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Consuls Corner

Worthy Brothers,

As 2021 comes to a close, I am happy to share with you that our chapter has prospered through another year. The Zeta Theta B chapter continues to achieve excellence and continues its pursuit of the White Cross.

This fall, our chapter found 14 young men that met the Jordan standard. Zeta Theta B remains to be the top recruiting fraternity on campus and this shows with the tireless efforts of the recruitment team and brotherhood. We had the ability to welcome 3 legacy bid acceptors to our pledging program as well, which allowed our brotherhood to closely engage with our bid acceptors and start their lifelong journey of friendship. These relationships will continue to prosper throughout the work term and following months when they begin their pledging program run by our Magister, Clint Kopec.

With 14 new bid acceptors, our house has no worries of future brothers taking positions and fulfilling their roles. With this being said, we had 10 of our seniors graduate this term and join the working force. Of these 10, the last remaining members of PC '18 have now graduated. This marks the end of an era with PC '18, we are thankful for all they have provided to the house and wish them luck in their future endeavors. With these men gone, there will be a sizable hole that needs to be filled and PC '21 has already taken great initiative through their efforts in philanthropy and recruitment.

Speaking on philanthropy, our brothers killed it. We took a new approach and disbanded the traditional single chair, now supported by 2 assistant chairmen, making all 3 positions equal in responsibility. New Fraternal Initiates Nick Chown, Ian Bacheldor, and Joe Calamia were happy to bring back the Haunted House after a year of canceling it due to Covid, and we were able to double our profits since the last time it was run in 2019. Additionally, the philanthropy team innovated new events such as 'No Shave November's Beard Contest' to push our efforts towards the Huntsman foundation even further, our brothers are confident we will be the generation to end cancer.

Additionally, our brotherhood has net over 1,200 hours just halfway through the 2021 Peterson year. Due to covid, a few events were canceled meaning we can do even better in the coming terms. Two things we'll do to further increase our community service numbers are encouraging participation outside of school term and actively seeking new opportunities in the stead of graduating seniors who have contributed a significant amount.

Past that, we continue to lead Kettering through involvement on campus. The Kettering Student Government President, Operations Council Director, and Finance Council Treasurer are all Sigs. Additionally, we hold the majority of the positions on the



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Student Senate, Operations Council, Finance Council, International Fraternity Council, and countless other clubs. Sigma Chi is in great standing with the University and our brothers truly do run this place.

Looking forward, we will be shifting our efforts towards pledging and philanthropy. We are hoping to carry our momentum from last term into our next and we are excited to see what is in store for our bid acceptors and brothers. Each and every one of our brothers is eager to make a difference and better themselves through our fraternity. I have complete confidence in all of us to find continual success and keep our chapter operating at the highest level.

In Hoc Signo Vincas,
Nick Wever
Consul '21-'22

Recruitment

As we move on from this past fall term and look forward into this coming work term, it is a great time to reflect on our recruitment efforts this past fall. We were pleased to see the high involvement within the brotherhood, most notably PC '21. It is great to see that the young members of this house understand the importance of establishing relationships with our potential new members well before their journey within Sigma Chi has even begun. After careful consideration, we are ecstatic to be able to say that we extended 18 bids this fall. Of those 18, we had 14 accept our invitation to pledge in the spring. We know these young men all have bright futures ahead of them, and are thrilled to see them continue down the path they're on. As we move on from recruitment and look forward to pledging, we need to remember to retain the relationships we have developed and to continue building them. Now, we entrust our Magister Clint Kopec and Kustos Michael Caruso to continue to add to their growth throughout their pledgeship this upcoming spring.

In Hoc,
Andrew Dixon
David Kavanagh
Blase Haynes
Recruitment Chairmen '21-'22



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Philanthropy

Over the Fall 2021 term the Philanthropy team and the Zeta Theta B Chapter made major progress towards the Huntsman 20K club. The annual golf outing, haunted house, and Tigers game fundraisers were able to raise a total of \$8,231. We are currently on track with the progress of our chapter's last 20k year. Haunted house was a major success.

In the new year we plan to continue our momentum with a series of events. During the winter work term we plan to host a Pistons game fundraiser, Super Bowl squares, Top Golf fundraiser, and potentially a March Madness bracket. More details will be coming soon about these events. These events should be fun ways to get the brotherhood together and raise money for Huntsman Cancer Research Institute. We will also be planning the Derby Days and 5k run event for the Spring school term.

In Hoc,
Ian Bacheldor
Joseph Calamia
Nick Chown
Philanthropy Chairmen '21-'22

Project Manager

The 2021 Fall project weekend was a productive and interesting event. Many brothers helped with the upkeep of the house property with the trimming of bushes and trees. This project weekend proved to be a challenge of organization due to COVID, but the brotherhood did an excellent job with providing great work with great efficiency despite the circumstances.

One of the main projects that was completed was the clearing of downed trees in the back 40. This was a huge success with clearing all the downed trees and cutting wood to have for fire pit use later. A nice surprise was added to this project when alumni brothers Chet and Charles Essner came to the house and aided in this project. In addition to the clearing of trees, some brothers assisted in the upkeep of the outside of the house. This included power washing the cafe roof and leveling the addition stairs.

Some of the remaining projects completed this term included painting the trim in the addition and in the cafeteria, cleaning all the rooms, and painting some of the room ceilings. B-Section storage was reorganized along with cleaning and reorganizing the garage.

In Hoc,
Andrew VanDongen
Project Manager '21-'22



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Scholarship

This past term saw the revitalization of fully in person classes and the brothers of Zeta Theta B have continued and improved upon their success. Though with some troubles at first, our study tables have become an organized weekly event. Despite not having them for two years, they have been successful in helping the brotherhood, and incoming freshmen. As well as this, the brotherhood has had a more positive attitude for academics and everyone is helping each other more. I, as well as the consul, have done our best to encourage and help our peers who are struggling with their grades, and all of them are improving. Speaking of improvement, excluding this fall term which grades have not come out for yet, the average gpa of this house has drastically improved to a 3.43. This is way higher than previous terms and years, and we continue to be the top wet house, and even beat all but one dry house. We are looking forward to continuing this success into the spring term with our upcoming PC' 22.

In hoc,
Ralph Mancini
Scholarship Chair ('21-'22)

Involvement

This Fall, we saw increased involvement, especially in some new clubs on campus. It was partly due to the relaxing of covid restriction and the work of several brothers taking the lead to start and revive these extracurriculars. This term, brothers restarted the grill club and created the rocket fuel club. Brothers are also in the process of creating a winter sports club, mindfulness club, and outdoors club, all of which will benefit our community. Brothers also held several prominent leadership positions on and off campus, notably: Director of Operations Council and Financial Council, President of IFC and Gamma Sigma Alpha. Holding 63 total positions across campus, the Zeta Theta B chapter has the largest on campus presence of any fraternity with more positions than brothers.

In hoc,
Nicholas Albert
Involvement Chair ('21-'22)



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Graduating Seniors

At the conclusion of this previous fall term we saw ten active brothers conclude a major chapter of their lives. We are proud of their accomplishments and know that no matter what direction they take now, they will provide value to the world and everyone they meet. Through their wisdom, the previous brothers of the Zeta Theta B chapter prepared them for this moment. The wisdom they gained from others and well as their own experiences will continue to live on through the current and next generations of Sigma Chi. The brothers and alumni of the Zeta Theta B chapter congratulate you and wish you the best of luck in your endeavors. Make sure to stay in contact with the brotherhood as we will always receive you with welcome hands and warm hearts.

Pledge Class of 2018

Benjamin D. Cooper

Degree: Engineering Physics

Full Time Employer: Awaiting Job Offers

Job Title: Awaiting Job Offers

Location Post-Graduation: Warren, MI

Hayden Haran

Degree: Chemical Engineering

Full Time Employer: IMEG Corp

Job Title: Chemical Process Designer

Location Post-Graduation: Metro Detroit, MI





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Malachi A. Smith

Degree: Computer Engineering, Economics Minor

Full Time Employer: General Motors

Job Title: Manufacturing Plant Floor Controls
Engineer

Location Post-Graduation: Lansing, MI



Curtis R. Bartz

Degree: Electrical Engineering

Full Time Employer: Awaiting Job Offers

Job Title: Awaiting Job Offers

Location Post-Graduation: To Be Determined



Douglas J. Mulka

Degree: Electrical Engineering

Full Time Employer: Light Guide

Job Title: Software Solutions Developer

Location Post-Graduation: West Bloomfield, MI



Michael P. Stublenksy

Degree: Mechanical Engineering

Full Time Employer: Robert Bosch LLC (BEG)

Job Title: Calibration Engineer

Location Post-Graduation: Novi, MI





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Pledge Class of 2019

Keegan S. Rumph

Degree: Mechanical Engineering

Full Time Employer: Magna Lighting

Job Title: Optical Engineer

Location Post-Graduation: West Bloomfield, MI



Charles P.Q. Harr

Degree: Mechanical Engineering

Full Time Employer: Light Guide

Job Title: Integration Engineer

Location Post-Graduation: West Bloomfield, MI



Zachary L. Geiser

Degree: Computer Engineering, Electrical
Engineering Minor

Full Time Employer: 4DSysms

Job Title: Controls Engineer

Location Post-Graduation: Detroit, MI



Stephen R. Kurapati

Degree: Electrical Engineering

Full Time Employer: Awaiting Job Offers

Job Title: Awaiting Job Offers

Location Post-Graduation: To Be Determined





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Photo Gallery



Highway Cleanup



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Blue and Gold Dinner



Candle Build



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Halloween Mixer with AGD



All Greek Semi Formal