dance into Convivium. I hope this is a tradition that is continued over the years to come. I personally want to thank Matt Bonner and all of the alumni that attended. It was a pleasure to see you all and I hope to see you this fall at homecoming. I wish you all nothing but the best and hope to hear from you soon.



KA GRIER



This year's dancers were Tyler Beck, Adam Campbell, Jared Lowery, Jeff Marko, Justin Marquez, Nathan Miller, Russ Nutt, and Jake Vanneman.

Aaron Muehlfeld: Dance Marathon 2002

Kappa Alpha Order was actively involved in BGSU's Dance Marathon 2002. BGSU's Dance Marathon is a 32-hour dance, put on by the student organizations at Bowling Green State University to benefit the Children's Miracle Network (CMN) and Mercy Children's Hospital in Toledo Ohio. Dance Marathon is the single largest student run philanthropy in the state of Ohio and the largest donor to the Children's Miracle Network in Northwest Ohio. This year Kappa Alpha had eight Dancers and eight Moralers who actively participated in Dance Marathon, as well as numerous other chapter members that helped out with the security committee, entertainment committee, and finance committee.

David Humphrey also held the position of Morale Chairman on the Dance Marathon steering committee, in which he was responsible for organizing the Dance Marathon Line Dance and pairing dancers with moralers. Jared Wright and myself, Aaron Muehlfeld, were Kappa Alpha's Dance Marathon Representatives for Dance Marathon 2002 and were in charge of holding fundraisers and communicating information to the Dancers from the steering committee. Throughout the school year, Kappa Alpha sold Dance Marathon Boxer Shorts and Bandannas to help raise money for the kids. Chapter members also auctioned themselves off to perform odd jobs for students at our annual Rent-A-Gent fundraiser in which we raised over \$1,500. Chapter members also went door to door on the weekends and asked residents to make donations to Dance Marathon.

In all our efforts, the gentlemen of Kappa Alpha Order raised \$5,632 for CMN and Mercy Children's Hospital and donated hundreds of hours to helping make Dance Marathon 2002 a huge success. Kappa Alpha's efforts along with the efforts of all of BGSU's student organizations helped make Dance Marathon history. Once again, the student organizations broke a record raising \$315,583.10 FOR THE KIDS!!!



KA CRIER

Dan Smith: Kappa Alpha's National Philanthropy

The second annual Kappa Alpha Golf Tourney will take place on April 27th, 2002 at the Stone Ridge Golf Course in Bowling Green. Once again all proceeds will be donated to the Muscular Dystrophy Association of Northwest Ohio. Enclosed is an entry form for the tourney. By participating in the tourney, or by making a donation you can help us raise funds for this great cause. As you may or may not know, MDA is Kappa Alpha's National Philanthropy, and each year Zeta Lambda works hard to raise funds, and offer support to Northwest Ohio's MDA office. If you would like to participate or send a donation please return the entry form with a check made out to Kappa Alpha Order, to the address listed on the form. Once again thank you for your support of Zeta Lambda and MDA.

Kappa Alpha Order Golf Tournament

**Just mail this form
back to :**

**Kappa Alpha Order
1233 East Wooster Street
Bowling Green ,Ohio 43403**

Date: April 27th, 2002
Place: Stone Ridge Golf Course, Bowling Green, OH
Time: 9:00 a.m. (Registration Begins at 7:30)
Cost: \$400 per foursome (four-man scramble)

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Please Circle One Payment:

Check - Cash - Visa - MasterCard - American Express

Make Checks Payable to: Kappa Alpha Order

Credit Card Account Number: _____

Expiration Date: _____ **Additional Donations:** _____

Signature: _____ **Total Included:** _____



KAPPA ALPHA

AT OLE MISS

ALPHA Upsilon CHAPTER
OF
KAPPA ALPHA ORDER
FOUNDED 1900

Volume 5

Year 2003

K A Wins the Chancellor's Cup; Number One Fraternity at Ole Miss!



It was all smiles after the Order of Omega Banquet on April 21, 2003, when Alpha Upsilon won the Chancellor's Cup for 2003. Pictured are Beau Patrick, No. II, John Beasly, No. III, and Stuart Saunders, former No. III and current Phi Kappa Undergrad are Chairman of the House of the K A House with the Trophy.

The Chancellor's Cup award was inaugurated by the University of Mississippi in 1991. Shortly before Alpha Upsilon Chapter opened on the Ole Miss campus as a fully functioning and officially chartered chapter. It was created as "a rating system for measuring, documenting and rating the activities of Greek organization [s]..." on the Ole Miss campus.

"It's a rating system and a ranking system..." said Jason Dean, (men) assistant, team arguments, for Greek life... "However there is a first, second and third place prize."

And the Ole Miss Chapter of Alpha Upsilon in May of 2003! The Chapter was ranked first and was offi-

cially installed on March 27, 2003... so in just a little over two years, we have received the highest ranking on the Ole Miss Campus.

Similarly, in our first full year of operation, it won the K A Sander's Leadership Award for Chapter Excellence at the National Leadership Institute last summer.

We are so blessed that we are able, in this tangible AND objective way, to prove to all those who have helped and supported us during these last two and a half years, since Rush in 2000, that they were justified in their faith and confidence in us.

With PRIDE and a V...



At the Initiation Banquet on January 24, 2004, the Chapter would like to honor the following Alumni on the occasion of these significant anniversaries of their initiation. We hope you will come, attend a part of initiation, attend the Banquet and enjoy the fellowship of your initiation class and the current chapter members. More information will follow, but please reserve the date now. We would appreciate any help you can give us in correcting the following:

One Hundred Years — 1904 — Charles G. Puleston, AM*

Hugh Standifer Alexander*
Claude Eugene Conner*

Ninety Five Years — 1909

Daniel Rayford McGehee MC* John William Robinson, AM*
William Hollis McGehee*

Mark Neely Ham*
Charles Harry Kirkpatrick, Ψ*

Ninety Years — 1914

Edwin Eugene Klingman Jr.* Green Francis Saly*
Wiley Harris Potter* Benne Arthur Smith*

John Jones Long*

Eighty Five Years — 1919

Harry Metcalf Long*

Eighty Years — 1924

Leroy Money Adams, X*

Redford Sims Adams, AB* Louis Lynn Harris, AA*

Seventy Five Years — 1929

Joseph Gulleby Byrd*
John Marion Calhoun, AM*
Luther Pittman Currie, AM*

Dr. Lucian Minor Fenis, AM, Forrest Causey Mobley*
Vicksburg Thomas Newell Turner*
George William Howell Jr.* Ross Weston White*

Seventy Years — 1934

Eric Carlton Biedenharn*
Hugh William Gates Jr., AM*
Thomas Staton Hopkins, Tunica

Frederick Marshall Rogers, Merid- Swepson Smith Taylor Jr AM*
ian Dr. Clyde Ater Watkins*
James Alney Rogers* Charles Eason Williams*

Sixty Years — 1944

Richard McNeil Allen, AM*
Sam Alman III, Gulfport
Jack W. Blasingame, AM, Alexan-
dria, VA
Thomas Clements Harvey Jr., Ψ,
Gulfport

Wilton Jerome Johnson Jr., AM, Dr. William Henry Mosby*
Meridian Richard Denny Shelby, Rosedale
J. Pat Martin Jr., BI* Roger Bryan Shows, Ψ*
Thomas Rhodes Matrox, Jr.* Dr. Robert Edward Lee Stuart Jr.*
Robert Floyd McCain, Pasadena, Kirk Graves Taylor, AM, Jackson
TX Jerome Paul Tibbler Sr*

Fifty Years — 1954

Robert Wiley Chatham (L)
John Morton Christian, Laurel
James Whitfield Collins, Tupelo
Lewis Leron Culley Jr.*
Dr. Charles R. Davis, Jackson
Walter McKinnon Denny Jr.,
Madison
John Lee Gainey Jr., Canton

Normer Lee Gil, Jr., Madison Oscar W. Ponder, Dallas, TX
Carlos Barry Greer, Lafayette, LA Robert F. Powers, Greenwood
Theodore B. Hannah, Little Rock, Charles Carroll Scott (L)
AR Robert Preston Wailes Jr., New
Richard Douglas Hudgins* Orleans, LA
Edward Ernest Laird Jr., Oxford Dr. Richard Leroy Yelverton, Jack-
son
Ralph Ivy Lawson, Dyersburg, TN
Sherman Allen McLain Jr., Belzoni

Twenty Five Years — 1979

Dr. Douglas C. Altenbern Jr., Nashville, TN
Edwin B. Baker II, Morristown, TN
Paul Stacy Briscoe, Oxford
Frey Spruill Davidson, Summerland, CA
John Stacy Davidson, Jackson
David Stephen Donosky, Dallas, TX
James Michael Graham, Tupelo
William Scott Haguewood, Tupelo
Dr. William Templeton Howard Jr., Memphis, TN
Walter William Huff, Ridgeland
William Terry Jamison III, Tiptonville, TN
David Hollis Johnson, Birmingham, AL
Samuel Michael Lamb, Columbus
Alwyn Hall Luckey, Ocean Springs
William Douglas Mann Jr., Jackson

Timothy Francis McCabe, Dallas, TX
Todd Darin Miller, Jackson
Dr. Charles Edward Moore Jr., Florence, AL
Marcus Claude Moore, Roanoke, TX
Jack Bane Pearson Jr., Collierville, TN
David Timothy Phillips, Oxford
Terry Allen Robertson, Germantown, TN
Chip Hamp Sammons (L), Houston, TX
John Randall Santa Cruz, Ψ, Gulfport
Paul Lester Singleton Jr., Washington, DC
Arthur Oliver Taylor Jr., Caruthersville, MO
Lt Col Bobby A. Towery Jr., Fort Stewart, GA
Stewart Vincent Wortham, ΔΦ, Memphis, TN

*Deceased
(L) Lost

Alpha Upsilon Calendar for Summer & Fall of 2003

Here is our schedule of events until the beginning of next February. It is, of course, subject to change. We hope many Alumni can be with us for many of these events:

June 20 — Alumni Reunion in Oxford for all Alumni especially those initiated in years ending in 1, 2 or 3
21 — Skip Cline Scholarship Golf Tournament at Mallard Pointe Golf Course

July 12 — Memphis Rush Party
26 — Jackson Rush Party

August 6-9 — Kappa Alpha National Convention and Leadership Institute in Tampa, FL
18 — First Chapter Meeting & First Day of Classes
22 — Initiation

September 13 — Home Game: U of Louisiana at Monroe
27 — Home Game: Texas Tech

October 2-6 — Formal Rush
6 — Bid Day and New Member Induction
11 — Home Game: Arkansas State
18 — Home Game: Alabama
25 — Home Game: Arkansas

November 1 — Home Game: South Carolina
8 — New Member Retreat
22 — Home Game: LSU
24-28 — Thanksgiving Holidays

December 5 — Last day of Classes & Christmas Formal
8-12 — Final Exams

January 7 — First Day of Classes
18-24 — Inspiration Week
23-24 — Initiation
24 — Initiation Banquet

February 7 — Province Council

Over 300 parents, alumni, and friends attended the Chapter's Third Annual Initiation Banquet at the Oxford University Club on January 23, 2003.

Once again former President Conrad and Dick Wilson was wheeled out and popping up to be Master of Ceremonies.

The evening, however, belonged to the New Initiates. Among the highlights of the event were seeing the three "Special" Alumni initiates receive their KAP pins. Brock Angle was proposed by his brother Jim with second brother Tim looking on. Blake Elder proposed his father, Lee, and Jay Turner received his pin from his brother Jon with a huge contingent of Turners looking on!

Stuart Saunders, of Charleson, MS, retiring No. III was named Model Active in a popular decision. Later on in February, Stuart was elected Province Undergraduate Chairman at the Irwin Province Meeting held in Oxford, and in May he received word he had been selected to receive the William E. Dreyer Scholarship from Kappa Alpha Order Educational Foundation. The \$5,000 Scholarship is the largest given by KAOFE.

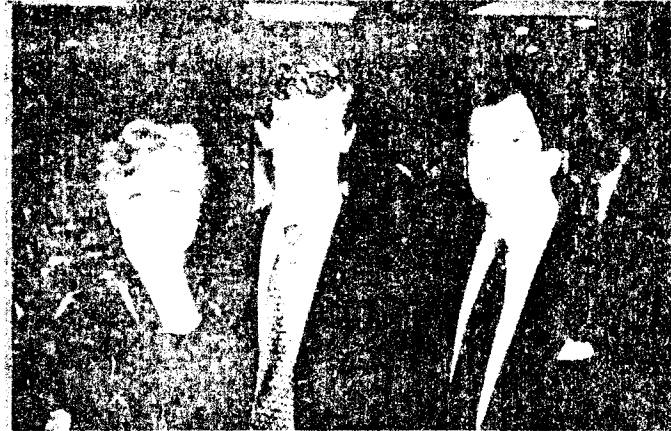


Chad Flowers of Fort Worth, Texas, and Stuart Saunders, MS, was named the recipient of the Sam Clark Memorial Scholarship. In the Citation that goes with this award, it was said that "Stip was always looking for a new challenge to conquer, and he strove to be the best that he could be." In giving this award, the Chapter seeks to find one of its new initiates who best exemplifies the kind of guy skip was. "Bright and energetic" were two other words to describe him. Chad is a worthy winner of this distinguished Award.

In the Scholarship area, John Hennessey, Birmingham, AL, received the award for the most improved Grade Point Average while Paul Stephenson, Jackson, and Damon Wofford, Brandon, were named the top Big Brother, Little Brother team in Scholarship.

The evening was rounded out with the announcement that Wesley Clay, Columbus, MS, Justin Spencer, Port Gibson, MS and Sherrod Taylor, Lehard, MS were the Model Initiates, and Jimmy Rester of Memphis was named Alumnus of the Year.

Special guests present for the occasion were Dean of Students Thomas J. "Spaiky" Reardon, Jason Dean, Assistant Dean of Students - Organizations, Tim Weaver, No. 1 of Omicron Chapter whose brother was initiated, and Dr. (X & Co.) Rau Phillips, Vice Commission from Monroe, LA.



Graduating Senior Sam Cole, No. IX and former No. III of the Chapter, and the first man to sign up for the newly reorganized Alpha Upsilon in the Summer of 2000, is shown at the 2003 Initiation Banquet with his mother, Ruth, and his father, Sam (Alpha Mu 1964).

Sam received the Doug Stone Award at the Banquet. Under the Chapter's Bylaws, the Doug Stone Award is given each year to the graduating senior "who has most nearly evidenced the ideals and aspirations of Kappa Alpha Order during the year when he has been an active member of the Chapter."

Charlie Sam, deserved the award. Even after Graduation, he remained an OW Miss to work on the Chapter's Annual Award Application until June of 2003.

He will be missed.

Sam and Ruth — both active Parents Club leaders — who have been helping our Push since 2000, will also be missed. ... And what are you doing anyway!

Attention all Alumni & Parents
 The Fourth Annual Alpha Upsilon
 Initiation Banquet
 will be held January 24, 2004
 at the Oxford University Club.
 All Alumni & Parents are invited to attend. Par-
 ents of members initiated in August 2003 and
 January 2004 are especially
 encouraged to attend.
IN ADDITION
ALL INITIATES OF
ALPHA UPSILON OF THE YEARS
1904, 1909, 1914, 1919, 1924, 1929,
1934, 1944, 1954 & 1979
WILL BE SPECIALLY
HONORED AT THIS BANQUET
ALL ALUMNI ARE, OF COURSE, INVITED.

Andrew Moak Named House Director

Andrew Moak, Alpha Upsilon 1983, has been named House Director for the KA House.

The position became vacant during the year, and after extensive interviews, Andrew was chosen.

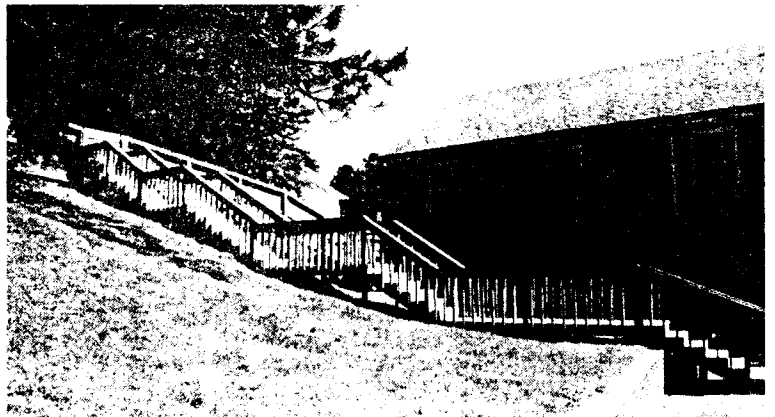
He is a native of Oxford and has lived there much of his life. He was previously in business, but as a result of an injury was restricted in the type of things he could do. However, his long association with Oxonians is a great advantage to the Chapter, because he knows who to call to get something done! And they know him and respond.

Andrew is also planning meals and supervising the kitchen — both for the Chapter and for the summer occupants.

He is married to the former Lydia Smith, from New Albany and they have two children.

Unlike former House Directors (House Mothers), Andrew is not in residence at the KA House, but he is on premises all day, and during holidays, he is continually checking on it.

Those who were in the Chapter with Andrew know what a loyal KA he is and will welcome him home to the KA House.



Improvements Continue at KA House

Thus far this summer, the Chapter and the House Corporation have completed several projects to improve the KA House. Pictured is a new set of steps, replacing the former mud slide down the hill back of the house. These steps should make it much easier to get to and from the House — especially during classes.

Also, new slate tile has been put down in the entrance hall, and the doors to the Living Room and the Robert E. Lee Room have been replaced and stained to match the front door, and an Oriental rug has been put in the foyer.

All these projects have added to the overall good appearance of the House.

For the Summer, the House is being rented to the University to house a group of ninth grade girls who are in a special program at Ole Miss. This provides income to the Chapter as well as employment for the kitchen staff who are providing meals for the participants in this program (including the ninth grade boys who are living in another fraternity house).

Participants in this and other programs of High School Students on the campus have commented very favorably on the appearance and condition of the House.

2002-2003 Composite Names

- First row:** Adam King, Thomas Taff, Jonathan Claxton, David Grantham, Dennis Donato, Benjamin Claxton, William Chad Blackard, William Armstrong, William Bardwell, Lee Langston, Nathan Richardson, James Bledsoe, Ford, Williams, Taylor Etheridge, Zachary Jex, William Ray Carter, Douglas Zeigler, James Martindale
- Second row:** Cruse Flowers, Robert Conner, Benjamin Ferguson, Jeffrey Stokey, Patrick Dyer, James Isaac Byrd, David Lynch, Jacob Dickerson, John Eric Hester, Virgil "Trey" Sandifer, Stuart Saunders, Bennet Blake Elder, Robert "Beau" Patrick, Samuel Cole, Clay Deweese, Andrew Wilson, David Johnson, Josh Fuller
- Third row:** William Schmitt, Benjamin Glenn, Tyler Harris, Matt Stringer, John Paul Rowan, Wesley Clay, Michael Griggs, Michael Ferris, James Wood, Braxton Tullos, Jeffrey Waller, Ryan Stegall, Jack Lamour, Hunter Todd
- Fourth row:** Michael Parks, William Klinke, Craig Holcombe, William "Skip" Langley, Justin Phillips, Joseph Edwards, Russell Brooks Boylan, Brad Batte, Jon Cory Messer, Raymond Tullos, Andrew Levy, Mark Levy, Scott Currie, Jonathan Zoghby
- Fifth row:** Charles Kinslow, James Sinclair, Joshua Kirkland, William Kinney, Lonnie Tyler Williams, Michael Parker, Howard Graham, Michael Ryan Jones, Blake Etheridge, Kellen Jex, Jonathan DuBose, David Abide, John Bailey, August Lashley
- Sixth row:** Whitney Gomila, Bryce Horton, Charles Caldwell, Frederick "Trey" Horne, Griffin Jones, Ryan Lavallee, Paul Pless, Mark Grow, Leann Wiggins (Rose), Nathan Scammerhorn, Ruffin Lowry, Christopher Newman, Andrew Whittington, Paul Stephenson, John Hennessey, David Chance, Michael Fondren
- Seventh row:** Zachary Finch, Justin Spencer, Robert Busby, Wilson Weaver, Christopher Johnston, Jimbo Moss, Sherrod Taylor, Sean Pigg, Stuart Meadors, James Lynch, Benjamin Patton, Justin Carroll, Sam Waters, Hunter Charbonnet, Brent Perotich, Eddie Morgan, Dunbar Flinn, Daniel McFatter
- Eight row:** Gene Douglas, Jason Cook, Alex Kimbrell, Jonathan Maki, Stephen Whatley, Jordan Hammond, Ben Matthews, Walt Robson, Christopher Holder, Michael Murff, William Bevans, Robert Sturdivant, Damon Wofford, Chad Flowers, Matt Miller, Robert Reiter, Walter Brand, William Covington
- Not pictured:** James Mitchell, Randell Naramore, Elder Brown, Benji Borrelli, Michael Duglos, Scott Williams, Cody Moore, Kent Burris, John Michael Hearne, Joe Sando, John Jennings, Farmer Dippel, Holmes Lilley, Kyle Stegall, Jacob Woodard

KA's Cheer for the Rebs!

By **Jay Wood**. This past year, the Alpha Upsilon Chapter of Kappa Alpha Order not only had an All SEC center on the field for the Ole Miss football team in **Ben Claxton**, and the two co-captains in **Claxton & Doug Zeigler**, but the Chapter also boasted four cheerleaders who participated in football and basketball games on campus.

Ray Carter, **Matt Stringer**, **Randell Naramore**, and **Benji Borreli** were members of the varsity and junior varsity cheerleading squads for the University of Mississippi.

Ray Carter has been on the squad since his freshman year, but this year he played more of a substitute role – filling in when and where he was needed. Ray was a member of the varsity team as were **Matt Stringer** and **Benji Borreli**, both of whom were also named to the varsity team for next year.

Randell Naramore was a member of the junior varsity rebel cheerleading squad during the year.

These four young men exemplified the qualities of gentlemen of Kappa Alpha at all times on the field. Each of them believe that his experience in KA has helped him to become a leader on his respective squad. The involvement of these four men shows how the men of the Alpha Upsilon chapter are participating on campus in worthwhile activities.

PLEASE NOTE

The Chapter has what we believe is an excellent web site. You can find it at www.olemiss.edu/orgs/KA/ You can also update your address and phone numbers to the chapter by following the links on the web site to the Alumni Page. Please do. We want to keep up with you!

The Social Scene

By **Will Kinney**. Lest there be concern that it was all work and no play at the KA House this past semester, rest assured we had an active social calendar.

The two major events of the Spring semester were Hayseed and Rose Ball Formal weekend.

Hayseed was a Friday night party held in Oxford and an all day long event at The Barn just across the Marshall County line.

Buses took everyone Saturday to hear the *Carrie Folks Band* and enjoy crawfish and some good natured grappling in the ring of hay.

The evening found everyone enjoying a change of pace with *Led Zep-pelin* cover band *Zoso* playing well into the night. A good time was had by all!

The Rose Ball festivities returned this year to Natchez. On Friday night there was a party at the historic Eola Hotel ballroom.

On Saturday we took a group picture at Dunleith in the morning, and then went across the street to Twin Oaks for lunch.

After enjoying a relaxing lunch on the grounds everyone gathered around for the culmination of the day's events, the Rose ceremony. President **John Eric Hester** thanked **Leann Wiggins**, the retiring Rose, for all that she had done for the Chapter during her reign.

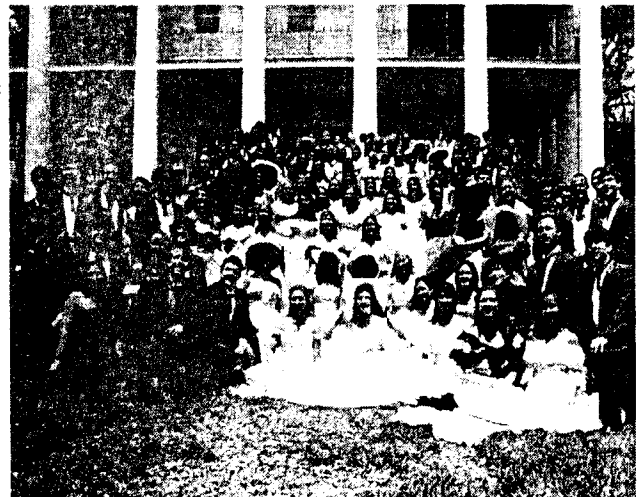
He then announced that **Katie Batte** (Junior Chi Omega from Jackson and daughter of **John C. Batte III**, AY 1967) had been selected to be Rose for the 2003-2004 school year.

A band party featuring *Jays* was held on the lawn of another antebellum home to end the weekend's events.

The entire chapter congratulates **Katie** on her election as Rose, and expresses its appreciation for all that **Leann** did in representing KA during rush and throughout the entire year.

Leann was escorted by **Adam King**; and **Katie** was escorted by **Ruffin Lowry**.

It is an honor for Alpha Upsilon to be associated with these two young ladies.



Rose Ball 2003 - at Dunleith

Fall Rush at Ole Miss — Rec's Needed!

Fall Rush at Ole Miss has been set for October 2-5, 2003, with bid day being October 6.

It is not too early to begin sending recommendations to the Chapter to let us know of worthy young men who would be good candidates to carry on the Kappa Alpha Tradition at Ole Miss.

Andrew Wilson is the Rush Chairman and he is ably assisted

by several Assistant or Co-Rush Chairmen. Send your recommendations to :

Andrew Wilson, Rush Chairman

Post Office Box 8107

University, MS 38677

Or if is more convenient, email him at arwilson5@aol.com



KA Golf Tournament for Profit Cline Scholarship Fund held June 21; Reunion Weekend held the same weekend for certain Alumni

The Fourth Annual KA Golf Tournament was held at Middle Tennessee Golf Course near Sardis, on June 21, 2003.

Some 48 players participated. For the first time, the tournament was a fundraiser for the Skip Cline Memorial Scholarship. Skip was a pledgee of the Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity at the University of Tennessee. He died as the result of a car accident on the University House. His parents and wife were killed the Skip Cline Scholarship was established by the University Foundation to be awarded to the house for the participant who

accumulated 22 or more strokes. The winners of the tournament were Province Commander David Dogan, and his three Little Brothers, Lee Hawkins, Skip Mathews and Jody Stevens. All four were together for the first time in many years. There was a buffet and a dance at the University House for the participants and their families.

he had come to enjoy the fellowship. In all, some 60 KA's came back to Ole Miss for one part or the other of the weekend and all had a grand time.

The winners of the tournament were Province Commander David Dogan, and his three Little Brothers, Lee Hawkins, Skip Mathews and Jody Stevens. All four were together for the first time in many years.



Proud winners of the Skip Cline Golf Tournament Jody Stevens, David Dogan, Lee Hawkins and Skip Mathews.



The "Gentlemen of Choctaw County" Reagan King, Bill Powers, Jimmy King & Jimmy Rester.



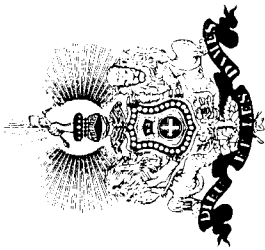
They came for the Reunion . . . and some even played golf! Talley Noah, Josh Fletcher, Chad Franks, Hardy Hill, Jeremy Hebert, Blake Elder (Chairman of the Weekend) and Clay Camp



Doug McKinnon and son Mark enjoy their time and buffet after the tournament.



Jody Stevens, Lee Hawkins and Carey Johnston make good use of the front porch.



KAPPA ALPHA ORDER

Golf Tournament to benefit MDA

Saturday, April 5, 2003
Stonecreek Golf Club

March 1, 2003

Arizona Alumni Brothers:

The Epsilon Tau chapter of Kappa Alpha Order and the National Administrative Office would like to cordially invite you to play in our 6th Annual Arizona Alumni Golf Tournament to benefit MDA.

The tournament will be held on April 5th, 2003, at Stone Creek Golf Club in Paradise Valley, AZ. This is the same course that plays host to the *LPGA Mizubuchi Pro Am*. The proceeds of this year's tournament will benefit the **Muscular Dystrophy Association** in the Phoenix area. This time we have set our goals higher than ever before with the tournament. An entry form is included with this letter as well as a sponsorship form if you or your company is interested in sponsoring part of the event. Though the tournament is set up with a team structure in mind, we will have the opportunity to match alumni together to form a team if you do not have one.

Immediately following the tournament there will be a dinner on the club's patio and everyone is invited to attend, even those who do not play golf. This year we are honored to have Knight Commander David M. Warren, Senior Counselor Ben Satcher, and Executive Director Larry Wiese present and will provide a great time for alumni to meet and get to know the leaders of Kappa Alpha.

We look forward to seeing all of you on the golf course this year. If you any questions concerning teammates or donations please contact either George Pang by phone at (928) 226-1213 and e-mail gekp2@dana.ucc.tau.edu or the MDA office at the contact information provided on the entry form.

You may R.S.V.P. Cas Heilman, for the reception, by phone at (540) 463-1865 ext. 34, e-mail cheilman@ka-order.org or by mail to P. O. Box 1865, Lexington, VA 24450.

Faterally,

Cas Heilman
Western Regional Advisor

George Pang
Golf Tournament Coordinator
Epsilon Tau Chapter

DIRECTIONS TO STONE CREEK GOLF COURSE:
4435 E. Paradise Village Pkwy.
Paradise Valley, AZ 85032

Let's Skim It Up To Make It
Down To Earth. Help make a difference in Paradise Valley, AZ.

GOLD SPONSOR \$5,000

- Presenting sponsor logo in all event materials
- Sponsorship highlighted in all media releases
- Banner provided by sponsor prominently displayed at event
- Recognition on the KTVK 3TV broadcast of the 2003 MDA Jerry Lewis Labor Day Telethon on September 1st
- One foursome of golf
- Logo placed on sleeve of golf shirt
- Verbal recognition day of event
- Company logo placement on all signs
- Opportunity for additional exposure by providing item for goodie bag
- Company profiled in all MDA and Kappa Alpha related newsletters – pre-event and post-event (circulation approx. 100,000)

SILVER SPONSOR \$3,000

- Logo placement on print materials
- Verbal recognition at event
- Mention in all radio/print media promotion
- One foursome of golf
- Company logo placement on all signs
- Opportunity for additional exposure by providing item for goodie bag
- Company profiled in all MDA and Kappa Alpha related newsletters – pre-event and post-event (circulation approx. 100,000)

BRONZE SPONSOR \$1,500

- Logo placement on print materials
- Verbal recognition at event
- Company logo placed on all signs
- Opportunity for additional exposure by providing item for goodie bag
- Company profiled in all MDA and Kappa Alpha related newsletters – pre-event and post-event (circulation approx. 100,000)

HOLE IN ONE SPONSOR: \$500

AWARD SPONSOR: \$500

HOLE SPONSOR: \$250 (18 available)

TICKETS:

SINGLE GOLFER: \$75, FOURSOME: \$300, DINNER ONLY: \$15

