



THE ALPHA TAU

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Chapter Notes

RUSH

Preparations for rush are in full gear. Fall rush will run from August 18-24. We are excited and ready to meet new incoming freshman rushees. If you know anyone who would be a good addition to our brotherhood, please call or e-mail Rush Chairman Dan Delman '03 at 404-892-6210 or gte897i@prism.gatech.edu.

PHILANTHROPY

We have been spending quite a bit of time on philanthropic projects lately. On April 1, 2000, several of our brothers participated in Greek Week at Piedmont Park. On April 29, 2000, we helped the March of Dimes all day. Philanthropy Chairman Michael Adams '03 is hard at work finding other opportunities for us to help better the community.

HOUSE IMPROVEMENTS

Newly elected House Manager Matthew Noury '01 will be embarking on many new house improvement projects in the near future. These include replanting grass in the yard, refurbishing the study room, and adding ventilation to The Pit.

EVENTS

Alpha Tau hosted a softball tournament on March 21 in which eight other chapters from the Southeast participated. Congratulations to the Lambda Delta Chapter of West Georgia, who ended up winning the tournament and got to take the trophy home. On April 9, we had our annual three-on-three basketball tournament. The winning team was Jason Johnson, Founty Hixson, and Michael Orendorff.

AWARDS

Congratulations to GMC Charles Jones '00 for achieving **MASTER OF THE RITUAL**.

Awards presented during formal were:

MODEL INITIATE: Phillip Rutterer '04

FIRST YEAR MAN: Trey Baltz '03

OUTSTANDING SENIOR: Dan Martin '00

MAN OF THE YEAR: Pete Gulbranson '99

COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD: Michael Jannett '01



ON APRIL 1, 2000, ALPHA TAU ALUMNI FRANK '67 AND MATT '89 GILL HOSTED OUR ANNUAL ALUMNI GOLF TOURNAMENT.

Homecoming Schedule

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2000

Ramblin' Reck Parade • 9 a.m.

Post-Parade Alumni Brunch/Pig Roast at the House
No charge, but donations would be appreciated.

Georgia Tech vs. Wake Forest at Bobby Dodd Stadium •
Time TBA

Questions? Please contact Matt Noury at
gt7651@prism.gatech.edu or at the house
in August at 404-892-6252.

*Alumni are responsible for making their own
room accommodations.*

A FOOTBALL
WEEKEND IS THE
PERFECT TIME TO
GET TOGETHER
WITH YOUR
BROTHERS!



"GOAL" REACHED!



Chapter Officers

Grand Master • **BRENT LANIER '01**
Snellville, Ga. • Computer Science

Grand Procurator • **CHRISTOPHER GREENWAY '02**
Lakeland, Fla. • Civil Engineering

Grand Master of Ceremonies • **CHARLES B. JONES '00**
Sugarland, Texas • Computer Engineering

Grand Scribe • **MICHAEL J. HARRIS '03**
Augusta, Ga. • Aerospace Engineering

Assistant Grand Scribe • **MICHAEL BALLARD '03**
Marietta, Ga. • Industrial Engineering

Grand Treasurer • **FOUNTY A. HIXSON '03**
Chattanooga, Tenn. • Chemical Engineering

Assistant Grand Treasurer • **MATTHEW MORRIS '04**
Marietta, Ga. • Physics

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Alumni News

Cecil G. Johnson '48 (3211 Argonne Dr. N.W., Atlanta, GA 30305; cecil.johnson@isye.gatech.edu) is a professor emeritus at the Georgia Institute of Technology. In 1999, he wrote and distributed a booklet on the heritage of the Executive Round Table at Georgia Tech from 1953-99.

For the last 44 years, **Zachry S. Norville Jr. '51** (2400 Dug Gap Rd., Dalton, GA 30720; norville@alltel.net) has owned and managed Norville Industries Inc., a company that supplies raw materials to the carpet and rug industry. Three of his daughters are in the family business, which also includes real estate, farming and a yarn-fusion and air-splicing equipment company. Zack has a license to drive all heavy trucks, enjoys riding his 1946 Indian Chief, and flies the twin Apache aircraft that the company's owned for 36 years.

We heard from **Joseph P. Sullivan '51** (1407 Jackson Keller Rd., Ste. 5, San Antonio, TX 78213; usrepjoe@aol.com) in February. As a Democratic candidate for the 23rd congressional district of Texas, he was hoping to win the primary and challenge the incumbent representative this November. Joe is a professor of psychology at San Antonio College and a doctoral candidate. He also serves as pastor of the small, non-denominational All Believers Church. On Valentine's Day 2000, he married 227 couples on the Bexar County Courthouse steps. "We have been per-forming these free marriages since 1988 for residents here and it has turned into a very happy tradition!"

Marland W. Townsend Jr '52 (1174 Dover Ln., Foster City, CA 94404; mtownsend@fostercity.org) is chairman of Cetacea and serving as a city council member.

"Kappa Sigma made my years at Georgia Tech always memorable," writes **Lewis S. Nathanson '56** (788 Post Oak Dr., Mount Pleasant, SC 29464; ameaglellc@aol.com). He is an independent agent with American Eagle Insurance Agency. When he wrote earlier in the year, Lewis was looking forward to becoming a grandparent for the sixth time.

After 30 years at the helm of Sikes Schools, Beth and **Wayne T. Sikes '63** (1095 Bridgewater Walk, Snellville, GA 30078; wayne7740@aol.com) have sold their multi-school company to a large southeastern chain and retired. Wayne plans to remain active as a board member of the acquiring company. He also serves as chairman of both the Hospital Authority of Gwinnett County and the Gwinnett Hospital System.

William R. McCall '64 is president and CEO of WRM & Associates (P.O. Drawer 8010, Columbus, MS 39705). In 1998 and 1999, he was recognized as having the largest Service Master franchise in the States.

Stephen C. Perry '64 (132 Lakemont St., Shelby, NC 28150; scperry@msn.com) is an associate professor of business administration at Gardner-Webb University. He and Bonnie have built a theater in the basement of their home on Moss Lake and are shopping for a boat. Steve notes, "You might call all this 'grandchildren bait.'"

In November 1999, **Robert D. Allen Jr. '65** (275 Hunting Creek Dr., Marietta, GA 30068) retired from Lockheed Martin Aeronautical Systems after more than three decades with the company. He's looking forward to playing golf, doing some home projects and traveling with Marion, his wife of 32 years.

Peter G. Brown '75 (13481 Stowaway Ct., Solomons, MD 20688) is now working for Northrop Grumman as E-2C systems liaison to the Naval Air Warfare Center at Patuxent River, Md.

William F. Barnard '77 (1090 Balmoral Rd. N.E., Atlanta, GA 30319; bill-barnard@us.crawco.com) was promoted last fall to director of information technology at Crawford & Co. He is married to Kay and has three children.

General contractor **Scott A. Bradley '80** is president of Bradley-Barnes Construction Co. The business has grown considerably since its inception and is celebrating its fifth-year anniversary by moving to a new office. Check out the Web site at www.bradleybarnes.com. Scott has a new home address at 2604 Shandy Ln., Wilmington, NC 28409.

Charles B. Smith '82 (4442 Wonderland Dr., Louisville, TN 37777) worked for Alcoa for 10 years before going into business for himself as CEO of Evinco, a staffing service. The company has made the *Inc. 500* list three times and won many local awards in Tennessee over the years. Not long ago, Brad opened his fourth Evinco office in his home town of Atlanta.

Kurt Von Borries '80, a commercial real estate broker with Borries-Carr & Associates, found the Atlanta locations for the company. Brad, Kurt and **Chris Addleton '82** have gone hunting together in Georgia every spring and fall for the last two decades. In recent years, **Richard Weissinger '77** has joined them.

Michael J. Dudgeon '89 (3724 Somerset Rdg., Kennesaw, GA 30144; mdudgeon@mindspring.com), vice president of engineering at Radiant Systems, is building a new house in Forsyth County, Ga. He has three sons under the age of five.

Elwood N. Longenecker '90 has moved to 1155 E. 2100 S., #828, Salt Lake City, UT 84106. He is a family doctor and works short-term assignments. You can contact "Woody" on the Internet at doctor downhill@yahoo.com and check out his winter sports Web site at snowchasers.com.

In January 2000, **Christopher J. Finke '94** (1802 Springer St. N.W., Atlanta, GA 30318) was made a principal with Associated Engineering Consultants Inc.

Since publication of our last issue, we have learned of the death of **George L. Berryman '51** (11/19/99) and **James H. Wallace '53** (11/20/99). Kappa Sigma mourns their passing and extends condolences to their families and friends.

Welcome Our New Initiates

(All Class of 2004)

CAMERON COLLINS • Carrollton, Ga. • Architecture
JOHN GOODBREAD • Jacksonville, Fla. • Industrial Engineering
CRAIG JONES • Atlanta, Ga. • Industrial Engineering
LEE MEELER • Marietta, Ga. • Management
JESSEE MITCHELL • Kennesaw, Ga. • Mechanical Engineering
MATTHEW MORRIS • Marietta, Ga. • Physics
JEFFREY BLAIR MOSELY • Greensboro, N.C. • Public Policy
BRENT C. RHODES • Lilburn, Ga. • Management
PHILLIP RUTTERER • St. Louis, Mo. • Industrial Engineering

... and Pledges

(All Class of 2004)

JOSH CARMICHAEL • Athens, Ga. • Mechanical Engineering
B.J. HOLMES • Melbourne Beach, Fla. • Computer Engineering
BRANDON SEXTON • Lilburn, Ga. • Electrical Engineering



BROTHERS PARTICIPATED IN GREEK WEEK AT PIEDMONT PARK.

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