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BETA CHI ♂

The Beta Chi Alumni Organization has been rolling right along with a constantly increasing active membership. They feel that possibly some of the other organizations might be interested in the method by which they have accomplished this. They have a meeting once a month at the home of some member of the fraternity, each month moving on to some one else's home. After the meeting has been adjourned, those present may, if they so desire, participate in various forms of recreation. Food and refreshments are served throughout the evening. The cost of this function is absorbed by the individual at whose home the meeting takes place. In this manner, many months pass before the cycle is completed.

This type of meeting has proved most successful and the BX's feel that their meetings should continue along this same line.

They also have frequent outings which their wives and children attend, the most recent being in April at the lake home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stevens. Those members owning boats and outboards brought them along for boat riding, a softball game was played, and numerous other forms of recreation took place.

The BX's have also maintained a strong relationship with the active members. They have achieved this by several methods; one of which is the Beta Chi Annual Scholarship which is given each year to some deserving BX active. Another is by attending their meetings, and still another is by challenging the actives to various games. At present, plans are underway to play a softball game. The past three years that these games have been played, the Alumni have come up on top all three times and are looking for their fourth win. Extra emphasis is put on these games by making the loser buy several cases of cokes for the winner.

They are constantly striving for new ideas to create interest, which, in turn can end in only one thing---bigger and better attendance.

TAU OMEGA

The tau Omega Fraternity Alumni had a meeting May 8th at the home of Bud Pepper at which Fred Rogers was elected President. The former president, Tom Waugh, was forced to resign due to the fact that his job keeps him out of town most of the time. Tom Barrow was elected treasurer to replace Fred.

After the business meeting there was recreation, and refreshments were served throughout the evening.

The next meeting will be held June 5th at the home of Charles Sipes beginning at eight o'clock. At this meeting the plans will be given for a social event to be held during the month of July.

SIGMA THETA PHI

At the May 4th meeting, officers were elected to take office in June. These new officers will be installed at a luncheon meeting May 27th at Rubin's Restaurant. Please plan to attend. Officers are: President, Alice Arias Campion; Vice-President, Dot Gonzalez Quarterman; recording secretary, Elena Rivero Ghiotio; Corresponding secretary, Joan Schwab; Treasurer, Jane Wallace Pittman; historian, Mary Julia Mena; reporter, Vivian Bittman.

Dot Gonzalez Cox flew in from Tacoma, Washington to spend Mother's Day with her mother and family and will be here for a few more weeks.

Betty Faye Cumbie became Mrs. Joe DiBona May 3. The double-ring ceremony was read by Rev. P. J. Wagner in the presence of members of the immediate families. This romance began at the University of Tampa and the wedding service was held in Dr. Nance's study. We all wish them both the very best.

Dot Thonnessen Harper has completely recovered from her automobile accident. She is able to swim and dance again after being in a cast for 7 months. Mrs. Thonnessen was bubbling over with happiness when she stopped by to tell the good news. As you remember, Dot and Howard are living in San Jose, Costa Rica. They will not be home for another year.

Our next meetings will be the night of June 8 at 3904 Horatio St. (Patty Ennis' home). Plans are to be made for summer meetings with more emphasis on fun and less on business.

Don't forget the luncheon May 27, and the dance the Alumni Association is giving for the Graduation Class on June 2. Hope to see all of you then.

RHO NU DELTA

The Rho Nus had a gay time at the sendoff party for their officers. Elections will be held at the next meeting. Present officers are: President, F. Tramontana; Vice-President, G. Garcia; Secretary, Herman Messina; Treasurer, Dr. B. Tramontana; and Sgt-of-Arms, A. Nieto.

A gay party is now being planned for the installment of new officers. The graduates will be invited.

SIGMA KAPPA NU

The officers of the Skn Alumni Association are: President, Tom Johnson, Jr; Vice-President, Bill Handley; Secretary-Treasurer, Albert McNab.

NEW COMMITTEES: Personnel Placement

The purpose of this committee is to place all members of the SKN in jobs indicative of their education, training, background, and desires. Arthur Burrows is Chairman and Dr. Byron Wilson and William Buchanan are committeemen.

Outstanding Pledge Award

The purpose of this committee is to present to the outstanding pledges on a scholastic basis---a fraternity pin with a guard. This is to take place each semester. Theodore L. Lesley, Jr. is the chairman and the Presidents of the Alumni and Active Chapter are committeemen.

Membership Committee

The purpose of this committee is to increase the membership of the SKN Alumni Association. Also to keep them posted on current happenings, plans, meetings, etc. Albert McNab is Chairman with the President of the Active Chapter and Alex Kaiser serving as committeemen.

Liaison and Interest

The purpose of this committee is to correlate the activities of the alumni group with that of the Active Chapter. To keep interest at a maximum at all times, Bill Handley is Chairman and Calvin Baker and the President of the Active Chapter are committeemen.

Public Relations

The purpose of this committee is to keep the name Sigma Kappa Nu well publicized at all times regarding the activities of the Organization. Dick Saxon, Chairman, Kendall Baker and P. J. Harvey, committeemen.

DELTA KAPPA

Jo Ann Hall has gone to Japan to become a Civil Service Worker. Frances Alderman Ingram (Mayhew) is resident physician at Duke. Janice Trice Hall is visiting in Tampa from Oregon. Catherine Bowen Eby, now living in Monroe, Mich., is the proud mother of a baby boy. Phillis Flanagan Baker living in Los Angeles is to visit her family in Tampa accompanied by her husband and two boys. Minna Dennis Hardwich has recently visited her family. Minna now lives in Flint, Mich. Doris Wainwright Loftis is in Tampa, visiting her parents until August. Phillis Ramage

Frost of Atlanta recently visited her family in Tampa. Elizabeth Robertson, Virginia Smith, and Mary Jo Glenn are teaching at B. C. Graham. Pat Tallant White is the music director at Tampa Bay Blvd. School. Barbara Jean Garber of Avon Park is a proud mother. (It's a boy). Frances Combee is also teaching Gary School. Mike DuBois is still in Pasadena, Cal. Glenna Hill Beyton who is residing in Plant City, will be here in Tampa this summer while Howard is at school. She has a cute little boy. Dot Games Lenfesty is living in Gainesville while Fred finishes his masters. Rosalie Mathis Vinson has been seriously ill with an appendectomy. She is better now and is living in Dunedin. She has a son. Nancy Marsh teaches at MacFarland Park Grammar School. Jeanette Andrews is now employed in the Business Office of the Alma Mater. Dot Hill Anderson is the outgoing president of the active DK alumni. Peggy Mack Chambers teaches at Sulphur Springs school. Evelyn Hopper and Betty Davis Normanare is employed at the First National Bank. Dot Harra is working for Westinghouse, traveling all over the state of Florida and other Southern states as a demonstrator. JoAnne McDuffie is taking nurses training at the Gordon Keller Nurse's School at Municipal. Margaret High Selph is working hard these days at Sears & Roebuck to keep Frank from starving while he completes his studies at University of Tampa. P. S. Frank works too. Pat Scott and Jerry Jackson have set the date for August. Congratulations from us all. Barbara Blake Kemp and Mary Nelle Buck Wilcox think its wonderful to see the old gang again. The DK Alumni meetings have proved to be very interesting lately. After completing meetings we all play Canasta or Bridge. Jean Pryor Nyers and Sookie Jackson Reid and several others have sworn off Canasta saying it does not require concentration.