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Dear Students,

As chief academic officer, I am pleased to welcome you to the University of Tampa. Your undergraduate years should be the most productive years of your life. Take full advantage of spending them at a small institution by becoming actively involved both in and out of the classroom. My staff and I will be pleased to provide assistance to you to help you realize your educational goals. Best wishes to you in your college career.

Edwin F. Wilde
Provost

Dear New Students —

Welcome from the Office of Student Activities. You are about to embark on an exciting, formative and eventful four years. This experience can only be as rewarding as you make it. The University offers many opportunities for participation and involvement, it is your responsibility to take advantage of the opportunities.

Fraternities, sororities, clubs, intramurals, Student Government and residence halls all offer avenues of involvement. Of course, academics come first but there is always room for positive extra curricular activity. The well-rounded student is involved.

I know you will enjoy your college experience and the services of my office are available to help you make your four years eventful.

Sincerely,

David R. Jackson
Director of Student Activities
Politics, a word that definitely applies to U.T. On the U.T. campus there is an air of politics that can be seen in a students everyday life, whether it be an election on a campus wide basis or in a smaller group or organization; someone is always politicking for some sort of position.

The Student Government here at Tampa U. is the largest political organization on campus, and this year is under the leadership of President Jacques Pauchey, and Vice-President Kirby Ryan. Together these two individuals will be in charge of overseeing all Bills, Resolutions, and Amendments that go through our political system. Student Government is divided into different standing committees that plan and suggest various activities for the student body through budget appropriations. Use your Student Government, its there for you, the student. Take a trip up to the second floor of the University Union and check out U.T. politics in the works.

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The moment one arrives on the University of Tampa campus, you are greeted by members of fraternities and sororities. There are three national sororities, and seven national fraternities with chapters on this campus. Each organization has its own identity and image, as well as policies and procedures. Two governing bodies on campus coordinate and officiate all of the workings of each of these organizations: The Panhellenic Council, and the Interfraternity Council.

The Panhellenic Council is the governing body of all national sororities. Council members are responsible for planning sorority rush, fund raisers, parties, and philanthropic activities. The Panhellenic Council Executive Board for this school year are: President, Laura Reed of Delta Gamma; Vice-President Maureen Merrigan of Delta Zeta; and Treasurer/Secretary Dani Legault of Alpha Chi Omega.

The Interfraternity Council is the governing body of all national fraternities. Like the Panhellenic Council, IFC sponsors many events on campus. All men are invited to speak freely to Council members and choose the fraternity that best suits them. The IFC Executive Board for this school year includes: President Mike Norton of Pi Kappa Phi; Vice-President John Voestock of Sigma Alpha Epsilon; Treasurer John Kelly of Pi Kappa Phi; Secretary Greg Iovanna of Phi Delta Theta; and Social Chairman Tom Padell of Alpha Epsilon Pi.

The Greek office is located on the second floor of the University Union. All students are invited to visit and see exactly what Greek life is all about.
Fraternities

**Alpha Epsilon Pi**

Founded in 1970, Alpha Epsilon Pi has a long history of togetherness. After the loss of our house in 1979, we hit some very low points. But with this years rush of 16 pledges, AEPi is back in the U.T. limelight once again. Fall 1981 brought our largest rush in U.T. history. Many events of the year highlighted the Social Calendar including, the Open Campu Heineken Party and the Fort DeSoto crab cookout.

**Kappa Kappa Psi**

Kappa Kappa Psi is the oldest honorary Fraternity on Campus. They were founded in 1946 and have been in operation ever since. They recently celebrated their 40th birthday, been in pep bands at sports events, been ushers for the Florida Gulf Coast Symphony, won best participation award in the Margaret McNeill Memorial Fund Home Run Derby. Had a Campus wide party with Theta Chi and worked for the United Way.

**Pershing Rifles**

Pershing Rifles were founded at U.T. in 1970 as company T-16 by USA Colonel Walt Turner, who is now the Director of Admissions here at U.T. The purpose of the organization is foster a spirit of friendship and scholarship among men and women sharing common goals. The PR’s sponsored the Go West Party with Delta Zeta, are College Bowl Champs, and are Intramural Football Fraternity League Champs.

**Zeta Beta Tau**

The University of Tampa chapter of the Zeta Beta Tau fraternity has added a unique twist to Greek life. The “Zeebs” as they are called at UT, are responsible for sponsoring the campus-wide parties with live entertainment. Members of Zeta Beta Tau hold offices in the Interfraternity Council, and other campus organizations. The little sisters of the fraternity play an important role in the government and operation of the fraternity, as well as in the Greek intramural program.

**Phi Delta Theta**

Florida Theta of Phi Delta Theta was founded on Feb. 16, 1978. In three years of existence they won best Fraternity on campus all three years and the highest award (Kansas City Trophy) that the National gives. Over the years the Phi Deltas have sponsored many events for the University and community.

**Pi Kappa Phi**

Founded as a National Fraternity at U.T. on April 23, 1955, Pi Kappa Phi is the oldest national Greek Letter College Fraternity on campus. Special events of the year included the famous Pi Kappa theme parties, including the 27th annual Gasparrilla Eve Party. The Pi Kapps have placed many brothers in high leadership positions on campus including President of Inter-Fraternity Council, and Editors positions on the School Yearbook. Many of the Pi Kappa Brothers played on the U.T. Greek All-Star Football Team for the Bud-Bowl, Including stars Bill Gieseking and Chuck Blitzer. The Pi Kapps also won the Lite Beer All American Tug-of-War for the third year in a row.

**Sigma Alpha Epsilon**

Sigma Alpha Epsilon encountered a year full of changes — new people, a new home, new friends and so forth. The new character of the Fraternity is best exemplified in the person of Mark Soldak. Brother Mark suffered paralysis from an auto accident, yet he did not lose his will to recover or succeed. SAE had numerous Brothers in leadership positions throughout the University. The SAE’s also did well in Sports placing four Brothers on the Bud-Bowl Team. Topping the Social Calendar was the Second Annual Gone with The Wind Party, held in the fall.
Sororities

Alpha Chi Omega

Alpha Chi Omega is a social sorority whose purpose is to promote the true spirit of sisterhood; to develop through personal effort, a high moral and mental standard; and to advance the appreciation and practice of the allied arts among its members. In the fall semester, AXO's triumphed by placing 2nd in the Tug-of-War, 2nd and 3rd in Intramural Ping-Pong, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd in the Eight Ball Tourney, and held the highest G.P.A. among sororities. The highlight of the Spring semester was the installation of the Gamma Pi Colony as a Chapter on Jan. 9th, 1982. Celebration began on Jan. 7th and culminated in a campus reception on Jan. 10th. The Gamma Pi Chapter is proud of the fact that it took the shortest amount of time to become a chapter of any other AXO colony. The Founding President of the Chapter was Shelly Havas. The Highlight of the Year was when the Sorority won Best Sorority on Campus for the 1981-82 year.

Delta Gamma

The local sorority Delta, was founded in Jan. of 1980. In Jan. of 1981, Delta was inducted as a Delta Gamma Colony. On April 12, 1981, Delta Gamma initiated the colony as its 107th chapter. Some of the activities they were involved in were: Anchor Splash Weekend (Oct. 16-18), Tuck-in Service, Hawaiian Party with Kappa Sigma of USF, and the Lite Beer Tug-of-War, of which they were Champs.

Delta Zeta

Delta Zeta became a pledge colony on Jan. 18, 1981. They were installed as a chapter on Oct. 10, 1981, renewing the Delta Beta Chapter. The purpose of their organization is to unite its members in the bonds of sincere and lasting friendship, to stimulate one another in pursuit of knowledge, to promote the moral and social culture of its members and to develop plans for guidance and unity in action; objects worthy of the highest aim and purpose of associated effort. Delta Zeta held service projects for the Gallaudet College for the Deaf and sponsored the Go West Party.
The 5th annual Bud Bowl — Greek-vs-Greek — UT-vs-USF — was played at the USF Soccer Field. UT felt they had prepared the best team possible to capture their first ever Bud Bowl victory. Taking a 13-0 lead early in the game, UT felt their hard work had paid off. However, the dreams soon turned to nightmares as the USF offense picked apart UT’s defense, and the offense, not being able to produce, allowed the opponent to toughen up and come up with the “big plays.” UT lost again (44-26) — but not without a fight and a lot of fun. New friends were made, jersey’s were exchanged, and the parties lasted until dark. The MVP for UT was Bill Fountain, a Sigma Alpha Epsilon. Other team members included: Fran Allan, John Dobbie, Andy Ferrigno — of Sigma Alpha Epsilon; Bill Gieseking, Rod Cooper, Joe Brandine, Chris Pastina, C.J. Blitzer, Mike Norton, Kent Abbey — of Pi Kappa Phi; Jim Huff, Jacques Pauchery, Tracy Didl, Bruce Roberts — of the Pershing Rifles; Ed Hill, Louis Kuiken, Art Machulisky, Joe Rich, Scott Baxter, Kevin Dec, Brian Hughes — of Phi Delta Theta; Dan Murray, Kory Krucher, and Dan Lee were the coaches.

I.F.C. Rush Schedule

Sept. 9 Panhellenic — 9:00 — Ballroom
IPC Smoker — 9:00 pm — Fletcher
Discussion on Greek Life, selling of the system, explanation of rush procedures. No fraternity trophies or tables. Munchies and beer
Sept. 10 IFC/Panhellenic Campus Party
Sept. 11-12 Sorority Rush Parties
Bids — 7:30 C-Lite 8:00
Sept. 13-14 Individual Smokers — 9-11:00
4 fraternities each night in 4 locations rushing spend time with each group.
Sept. 17 Bids due in Student Activities Office — Noon Bids will be put in P.O. Boxes by 5:00. Each fraternity will meet their pledges at the same time. (Time and places need to be determined)
Sept. 17 thru Open Rush
Oct. 6
Completed Data Sheets and Due are due at IFC Mtg — 5:00 on the 6th

Basic Rules:
No advertised parties until after the 6th. No conflicting functions on the 13th & 14th. Rushes will be encouraged to attend all 8 smokers. No alcohol during formal rush.
1. How many smokers must a rusher attend?
2. Can women attend the formal smokers? (little sisters)

Panhellenic Rush Schedule

Sept. 9 Smoker — 9:00 pm — Fletcher Lounge
Sept. 10 Campus Party — 9:00 pm — Margaret McNiff Bldg.
Sept. 13-14 Individual Smokers — 9-11:00 pm — see signs for more details
Sept. 17 Bids extended to rushers
Sept. 17 thru Open Rush
Oct. 6
Sept. 9 Orientation — 9:00 pm — Ballroom
Sept. 11-12 Rush Parties — further details at Orientation
Sept. 12 Bids extended — 7:30 pm
Candlelight ceremony — 8:00 pm — Fletcher Lounge
Sept. 12 Open Rush begins and continues until end of semester
It’s Greek To Me

Active — a person who has been formally initiated by the chapter.
Bid — a formal invitation to pledge.
Chapter — the local group of the larger national organization which is designated by a special Greek letter name.
Formal Rush — a series of parties given by each Greek organization during a specified period of time and governed by IFC and Panhellenic.
Fraternity — the name that applies to all Greek letter organizations characterized by a ritual, a pin, and a strong tie of friendship. Informally, women’s fraternities are termed sororities.
Ice Water Tea — a term which applies to the parties that sororities give for prospective pledges during formal rush.
IFC — Interfraternity Council is comprised of one voting member from each fraternity. It is the governing body for the fraternity system.
Initiation — the formal ceremony during which a pledge takes vows for full membership into the fraternity or sorority.
Panhellenic — means “all Greek.” It is the governing association for all Greek letter sorority women.
Pledge — one who has been accepted as a probationary member of a group. After a period of education in the history, ideals, and traditions of the organization and after averaging a designated grade point average may be initiated.
Quota — the number of pledges that a group can accept during formal rush.
Rushee — the college man or woman who is participating in formal rush.
Smoker — a traditional term which applies to the parties given by fraternities during formal rush.
Social — a “get-together” with another sorority or fraternity for a party, a dinner, or another fun occasion.