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## Rise to the challenge of change.



*Jason Milton, Grand Regent*

We are underway with lots of changes within the Fraternity. We see around us that the professional landscape is changing. So too is our great Fraternity. Our Fraternity continues to bounce back from the limitations of a pandemic. Our Central Office has undergone a complete overhaul over the last six months with regard to operations, personnel, technology, and security. Our chapter portal, ChapterSpot, has launched. In addition, we have made great strides in how we manage our financial accountability.

With such change, comes massive amounts of frustration, obstacles, debate, and difficult conversation. Our endeavors are no exception. We have already seen some hiccups with the portal launch. If each of these tasks was easy, we would have made these advancements many years ago. Change is not easy, but it is necessary for progress and for future success. We will continue to rise and advance beyond each challenge as it presents itself.

The support of our brothers has been, and will continue to be, pivotal in our continued advancement and success. Past Grand Regent Askew agreed to serve as our interim Executive Director during a time of great change and has responded to each task and challenge remarkably. At a time of potential instability, she brings great steadiness with her knowledge, work ethic, and willingness to serve.

As we move forward, I encourage all of our brothers to remain constructive during this time of change. We will continue to advance. We will continue to see great progress. We will continue to have struggles and barriers as we strive toward continued success. We should continue to offer solutions while avoiding excuses and place an emphasis on bringing light to solving problems. Each day, I am impressed by the ingenuity of our membership. Our future is bright and I look forward to continued progress with you all as we RISE TO THE CHALLENGE!

Honored to be your brother,

  
Jason Milton  
Grand Regent

*Gamma Upsilon brothers co-host a community outreach event at a Tucson elementary school with PediaCats, their CO's pediatric pharmacy organization. Brothers presented to 2nd and 3rd graders about pharmacy and engaged them in fun pharmacy related activities. The children learned about the roles of a pharmacist, medication safety and disposal, nutrition, healthy living habits, and more!*



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### On the Cover:

The 99 Hands of Kappa Psi are at work in our communities as brothers join together for the third annual Kappa Psi International Service Week! Pictured, Gamma Lambda brothers volunteer at Cradles to Crayons, helping provide less fortunate families with clean shoes and essentials.



Epsilon Upsilon chapter celebrates after initiating 19 new brothers.

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## Our professional net is woven from family

Brothers,

One of the benefits of our Brotherhood is the professional networking. But, annual APhA and ASHP meetings are more like family reunions for our Kappa Psi brothers, as we enjoy camaraderie while growing professionally. It warms my heart as I read the chapter reports of how our brothers gathered to study for finals and prepare for coursework together and then celebrated their achievements after. Our third annual Kappa Psi International Service Week took place in October. Philanthropy events are always fun when done with brothers. Liz and I look forward to joining other Pittsburgh Grad brothers every December for the annual Stuff-A-Bus toy drive for Toys for Tots. This year, we stuffed a record 66 buses with toys and then gathered for dinner and a night of catching up after. (See photo on page 12.) Our Kappa Psi network is woven tightly by a family of brothers!

Our brothers continue to amaze us with their lifelong accomplishments. Read about Brother Kevin Haarberg's contributions to cancer research at SDSU on page 4 and the award honoring Brothers Mickey Smith and Dewey Garner on page 6. They inspire us and make us all PTBYB!

Fraternally,

  
Cameron VanDyke  
EDITOR

# 3D Center Named in Honor of the Haarberg Family

Article written by Addison DeHaven, SDSU Communications

**South Dakota State University's College of Pharmacy and Allied Health Professions' 3D Center now has a new namesake—the Haarberg Center for Drug, Disease and Delivery Research, thanks to a transformational \$1.1 million gift from Kevin and Lorie Haarberg. Kevin is a 1979 graduate of the South Dakota State University College of Pharmacy and an alumni brother of Gamma Kappa chapter.**

“It takes a village,” said Omathanu Perumal, a professor and associate dean for research for the College of Pharmacy and Allied Health Professions, at the September 8 naming ceremony. “Several people have played an important part in this journey, starting with current and past deans of the college, current and past department heads for pharmaceutical sciences, university leaders, the SDSU Foundation, faculty colleagues, graduate students, researchers and, more important, Kevin and Lorie. A big thank you to all of them.

“It is an understatement when I say that the Haarbergs are intertwined with the college's research growth,” Perumal added. “The Haarbergs have been an important part of every major milestone in the college's research growth.”

The partnership between SDSU and the Haarbergs began in 2010, when the couple provided a gift that was instrumental in remodeling the cell culture facility in the Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences. As Kevin Haarberg explains, the reason they decided to focus their efforts on cancer research was because of his wife's own personal experiences.

“She lost both of her parents to this dreaded disease, plus she has always had a passion for the medical world, as witnessed by her many years of volunteerism at our local hospital and clinic,” he said. “For me, it was always about my love for SDSU in general, and the College of Pharmacy in particular. It



*Brother Kevin Haarberg (second from left) and wife Lorie join Barry Dunn, president of SDSU, and others at the naming ceremony of the new Haarberg Center for Drug, Disease and Delivery Research.*

was a perfect fit when Provost Dennis Hedge and the SDSU Foundation's associate vice president for development, Mike Birgen, mentioned the college was going to focus and expand the research side of the equation, and asked if Lorie and I be would be interested.”

The Haarbergs' partnership with SDSU continued in 2017 when they established the Haarberg Endowed Chair in Cancer Research, which helped the college recruit Komal Raina to campus, Perumal explained. The endowment also served as matching dollars to help secure state funding for the expansion of the research space for the Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences and for upgrading the SDSU animal facility.

The Haarbergs have included South Dakota State University in their estate plan, with a \$10 million gift intention.

“The big idea is to weave together diverse faculty expertise from across the university, together with experts and stakeholders from other universities and the private sector, to solve difficult diseases by repurposing existing drugs with finely optimized delivery,” said Daniel Scholl, vice president of research

and economic development at SDSU. “That is adding efficiency to effectiveness in health care. I cannot think of many things more relevant than that for SDSU research.”

In 2019, after a conversation between Perumal and the Haarbergs, the idea for the 3D Center emerged.

Grant funding for the center—a five-year, \$3.9 million grant from the South Dakota Research and Commercialization Council—was secured in large part because of the Haarbergs' continued support, which was critical in demonstrating the long-term sustainability of the center.

“With their initial investment in the Haarberg Center for Drug, Disease and Delivery Research of \$1.1 million, and their planned gift of \$10 million,” explained Dan Hansen, dean of the College of Pharmacy and Allied Health Professions, “the Haarbergs will ensure that the work being done here at SDSU will transform how we treat cancer and other emerging diseases, long into the future.”

The 3D Center builds on the college's research strengths in drug, disease and deliv-

ery systems to develop team science and collaborative research through partnership with the health systems and other universities in the state, Perumal said.

Drug repurposing, one of the major focus areas in the 3D Center, is using an approved drug for a new indication/disease, making chemical modifications to an existing drug, or repackaging the drug in a new delivery system to improve therapeutic efficacy and safety, Perumal explained. It takes approximately \$2 billion and around 12–15 years to develop a new drug. More important, only one in 10,000 compounds will succeed and make it to the market.

“On the other hand, repurposing an existing drug can reduce the cost and development time by half,” Perumal said. “In fact, there are around 3,000 approved drugs on the market, which provide a huge opportunity for developing new therapies.”

According to Perumal, around 30% of current therapies on the market use repurposed drugs. An example of a recently repurposed drug is Remdesivir, which failed in clinical trials for Ebola, but was used for the treatment of COVID.

SDSU will join a select number of universities in the United States that also have a drug repurposing center.

“Clearly, the Haarberg 3D Research Center is about scientific discovery for the betterment of people’s lives, but its impact is also through an integration of the scientific development into education,” Scholl said. “The graduate students who invest their time in 3D’s collaborating labs will draw on the center’s framework to launch careers as high-impact scientists. Students preparing to be the next generation of pharmacists are already seeing the systemically holistic 3D approach integrated into their education. Groundbreaking research and excellent education are tightly interwoven with one another. The Haarberg 3D Research Center shows how it’s done.”

“In addition to the 3D Research Center having a vision statement and a mission statement, we love that the SDSU team also has a goal to license a repurposed drug by 2030,” Kevin Haarberg said.

“This center will have a lasting impact in supporting and sustaining drug development research at SDSU,” Perumal said. “Kevin and Lorie—thank you for helping us translate the vision into reality.” ■



Southeast Province Grad Brothers Merial Chatila, Maya Patel, Matt Molk, and Lucas Zhou at Gainesville City Hall. Gamma Sigma brothers successfully advocated on behalf of the profession of pharmacy to have a proclamation to officially declare October as American Pharmacists Month.

## Kappa Psi Brotherhood

**Fosters industry, sobriety, fellowship, and high ideals; develops leaders with a passion for service to their community while creating lifelong personal and professional connections; inspires in its members a deep and lasting pride in their Fraternity and in the profession of pharmacy as they become leaders in pharmacy pursuing excellence in life.**

*Paying Tribute to Smith, Garner*

# Donors Create Pharmacy Administration Award

BY TINA H. HAHN/UM DEVELOPMENT, COURTESY OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPI FOUNDATION

The University of Mississippi's Department of Pharmacy Administration is celebrating its 60th anniversary, and two leaders who built the program are being honored with a new award in their names.

The Dr. Mickey C. Smith and Dr. Dewey D. Garner Pharmacy Administration Award honors the lives and legacies of the two Ole Miss professors and provides support for deserving students enrolled in the Pharmacy Administration Graduate Program. Two anonymous donors made a \$54,000 gift to start the award, and they are asking others to join them in growing the endowment.

Donna Strum, dean of the School of Pharmacy, expressed gratitude for the gift.

"This endowment is so special to me. While I was in graduate school, both Dr. Garner and Dr. Smith gave me opportunities to complete internships, to work on community pharmacy projects and to teach pharmacy courses. I am thankful that they invested in me, and I recognize that a big part of my success in pharmacy is because of them," the dean said.

"Everywhere I go, alumni ask me about Drs. Garner and Smith and proceed to tell me stories of how they were positively influenced by them. I am so grateful that these two donors have established an endowment to ensure that the legacies of Dr. Garner and Dr. Smith live on forever. Because of their generosity, future faculty and students will know the impact of these two faculty members and how we all continue to benefit from their contributions to the School of Pharmacy," Strum said.

One of the anonymous donors said, "Both Dr. Smith and Dr. Garner were longtime chairs of the department. They had an unselfish commitment to the Department of Pharmacy Administration, the School of Pharmacy and the University of Mississippi,



*Barbara and Dewey Garner*

and recruited professionals and students who made this program special.

"They not only taught so many about pharmacy administration but also about what it means to be a teacher, a scientist, a faculty member, a colleague and a friend. We want this award to recognize graduate students who exhibit extraordinary levels of service and commitment as they did."

There have been 129 M.S. theses and 112 Ph.D. dissertations completed by Pharmacy Administration graduate students over the years. The program sees 100% job placement in academia, industry and other health care areas.

"When you think of the Department of Pharmacy Administration at the University of Mississippi, you think of Dr. Mickey Smith and Dr. Dewey Garner. These two professors had considerable influence on so many people in such a positive way," said John Bentley, a professor of pharmacy administration and

an alumnus of the graduate program. "It is so fitting to have an award named in their honor. Our program is one of the best in the nation because of the culture they created."

Garner, a resident of Oxford, Mississippi, said, "I am extremely proud and fortunate to have had the opportunity to know personally every M.S. and Ph.D. graduate of this program. I just appreciate being along for the ride. The effort and achievements of our faculty and graduate students have been phenomenal."

As for the new award, Garner said, "Mickey and I shared a lifetime together; he was my mentor and friend. Sharing an endowment in the department we love is so special.

"I hope the endowment will provide the financial support and encouragement for the students to be of service to our department and to the discipline of pharmacy administration and the profession of pharmacy," Garner said.

Becky Smith of Columbus, Mississippi, daughter of the late Mickey Smith, said, "My dad would be so humbled by the creation of this award, especially sharing it in name with his good friend Dewey Garner. My dad shared a great wisdom with me at an early age. He told me he didn't care what I ended up doing when I grew up—I could dig ditches, empty garbage cans, paint walls or whatever but to just make sure I always loved what I did because I would spend most of my life doing it. And if you love it, he said, then you will always do your best, and he most certainly loved his work."

"Dad wrote his last book just two years ago—"Government, Big Pharma and the People: A Century of Dis-Ease"—and he was in his eighties! An amazing feat! And even after that book was published, he still jotted down ideas for other books that would be



*The late Mickey Smith with his now late wife, Mary*

beneficial for the industry. He said he knew someone else would have to write them, but he was constantly thinking of his profession and its future,” she said.

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The Department of Pharmacy Administration prepared Wesley Sparkmon, an assistant professor in the Department of Pharmacy Sciences at Creighton University’s School of Pharmacy and Health Professions.

“The opportunities I received within the Department of Pharmacy Administration have prepared me for a long and successful career as a member of the academy,” said Sparkmon. “While there are differences in every university in the day-to-day operations, the training on research methodologies, administrative functions and teaching techniques has given me a decided advantage as a new faculty member. UM’s department is

full of some of the best and brightest within the field of social, behavioral and health outcomes research in pharmacy.

“Graduate students are there for more than simply providing research assistance,” he continued. “Faculty within the Department of Pharmacy Administration genuinely care about their students and want to see them be the most successful versions of themselves, and that groundwork was laid by the namesakes of this endowment, Drs. Smith and Garner, whose reputations are the foundations of one of the finest pharmacy administration departments in the world.”

Smith, who died in July 2022, first came to the university in the 1960s, receiving the school’s second-ever Ph.D. in pharmacy administration in 1964. After a two-year stint in industry, he returned to UM as an assistant professor of pharmacy administration.

Smith made history in 1968 by becoming the first chair of the Department of Pharmacy Administration, a position he held for more than a decade. During this time, he became one of the most renowned figures in pharmacy administration, helping to define a relatively new field.

**The Dr. Mickey C. Smith and Dr. Dewey D. Garner Pharmacy Administration Award is open to accept gifts from individuals and organizations. To contribute, send a check to the University of Mississippi Foundation, with the fund written in the memo line, to 406 University Ave., Oxford, MS 38655; or online at <https://umfoundation.givingfuel.com/pharmacyadmin>.**

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Smith was a prolific author in pharmacy administration, editing or writing 21 books, serving as the founding editor of several journals, including the “Journal of Pharmaceutical Marketing and Management,” and publishing more than 400 articles in over 180 publications. He is widely credited with being one of the pioneers who studied the social and behavioral aspects of pharmacy and health care.

He funded the Mickey and Mary Smith Pharmacy Administration Endowment to support the department’s graduate students, faculty, travel and research projects.

Garner, professor emeritus of pharmacy administration and research professor emeritus in the Research Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences, served the Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity—the oldest and largest professional pharmacy fraternity in the world—in nearly every national office and as a member of almost every national committee. He wrote a book in 1993 on the Fraternity’s history. Kappa Psi recognized him for his extraordinary service to the pharmacy profession with the A. Richard Bliss Grand Council Citation of Appreciation in 2009.

Professor Garner served as faculty adviser to Beta Rho chapter at Ole Miss from 1971 to 2008 and the student chapter of the National Association of Community Pharmacists from 1993 to 2009. The School of Pharmacy selected him as “Alumnus of the Year” for 2009–2010, and the Mississippi Pharmacists Association inducted him into its Hall of Fame in 2009. He served on the Mississippi Medicaid Commission’s Drug Advisory Committee from 1971 to 1985 and was one of three pharmacists appointed to the Center for Medicare and Medicaid’s State Pharmaceutical Transition Commission.

Garner’s research interests included community pharmacy education, practice and management. He also focused his research on physician prescribing and drug consumption.

Garner and his wife, Barbara, established an academic scholarship endowment to assist future Ole Miss pharmacy students. ■

# KAPPA PSI International

Brothers,

Once again, I would like to thank everyone for your continued interest and dedication to serving your local communities as many of our schools are shifting back and forth between in-person, online, and hybrid models! During the fall semester, we hosted the third annual Kappa Psi International Service Week from October 2–8, 2022, and I want to send my sincere appreciation for everyone’s buy-in and unrelenting participation again this year. Similar to the previous Service Weeks, the Committee did not place any restrictions on which organizations should be supported and/or what the week’s events should entail. I was excited by the continued creativity displayed by our Brotherhood across the Fraternity as the details of the events poured in. After months of collecting data and sifting through the responses, we have tallied up all of the event information that we received from the third annual Kappa Psi International Service Week, and I am excited to share the updated and finalized results!

Throughout the week, our brothers reported the following:

- 49 events completed by 31 chapters, ranging from blood, food, and book drives to Halloween Fairs and miscellaneous community education
- 453 brothers participated and donated a total of 841 hours of time! To put that into perspective, we average five brothers participating across the Fraternity in a Service Week activity every hour throughout the week!
- In terms of supporting Reach Out and Read, we had 11 local book drives collecting hundreds of books and donated \$493 through our online portal during the events.

We had a 20% increase in reported number of brothers participating this year, and a 42.5% increase in reported brother-hours donated throughout the week! We are so proud of the #impact that our brothers continue to make in our local communities. Thank you for Rising to the Challenge, for repeatedly demonstrating what it truly means to be a Brotherhood rooted in High Ideals, and for helping make the third annual Kappa Psi International Service Week another resounding success!

Due to your continued support and enthusiastic participation, I am so happy to announce that we will be hosting another Service Week next year!

## The fourth Annual Kappa Psi International Service Week will be October 1–7, 2023

Respectfully Submitted,

Kelsey E. Johnson

Grand Ritualist

Philanthropy Committee Chair

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Jacksonville Grad Brother Matt Ruland donates the food collected during the chapter’s From Hunger to Hope collaboration.



ABOVE: Delta Upsilon brothers host a donut sale to benefit the Crohn’s and Colitis Foundation during Kappa Psi’s International Service Week.

RIGHT: Mu Omicron Pi brothers host a book drive for Reach Out and Read.



# Service Week OCTOBER 2022



Gamma Delta brothers created tie blankets to go in the care packages for patients undergoing chemotherapy as part of their Project Comfort campaign.



Beta Eta brothers volunteer at an American Red Cross Blood Drive.



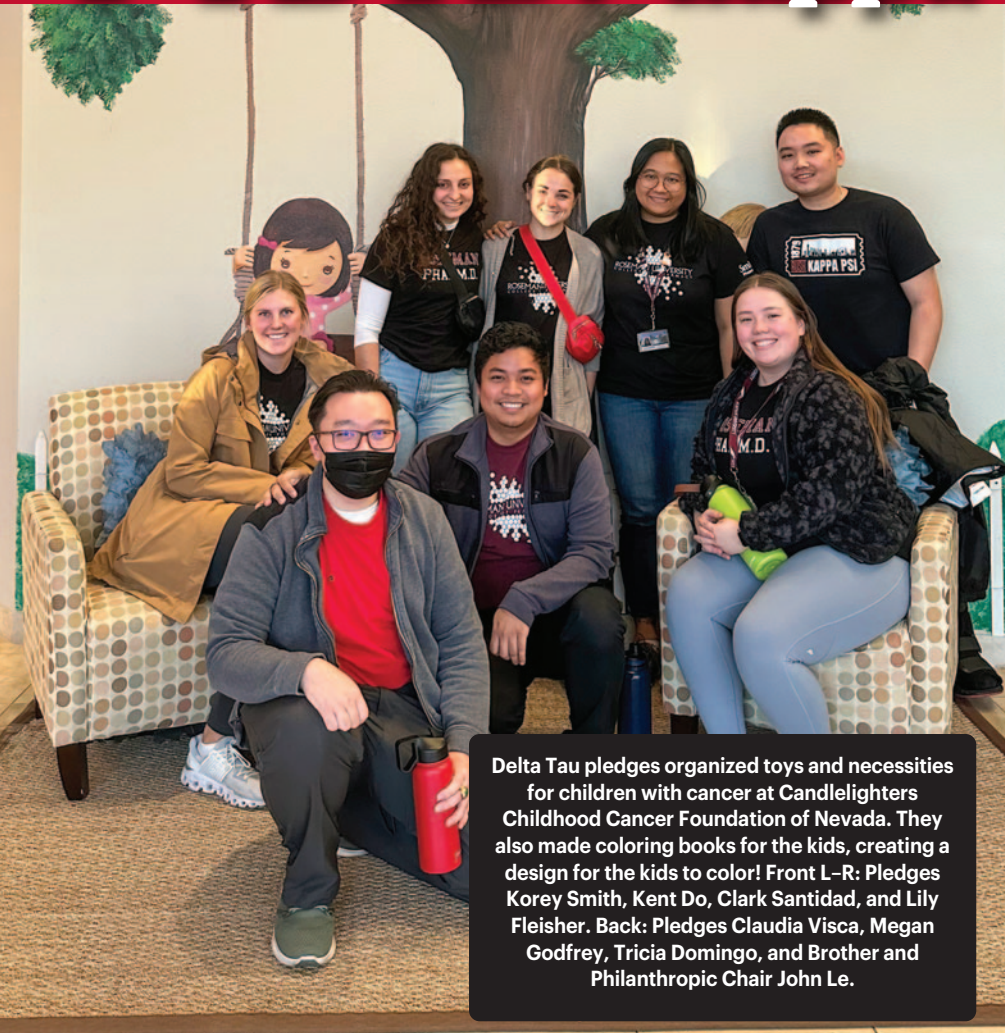
Delta Tau brothers and leaders of other Roseman student organizations gather for a picture in front of the bounce house at their Halloween Fair.



Epsilon Rho brothers volunteer at the Northern Illinois Food Bank.



# PTBYB! Kappa Psi brothers



Delta Tau pledges organized toys and necessities for children with cancer at Candlelighters Childhood Cancer Foundation of Nevada. They also made coloring books for the kids, creating a design for the kids to color! Front L-R: Pledges Korey Smith, Kent Do, Clark Santidad, and Lily Fleisher. Back: Pledges Claudia Visca, Megan Godfrey, Tricia Domingo, and Brother and Philanthropic Chair John Le.



Gamma Lambda brothers picked up 50 pounds of trash at the Muddy Water Initiative. The trash would have ended up in our waterways.



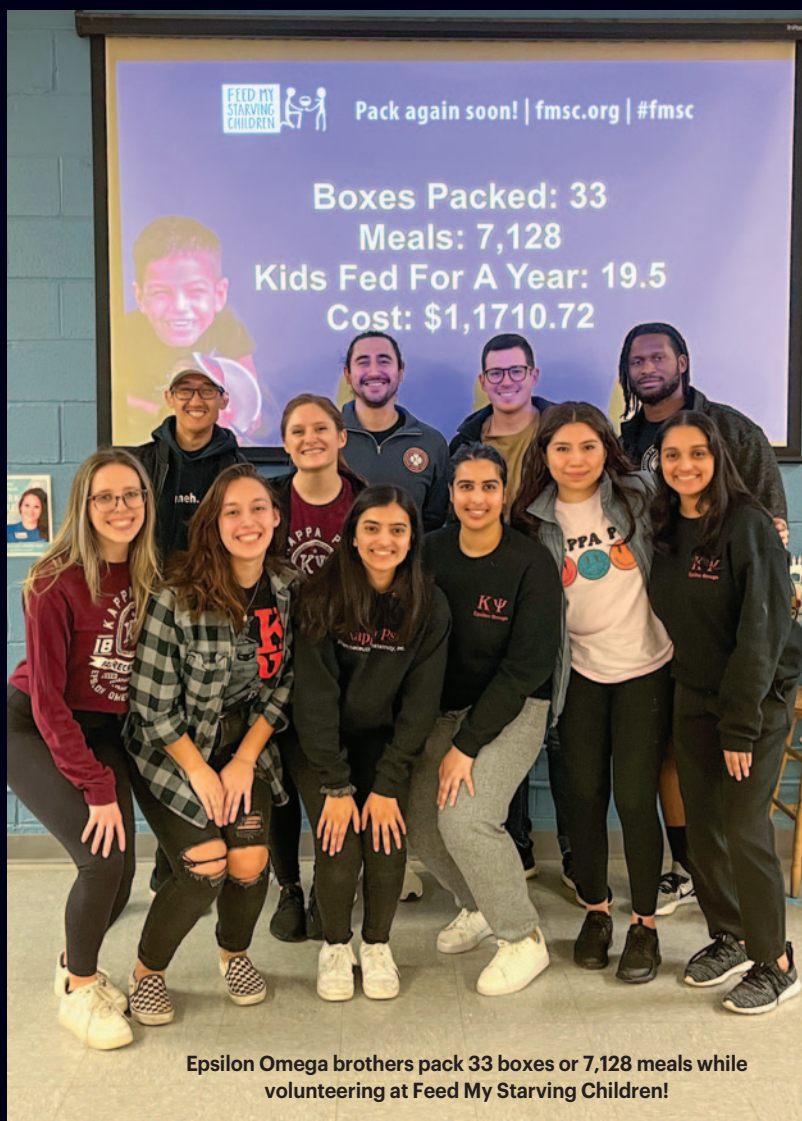
# making a difference!



**ABOVE LEFT:** Gamma Nu Brothers (L-R) Joey Nguyen, William Tong, Kylie Dang, and Sarah Paek at Gamma Nu's Medicare event they helped host in Lodi.

**ABOVE RIGHT:** Delta Kappa brothers are Agents of Narcan during their Marvel-themed Kappa Psi week.

**LEFT:** Beta Upsilon Brother Ariel Worthington, P2, shared her intern experience as a drug discovery and development intern in the Medicine Innovation Hub (MIH) at Eli Lilly with her chapter brothers. She worked on a bioinformatic project, completing work in R studio with the R coding language. She wrote a library of functions that is a tool for improving drug candidate selection, which is being used today.



Epsilon Omega brothers pack 33 boxes or 7,128 meals while volunteering at Feed My Starving Children!



For American Pharmacists Month in October, Gamma Rho brothers at the University of New Mexico College of Pharmacy went to one of the biggest roads in Albuquerque to celebrate and make the community aware of the significance of October for pharmacists.

# 99 Hands *of Kappa Psi brothers*



Beta Eta brothers celebrate initiation.



**INDUSTRY. SOBRIETY. FELLOWSHIP. HIGH IDEALS**

Brothers Becky Fahrenbruch and Tracy Anderson-Haag celebrate their (and their husbands') Silver Mortar awards at NPP assembly.

RIGHT: Pittsburgh Grad brothers and friends enjoy the annual Stuff-A-Bus toy drive for Toys for Tots. Brothers helped stuff a record 66 buses and then headed to a local burger joint for some fellowship and the traditional snickerdoodle milkshakes that also benefit Toys for Tots. Front Row (L-R): Liz Van Dyke, Sandy Johnson, Kate Anthony, Editor Cameron Van Dyke, Mason Smith (Kate's fiance) Back: Trisha Miller, Rich Nalichowski, and Grand Vice Regent Chris Miller.



## Atlantic Province

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**Next meeting:** Date to be determined hosted by Epsilon Zeta

**College chapters:** Theta, Beta Xi, Gamma Xi, Gamma Phi, Gamma Psi, Delta Lambda, Epsilon Delta, Epsilon Zeta, Zeta Xi, Zeta Rho

**Graduate chapters:** Athens Graduate, Atlanta Graduate, Buies Creek Graduate, Charlotte Graduate, Georgia Graduate, North Carolina Graduate, South Carolina Graduate, South Carolina Upstate Graduate, Virginia Graduate

*No reports submitted for Atlantic Province this issue.*

## Great Lakes Province

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**Satrap:** John Bradford

**Next meeting:** March 31–April 2, 2023 hosted by Upsilon in Lexington, Kentucky

**College chapters:** Xi, Upsilon, Beta Lambda, Beta Phi, Gamma Delta, Gamma Chi, Epsilon Theta, Zeta Epsilon, Zeta Omega, Mu Omicron Pi

**Graduate chapters:** Ada Graduate, Central Michigan Graduate, Cincinnati Graduate, Cleveland Graduate, Columbus Graduate, Detroit Graduate, Kentucky Graduate, Toledo Graduate

### ΒΛ Beta Lambda

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Beta Lambda chapter had an enjoyable time hanging out with brothers at GLP, as well as locally in Toledo, while caring for the community. Every brother who attended GLP stated how much fun they had.

We always look forward to Fall Formal. This year, we partnered with Lambda Kappa Sigma for the event and it was a great success!

Our brothers take pride in hosting the Veterans Day Breakfast. We borrow UT's basketball arena and provide the veterans breakfast as well as free blood pressure and glucose readings. Twice yearly, we take part in Drug Take Back Day at a local hospital to safely dispose of expired or unwanted medications for the community. We surveyed patients to see if Drug Take Back Day helps the community, and everyone who disposed of their medication told us, "Absolutely!"



*Beta Lambda brothers have a wonderful time hanging out together at the Great Lakes Province assembly.*



*Brothers make emergency evacuation leashes for the Cincinnati Animal Care shelter during the Great Lakes fall assembly, hosted by Beta Phi chapter.*

### ΒΦ Beta Phi

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Beta Phi had a great fall semester! We had an amazing pledge season and welcomed 21 new pledges. Our events

for the second half of the semester were a Halloween Social, Spaghetti Dinner, Field Night, and Big/Little Amazing Race where we had Big/Little Reveal at the end of the event. Beta Phi had the pleasure of hosting Great Lakes Province fall

assembly 2022 here in Cincinnati, Ohio. We had an incredible weekend full of brotherhood and philanthropy! We thank everyone who attended and helped make emergency evacuation leashes for the Cincinnati Animal Care shelter. We also had a Chipotle



Gamma Delta brothers hold a very entertaining Big/Little Reveal.

fundraiser event and were able to raise \$95 for Reach Out and Read. Beta Phi is proud that we were able to raise about \$300 total for Reach Out and Read during the fall semester.

As the semester comes to an end, we are going to celebrate the end of finals with an Ugly Christmas Sweater Social. As Beta Phi prepares for the spring semester, we are looking forward to initiation, the annual Brothers Retreat, executive board elections, and Spring into Action Week for a full week of philanthropy.

—Sheena Patel

**ΓΔ Gamma Delta**  
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Gamma Delta brothers have been very busy these past few months. In late October, we attended the 2022 GLP assembly in Cincinnati. On the same weekend, Ohio Northern University held its homecoming celebration. Our homecoming chairs, Abbi Kelley and Shelby Starkey, held a meet and greet with Ada Graduate chapter. Alumni brothers had the opportunity to spend time with current brothers and get to know our 2022 pledge class!

To get into the holiday spirit, we held a Halloween social along with the other professional pharmacy fraternities at Ohio Northern University. To continue the holiday cheer, the pledge class held a game night where brothers participated in Just Dance and a Euchre tournament. The pledge class also created a philanthropy project where they sold holiday cookies and hot cocoa. They quickly sold out of their supplies and were able to donate all their proceeds to our national philanthropy, Reach Out and Read.



Gamma Delta brothers take photos with their new families.

Due to the diligence of our new member educator, Atlee Carr, we held a very entertaining Big/Little Reveal. Atlee and his committee hosted a game show to see which brother would be the Big to each pledge! As the semester comes to an end, we are preparing for the initiation of the 2022 pledge class!

—Jenna Covey

**ΓΧ Gamma Chi**  
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Gamma Chi has been busy this semester. Our blood drive in early November exceeded our goal with 35 donors! A table was set up in the Eisler Center which allowed many students and staff to sign up to donate. We had a fun Brother Night where we carved pumpkins, had some pizza, and hung out. Around Thanksgiving, we had to cancel our Brothersgiving due to the

crazy amount of snow we received. Thankfully, it was successfully rescheduled and food was served at the house later that week. We plan to have Christmas cards with our photo sent out to friends and family around Christmas. Gamma Chi welcomed nine new brothers this semester.

—Gaona Yang

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Next meeting: Date to be determined hosted by Beta Rho

College chapters: Psi, Beta Rho, Gamma Zeta, Gamma Omega, Delta Gamma, Delta Eta, Epsilon Kappa, Epsilon Lambda, Zeta Upsilon

Graduate chapters: Auburn Graduate, Louisiana Graduate, North Alabama Graduate, Tennessee Graduate

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The University of Mississippi School of Pharmacy is preparing to wrap up the semester with finals quickly approaching. On October 1, our chapter hosted a tailgate for Kappa Psi alumni. This was a great opportunity for current and alumni brothers to gather and form connections, something our chapter is working to enhance. Earlier this semester, we hosted a book drive for Reach Out and Read and our Philanthropy Committee delivered the books to the Lafayette Pediatric Clinic. On October 12, our chapter hosted a Halloween movie night to raise money for our upcoming

Halloween party. Students, faculty, and staff all attended our Halloween party dressed in costumes and socialized about upcoming events occurring throughout the School of Pharmacy. Our chapter won the Halloween door decorating contest, hosted by the school, which provided publicity and demonstrated our chapter's presence on the Oxford campus. Lastly, during October, our scholarship highlights program recognized Eric Pham, P4, as Brother of the Month for his extensive commitment to our chapter.

In November, we sponsored a Thanksgiving canned food drive on both our Oxford and Jackson campuses to donate to local food pantries. November 10, we had our monthly chapter meeting followed by our Brothersgiving potluck. The potluck was held on both campuses this year. Our scholarship highlights program recognized Hunter Swindle, P4, as our Brother of the Month and acknowledged all he has done to better Beta Rho chapter.

Next semester, our chapter wants to continue to find ways to bridge the gap between our Oxford and Jackson campuses, as well as implement more opportunities for alumni to stay involved. We look forward to the initiation of our new brothers in February.

**Mid-America Province**

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Next meeting: April 14–15, 2023 hosted by Epsilon Rho in Rockford, Illinois.

College chapters: Pi, Rho, Chi, Beta Upsilon, Gamma Theta, Gamma Pi, Delta Nu, Epsilon Rho, Epsilon Upsilon, Epsilon Omega, Zeta Mu

Graduate chapters: Illinois Graduate, Indiana Graduate, Kansas City Graduate, St. Louis Graduate

This summer, we had 28 members at Grand Council Convention, including 12 new collegiate members at their first-ever GCC! Many graduates talked it up at the spring assembly and they're hooked after their first time. We hope to see continued, even increased, collegiate participation in two years. Several members completed the 5K both in the early morning heat and in air-conditioning on a treadmill.

This year as a philanthropy project, the Province is working to raise money for National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI). There are many affiliates nationally that provide advocacy, education, support, and public awareness



Mid-America brothers gather this summer at Grand Council Convention.



Regent Andra Raibulet and vice regent Josa Kerns celebrate Beta Upsilon's successful hosting of the Mid-America Province assembly!

success thanks to our co-social chairs, Tavin Cook and Kaytlin Bishop!

We began preparing our pledges for initiation in early October. Pledges and active members had the chance to bond at our pottery painting social. We then held our Pledge/Pop Reveal at our November GBM and played minute-to-win-it games while getting to know each other. Pledges then met before initiation to decorate paddles for their Bigs. On November 18, we initiated 19 new brothers!

—*Symone Abington*

### BY Beta Upsilon

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Fall semester 2022 has been a busy, informative, and collaborative semester. Beta Upsilon was privileged to host the MAP fall 2022 assembly in late October. The day prior to the event, our chapter organized a location for brothers to reconnect and experience Indianapolis. The final banquet was full of food, fun, and fostering relationships with other chapters of Kappa Psi.

Ariel Worthington, P2, shared her experience with the chapter from her internship with Eli Lilly's Medicine Innovation Hub as a drug discovery and development intern. (*See more on page 10.*)

We hosted many events in October and November. There were three Big/Little get-to-know-you nights: Ice Cream, Speed Dating, and Game Night. Our Big/Little Reveal was a great success, as Littles popped balloons that revealed the name of their Big. After the Reveal, the Little was introduced to their pharmacy family and had time to get to know them.



Hewon Park and Katie Doll greet brothers as Beta Upsilon kicks off MAP.

for mental illness. Our goal is to raise \$1,500 by March 1, 2023. Gamma Pi designed a colorful sweatshirt to sell as a fundraiser for this.

At our fall assembly, we were able to educate members about parts of the ritual including an interactive "match the sash to the position/person" activity. It was a fun learning activity for everyone.

—*Sarah Noble*

### P Rho

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In early October, Rho chapter received a service grant from The Central Office to use for our Service Week activities! We participated in Service Week by hosting the annual Reach Out and Read book donation drive. During our October general

body meeting, we wrote special individual messages inside of the books for the children who would be receiving them. The books were then donated to the Reach Out and Read center in Kansas City and to Mercy and Truth Medical Missions. We also made tie blankets for the animals at the local humane society in Lawrence during that GBM, and collected other pet items like collars, leashes, treats and toys to donate to the shelter. It was nice to connect with brothers and pledges while doing good for our community.

In late October, Lauren Dougherty (regent), Paige Putz (vice regent) and Pri Nath (MAP Chaplain) attended the Mid-America Province assembly held by Beta Upsilon chapter in Indianapolis. They had a great experience connecting with brothers from other chapters.

We hosted our 13th annual Pharmacy Fall Pageant for the KUSOP in early November. We were able to bring together students and faculty to have a great night together outside of the school, all while raising over \$1,000 for charity. Our regent-elect, Jaden Zhao, won the pageant! As the winner, Jaden chose to donate the money to National Alliance on Mental Illness. The night was a huge

## Beta Upsilon continued

To foster professional relationships, we hosted a panel of pharmacists who participated in a Q and A for brothers to learn about different careers and network. For philanthropy, we hosted a trivia night with a \$5 entry fee. We also hosted a giveback fundraiser. Currently, we are hosting a book drive to gather children's books to donate to Reach Out and Read. We are also holding a sweatshirt fundraiser to raise money for our chapter and Reach Out and Read. Kappa Psi participated in lawn games in "Pharmacy Phight Night" against members of Phi Delta Chi. It was a great turnout and our members won lots of games and got to spend time with their friends.

—Courtney Fella

## Gamma Theta

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Gamma Theta chapter has been busy with the holiday season and wrapping up the final events of the semester. We held our Trick or Treat event at a few of our members' houses where we had the pledges go around and get to know more of the actives. Our annual Halloween party featured a costume contest with the winner being Princess Mia from the "Princess Diaries." In November, we had a pledge/parent reveal event and initiated our new members into the chapter. Lastly, we held a service event at a local food bank and most of our active brothers were able to attend and help prepare packages for those in need in the area.

—Ethan Chanliogco

## EP Epsilon Rho

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After going through the pledging process, two new brothers were inducted into our chapter this semester. It was an honor to have P4 students, as well as graduate Brothers Patrice Davis and Becca Mousseau, attend our final event. Since we have had some difficulties increasing our numbers, we are looking for new strategies to promote the Fraternity and attract new members.

Epsilon Rho is currently planning for the spring MAP assembly April 14–15, 2023. Our chapter has the opportunity to host the event for the first time in six years and we are trying to make it as successful as possible.

In accordance with Kappa Psi's emphasis on professional development, brothers have been involved with the coordination of APhA-ASP's



Gamma Theta brothers at the annual Halloween party.



The brothers of Epsilon Omega celebrate a successful "Pie a Kappa Psi" fundraiser event!

clinical skills fair. During the event, educational presentations were offered to the pharmacy student body and, in particular, P1 students regarding diabetes, heart disease, and immunizations. Diabetes management and blood glucose measurement techniques, along with blood pressure measurement and its link with heart disease

management, were discussed in addition to immunization skills. Through participation, our brothers raised awareness of these health conditions, contributed to their own professional development and that of their peers, and promoted Kappa Psi.

—Bintou Timbiné

## EY Epsilon Upsilon

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Over the past few months, we have successfully initiated 19 brothers and now have an ideal size chapter with an up-close atmosphere! We had an after-



Newly initiated Zeta Mu brothers pose with their Bigs.



Kansas City Graduate brothers enjoy time together at GCC in Phoenix.

school event at a local bowling and gaming arcade to further bond as a chapter. Brothers have been able to rely on one another to help answer school related questions and seek support and advice as well.

—Taylor Hudik

**EQ Epsilon Omega**  
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Medicine and Science (RFUMS)

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During this quarter, our chapter had a “Pie a Kappa Psi” event to raise money. The event ended in a great surprise since we raised enough money to

also pie our faculty adviser, Dr. Bradley Cannon! This exciting break from classes brought the students together to have fun plus raise money for a great cause! Our brothers also volunteered at Feed My Starving Children and packed several meals to be shipped to Outreach Aid to the Americas, Inc./ECHO-Cuba located in Cuba.

Brothers enjoyed going to Jack’s Pumpkin Pop Up in October to explore the corn maze and decorations. In November, we had a potluck and enjoyed each other’s company during “Bro’s-giving.”

—Druti Shukla

**ZM Zeta Mu**  
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Zeta Mu chapter had an event-filled semester! Our new pledge brothers organized several activities, including a festive pumpkin carving and corn-hole tournament at a local park. Then, our chapter invited a PGY1 resident at a local hospital to come and speak about her residency experience. To prep for a busy exam week, we hosted a study night complete with pizza and a coloring room for study breaks! We had great turnout to these events and to our initiation and dinner afterward. Some of our P4 brothers even came back to share rotation advice and meet the new brothers. We officially added seven brothers to Zeta Mu chapter!

We are planning a volunteer activity at a local charity to round out our semester and look forward to all the new events next semester will hold!

**Kansas City Grad**  
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This summer, Kansas City Grad Brothers Arron Davis, Stephanie Forsythe, Sarah Noble, and Collin Wright enjoyed time in Arizona, connecting with collegiates from surrounding chapters. We look forward to enjoying a combined holiday/New Year get-together in the coming months.

—Sarah Noble

**Mountain East Province**

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**Next meeting:** April 14–15, 2023  
hosted by Delta Xi in Sterling, Virginia

**College chapters:** Sigma, Beta Eta, Beta Kappa, Delta Epsilon, Delta Kappa, Delta Xi, Epsilon Nu, Epsilon Omicron, Zeta Kappa

**Graduate chapters:** Buffalo Graduate, District of Columbia Graduate, Laurel Highland Graduate, Maryland Graduate, Maryland Eastern Shore Graduate, Northern Virginia Graduate, Pittsburgh Graduate, West Virginia Graduate

**BH Beta Eta**  
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Beta Eta chapter has stayed very busy. We had the pleasure of inducting two new brothers this semester. With only two inductees, we have been able to really get to know them and form strong connections prior to initiation. Our newly initiated Littles were given clues and gifts throughout the weeks leading up to initiation. They were then greeted at a small dinner hosted by their Bigs, where they discovered their family tree.

In October, we had our annual Fright Farm trip and hosted our annual Halloween Social. We had a great turnout and really enjoyed seeing all the creative costumes and everyone having a good time.

Brothers have also been involved with our community service activities. Our first blood drive of the year was a huge success with 33 total donors! We look forward to continuing this event, as it has been a favorite of many brothers.



Two new Beta Eta brothers, Tess and Val, with their Bigs, Abby and Maddie.



LEFT: Beta Kappa regent Katie McGraw was honored with the F. Harvey Smith Grand Regent's Letter of Recognition for her efforts in hosting the Province assembly. ABOVE: Dean Seybert joins Beta Kappa brothers at their annual pumpkin patch visit.

ers and students. Items were collected for fun Halloween-themed baskets that we delivered to WVU Children's Hospital for kids who were unable to go trick-or-treating. We also wrapped up our Reach Out and Read book drive where we collected 53 books to donate to our community. This month was also the annual Awesome Auction. At this event, all organizations of the School of Pharmacy donate themed baskets and items/services that are auctioned off to staff and fellow pharmacy students. We were able to raise nearly \$500 for Beta Eta during this event! This was a huge success for our chapter, and we are thankful for our brothers and the executive board for donating. It was a great evening and an entertaining time for students and teachers to spend together outside of classes.

We will be providing Chick-fil-A for lunch at our next general meeting before finals as a treat for brothers and a thank-you for all their hard work this semester. In January, we will be hosting our annual Back-to-School Social and annual Ski Trip weekend.

—Mary Sizer

**BK Beta Kappa**  
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Our chapter hosted the annual Haunted House visit for brothers and membership candidates (MCs) as part of the Halloween festivities which scared people together if they were not close already. We also had white T-shirt night, candlelight, and grad night, and the annual pumpkin patch visit. Before Thanksgiving break, we hosted Scav night which saw MCs spending time together to practice and perform skits, poems, and a cappella performances to demonstrate their



Delta Epsilon brothers pose for a picture at the Mountain East Province assembly hosted by Beta Kappa on October 29.

unity. We were thrilled to welcome back Dave Maszkiewicz, our grad brother who has previously served as Beta Kappa regent and Kappa Psi Grand Regent, for what has become an annual tradition where he shares his rich experiences with the Fraternity over the past three decades. We ended the night with lots of food, laughter, lessons, and memories.

You knew it was coming—the highlight of this semester has been the Mountain East Province assembly hosted by our chapter in Pittsburgh! The Halloween extravaganza started with a social at Mario's in Oakland

where brothers from all over the country were able to reunite and enjoy a night of music, dancing, good food, and great conversation. Visiting brothers were able to enjoy the many delightful sights that Pittsburgh has to offer.

The meetings on October 29 saw brothers walk in dressed for business. Brothers attended workshops with our professor, Dr. Alexis Gaggini, on professionalism, and a risk management presentation on Robert's Rules was presented by regent Katie McGraw. The masquerade banquet that night was filled with good food, honoring

MEP veterans, and celebrating us as an organization.

We are thrilled to have our very own Maggie Schmidt as MEP Chaplain and the incredible Vincent Knecht return as Satrap. Our resident creativity director, Ruth Li, brought back the MEP Creative Outlet Scholarship. Our regent, Katie McGraw, was honored with the F. Harvey Smith Grand Regent's Letter of Recognition for her efforts in hosting the Province despite many hurdles. We were thrilled to have so many brothers join us for what has been a wonderful MEP!

—Michelle Gonsalves



Delta Kappa and DC Grad brothers gather with founder of Delta Kappa, Dr. Ofosu, as they celebrate the retirement of Brother Dr. Frederic Lombardo.



Pittsburgh Grad Brothers Kate Anthony, Liz Van Dyke, and Jackie Bywaters show off their costumes before the Friday night social at the Mountain East Province fall assembly in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.



Brothers of Epsilon Omicron enjoy the annual Back-to-School Barbecue and look forward to rush '22.



DC Grad brothers attending "Black Panther: Wakanda Forever."

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We are very excited to welcome three new brothers this semester from our rush campaign led by pledge educators, Dawson Green and Matt Smith. We also hosted three very successful social events: a night at Topgolf, a Yoga Night, and Friendsgiving!

Delta Epsilon is proud to announce that two of our brothers were elected to the Mountain East Province E-Board at the fall Province assembly. Michael Amato (regent) was elected to the position of Parliamentarian and Michael Hair (vice regent) was elected as Treasurer.

—Allison Covert

**ΔΚ Delta Kappa**  
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Our Kappa Psi week followed a Marvel theme and featured events such as Multiverse of Motivation, Winter Service, and Agents of Narcan (see photo on page 11). Here are a few highlights from that week as we give back to the school, community and educate students.

Howard University College of Pharmacy celebrated the retirement of a pharmacy legend. It was an amazing opportunity to connect with our alumni brothers and even our very own founder of Delta Kappa, Dr. Ofosu, as we came together to celebrate the retirement of Dr. Lombardo.

Our vice regent of community service, Brother Ayona Shelton, coordinated a successful blood drive. Our brothers were able to donate and collect enough blood to save 65 lives!

**District of Columbia Grad**  
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DC Grad brothers have celebrated brotherhood and scholarship over the last few months. We were present during the award ceremony of the Dr. Sean D. Boynes Leadership and Mentor Scholarship to five deserving Howard University College of Pharmacy students. Brother Boynes touched many in the DC Grad chapter. Congrats are in order for Johnny Yoko-Uzomah on his recent nuptials

**Pittsburgh Grad**

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Pittsburgh Grad had a fun-filled MEP assembly in our own backyard this fall. Thank you to Beta Kappa for hosting the Halloween meeting. We look forward to seeing everyone again in the spring. Brothers got involved in a couple of charitable activities, including the #GivingTuesday fundraiser for Reach Out and Read and the annual Kiss 96.1 Stuff-A-Bus event to benefit Toys for Tots. This was the chapter's fifth year of participating in Stuff-A-Bus and this year, we helped to stuff a record 66 buses! We then headed to a local burger joint for some fellowship and the traditional snickerdoodle milkshakes that also benefit Toys for Tots.

## Northeast Province

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Next meeting: April 28–30, 2023  
hosted by Beta Epsilon in Providence,  
Rhode Island

College chapters: Beta Epsilon,  
Beta Omega, Gamma Lambda, Delta  
Omicron, Delta Chi, Zeta Beta, Zeta  
Zeta, Zeta Iota, Zeta Nu, Zeta Pi

Graduate chapters: Albany Graduate,  
Boston Graduate, Connecticut  
Graduate, Harrisburg Graduate, Maine  
Graduate, New York Graduate, Pocono  
Graduate, Providence Graduate

### BE Beta Epsilon

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This year, with the help of our hard-working pledge trainers Liam Furlong and Tessa Huelsman, we have 25 pledges who will be great additions to our chapter. They take their national exam in November and initiation is planned for early December. We have several graduate brothers making the trip back for initiation and we are excited to share this moment with them. Before Thanksgiving, we held our annual pledge football game which was a big hit with everyone. It was nice to see the comradery of brotherhood!

Our brothers have been working diligently to stay active. Philanthropy chair Alyssa Carneiro held multiple successful events. She coordinated a great turnout to the Light The Night Walk in Providence, Rhode Island, to support the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society. We even had professors within the College of Pharmacy support our chapter's donation to the Society. In November, we held a fundraiser to support victims of Hurricane Ian at Applebee's. Most notably, our chapter got vocal with our Kappa Psi Idol. Our pledges and brothers lip-synched to popular songs to raise money for Reach Out and Read.

To celebrate a wonderful year, Beta Epsilon recently took a trip to the Providence Bruins game. Many brothers showed up early to eat and do holiday shopping at the Providence Mall.

—Jake Lowe

### BΩ Beta Omega

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Beta Omega brothers continue to practice one of the core tenets of a pharmacist, which is community ser-



Beta Epsilon brothers and graduates reunite and make new memories at this year's fall Northeast Province.



Beta Omega brothers stand by their Salvation Army donation box located in the lobby of Temple University School of Pharmacy. (L–R): Alex Fleschar, Edward Hagan, Rohail Bilal, Gabriel Vivas, Bryce Moyer, Olayori Oseni, Devin Kenny, and Dennis Nyamwaro.

vice. We partnered with The Salvation Army for a second time to host a clothing drive. Students and faculty of Temple University School of Pharmacy donated gently used clothing items that were later taken to The Salvation Army for sale at their stores. The profits from the donated clothes go to impoverished families struggling in the Philadelphia area. Giving back to the community of Philadelphia is very meaningful to the brothers and we look forward to these events to aid those in need.

### ΓΛ Gamma Lambda

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Gamma Lambda brothers have been heavily invested and involved with the community, volunteering at Cradles to Crayons to provide local, less fortunate families with clean shoes and essentials. We also participated in the Muddy Water Initiative where we managed to fill four trash bags, totaling 50 pounds, which would have ended up in our waterways.

### ΔO Delta Omicron

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Brothers spent time this semester volunteering at the local women's shelter, the local animal shelter, packing boxes of food for the homeless, and much more! We hosted a cornhole tournament, where we donated all the proceeds to our Co-GCD, Dr. Marie Roke-Thomas's annual backpack project. She will use the money to purchase supplies to put together back-



Host chapter, Delta Omicron, collegiate and graduate brothers gather for a picture during the Northeast Province assembly.



Zeta Pi Brothers Marco Ghiozzi, Shakhzoda Rakhimova, and Christian Porcu at Province!



Gamma Lambda chapter of Kappa Psi is proud to present the newly initiated Kappa Class!



Delta Chi brothers enjoy the annual apple picking event, allowing brothers and potential new pledges to get together!

packs to give to those in need in the Wilkes-Barre area. We also hosted our annual golf tournament, which was very successful! We were able to donate \$3,000 to Reach Out and Read. A special thank-you is given to our golf tournament chair, Phil Davis, who spent months making sure the golf tournament was possible! Everyone has been enjoying helping the community and spending time with each other!

Delta Omicron is excited to announce that our chapter has 13 new brothers as of November 18, 2022.

**ΔX Delta Chi**  
*University of New England*  
**Founded 11/19/2011**  
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Delta Chi has had a wonderful year, hosting multiple events and bringing together our brothers. To start, we held an apple picking event with Alpha Zeta Omega. We also hosted a "Minute to Win It" game night, where brothers and potential pledges teamed up to play some team bonding games. Recently, brothers came together for Brothersgiving to have a Thanksgiving

dinner before break. We had a great turnout with lots of students and faculty coming together!

Our chapter is eager to begin our pledge recruitment events in the spring! We will have our speed dating and iron chef this year. At the iron chef competition, pledges will work together to prepare a dish and then will be judged by current brothers. We also have a night of bowling planned, which will allow for the new pledges to meet all the brothers. Our chapter is also very excited to participate in winter warmup again this year.

We will be raising money for children during the holidays, allowing them to cross items off their wish lists and get new clothes.

**ZII Zeta Pi**  
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**Founded 5/14/2016**  
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Zeta Pi has had a busy semester so far! We held two fundraisers, Chick-Fil-A and Gong Cha Bubble Tea, and both were a great success. Our Professional Committee hosted a Residency & Fellowship Panel event



Zeta Pi brothers host one of their many fundraisers this semester!

led by Kristen Thomas with our graduate brothers who are partaking in a postdoctoral fellowship or residency. It was a very informative event with over 60 students participating from the College of Pharmacy. A few of our brothers attended NEP this month in Wilkes Barre, Pennsylvania. A huge thank-you to Delta Omicron for hosting Province and congratulations to our very own Ralph Scarpitti for successfully leading his first Province assembly as Satrap. We are proud of you! We also congratulate Marco Ghiozzi, Shakhzoda Rakhimova, Hanna Song, Jonathan Bishop, and Omar Elhoriny for being recognized at the College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences Award Ceremony for their accomplishments and dedication to the profession of pharmacy! Zeta Pi is looking forward to initiation and welcoming our newest class of brothers very soon!

### Harrisburg Grad

**Founded 12/1/1930**  
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In March of 2022, a few brothers in the Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, area got together and created a plan to revitalize the chapter. Fast forward to the Grand Council Convention, which was held at the Arizona Grand Hotel in

Phoenix Arizona, in July. Five members of the chapter attended and held a meeting where new officers were elected and the revitalization plan was put into action. New officers include regent Leslie Shumlas, vice regent Landon Bordner, secretary/treasurer Jennifer Mitchell, historian Mike Starvaggi, and chaplain Jean Starvaggi.

Since April, the chapter has concentrated on getting more brothers from the Harrisburg vicinity. We presently have 14 brothers and one attended the spring Northeast Province assembly. Thanks to Brother Leslie Shumlas, we donated a basket to the raffle that was held. Three members of the chapter attended the fall 2022 Northeast Province assembly, held the weekend of November 11, hosted by Delta Omicron. Again, thanks to Leslie, we donated a basket for this assembly also. Harrisburg Grad is excited to get reinvolved in the Fraternity. If anyone in the Harrisburg or Philadelphia area is interested in continuing the growth of the chapter, please contact our regent at leslie.shumlas@gmail.com. Some quick history about the chapter: The chapter paid a whopping \$25 charter fee and had 12 brothers in 1930.

—Mike Starvaggi



Jennifer Mitchell, Mike Starvaggi, and Leslie Shumlas represent Harrisburg Grad at the Northeast Province assembly in November 2022.

### Northern Plains Province

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**Satrap:** Karina Rauenhorst

**Next meeting:** April 14–16, 2023  
hosted by Gamma Kappa in Brookings, South Dakota

**College chapters:** Epsilon, Beta Nu, Beta Sigma, Beta Chi, Beta Psi, Gamma Epsilon, Gamma Kappa, Delta Zeta, Delta Psi, Zeta Theta

**Graduate chapters:** Iowa Graduate, Minnesota Graduate, Nebraska Graduate, North Dakota Graduate, South Dakota Graduate, Wisconsin Graduate

Northern Plains had an incredible weekend at our fall Province assembly in Iowa City this November! Delta Zeta's new College of Pharmacy building was an excellent backdrop for the 20th NPP assembly. Our 160+ brothers in attendance learned from speakers on public health and caring for transgender patients, elected our new 2023 Province Executive Council, and enjoyed fellowship at the many social events. Additionally, brothers raised \$680 and collected 466 books for Reach Out and Read and collected almost 600 OTC/toiletry items to

donate to Delta Zeta's local shelter philanthropy. Shout-out to Delta Psi for collecting the most items and taking home the PhilanTrophy!

We were also able to recognize our brothers who were honored with GCC awards, brothers who have attended all 20 NPP assemblies, and our brothers receiving Silver, Ruby, and Golden Mortar awards at our Saturday night banquet. Their commitment and service to our Province is greatly appreciated, especially our outgoing Satrap, Jaelyn Pulkrabek, who received her Frank H. Eby Award at assembly. As we move into 2023, we hope to see many of you in South Dakota this spring!

**ΒΣ Beta Sigma**  
North Dakota State University  
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Almost half of our chapter, including many neophytes, attended the Northern Plains Province assembly in Iowa City and had a wonderful time. We are proud to announce our brother, Evan Johnson, is the new NPP Secretary, and that our chapter won the travel trophy. Many of our members are eager to attend the next NPP assembly in Brookings, South Dakota.



*Beta Chi families after our annual bonfire!*



*(L-R): Gary Van Ripper, Zach Russell, Dawn Erdman, and Jami Schell are recognized for attending all 20 Northern Plains Province assemblies.*



*Delta Zeta regent Spencer Heggen (right) and vice regent Hannah Nebel (left) are all smiles after a successful Province assembly.*

Because one of our chapter goals is to bond more with our alumni, we collaborated with them during the homecoming tailgate and had a great time catching up. We always love hearing their insight on how to become successful pharmacists, and we look forward to similar events in the future.

—Makenna Hesch

**BX Beta Chi**  
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Beta Chi brothers have been working very hard, going through various policies in the policy manual, planning for activation, holding elections, and finding ways for brothers to socialize.

We recently activated all 12 of our pledges! Our Courtesy Week was composed of events such as Jeopardy, a Bingo night, and the baby game so brothers could connect with the pledges. We are so excited for our newly activated members to be part of our chapter!

The chapter had a bonfire and a pledge dad reveal, where each pledge got to find out the identity of their dad. Brothers bonded together over games, food, and S'mores.

Beta Chi continues to keep up with academic excellence. Brothers have been holding weekly Bro Hours to get some studying in and tutor each other. We planned a successful rotations panel, allowing our third-year pharmacy brothers to get to know the different rotation sites. We held a residency panel that allowed brothers to learn about the residency program and the path that an alumni brother took to get to where he is today!

—Amisha Tayal

## ΓΚ Gamma Kappa

South Dakota State University

Founded 10/18/1958

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In October, our chapter raised funds for Reach Out and Read by doing Penny Wars between the classes. It was a lot of fun, and the money raised will promote reading in our local community. In November, a Meet the Executive Committee and Coloring Night gave future brothers the opportunity to become familiar with our Brotherhood. For Halloween, we had a pumpkin carving and painting night, and in November, we had a Brosgiving dinner.

Seven new brothers were initiated into the chapter: Jack Carlson, Tucker Wieneke, Cassidy Harpenau, Riley Williams, Colton Hansen, Eric Levitt, and Kaylen Hoffbeck, who was voted best pledge. We're very excited to have them join the Fraternity and provide Kappa Psi, and the pharmacy community, with everything they have to offer. Gamma Kappa chapter would like to congratulate our GCD, Gary Van Ripper, for receiving the Golden Mortar award for his 50+ years of brotherhood with Kappa Psi.

## ΔΖ Delta Zeta

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Delta Zeta has been hard at work this semester! On top of ensuring that we keep up with our coursework, we hosted various fun events including the fall 2022 Northern Plains Province assembly, with approximately 175 attendees!

At the end of October, we officially welcomed 13 new brothers. Our chaplain, Delayne Glasgow, and pledge trainers MaKayla Hoing, Abby Crowner, Dante Vicini, and Christ Tran did an AMAZING job at teaching our new brothers about the history and values of Kappa Psi.

November was a busy time as we started off the month hosting the NPP assembly! The night before the assembly, we held a pizza party social with our brothers from the Iowa Grad chapter and Beta Chi chapter. It was great to reconnect with brothers in person again! The following day was filled with Kappa Psi reports and updates, including two very educational presentations by Dr. Marie (Moser) Navis and Lt. Alan Patterson, who talked about providing quality care to the LGBTQ community and how public health can tie in with pharmacy. We were also honored to have Dean Don Letendre from the University of Iowa provide brothers with words of wis-



Beta Sigma brothers in Iowa City for the 2022 fall Northern Plains Province assembly.



Gamma Kappa fall 2022 initiates.

dom. Once we finished the business portion of the assembly, our brothers took it back to the Roaring '20s to celebrate brotherhood in Kappa Psi. Keynote speaker Dean Susan Vos shared her inspiring story and reminded us to "Breathe, Listen, & Go." Her speech really motivated brothers and it emphasized the idea that it is perfectly fine to make mistakes as "there is

beauty in the valley." Afterward, it was time for awards and our chapter took the cake with the BEST chapter report of the NPP chapters! We ended the night with music and dancing. The assembly was a major success, and we are so grateful for Brothers Spencer Hegggen, Hannah Nebel, Chyan Decker, and Sarah Hou who planned and hosted the weekend.

The chapter also hosted an assortment of events that targeted our Fraternity pillars. These events included a naloxone presentation from Dr. Ben Miskle and Dr. Heidi Wood, a CV workshop, a blood drive, and a volleyball and basketball social. We will be ending the term with a potluck social for our chapter.

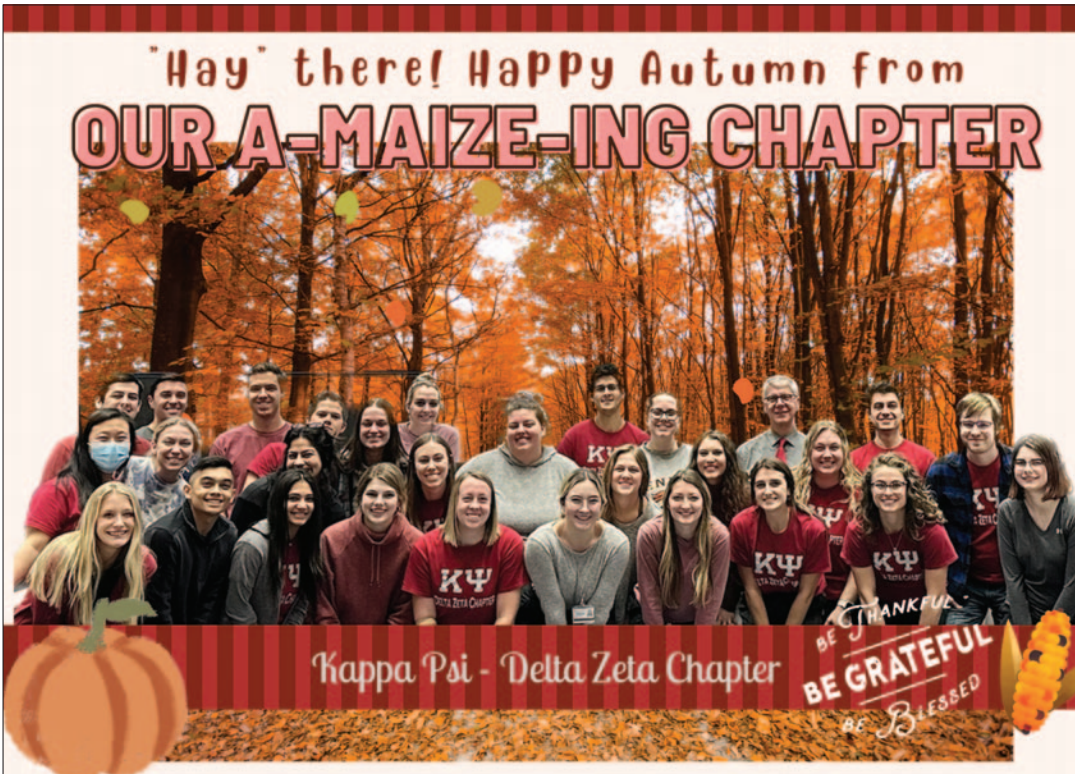
—Kelly Vu



Iowa Grad selfie! Brothers caucus at the fall NPP assembly business meeting.



Gamma Kappa and SD Grad brothers at NPP assembly.



NPP chapters were tasked with making holiday cards to share chapter updates for the chapter report contest at Province assembly. The winning card belonged to Delta Zeta.

**ZΘ Zeta Theta**  
 Concordia University  
 Founded 1/31/2015  
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Zeta Theta brothers have kept busy with general chapter meetings, social events, initiation, and taking part in Mental Health Week at school. Our new brothers are enjoying integrating with the rest of the group and the Bigs are setting high ideals for them.

Initiation certainly came quickly, and we welcomed nine new brothers to Zeta Theta! In November, our graduate and collegiate brothers attended Northern Plains Province, hosted in Iowa City, Iowa. They carpooled and reminisced on the time we hosted NPP last spring right here in Milwaukee. We also took part in the NPP Philanthropy Challenge Drugstore Drive by collecting personal hygiene items. The same weekend of

NPP, our Social Committee hosted a Game Show Battle Room outing where brothers had a great time working as a team on various games like Match Up Wars and Time Rush Games.

Mental Health Week is a new initiative on campus where each pharmacy student organization is assigned one school week to plan events revolving around mental health. For our week, Zeta Theta brothers decided to mix

things up and have one event each day for the students. This came at a perfect time since the student body was prepping for finals right before the Thanksgiving break. Our events consisted of a Praise Wall where we encouraged students to write notes of gratitude to professors, administration, and other students. The Coloring Page Pause was to promote coloring inside or outside the lines to relieve all the built-up stress that has accumulated over the semester. The last event of the week was more of a reward—Sweet Treats and Stickers. This was meant for pharmacy students to grab a sweet treat and some cute mental health stickers for their laptops, water bottles, etc. Overall, this week was a success and we look forward to hosting it again next year!

**Iowa Grad**  
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Iowa Grad brothers were happy to attend the last NPP assembly in Iowa City this fall. We had an Iowa pizza social on Friday night with brothers from Delta Zeta, Beta Chi and Iowa Grad. At the business meeting, Brother Marie Navis gave an informative presentation regarding LGBTQ care. Delta Zeta did a fantastic job hosting! We will be having our next Iowa Grad winter meeting in January.

**Wisconsin Grad**  
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This fall, WI Grad attended Beta Psi and Zeta Theta recruitment workshops, prospective member events, questionings, and initiations.

During our fall meeting, we held elections and our updated executive



WI Grad at 2022 NPP fall assembly in Iowa City, Iowa.



Iowa Grad Brother Justin Graff found his collegiate picture on the University of Iowa alumni wall during the last NPP assembly in Iowa City.

board is as follows: regent Kayla Rackow, vice regent Lauren Cartledge, secretary Mark Cinquegrani, treasurer Steve Shuda, chaplain Kaytlyn Dummer, and historian Zach Miller. We had several Good of the Order announcements that consisted of new babies, weddings/ engagements, new jobs, and association appointments.

The UW Madison homecoming football game ended with a win for the team and a celebration with postgame

donuts on Regent Street. WI Grad brothers enjoyed time with collegiates and graduates from across the Province at the fall NPP assembly in Iowa City.

Recently, WI Grad chapter invited graduates and collegiates to a Madison Capitols hockey game, gathering brothers from Madison and Milwaukee, where our collegiate chapters reside.

—Zach Miller

## Northwest Province

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**Next meeting:** Date to be determined hosted by Zeta Omicron in South Jordan, Utah

**College chapters:** Beta Omicron, Beta Pi, Gamma Eta, Delta Mu, Epsilon Xi, Epsilon Pi, Epsilon Chi, Zeta Omicron

**Graduate chapters:** Idaho Graduate, Montana Graduate, Palouse Graduate, Portland Graduate, Seattle Graduate, Utah Graduate, Vancouver Graduate

## BO Beta Omicron

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Autumn quarter has been flying by so fast and as we approach finals, our chapter is booked! We completed our rush season with six events: information session and pizza night, scavenger hunt, speed debate, mafia night, and bowling! Pledge educator Tran Trinh created our rush schedule with hybrid options for in-person and virtual events so more brothers could attend. We welcomed 23 pledges this fall!

Our officers have been busy organizing pledge events for the new pledges and for our brothers. Social coordinator Jared Hebreo organized our classic Dinner for Four Social where brothers are randomly matched and meet at a designated restaurant. We paired this social with an outreach

incentive and donated \$2 for every participating brother toward “Any Hungry Husky,” which provides food assistance to those in the UW community. Jared took in everyone’s dietary restrictions, schedule, and transportation needs to make sure everyone had a great time.

Our chapter values developing professional skills as we aim to be the best pharmacists possible! Vice regent Toby Ven organized a CV workshop for our brothers and pledges! Our officers and pledge family heads were in attendance to show support and review the pledges’ CVs. GCD Dr. Blaze Paracuelles was also there to lead the workshop. To further develop our professional skills, Toby is preparing a clinical skills workshop for December.

Our community outreach coordinator, Michelle Tran, brought back two Adopt-a-Street events in fall quarter! The second event included our pledges and we all helped clean the streets on University Avenue in Seattle. Beta Omicron also partnered with Asian Counseling and Referral Services (ACRS) for a Food & Essentials Drive. Our brothers had the opportunity to donate supplies/toiletries, non-perishable food items, or make a financial contribution.

—Kimhiek Om

## BII Beta Pi

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Fall quickly turned to winter in Spokane, but the snow didn’t stop our chapter from having an eventful pledge season. Popular events included the Green Bluff Pumpkin Patch, a scary movie night fundraiser, a Halloween party, percentage nights at local restaurants, and speed dating. We all looked forward to the Big/Little Reveal event held by chaplain Kaylee Mcphail. The sound of laughter, love, and cheers filled the room as the Big/Little pairs were revealed.

Philanthropy chair Andrew Engley did an excellent job coordinating and holding numerous philanthropy events, such as Blessings Under the Bridge and Second Harvest. In November, Andrew implemented new philanthropic events to recognize mental health awareness and the military by creating a “22 Push-Up Challenge” and writing letters to the military and first responders. Our chapter is proud to recognize Catherine Chung for donating the most units of blood (20 units) out of anyone in the Northwest Province for the NWP Philanthropy Blood Donating Challenge. We look forward to welcoming new brothers at initiation on December 2.

**ΔM Delta Mu**

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Our chapter has been busy organizing events such as the Kappa Psi Potluck, the second math crash course, and the annual Kappa Psi speed dating and pinning ceremony. At the annual Kappa Psi Potluck, brothers and pledges brought in snacks, socialized, and played board games.

We held our second math crash course to help prepare first-year Pharm.D. students for their upcoming math quiz. At the annual Kappa Psi speed dating event, our pledges and brothers got to know each other and pick their Big/Little.

We matched 14 pledges with their Bigs at the annual pinning ceremony and let them learn about their family in Kappa Psi.

—Landon Ho

**ΕΠ Epsilon Pi**

*Idaho State University-Meridian*  
 Founded 11/12/2011  
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We congratulate one of our brothers, Savannah Bravo, on winning the 2022 Patient Counseling Competition! She also represented ISU at the APhA Annual Meeting and Exposition for the national competition! Epsilon Pi conducted a virtual blood drive campaign, the “Red Carnation Blood Donation,” through the American Red Cross during the month of April with a goal of collecting 25 pints. In May, the chapter celebrated the accomplishments of brothers in the graduating Class of 2022 at Kristin Armstrong Park in Boise. September 5–9 was Rush Week.



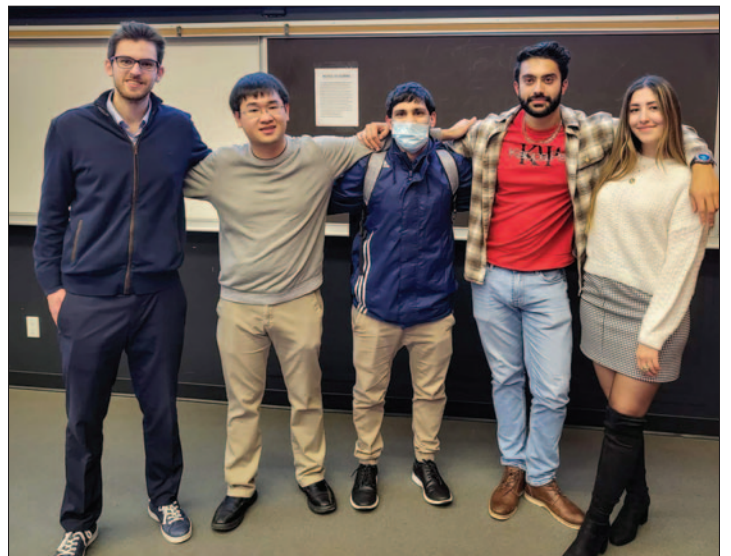
*Beta Omicron’s wonderful pledges at the end of the pinning ceremony. Welcome!*



*Beta Pi brothers at the Second Harvest philanthropy event.*



*Epsilon Pi brothers volunteer at the blood drive.*



*Delta Mu math crash course organizers.*



Zeta Omicron's "The Mad Menehune's" food truck fundraiser.



Brothers Michal Tvrdik and Liam McCoy at an Epsilon Chi hosted food drive at an Associated Food Stores in Salt Lake City, Utah.



Utah Grad brothers attend Epsilon Chi's pledge meeting: (back row) Alex To, Macheala Jacquez, Andrew Thach, Angie Vo, Michal Tvrdik, and Liam McCoy.

Events for the week included a barbecue at Storey Park, a dog park meetup, the Idaho Food Bank, Ice Cream & Ice Breakers, and ending with a hike at Table Rock.

**EX Epsilon Chi**  
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Congratulations to Brother Michal Tvrdik who was named Northwest Province's Brother of the Month for November. Michal served as the Academy of Managed Care Pharmacy (AMCP) president for 2021-22. Congratulations Michal! We are so proud to be your brother!

Epsilon Chi brothers hosted a food drive in Salt Lake City. At Thanks-

giving, brothers came together to enjoy each others company and a home cooked meal.

**ZO Zeta Omicron**  
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Zeta Omicron has stayed busy with fundraising and social events, including food trucks for fundraisings, and celebrations for holidays like Halloween and Thanksgiving.

To raise funds, we started off selling Roseman padfolios, which ended up being a success considering professional events like Midyear are coming up. At our Boo Pop event, hosted by Ashley Glazener, we sold decorated

lollipops and utilized QR codes to enter customers into a competition. Food trucks were one of the many ways we tried to raise funds, including the recent Mad Menehune's Hawaiian-Pacific truck. Our website is still under construction, but we have made significant progress in its development.

The chapter had a potluck at their Brothers-giving event and paired up pledges with their mentors. We also held a bowling event recently and expect to try an escape room in the future.

**Utah Grad**  
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Our graduate brothers attended Epsilon Chi's pledge meetings to show our support for the pledges and brothers, and we look forward to welcoming the Mu Class when they cross into the Brotherhood. Five brothers participated in the Northwest Province Blood Drive. We applaud Epsilon Chi for hosting a food drive and donating 233 pounds and \$75 to the local food bank. Finally, we wish Utah Graduate Satrap Alex To safe travels as he makes his way back to California for his new job.

We were able to spend time with him by grabbing lunch at a shabu shabu restaurant.



Utah Grad Brothers Alex To, Angie Vo, and Anton Nguyen catch up over lunch before Satrap To leaves for a new job in California.



Halloween Social at the Kappa Psi Beta Gamma house on October 30.



Gamma Nu Brothers (L-R) William Tong and Anthonng Jiang at the third pre-rush of the semester.



Gamma Nu Brothers (L-R) Thai Nguyen and Tejvir Nijjar at the Stockton Medicare event.

## Pacific West Province

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**Next meeting:** April 21-23, 2023  
hosted by Zeta Tau in Anaheim,  
California

**College chapters:** Beta Gamma, Gamma Nu, Gamma Upsilon, Delta Sigma, Delta Tau, Delta Phi, Epsilon Gamma, Epsilon Iota, Epsilon Psi, Zeta Sigma, Zeta Tau, Zeta Chi

**Graduate chapters:** Anaheim Graduate, Arizona Graduate, Hawaii Graduate, Los Angeles Graduate, Nevada Graduate, Pacific Graduate, Pomona Graduate, San Diego Graduate, San Francisco Graduate

**BΓ Beta Gamma**  
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Founded 9/23/1910  
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We have a lot planned for our winter quarter! So far, we hosted a Halloween Social at the Beta Gamma house, where we invited pledges and actives from the P2 and P3 classes. Everyone showed their Halloween spirit by dressing up in fun costumes. We will also have our Big/Little Reveal and games to celebrate after the ceremony.

—Clever Chiu

**ΓN Gamma Nu**  
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Gamma Nu brothers hosted many events as the semester came to an end. At our second pre-rush of the semester, we had a Taco Night at our Kappa Psi house for those who were interested in joining the Fraternity.

Our chapter helps host a Medicare event for the residents of Lodi who need immunizations and health screenings. (See picture on page 10.)

This event provides the residents of Lodi with some basic health screenings. It also allows pharmacy students to practice some of their techniques.

Another Medicare event that Gamma Nu helped host in Stockton provided residents with health screenings and immunizations just like the Lodi Medicare event. We helped host this event with another pharmaceutical fraternity on campus.

At the third rush event, Gamma Nu brothers played trivia games and board games

## ΓΥ Gamma Upsilon

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Our chapter had a packed fall semester, as brothers continued to help serve our local Tucson community through various health fairs. Many volunteered at Pharmacy Day on the Mall in October, educating UA students and faculty about major health concerns and performing free screenings for them. Additional health fairs included the Binational Health Fair at the Consulate of Mexico and the Saddlebrook Health Fair.

We held a Halloween Social where brothers had a nice scare going through a haunted house together. It was a great bonding experience!

On October 28, we co-hosted a community outreach event at a Tucson elementary school with PediaCats, our CO's pediatric pharmacy organization. Brothers presented to 2nd and 3rd graders about pharmacy and engaged them in fun pharmacy related activities. We taught them about the roles of a pharmacist, medication safety and disposal, nutrition, healthy living habits, and more!

We initiated our new pledge class on October 30. Shortly after initiation, we held our speed dating event where new members had the opportunity to get to know the actives a bit better and potentially meet their Bigs! Big/Little Reveal week began on November 14 where Bigs left gifts and clues for their Littles to find, all leading up to the big Reveal on November 17. We had a great time dressing up in fun themes and welcoming the new additions to our families!

Brothers Bryan Abbott and Kelvin Nguyen had the opportunity to represent Gamma Upsilon at the Pac West fall Province in Honolulu. Bryan noted, "It was nice to meet so many brothers from other chapters through the Pacific West, especially graduate brothers who took the time to help with professional development, career opportunities, and networking.



Delta Phi brothers gather with rushees at their last rush event, the Throwdown at Sundown.



Epsilon Gamma brothers gather at Pac West Province fall assembly in Honolulu, Hawaii! (L-R): Albert Chen, Jesus Rottier, Darren Ocampo, Errol Manarang, Erin Chiang, Shiv Patel, Gian Dino, Dr. Andrew Thach, Ashely Tran, Mary Gagui, Quynh Dao, Andrew Pham, Henry Chan, Ashley Nguyen, Katarina Mai, Dia Cabrera, and Dr. Jenni Ito.



Delta Tau brothers, pledges, and graduate brothers at the annual pumpkin patch with one of the biggest turnouts to date.

Province was a great turnout, and Gamma Upsilon is thankful to the Hawaii chapter for hosting. Hope to see everyone at the spring Province in Anaheim!"

In November, we held a canned food drive benefiting The Salvation Army.

**ΔΣ Delta Sigma**  
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Delta Sigma brothers collaborated with Midwestern University Pharm PEDS and AZPA to throw a campus-wide blood drive. Many brothers were able to participate and donate blood.

The chapter held its first general board meeting for the winter quarter and welcomed newly initiated brothers to receive their letters.

**ΔΦ Delta Phi**  
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At the Pac West fall Province in Hawaii, we learned a lot, had fun interacting with brothers from different chapters, and made memories that will last a lifetime. We had our fourth rush event, Light The Night, organized by the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, at the beautiful Waterfront Park. We, along with hundreds of others, took part in a ceremony to celebrate all those who have, will, or currently battle blood cancers. It was a great experience and we capped off the night by taking a ceremonial 1-mile walk around the park.

Next we had the Province philanthropy event and Kappa Psi Service Week where we were able to donate 35 pints of blood and collect \$635. We collected another \$525 in donations during Service Week along with the 1,100 diapers, 716 pads, 3,600 baby wipes, 21 onesies, and 40 bottles of Vaseline that were donated.

Our fifth and final rush event was Throwdown at Sundown. This was a field day designed to test how well the rushees and brothers could work together in a team setting. We learned about each person's strengths and weaknesses, while trying to win each activity. It was a fun night and a great way to cap off the rush season.

—Levon Shahnazarian

**ΕΓ Epsilon Gamma**  
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This fall, our chapter kicked off our rush season and had an amazing time getting to know rushees through activ-



*Epsilon Iota P3 brothers (L-R) Abneet Sangha, Ludmila Nicov, Joey Wong, Chanchal Kaur, Jennifer Li, Jiang Yu, and Thu Le receive scholarships and awards at the CNUCOP Winter Townhall. The brothers were awarded for top academic performance and were also recognized for leadership, service, professionalism, and advocacy for the profession of pharmacy. Congratulations!*



*Gamma Upsilon Brother Kristen Root at SaddleBrooke Health Fair.*

ity-filled events planned by Amiel Angelo. We ended October with a “Spook-tacular Night” Halloween-themed rush event, forming teams to compete in mini games and escape a witch’s curse. In November, we held a “Bowling Night” and got to see our rushees’ competitive streaks as they tried to out-bowl our collegiate brothers. We’ll end our rush season with a fun Christmas scavenger hunt around campus! Our chapter also participated in Light The Night at Angel Stadium of Anaheim, an annual fundraiser and walk organized by the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, to raise funds for life-saving cancer research and provide support to blood cancer patients and their families. We were able to gather 100 students to participate in the walk

and managed to fundraise \$1,000 for the event! We extend our gratitude to Epsilon Psi for hosting a wonderful fall Pac West Province assembly, allowing us to connect and spend time with brothers from across the Province!

—Katarina Mai

**EI Epsilon Iota**  
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We held our third and fourth rush events this fall semester. Our third rush event, Rolling with the Bros, had brothers roller skating with students as they got to know them. Our fourth rush event, Info Night (Mocktails), gave brothers the opportunity to share



*Epsilon Psi Brothers Tiana Enos-Dano, Earl Emboltura, Bernadette Tabulaa, and Josephine Lui attend the Pac West Province.*



*Zeta Chi brothers enjoy dinner after initiation.*

their Kappa Psi story and how they became the person they are today because of it. Everyone played board games afterward.

We also had the opportunity to partner with the Union Gospel Mission and give back to our community through a clothing drive on campus. Students were able to drop off any clothes that were in good condition, folded neatly, and pre-washed. Our brothers also hosted food truck fundraisers and our annual hot cocoa gram fundraiser where students had the opportunity to either buy themselves or their friends a Mason jar with a hot chocolate assortment in it.

We had fun bonding at our annual Brosgiving.

**EΨ Epsilon Psi**  
 University of Hawaii at Hilo  
 Founded 1/12/2013  
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Thank you on behalf of our chapter. We appreciate all the helping hands that were able to make this Pac West Province happen! It was a success and one to remember. Our chapter was primarily made up of brothers who were inducted through the pandemic,

so this was the first in-person Province for most of the on-campus brothers of Epsilon Psi. The weekend began with a Kappa Psi social at Dave & Buster’s. The night was filled with laughter, joy, and good company. The assembly was hosted at the Honolulu Airport Hotel, with a day filled with important updates, socializing, and activities to bring the Brotherhood closer. The night continued with a Hawaiian feast that included dishes such as laulau, kalua pig, lomi-lomi salmon, and chicken long rice, a typical luau style meal. The night wrapped up with awards and a raffle! It was a wonderful event, and it was a pleasure hosting all of our brothers!

This holiday, we were able to participate in the Operation Christmas Child program that allowed us to craft gifts for kids of all ages. The gifts were then packed into boxes and wrapped by our brothers. We were able to give 20 boxes! It was a wonderful bonding moment among the brothers and hopefully will bring Christmas cheer to the children.

Mahalos, from your brothers across the ocean (Hawaii).



Brothers Sonia Phan and Annette Casavale match up in skates at Nevada Graduate's roller skating social.



Brothers from Zeta Tau at Pumpkin City Pumpkin Patch Social petting zoo.

**ZT Zeta Tau**  
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During October, our chapter celebrated fall and Halloween by hosting a Pumpkin Patch Social at Pumpkin City Pumpkin Farm in Laguna Hills. Brothers bonded while enjoying the rides, games, and petting zoo. The chapter also held an October fundraiser, selling Halloween grams. Items for sale included grams and Halloween-themed lollipops and candy.

In November, Zeta Tau hosted a pre-rush event with Phi Delta Chi called Slice to Meet You at Lamppost Pizza in Irvine. This event was open to those who were interested in getting to know more about the Fraternity. It was a great opportunity for interested students to meet our brothers before deciding to rush in the next trimester.

In November, we hosted a Bowling Social at Irvine Lanes. Brothers enjoyed a night of bowling and fun to kick off Thanksgiving break.

—Tristian Domingo

**ZX Zeta Chi**  
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 Founded 5/12/2018  
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With finals approaching, this past month has been less eventful for us. In early November, though, brothers met



Los Angeles Grad Brothers (L-R) Sahiba, Kevin, and Nancy drop off 37 shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child!

at a coffee shop in downtown Phoenix to study and socialize. These types of events are always a favorite of our brothers as we get to work and have fun all in one!

On November 10, we initiated our Eta Pledge Class and gained six new brothers! As a still relatively new and developing chapter, it is exciting to see our numbers grow each semester. As

most of our brothers are P3s and headed to rotations soon, these new brothers are the future of Zeta Chi. They are a great group of individuals who will continue our chapter's legacy! Following our initiation ceremony, we held Big/Little Reveal and then carpooled to a restaurant near campus for dinner. It was such a fun night!

—Tori Frazier

**Arizona Grad**  
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Hello from Arizona Grad! The chapter has had numerous activities recently, including a weekend cabin retreat in northern Arizona. Several of us went out to beautiful Hawaii to join the rest of Pac West at our fall Province assembly. Thanks to Epsilon Psi for hosting



The Nevada Graduate brothers are all smiles at the 2022 Pacific West Province assembly in Honolulu, Hawaii.



The San Francisco Grad team at the Swingin' Fore Albie Aware 12th annual golf tournament in Sacramento.



Arizona Grad at Gamma Upsilon initiation.

a great weekend. Our brothers attended a few collegiate initiations. Congrats to the new brothers at Zeta Chi, Gamma Upsilon, and Delta Sigma! We've had several more sessions of our residency prep program, helping collegiate brothers get the best shot at matching. We have our holiday white elephant party coming up in December.

**Los Angeles Grad**

**Founded 3/1/1927**  
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The Los Angeles Graduate new board members are regent Kevin Tran, vice regent Nancy Lee, secre-

tary-treasurer John Tran, historian Sahiba Bedi, and chaplain Kathy Nguyen. We are excited to reestablish, reintroduce the brothers of Los Angeles Grad, and actively engage in being exemplary models of the four pillars.

John Tran attended this past fall Pacific West Province assembly in Hawaii representing LA Grad. Reuniting with brothers wherever it may be is always a guaranteed fun time but being in Hawaii was the cherry on top. Los Angeles Grad kept the momentum going by participating in Operation Christmas Child as our first philanthropic event back. While we

had initially set the goal at 25 shoeboxes, the determination and generosity of our brothers allowed us to surpass that number. Our brothers packed 37 shoeboxes to drop off during National Collection Week! We hope to continue to put on events and service projects in the next coming months.

—Kevin Tran

**Nevada Grad**

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Nevada Grad brothers have had a busy past few months! To build even more bonds with the brothers of Delta Tau, the chapter held a roller skating

social at the classic Crystal Palace Skating Center in Las Vegas. This was the perfect setting to bridge the gap between older and newer brothers, all the while staying afloat on a pair of skates! For an activity with less risk of slipping and falling on wood, our graduate brothers also spent some time at a pumpkin patch right before Halloween.

Several of our brothers attended the Pac West Province assembly in Honolulu, Hawaii. A little bit of sand and sun in November didn't hurt anybody—it definitely didn't hurt our chapter, especially after earning second place for our chapter report and the Early Bird Award going to Corey Colombino. Recreating our favorite memes and registering at the first second available are just some of our methods of expressing pride for our chapter and Kappa Psi!

**San Francisco Grad**

**Founded 6/30/1914**  
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San Francisco Grad attended the fall Pac West assembly in Honolulu and thank the brothers of Epsilon Psi for organizing the meeting. Despite the long travel distance, we were grateful for being able to see brothers in person and spend time on the warm beaches.

Earlier this year, San Francisco Grad was able to put a team together for Epsilon Iota's annual Swingin' Fore Albie Aware golf tournament. We congratulate the brothers for taking first place at the event and raising awareness for breast cancer.

# Kappa Psi Brotherhood.

Newly activated Beta Chi brothers enjoy the chapter traditions.



Zeta Mu brothers prep for exams together during study night.

RIGHT: Delta Omicron brothers present on medication adherence as well as offer blood pressure screenings at local pharmacies. Service opportunities are twice as rewarding when done in the company of brothers!



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## OUR WORLD BEGINS IN IOWA



Iowa Grad brothers gather for a pizza social during the fall NPP assembly at the University of Iowa College of Pharmacy.



Brothers enjoy time together outside of class. Here Beta Pi Brothers Kat and Kaylee have fun at the Greenbluff Pumpkin Patch.



Beta Omicron's bowling at the Hub rush event was a great opportunity for brothers to get to know the rushees and have a friendly competition!



SEP Historian Drew Austin and Lisa Kissamore of Delta Omega hand out the special thank-you bags they made for the staff of Turning Point Care Center in Moultrie, Georgia.

## Southeast Province

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**Satrap:** Devi Surajbali

**Next meeting:** Date to be determined hosted by Zeta Delta in Tampa, Florida

**College chapters:** Iota, Gamma Sigma, Delta Iota, Delta Rho, Delta Upsilon, Delta Omega, Epsilon Eta, Epsilon Mu, Zeta Gamma, Zeta Delta, Zeta Phi

**Graduate chapters:** Charleston Graduate, Gainesville Graduate, Jacksonville Graduate, Orlando Graduate, Savannah Graduate, SE Florida/Bahamas Graduate, Tampa Graduate

### I Iota

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Founded 11/29/1927

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Iota chapter has been fulfilling our passion for philanthropy. First vice president Victoria Brooks has done a tremendous job planning a successful series of events to give back to our community.

We were ecstatic to hold our annual Chicken Bog and Turkey Fry, where we were able to serve lunch to our school and the public. The Chicken Bog raised \$500 for the chapter, which made us eager to hold our chapter's favorite event, the Turkey Fry! There is nothing we love more than to wake up at 4 a.m. to fry 18 turkeys with our amazing brothers. We prepare Thanksgiving style dishes with mashed potatoes, green bean casserole, and pumpkin pie! This year was special as we doubled our sales and raised \$1,000 to donate to Lowcountry Food Bank. It was such an honor to be able to raise money for such a great cause!

Not only do we pride ourselves on building our Brotherhood through philanthropy, but we also emphasize this importance to our 10 pledges. Second vice regent Madeline Frellick executed a phenomenal pledging process to educate the pledges about our Brotherhood. They recently worked with brothers on a project for Reach Out and Read. We have been building a children's library nook to be donated to the Shifa Clinic, a local non-profit clinic.

Our chapter also participated in the Sugar-Free Fall Festival hosted by our Student Government Association. (See photo on page 46.) This annual event is designed to create a costumed, sugar-free trick-or-treat experience for type 1 diabetic children. We had a Kappa Psi table for a healthy, spooky Halloween celebration!



Southeast Province grad brothers enjoy the Gamma Sigma Alumni Tailgate.

### ΓΣ Gamma Sigma

University of Florida

Founded 4/28/1949

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The fall semester has been filled with brotherhood bonding events that have continued to unite our chapter. Brothers have hosted social events to celebrate the Gator football games. We continue to build interprofessional relationships with other graduate schools across UF through tailgating and mixers! On October 16, our chapter hosted the annual Alumni Tailgate, where more than 25 Gamma Sigma alumni and dozens of brothers from across the state gathered in the Swamp to enjoy football and connect with multiple generations.

We initiated multiple efforts to advocate on behalf of the profession of pharmacy. On October 7, Merial Chatila, Maya Patel, Matt Molk, and Lucas Zhou visited Gainesville Mayor Lauren Poe at Gainesville City Hall to present a proclamation declaring October "American Pharmacists Month!"

Traditions persisted throughout October as our annual Halloween Costume Party was held at High Dive. Students from the entire UF College of Pharmacy attended the event and enjoyed live music, food trucks, and showing off costumes. The event benefited Children's Miracle Network as proceeds went toward efforts for pediatric patients at Shands Hospital. Our brothers attended other professional fraternity events including the UF Kappa Epsilon chapter's 5K to support



Iota brothers fry 18 turkeys for the annual Chicken Bog and Turkey Fry benefiting the Lowcountry Food Bank. (L-R): Grey Duke, pledge Jackson West, Brother Ben Emery, and Zach Arcelona.

funding for National Breast Cancer Awareness Month.

The chapter also spent lots of time developing strong connections with our pledge class through mentoring events, exam reviews/tutoring, and through our annual Brother Flag Football Game held at Flavet Field. Our brothers also continued to work hard in the classroom with several taking on research positions and executive board positions across campus and the state!

—Maya Patel

### ΔΩ Delta Omega

South University-Savannah

Founded 12/10/2005

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This quarter, our chapter has been busy helping our pledges through the initiation process. Following our bid party, our pledges got right to work planning all the different events, like the Brother Social, their paddle paint party, and a roadside cleanup service project. We also received our Big/Little pairings and celebrated over dinner at Five Spot. Each pledge con-



*Family photo with Zeta Delta family at Epsilon Eta's annual Brosgiving.*



*Delta Omega's pledges volunteer with Union Mission during World AIDS Day.*

campus at their White Coat Ceremony. Our brothers handled a special table providing roses to the students and their family members. We held our Painting with the Brothers Social, which was a fun and relaxing event to meet and bond with students interested in Kappa Psi. For Halloween, SEP Historian Drew Austin teamed up with Brother Lisa Kissamore of Delta Omega to make special thank-you gifts for the staff of Turning Point Care Center in Moultrie, Georgia. Brothers Drew and Lisa made candy bags and wrote special thank-you cards which were delivered to the Turning Point staff. In November, we held our first Spelling Bee competition to help support childhood literacy for Reach Out and Read. The Spelling Bee tested brothers and their classmates' knowledge of medication spelling, both brand and generic. Our own Brother Reynell Flores Morales was crowned Spelling Bee winner!

We bonded with our Zeta Delta family in Tampa during our annual Brosgiving Family Dinner and had a great time catching up. Also in November, we held our first Friendsgiving where we invited all pharmacy students to gather and share in the Thanksgiving spirit. We were also able to meet and bond with students who are interested in Kappa Psi. Our regent, Bosun Alayoku, along with SEP Historian Drew Austin and alumni Brother Dr. Christine Heng, went to Tampa to support our Zeta Delta brothers during their chapter visit. Brothers Bosun and Heng are active members of the Collegiate Development Committee and helped in organizing the visit, and Brother Drew Austin represented the SEP Executive Board.

As we conclude this year's events, the most exhilarating of the 2022 year is our annual Awards Banquet. This is a very special reunion where our brothers are recognized for their hard work and accomplishments. We were very honored to have Dr. Marvin Smith, who is our chapter's founding pledgemaster, as our keynote speaker. He moved the audience with his inspirational speech where he compared Epsilon Eta's character to that of the poem "Invictus." We thank Brother Dr. Wale Alayoku, from Delta Iota chapter, for being an amazing photographer at the banquet.

At our last chapter meeting, we were honored to conduct the first-ever transfer ritual as our chapter grew by two new transfer brothers, Misline Dominique and Guyvenson Desir.

later in their didactic courses. Experiences such as this one will hopefully invigorate the pledges to endeavor toward greater contributions to community outreach after transitioning to brothers and throughout their personal and professional pursuits.

**EH Epsilon Eta**  
**LECOM-Bradenton**  
**Founded 3/28/2009**  
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Epsilon Eta's Path to Greatness: Receiving the High Ideals Award at the fall 2022 SEP assembly strengthened our chapter's resolve and commitment to helping our community. After returning from the assembly, we resumed our philanthropy and community service work with renewed vigor. On October 8, we held our fall Adopted Beach Cleanup where brothers and students interested in Kappa Psi bonded while helping to ensure the health and cleanliness of our environment. On October 15, we participated in the Breast Cancer Walk in St. Petersburg. Sabrina Alahmad, Reynell Flores Morales, and Amanda Melendez Martinez ran a table providing bottled water to the participants of the walk. After proudly volunteering at the Breast Cancer Walk, brothers took a moment to have fun and relax at Howl-O-Scream at Busch Gardens in Tampa.

On October 22, brothers showed their support to first-year pharmacy students of the LECOM-Bradenton

ducted 20 interviews with collegiate and graduate brothers, as well as each other. They have all taken their pledging experience in stride and are doing an amazing job to exemplify the pillars of Kappa Psi.

Three of our brothers were inducted into the Rho Chi Honor Society. Our chapter is very proud of their high academic achievement.

Among different fundraisers, events, and volunteer opportunities throughout the quarter, our greatest impact was volunteering for World AIDS Day. World AIDS Day (WAD) offers its participants the opportunity to appreciate the progress within HIV care delivery and to reflect upon the lives that have been impacted and lost to HIV and AIDS. In acknowledgment of WAD, we

collaborated with Union Mission in Savannah, Georgia, to raise awareness about HIV prevention strategies and to assist people in learning their HIV statuses.

Through this partnership, our pledges participated in learning about an HIV pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) Risk Assessment tool and became familiar with a process of facilitating home-based HIV testing to interested participants. In addition to educating the public about HIV/AIDS, our pledges received more in-depth information curated by Union Mission's staff. This involvement gave our pledges a chance to better understand the evolution of HIV and get a glimpse into the future of HIV prevention therapies they will learn about



(L-R): Epsilon Mu Brothers Sabrina Desmond, Jacqueline Nguyen, Bre'onna Harrison, Kristin Hand, Shefa Ali, and Shelby Figueroa dress up for their social.



Zeta Gamma brothers at their Brosgiving event.

### EM Epsilon Mu

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 Founded 11/12/2010  
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Epsilon Mu brothers have had a busy semester. With pledging in full swing, one of the most anticipated events for brothers and pledges is the Big/Little Reveal. Pledge Callista Hall successfully passed her first milestone and earned the right to have her Big revealed! The Reveal was followed by a celebratory dinner at Hawkers Asian Street Food, where brothers got to know Callista a little bit better.

Even amidst our busy pledging season, we managed to find time for philanthropy. We held a book drive to keep our three Little Libraries stocked full of books. Installing the Little Libraries was an initiative funded by the Kappa Psi Service Grant and was completed this past summer. Now, brothers check on each library every two weeks to make sure it has plenty of books for park-goers to choose from. We also partnered with another fraternity on campus to host "Strike Out Against Breast Cancer," a bowling fundraiser where all proceeds were donated to the Florida Breast Cancer Foundation. Brothers had a great time at this event and loved the opportunity to support our fellow organizations on the Orlando campus.

This semester, brothers enjoyed time together at our Halloween Social, which was a great opportunity to dress up and relax in the middle of a busy semester. It was definitely fun to see all the costumes and to spend time with each other! A month later, we hosted our annual Brosgiving. This event was filled with food, laughter, and quality time with brothers.

—Shelby "Terra" Figueroa



Zeta Delta brothers gather at the Tampa Bay Heart Walk: Jana Mammen, Tara Mapes, Austin Shockley, Sheridan Hogan, Carly Seidle, Eliana Buchholz, David Gaidas, and Milagros Salcedo.

### ZΓ Zeta Gamma

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 Founded 2/8/2014  
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Our brothers joined Jax Grad and our pledges to celebrate our annual Brosgiving! The event was hosted at the home of GCD Dr. Robin Moorman-Li and was full of laughter, fun, and great food! As the pledging process nears its end for our chapter, each new initiate was introduced to their Big. The event consisted of an elaborate scavenger hunt that was full of surprising twists and turns that left

each pledge puzzled. The hunt led each of them to the identity of their Kappa Psi Big!

### ZΔ Zeta Delta

University of South Florida  
 Founded 3/15/2014  
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As Zeta Delta brothers worked diligently in our studies during the fall 2022 term, we made a special effort to devote ourselves to our four pillars. In October, we were ecstatic to continue the tradition of our park cleanup at Takomah Trail Park. In November, we

joined USF's APHA-ASP chapter to take part in the Tampa Bay Heart Walk. Supporting advocacy for cardiovascular health is just one of the many ways in which pharmacy students can promote health awareness in the community and lead by example.

### ZΦ Zeta Phi

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Zeta Phi hosted a Brosgiving with our graduate, collegiate and pledge brothers. We have been working on



*Southeast Province brothers gather at Jax Grad's annual Florida-Georgia tailgate, "Between the Hedges, in All Kinds of Weather."*



*Jax Grad brothers attend the SEP fall assembly together.*

hosting bi-monthly events that include our graduate brothers. Recently, we held a bowling night; then shortly after, we hosted the Brosgiving. Both were successful events, and we had the opportunity to reconnect with a lot of graduate brothers who we haven't seen since the pandemic.

In the upcoming month, our pledge brothers will be hosting a scholarship event as well as a social event between

brothers, "Gingerbread Build-off," to see who can build the best gingerbread house. We are currently working on preparations for the crossover weekend, which will be December 17 through December 19.

Zeta Phi will be joining APhA in volunteering at Lotus House Women's Shelter on December 3. We are also working on volunteering and building a partnership with Camillus House.

**Gainesville Grad**

**Founded 9/12/2015**  
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University of Florida fall tradition is, without a doubt, Gator football. Every year, Gainesville Graduate chapter sponsors an alumni tailgate with Gamma Sigma chapter. It provides an opportunity for Kappa Psi alumni, active brothers, and pledges to unite. This year, our annual alumni tailgate

was held during the game against the Louisiana State University Tigers. Although the Gators took a loss, the memories and bonds made between all the brothers in attendance were victorious. The pledge brothers traditionally help with the Gamma Sigma tailgates, which require teamwork, dedication, time management, and many other skills. Some examples of the pledge brothers' duties were arriving early to set up the tailgate area, picking up the catered food and serving to the attendees, and cleanup. They appreciate hosting tailgates because it instills leadership in addition to Kappa Psi's four pillars: industry, sobriety, fellowship, and high ideals. These skills will be utilized on their journey to become successful pharmacists. Furthermore, the tailgates are significant because they give us the opportunity for generations of alumni to meet, unite, and bond with collegiate brothers and pledge brothers. Our chapter has grown these past years and it's amazing to see how supportive the alumni are in aiding the next generation of brothers!

**Jacksonville Grad**

**Founded 2/06/2016**  
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Jacksonville Graduate chapter had a tremendously busy fall season! Our brothers attended the Southeast Province fall assembly in Charleston, South Carolina, in September. Jacksonville Grad brothers have been assisting Zeta Gamma chapter through their pledging process, and Jeana Kett facilitated a co-curricular hour lecture on "Inspiring Others as a Student Leader." Matthew Ruland teamed up with his hospital to collect food donations to support From Hunger to Hope during Philanthropy Week! Jax Grad held our annual Florida-Georgia tailgate near the stadium, hosting families, friends, and colleagues. To take a break from tying up last minute planning for our annual philanthropy event, "Santa Claus is Coming to Baker County," on December 17, we had a baby shower for Zach and Shannon Usztko. We all patiently await our newest Kappa Psi family member, baby Usztko.

**Orlando Grad**

**Founded 1/7/2012**  
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Orlando Grad provided support to our local collegiate chapter, Epsilon Mu, during their pledging process, professional activities, and social activities. Together, we've come to the table for "Friday Night Bites!" where we dine at various local restaurants in Orlando.



Brothers Cole Fragapane, Jeff Callaway, Amanda Winslow, Aquila Ingram, and Chris Winslow join collegiate brothers and pledges in Savannah Grad's quarterly Adopt-a-Mile street cleanup.

**Savannah Grad**

**Founded 6/18/2011**

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Savannah Grad has focused this last quarter on supporting our collegiate chapter, Delta Omega, with rush and pledging. Savannah Grad brothers invited the pledges to participate in our quarterly Adopt-a-Mile street cleanup as an opportunity to get to know each other, offer advice, and build bonds with the next generation of brothers. Chris and Amanda Winslow, Samantha Schmidt, and Aquila Ingram met up with other graduates at the annual Florida-Georgia football game in Jacksonville for a day of fellowship and fun.

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**Next meeting:** Date to be determined hosted by Epsilon Epsilon

**College chapters:** Gamma Omicron, Gamma Rho, Delta Beta, Delta Delta, Delta Theta, Delta Pi, Epsilon Beta, Epsilon Epsilon, Epsilon Tau, Zeta Eta, Zeta Lambda, Eta Beta

**Graduate chapters:** Dallas/Fort Worth Graduate, Denver Graduate, Houston Graduate, New Mexico Graduate, San Antonio Graduate, Southwestern Graduate, Texas Graduate



Orlando Grad brothers gather for Friday Night Bites. (L-R): Lydia Borah, Sabrina Desmond, Angela Hernandez, Baby Mari, Michael Carulli, Young Baek, Liem Dang, and Kevin Thomas.

**TO Gamma Omicron**

University of Oklahoma

**Founded 2/3/1923**

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Our small but mighty chapter stayed busy this fall, volunteering at the local animal shelter, vaccinating at the school organized flu and COVID vaccine clinics, vaccinating employees of the federal courthouse, and educating and bonding with our pledges. By the time everyone reads this, we will have initiated five new brothers: Dylan, Amber, Lucely, Brandon, and Christina.

Our biggest news—Brother Meggie had her first child. Congratulations, and welcome baby Eva!

—Lydia Jorgenson



Orlando Grad Brothers Jacqueline Nguyen, LaNae Calloway, Lydia Borah, Bre'onna Harris, Shefa Ali, Shelby Figueroa, and Liem Dang at Brosgiving with Epsilon Mu chapter.

**TP Gamma Rho**

University of New Mexico

**Founded 2/16/1948**

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For American Pharmacists Month in October, the University of New Mexico College of Pharmacy will go out to one of the biggest roads in Albuquerque to celebrate and make the community aware of the signifi-



ABOVE: Delta Delta brothers gather for their Big/Little Reveal.



Gamma Omicron Brother Meggie cuddles a puppy while volunteering at the local animal shelter.



Initiation night! Pledges gather before they are initiated into Gamma Rho chapter: (L-R back) Jose Archuleta, Cedric Sierra, Aerlin Decker, Anthony Gutierrez, Ross Meadors, Joaquin Soto, Tanner Oberg, Adam Martinez; (L-R middle) Saiba Bhakta, Haley Ortega, Stevana Olivas, Gabriella Rodriguez; (L-R front) Anahita Seik-Bahae, Dana Atencio, Teya Garland, Abigail Leszczynski, and Felise Jimson. A night to remember!

cance of October for pharmacists. Our Kappa brothers set up and participate in the event by making signs for themselves and others. Photo on page 11)

During pledge week, the pledges are asked to dress up in various costumes like Pharmers, Toga Day, and a costume provided by their Bigs. Many of the costumes are rooted in tradition that has been passed down. Such an amazing week and thanks to our pledges for being good sports and dressing up every day.

**ΔΔ Delta Delta**  
University of Houston  
Founded 2/28/1963  
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During the fall semester, our chapter hosted various scholarship events, tutoring P1 and P2 classes on subjects such as physiology, biochemistry, and pharmacokinetics. We also hosted a mock patient counseling event to help P1 students practice for their checkoff, as well as a book drive to donate books to Reach Out and Read.

We are fortunate to have 16 pledges inducted into our chapter. These pledges completed the five-week long pledging process and hosted a bake sale fundraiser and a volunteering event at the Cougar Cupboard, a food bank we have on campus. Next semester, we will be hosting our Jersey Night where these new actives will receive their jerseys from their Bigs.

—Andrew Jiang

**ΔΘ Delta Theta**  
Texas Southern University  
Founded 3/25/1973  
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Delta Theta brothers got together in November 2022 to celebrate Thanksgiving and Brotherhood. They also gathered in November to take pictures next to the Delta Theta Chapter Tree on Texas Southern University's campus to endorse their TSU COPHS.



Delta Theta brothers take pictures by their campus tree. (L-R back) Michael Eke, Josh George, Ikenna Ifoeze, Christopher Wallace, Efe Lota, and Jakari Minniweather; (L-R front) Haseeb Malik, Nick Ariyo, Laila Al-Khudairi, Salma Guerrero, Bose Anifowose, Ada Oyeka, and Meagan Moore.



*Epsilon Epsilon pledges join active brothers to socialize before initiation.*

**ΔΠ Delta Pi**  
 Texas Tech University  
 Founded 11/15/1997  
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Delta Pi has had a great fall semester. We concluded our initiation ceremony in November, inducting five new members into our chapter! As the semester progresses, we've offered tutoring and study material to our brothers to help those who struggle to grasp pertinent information and concepts. We plan to have more social events next semester and elect new officers during the latter half of the semester.  
 —Joshua San Juan

**EB Epsilon Beta**  
 University of the Incarnate Word  
 Founded 4/12/2008  
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What a time for Epsilon Beta! We exceeded expectations this October during our annual Boo-Gram fundraising event—with a twist! This year, Boo-Grams were distributed pharmacy style at Feik School of Pharmacy's Halloween party. Kappa Psi Pharmacy set up shop in the lobby, where students, staff, and faculty picked up their prescriptions of sweets and treats ... to be taken as needed, of course. Our chapter closed out the spooky season by hosting Kappa Psi Movie Night on October 28 where students, friends and family joined our brothers to watch "Alice in Wonderland."

This November, we embraced the month of giving by organizing and participating in several community service



*Delta Pi brothers gather with new initiates after initiation. Delta Pi welcomed five new brothers to the family!*

events, some of which included the "Be a Sweetie Pie Event," where brothers collected store bought pies to be donated to the homeless. Our chapter also partnered with Feik School of Pharmacy's Christian Pharmacists Fellowship International (CPFI) organization in a clothing drive to collect clothes to donate to Nuestra Señora de la Asuncion and Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe.

Feik School of Pharmacy's annual Turkey Bowl took place on November 18. The brothers of Kappa Psi went up against the brothers of Pi Delta Chi in a game of flag football. Though we

took a loss, we are so proud of our brothers for really putting up a fight! Special shout-out to all the active and alumni brothers who played and our loud and proud Kappa Psi cheerleaders for bringing the energy! Epsilon Beta continued the celebration on November 22 as brothers came together for Bros-Giving to enjoy a potluck style feast.

We will be holding our fifth and final rush event, Kappa Psi on Ice, on December 2. It has been an exciting rush season for our chapter and we look forward to expanding our brotherhood.

**ET Epsilon Tau**  
 Texas Tech University-Abilene  
 Founded 3/3/2012  
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Epsilon Tau enjoyed a busy second half of the fall semester with community service, fundraising, and social activities. We successfully completed the cleanup event with Adopt-a-Highway to keep our city clean and help make a difference within our community. For the fundraiser, brothers got together to make Halloween Boo-Grams with candy bars and delivered them to the students and faculty at the Abilene



Epsilon Beta brothers come together on October 28 for Kappa Psi Movie Night.



Epsilon Tau brothers enjoy time together at the Texas State Fair in Dallas.



Brothers of Epsilon Beta come together on November 18 for the annual Turkey Bowl flag football event against Phi Delta Chi.



Mitch Leroy represents Regis University and Kappa Psi Zeta Eta chapter at the Midyear Regional Meetings for APhA.

**ZΛ Zeta Lambda**  
 University of North Texas Health  
 Science Center  
 Founded 5/9/2015  
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For the fall semester, we created multiple rush events for our chapter, to reach several students. Zeta Lambda had a record number of potential new members coming out to our events, which is really great for our exposure on campus. We were again able to have several brothers give back to our community by volunteering at the Tarrant County Food Bank. We were also able to hang out with our newest chapter, Eta Beta, from Texas Tech University Pharmacy on the Dallas campus.



Kudos to Zeta Lambda Brother Kaanan Shah, who won second place with her poster presentation.

campus. It was a successful fundraising event as many compliments were received on the card's design. In October, several brothers from Abilene also went to Dallas for a Residency Showcase and enjoyed a fun weekend at the Texas State Fair. We also got together for dinner at Vidorra

to hang out and catch up with each other. It was a memorable event for all of our brothers.

We look forward to spring semester with some of our philanthropy, fundraising, and social events. We plan to focus on our first rush and pledging in January.



# Brothers



Denver Grad Brothers Risa Frantz, Amy (Hughes) Muck, and Michelle Hatchett enjoy time together at Washington Park in Denver.

**Dallas/Fort Worth Grad**  
Founded 11/6/2015  
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DFW Graduate chapter closed out 2022 with philanthropy and fellowship! We participated in the National Day of Giving with the Fraternity on Giving Tuesday, November 29, by donating to Reach Out and Read.

This has been a year of growth and expansion not just for our chapter. We have welcomed several recent graduates into our chapter and plan to continue working with nearby collegiate chapters to keep brothers involved after graduation. We hope to convene once more before the end of the year to celebrate the holiday season, and we are looking forward to all that 2023 has to offer.

**Denver Grad**  
Founded 3/1/2019  
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Our Denver Grad brothers gathered to enjoy the beautiful Colorado sunshine on a Saturday morning at Washington Park in Denver. While soaking in the lovely October weather and scenery with our families, we enjoyed the "wiener-dog" costume parade, complete with Crayola stroller and canine crayons. Some of our brothers also contributed to Reach Out and Read on Giving Tuesday. We look forward to planning more activities in 2023.

—Amy Muck



Denver Grad brothers at the wiener-dog costume parade complete with the crayola box stroller and dachshunds dressed like crayons.

INDUSTRY. SOBRIETY. FELLOWSHIP. HIGH IDEALS

Gamma Upsilon brothers at the Big/Little Reveal.



Zeta Tau brothers enjoy the Irvine Lanes Bowling Social.



# ... balance hard work with play!



Nevada Grad hosted a roller skating social and Delta Tau brothers and pledges had a great time! Delta Tau grads visited all the way from Southern California!



Delta Phi brothers enjoy the weekend of fun and brotherhood at the Pac West Province assembly.



Gamma Delta brothers enjoy the Big/Little Reveal!

# Service with Brothers...



Beta Omicron brothers take the opportunity to get to know the pledges better during their quarterly Adopt-a-Street cleanup event. Nothing bonds brothers more than having fun while working together shoulder to shoulder!



Epsilon Iota brothers work hard together during their clothing drive.



Beta Eta brothers donated blood during Kappa Psi's International Service Week.



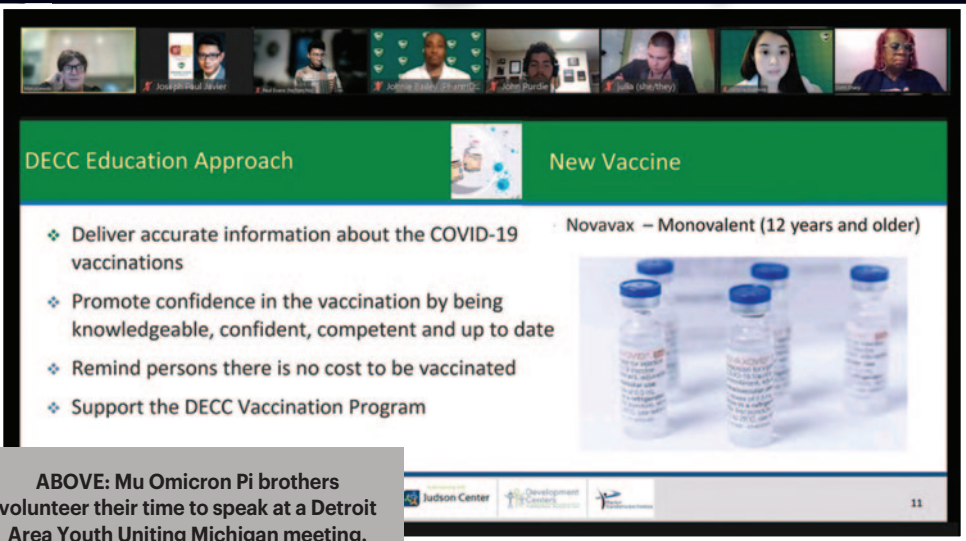
Iota Brothers (L-R) Lauren Adams, Grey Duke, and Madeline Frellick help at the Sugar-Free Fall Festival.



# is 10x more rewarding. And, fun!



**LEFT:** During Kappa Psi International Service Week, Delta Omicron brothers made gift bags for residents of the Meadows Nursing Home.



**ABOVE:** Mu Omicron Pi brothers volunteer their time to speak at a Detroit Area Youth Uniting Michigan meeting. The online session was titled "Is COVID-19 Over?" and brothers spoke about the efficacy of immunizations and how to mitigate the spread of COVID-19 and other respiratory diseases like the flu.



**Epsilon Pi brothers participate in the local rake up in Boise, where volunteers rake yards for veterans, disabled, and senior neighbors.**



**Epsilon Mu Brothers (L-R) Shelby Figueroa, Shefa Ali, Liem Dang, Kristin Hand, Alexis Kovacs, Ravi Bacchus, and Nekira Frelix show off books collected from the chapter's campus book drive. The books will be used to keep their three Little Libraries fully stocked.**



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# KAPPA PSI International Service Week

## OCTOBER 2022



Kappa Psi brothers donated a record number of man hours during the third annual International Service Week. Top left, a Beta Eta brother donates blood. Above, Epsilon Rho brothers volunteer at the Northern Illinois Food Bank. Left, Gamma Delta brothers make care packages for cancer patients.