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# Phi Sigma Kappa



## TO THE ALUMNI OF THE KAPPA DEUTERON CHAPTER,

Thank you for your continued involvement with Phi Sig! Within this newsletter, you will find an update of our activities and brothers, future plans, and the state of the fraternity. We would like to highlight an event on April 18: Pig Jig. We planned this event specifically with alumni in mind, and would be thrilled to see a good turnout.

### NEW BROTHERS

We welcome into the Kappa Deuteron Chapter seven new brothers: Kyle Mortimore, Adam Jackson, Austin Kirk, Ethan Hsieh, David Mercker, Matt Williams, and Fahraan Badruddin. They were initiated on April 4 and are all very excited join the brotherhood.



Brad Farnham ('16) and the new brothers

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## PIG JIG

We are holding our annual Pig Jig this year with the goal of raising \$2,500 to send an athlete to the Special Olympics. This is a great, family friendly way for alumni to remain active with the chapter.

We will be selling food for \$8 a plate, including a sandwich, sides, drink, and dessert. If you order a ticket online, you will also receive a koozie.

The event will also feature three cornhole tournaments: 2 open brackets of 16 teams and one all women's bracket of 8. These will cost \$20 to enter, and the winner and runner up of every bracket will receive a cash prize! It will cost \$20 per team.

Pig Jig will be on Sunday, April 19, from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. It will be at our house and the adjacent portion of Techwood Drive. It will be family friendly, and in accordance with IFC rules, there will not be alcohol. To purchase tickets or donate, please [click here](#).

Contact President Brad Farnham [psk.kd.farnham@gmail.com](mailto:psk.kd.farnham@gmail.com) for more information. All alumni, family, and friends are encouraged to come hang out with current brothers and eat some good food to benefit a great cause!

## GREEK WEEK

This year, we participated in almost every Greek Week event. We had a Greek Stroll team for the first time in several years, and placed 3rd in the event. Overall, we finished in 11th place out of the 37 fraternities on campus.



The Greek Week Tug Team

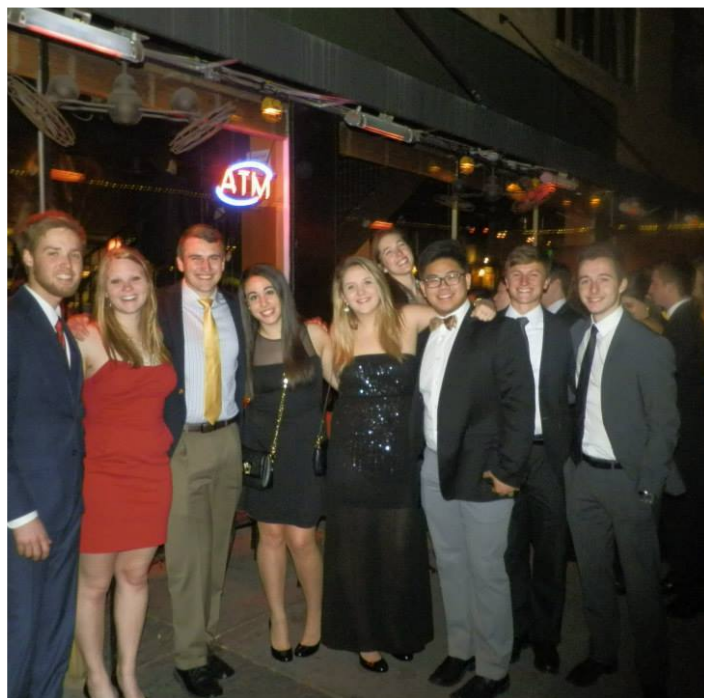


## SOCIAL

The Kappa Deuteron Chapter stayed very involved this semester, and we still have a couple more big events on the way.

We had a mixer with the sisters of Alpha Gamma Delta, which was a huge success. The brothers had a great time mingling and making new friends.

Our formal this year was in Charleston. During the daytime, many people went to the beach or explored downtown, and then later on, we rented out a bar. We had a great time with our dates, and the experience was well worth the travel.



Brothers and their dates at Formal.



Nic Laconico ('17) and James Baker ('15) with our new Moonlight Girl, Julianna Trimm

Additionally, we will be holding a zoo date night in late April. Most of the brothers have already RSVP'ed and we are looking forward to another fun night.

To go along with our zoo date night, we are holding a Safari-themed party the day before. The social committee is hard at work to ensure that these two events will go over smoothly.

Many of the brothers went on fun trips over Spring Break. Several people snowboarded in West Virginia, hiked the Appalachian Trail, checked out the beaches in Florida, and did everything in between.

## GENERAL CONVENTION

This summer, five of our brothers will travel to Minneapolis to attend General Convention with other chapters from all over the country. The brothers who have attended previous conferences have attested that it is extremely beneficial both on a chapter and personal level. Everyone is very excited to see what Convention holds.



Garrett Osborne ('16) before and after St. Baldrick's

## PHILANTHROPY

So far, we are averaging about 6 philanthropy hours per person this semester. These have come from a variety of sources, including Trees Atlanta and Tech Beautification Day. One of our brothers, Garrett Osborne ('16), even fundraised his own philanthropy cause and shaved his head for St. Baldrick's Foundation cancer research.

## THANK YOU!

Thank you for reading this latest edition of our newsletter. Your continued support is much appreciated. If you have any questions or comments, please feel free to contact me at [psk.kd.stokerspirt@gmail.com](mailto:psk.kd.stokerspirt@gmail.com).

Damn Glad,

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