



THREE POINT WINTER 2017

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ZETA THETA A CHAPTER

Well folks, its official! Winter 2017 is in the books. Let's take a look back at the action-packed semester over at 704 East Main Street...

In the first weekend of March, we welcomed in seven exemplary new brothers from the Pledge Class of 2017 into our chapter. Although we were already familiar with its format after our beta pilot last year, this was our first official year conducting the Preparation for Brotherhood (P4B) Program. In our opinion, the program made definitive strides of improvement since last year and ran smoothly. Among the changes, our chapter was thrilled with the new ConnEXtions interview format. This allowed brothers and pledges to network and discuss their weekly learnings on a personal level.

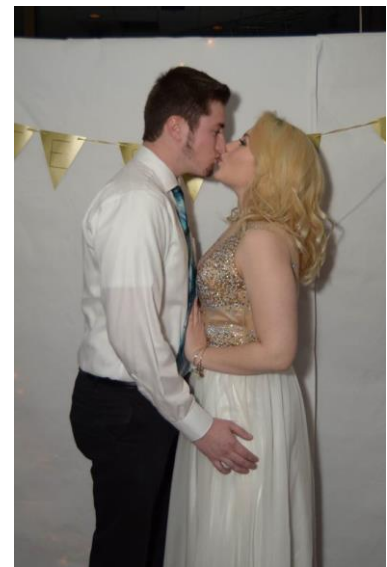
Beyond pledging, the strength of our brotherhood only continues to grow. We accomplished this through our second annual White Rose Ball, in addition to various community service based events, intramural sports, and a Spring Break trip to Florida.

Lastly, earlier this January we learned one of our beloved alumni, Christopher "Laffy" Lafayette (PC'13), entered Chapter Eternal far too early. In his honor, we conducted a White Rose Ceremony with over one hundred brothers and sweethearts in attendance at our yearly Initiation Banquet. Rest in Peace, Laffy. We all love and miss you dearly.



On February 4th, we hosted our second annual White Rose Ball, which is essentially our winter semi-formal. In order to increase alumni attendance, our Tribune decided to host it closer to Metro Detroit at Crank's Enchantment Banquet Center in Shelby Township. Active, alumni, pledge brothers and their dates enjoyed a fantastic night, which included an exquisite dinner along with some serious and mock awards.

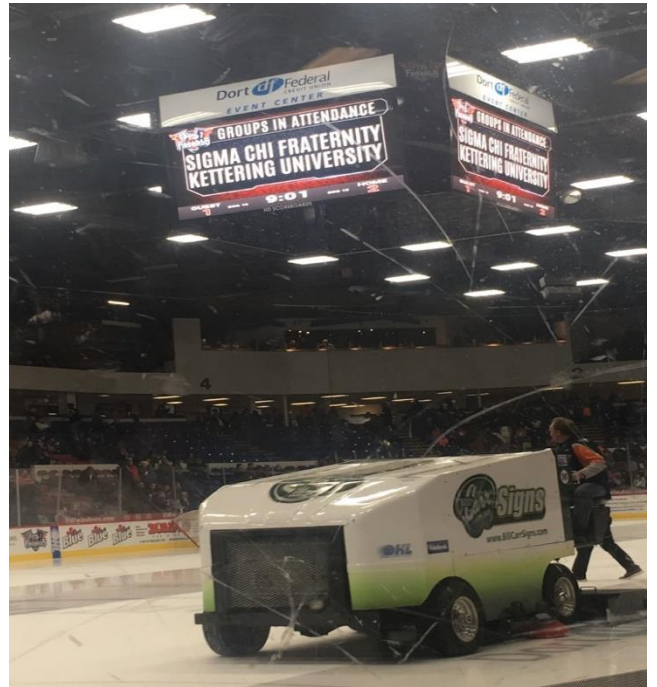
We are ecstatic this event has become a yearly tradition and we hope to host it every winter for years to come!



Beginning with philanthropy, our chapter has made drastic improvements within the last calendar year. For the 2016-2017 year, we raised a total of \$10,551.87 for the Hunstman Cancer Foundation and \$300.00 for the Sigma Chi Foundation. To put these numbers in perspective, this is over quadruple what we have been averaging over the past several years. To help reach these totals during the winter term, we sold ticket packages for the Flint Firebirds, a local OHL Hockey Team in their inaugural season. Due to our hard work and the energy we brought to the bleachers, the Firebirds presented us with additional free tickets for brothers for future games.

On the community service side, this past term we expanded upon our relationship with the Flint Salvation Army Adult Rehabilitation Center. At this location, the Salvation Army helps rehabilitate those struggling with drug addictions and alcoholism, through a six-month program that focuses on personal rejuvenation. With nearly three dozen brothers in attendance at this event, we split into groups to help unload and sort donations, clean delivery trucks, and clear a section of land for a vegetable garden.

Beyond Salvation Army, we helped set-up, coordinate, manage, and clean-up the Flushing Shillelagh Run in mid-March. This is a four-mile race hosted in the same city as our chapter house, and it allows us to demonstrate Sigma Chi's commitment to serve the local community.



With forty-three active brothers, the physical brotherhood is the largest it has been in recent memory. To take advantage of this, we have been creating multiple intramural sports teams for each league at Kettering University, both for competitiveness and leisure. It has been an excellent way to rush potential new members, but this term functioned as an excellent way for pledges to assimilate into our chapter prior to initiation. Our most noteworthy sports accomplishment this winter was repeating as water polo champions. Our team was undefeated, and swam circles around the competition.

The Brotherhood Chairs also set-up our yearly Super Bowl event. We project the game in our cafe and order five-hundred wings for the big game. In addition to that, they scheduled an afternoon at the Joe Dumar's Field House for some whirly-ball and putt-putt golf fun towards the end of the term.

Another event that we brought back is the Florida Spring Break Trip. Twenty-one brothers caravanned down to Panama City Beach for the week and rented a beach house. On their way down to the Panhandle State, they planned to stop at other chapter houses to meet various Sigs from Michigan to Georgia and all over the I-75 corridor.



Zeta Theta-A bids farewell to the following graduating brothers:



Mikey Peterson

Pledge Class 2013

Accepted a job as a Manufacturing
Engineer at Webasto Roof Systems



Ryan Witucki

Pledge Class 2014

Pursuing a career in Mechanical
Engineering



Sean Catt

Pledge Class 2014

Accepted a job as a Process
Engineer at

Asahi Kasei Plastics

All Honor To His Name



Christopher “Laffy” Lafayette

Pledge Class of 2013

Magister for PC’15

07/06/1992 – 01/12/2017



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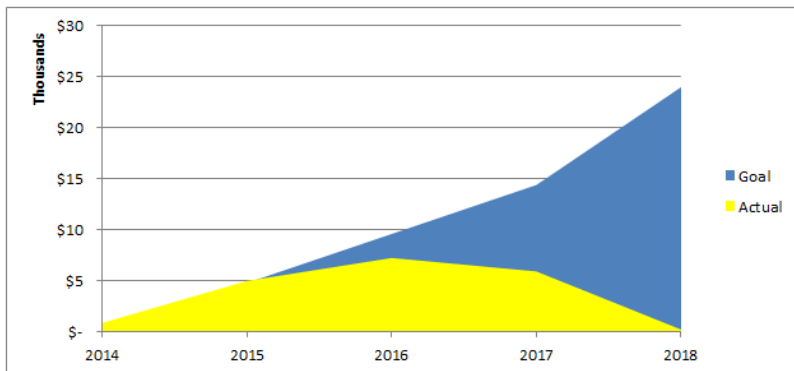
Brothers,

The future of the Zeta Theta chapter is brighter than ever with the active brothers from both sections. We look to continue the renovations, with the plan to start the garage this summer, but we need your help. With all the major renovations completed, we now focus our efforts elsewhere. Though the current garage is utilized today, it is in bad shape and not as practical as one would imagine. We plan to use the space more effectively. Currently both sections pay to use rental units to store their specific items for the terms events, i.e. Derby Days and Haunted house. However, we look to bring that storage back to 704 E. Main St.

<http://ztsigs.org/ztf/projects/>

Donation Update

First, I want to thank everyone for the rally we had after the last update. As you can see in the chart below, we still have some work to do to meet our goal for this year. This is achievable, but we need some help from brothers of all ages to pitch in. House Corp never takes this support for granted, and we understand that each brother has obligations, we appreciate all that our alumni do.



Generations of Sigs...

We have had generations over the years give back to the house. Recently, some of the younger crowd has started giving back. One of the newest is Eric Kosek (pledge class '12) who is a recent graduate from B-Section. With help from the younger generations we could be ready boost our efforts in raising money for our garage project we are trying to start this summer.

To support the efforts, please go to <http://ztsigs.org/ztf/donate/>

Sponsors since Nov 2013...

(Pledge Class):

David Brayton (88)
Alex Burtch (03)
Michael Calabro (03)
Christopher Channell (03)
James Coleman (05)
John Crawford (77)
Boyd Cryer (67)
Andrew Disanto (11)
Harold Dost (08)
Jared Gaynier (11)
David George (70)
Brad Gilliam (09)
Robert Heltsley (06)
James Kerekes (70)
Jake King (10)
Thomas Kornbau (71)
Eric Kosek (12)
Nick Lakin (03)
Timothy Lichty (08)
Bobby Marks (12)
Joseph Neal (05)
Corey Neil (06)
Gary O'Brien (04)
Elias Reyes (81)
Jordan Sahs (03)
Dennis Schrader (72)
Matt Seuberling (03)
Andrew Sornig (10)
Alan Travers (95)
Cesare Turrin (74)
Lance Wildman (05)
Bold = Repeat Donors

'17 Q1 Donor Spotlight:

Eric Kosek (12) &
Brad Gilliam (09)

2017 Goal: \$14,400
Pledged YTD: \$5,925
41% of goal

Leading Pledge Class:

PC-10B



50 Years and Counting!!!

With your donation you will get the following:

BLUE 📅 \$25 for 12 months - \$50 gift card
GOLD 📅 \$50 for 12 months - \$100 gift card
WHITE 📅 \$100 for 12 months - \$200 gift card

Remember what's at stake.

- Free Admission to the 55th anniversary including a guest – For donors of the winning pledge class only
- During the anniversary, a special program dedicated to the class including bios, and where they are now.
- A plaque that will be hung in the Chapter room, displaying the names of the class

As Always come see what's new at the house, and take a look at all the hard work that these young men do every day at school and in the community.

- In Hoc, Zeta Theta House Corp



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We Thank All of our Sponsors, Past and Present!

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