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Alumni Meet At DC Bar Crawl

The Alumni Association gathered for an impromptu reunion at the Annual DC Bar Crawl in Midtown on April 4, 2003.

At the seedy bar Recessions, twenty Alumni, both local and out of towners, new and old, toasted the bonds of Pi Kappa Alpha with the Pike Cheer.

Awed onlookers were envious of the strong brotherhood ties that existed long after graduation.

Atlantic City

The Alumni Association trip to Atlantic City in February 2003 was a huge success. Alumni Brothers from DC, New York, and elsewhere meet in AC for a two long stint of gambling and fun.

Brother Peter O'Donnell (Gamma – '97) said of his trip, "all the money I won went to the exotic dancer Ecstasy".

A special thanks goes to Dave Loos (Gamma – '97) for planning the successful event.

Association Annual Meeting

Time is quickly approaching for the Annual Alumni Association Meeting.

The Board of Directors is currently seeking suggestions as to the location of the event, which will take place the weekend of October 17-19.

If you have a suggestion for this year's location, please contact Brother Krustapentus by May 15, 2003.

Upcoming Events...

April and May 2003

- April 26th, 2003 – Alumni Paintball, Hogback Paintball Field, Virginia
- May 1st, 2003 – Alumni Association Founder's Day. Happy Hour at Old Glory. 6-8pm.
- March 17th – Happy Hour in celebration of St. Patrick's Day.

President's Corner

Dear Alumni Brothers:

The Alumni Association has had several successful events already this year and is planning several more. I want to recognize both Dave Loos (Gamma-'97) and Ron Piroli (Alpha-'97) in planning several events for the Alumni Association.

In late April the Alumni Association will be heading to Hogback Paintball facility in Virginia.

In May, the Alumni Association will hold a happy hour at Old Glory to celebrate the 1st anniversary of the Alumni Association.

Finally, the Alumni Association will sponsor a golf tournament this summer. Other items on the Alumni Calendar include a summer time BBQ and Pearl Jam Concert Tailgate party in July.

If you have additional suggestions for events, please contact Brother Dave Loos.

In the Bonds of φφκκ,

Brother Krustapentus

Gamma – '97

Kappa Upsilon Chapter Update

The Kappa Upsilon Chapter, under the leadership of outgoing SMC Seth Koslow (Kappa – '01), has made the final installment to Memorial Headquarters paying off the Chapter's debt to the Fraternity.

The Chapter had acquired substantial debt due to late and missed payments to the Self-Retention fund. Over the course of the past few months, the Chapter made considerable progress in collecting outstanding dues, curbing spending, and fundraising. Through their hard work, the Chapter will start the 2003-2004 academic year in good financial standing.

On April 4, 2003, the Kappa Upsilon sent six brothers, Chapter Advisor Steve Broderick (Old Dominion – '95), and Assistant Chapter Advisor Jim Krustapentus (Gamma – '97) to the University of West Virginia to install the 100 plus man colony

1st Annual Letter Drive

Have you moved recently? Cleaned out a dresser drawer or your closet? I am willing to bet that like me, you have a handful of Fraternity Letters, shirts, and other items that you no longer have use for.

Sure, if you office sponsors Letter day or Greek Pride you will be prepared, but if not this old shirts are just taking up space and may not even fit you post graduation body.

The Alumni Advisory Board would like to collect unused letters, shirts, etc, that are in good condition and donate them to the Kappa Upsilon Chapter.

If you have items to donate please feel free to contact Brother Evan Kaplan (epsilon – '98) to make arrangements. Brother Kaplan can be reached via email at evan_kaplan@gmaccm.com

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If you are not already a member and would like to sign up for the Alumni Association please send a check to: Pi Kappa Alpha – American University Alumni Association to the Alumni Association. Membership entitles each Alumni Brother voting privileges and invitations to all Association events. Dues are currently \$25 annually.