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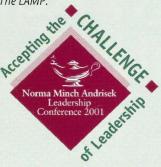
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Collegiate officers attended the Norma Minch Andrisek Conference at Purdue University in July. The Conference had record attendance and was a resounding success. Watch for the complete story about this Conference and the CCD Conference in the Fall 2001 issue of *The LAMP*.





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A Summer of Learning and Leadership

Many people make the comment that things must go slower for all of us in Delta Zeta during the summer. Our collegiate members are out of school, and our alumnae are busy with their families, vacations, and other personal and professional pursuits.

However, nothing could be further from the truth. In the summer, Delta Zeta Sorority is busier than ever. And this summer is one of the busiest.

On June 29 - July 1, we held the 2001 Norma Minch Andrisek Leadership Conference at Purdue University in West Lafayette, Indiana. The NMA Leadership Conference was, once again, a resounding success. We have an impressive body of collegians who are committed to learning all they can about how to be the best leaders possible within their chapters. These emerging leaders understand the importance of taking that leadership further—onto campus and into their communities. As you read the "On Campus" section in this issue of The LAMP, you'll see this level of involvement in the many campus and community organizations our members belong to, and you'll see how many of them hold leadership positions within those organizations and have received awards for their campus and community involvement.

Foremost, our collegians know the importance of academic achievement and are committed to it. In "On Campus," you'll note many collegiate members' names listed as members of academic honorary societies, as part of their schools' Dean's and Presidents' lists, as scholarship recipients, and academic award winners.

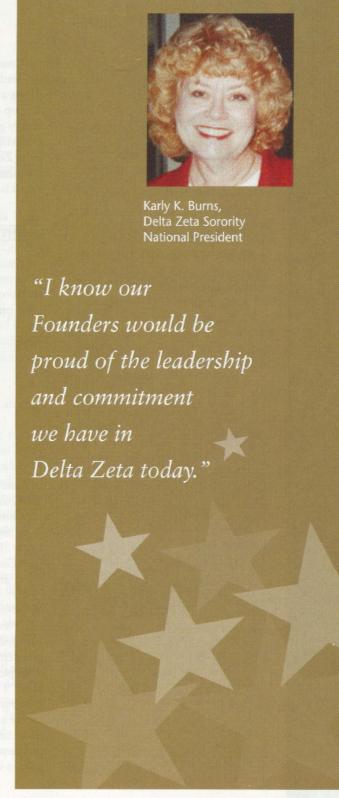
Our CCD (College Chapter Directors) Conference is being held at Purdue as this issue goes to press. Again, the commitment of our CCDs, our Regional Collegiate Coordinators, and all of our alumnae to mentor and lead our collegians reflects their dedication to Delta Zeta's principles of leadership.

We are also preparing for the official kick-off of our Centennial year on Founders Day, October 24, 2001. In the upcoming months, we'll have news and information about local and national events, commemorative items, and celebrations to commemorate the founding of the Sorority one hundred years ago. The enthusiasm is mounting among our members as we draw closer to this once-in-a-lifetime event, one in which all Delta Zetas will want to have a part.

I know our Founders would be proud of the leadership and commitment we have in Delta Zeta today. Let's continue to make Delta Zeta Sorority the very best it can be.

Karly L. Burns

Delta Zeta Sorority National President



MENTORS FOR A NEW AGE: Profiles in Leadership

What Does it Mean to Mentor?

MENTORING IS A CONCEPT FROM ANCIENT GREECE. MENTOR WAS A FRIEND OF ODYSSEUS WHO WAS ENTRUSTED WITH THE EDUCATION OF ODYSSEUS' SON, TELEMACHUS. THUS, A MENTOR IS DEFINED AS "A TRUSTED COUNSELOR OR GUIDE."

(Webster's New Collegiate Dictionary).

It is fitting that this Greek concept is carried into a Greek organization such as Delta Zeta Sorority. Each member is a mentor—no matter what the role in life: parent, wife, teacher, professional colleague, or collegian.

While mentoring is trusted guidance, it is also in the impression we project to others as Delta Zetas. Mentoring by example is the best way to teach. You never know when you're making an impression, or when others are following in your footsteps. Our members' actions mentor to others every day—we are teaching others about Delta Zeta whether we realize it or not.

Mentoring is more important than ever in today's society–especially as the traditional models of home and family change. Delta Zeta is a second family, a "home away from home" for many women who are on their own for the first time in their lives when they come to college. The sorority experience enhances the mentoring experience–for the mentor and the protégé.

With our emphasis on character building and leadership opportunities, mentoring allows a unique way to help women develop confidence and strength as they go forward in the world. In the following profiles, you'll see how Delta Zetas are leading by example, both inside and outside of the Sorority, which is the best way to mentor.

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Niki Norton BA '93 By Allison Jones BA '92 President of the Knoxville (Tennessee) Alumnae Chapter



Katie Shamblin '00, President of Beta Lambda, and CCD Niki Norton climbing Camelback Mountain in Scottsdale, Arizona at the National Convention in July 2000. Niki says, "Katie and I sang at Convention, as we both love music, and it brought us even closer."

Niki Norton accepted the position of CCD for the Beta Lambda Chapter at the University of Tennessee/Knoxville with great enthusiasm, and has set a wonderful example for the collegiate women. She says, "I felt I could help the women get the best out of their college life, because it comes and goes so quickly. I remind them every time I'm with them to cherish every moment, because you'll never forget your time in college with Delta Zeta."

Niki puts her heart and time into the chapter. She often attends several Delta Zeta functions a week, and meets with the Executive Board of Beta Lambda, attending weekly collegiate and monthly alumnae meetings, as well as Panhellenic meetings. She helps seniors with their resumes, assists students with organizational and time management skills, and encourages others who may have self-esteem issues.

Niki's encouragement to the chapter's Panhellenic delegate was rewarded when the Beta Lambda Chapter won the Panhellenic Involvement Award this year. She is truly the chapter members' friend and confidante. "I try to reach each of the collegians at a different level. I feel that if you can find some common ground with their schooling or extra activities, they begin to relate to you. Then they stan to take advice, ask your opinion, and ask for help when they need it. There's this mutual respect that's so important."

A professional architect, Niki is an integral part of the Student Association Building Committee (SABC), which was formed at the University of Tennessee to provide better housing facilities for sororities. She serves as architect and as a representative of Delta Zeta. The university is working on its new master plan for the campus, which includes a new plot of land for Sorority Row, thanks to the SABC. "I feel that the alumnae can play such a big role in becoming great mentors to our collegians," Niki emphasizes. "It feels good that I helped with something in their life. Having a positive impact in their lives and knowing that I helped is the greatest thrill." We are fortunate to have Niki as our CCD in Knoxville, because she sets a wonderful example as a Delta Zeta alumna in her devotion to the women of Beta Lambda.

Joanne Higgins Gold A '55 By Dorothy Gill Lawyer ΓΔ '53 Chapter Editor for the Cleveland Eastside Alumnae Chapter



Joanne Higgins Gold A.

Joanne is a 17-year breast cancer survivor and works as a Reach to Recovery volunteer for The American Cancer Society. Reach to Recovery is a program comprised of breast cancer survivors trained to respond to the concerns of patients and their families facing diagnosis, treatment, and the effects of breast cancer. Joanne says cancer patients find that it helps to have someone to talk with who has been through the experience. "I have met some remarkable women through my volunteer work," she says.

"My husband of 41 years was also given a second chance in life. In July 1999, he was the recipient of a new kidney. As a result of this 'gift of life' experience, we have both become involved in LifeBanc. LifeBanc coordinates all organ and tissue donations in Northeast Ohio, resulting in the transplant of patients nationally and at four local transplant hospitals.

"My part in the program is educating four- to seven-year old children about their bodies. The program is interactive, with visuals and songs. I teach the children about their organs, where they are located, and what their organs do. We have songs and an 'organ apron' to show them what is under their bones and skin. We share different ways to keep our bodies healthy. I am a former teacher and truly enjoy interacting with the young children."

After facing her life-changing challenges, Joanne has learned to make every day count. "My experiences have given me a deeper appreciation of life," she says.

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Katherine Sermersheim AB '87 By Nancy Brewer



Katie Sermersheim serves on Delta Zeta's Training Committee and is an integral part of the Sorority's Leadership Conferences.

Katie serves as Secretary of the Delta Zeta National Council, and is a member of the Sorority's National Training Committee for leadership conference and training events. Katie recently received the Interfraternity Educational Fellowship from Phi Kappa Tau Fraternity. The Fellowship was implemented by Phi Kappa Tau in 1997 to recognize and reward outstanding individuals who contribute to their fraternities and the entire Greek community.

Now a doctoral candidate in Educational Administration at Southern Illinois University, Katie received a master's degree in College Student Personnel from Western Illinois University and a bachelor's degree in psychology and sociology from the University of Southern Indiana, where she was initiated as a member of the Lambda Beta Chapter of Delta Zeta.

Katie is currently the Assistant Director of Student Development at Southern Illinois University where she advises the 25 fraternities and sororities on campus. She is also the Commission IV Chair of the American College Personnel Association. Katie is a mentor and role model not only for Greeks and the other students she advises and works with every day on Southern Illinois' campus, but for the many collegians of Delta Zetas who benefit from her knowledge and dedication to the Sorority.

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Laura Hoage Rader A '90 By Erika Seydel Cheney ΓΧ '91 Chapter Editor for the Indianapolis North Central Alumnae Chapter



Laura Hoage Rader \(\Delta' 90 mentors as \) Big Sister to nine-year old Destiny.

In today's busy world, it is hard to find time for yourself, let alone someone else. However, many of our sisters in the Indianapolis North Central Alumnae Chapter take part in personal philanthropic or volunteer work. One such sister, Laura Rader, has chosen that same path by mentoring a nine-year old in the Central Indiana Big Sisters program. "My role is to provide her with an additional adult to talk to and trust," says Laura.

Since November 2000, Laura has been mentoring a young lady by the name of Destiny Robinson. While building on her mentoring relationship with Destiny, Laura is mindful of the Big Sisters Program's "Three C's," which include steering the child toward becoming a caring, confident, and competent person.

Destiny and Laura meet twice a month. During those special times, they play games, go to the ballet, meet with other Big Sisters and their protégés, attend local events, or just enjoy time together. "The greatest reward of mentoring Destiny has been having her in my life, and the biggest challenge has been learning the fine line between being her friend and an adult that has to provide discipline," Laura says. Laura attended DePauw University, where she became a member of the Delta Chapter. She currently serves as the Indianapolis North Central Delta Zeta Newsletter Editor.



Delta Zeta collegiate chapters end the school year with accomplishments and awards, say goodbye to graduating seniors, and make plans for next school year.

The Alpha Chapter at Miami University (Ohio) had 29 members named to the Dean's List, and members Laura Helmick, Brooke Sikora, and Caroline Stevens were named to the President's List. The women with the top cumulative GPAs were Kelly O'Brien, Laura Helmick, Shannon Chagnot, and Brooke Sikora. The Alpha Chapter received the Most Improved Region V Chapter Award at Region Day, in addition to awards for chapter membership, new member programs, and best treasurer. On campus, the chapter won first place in Sigma Chi's Derby Days. Several members are traveling together this summer in Europe.



The Alpha Chapter enjoys a 1980s costume party.

Members of the Alpha Alpha Chapter at Northwestern University received awards from the Chicago North Shore Panhellenic for outstanding academic achievement: juniors Heather Book, Meghan Fahey, Laurel Felt, and Kat MacFarlane, and seniors Amy Caron, Mary Lutz, and Meredith McCormick. The chapter also received awards for scholarship programming and campus and community involvement at the Greek Awards ceremony presented by the university. A new philanthropy event sponsored with the men of Lambda Chi Alpha benefited the Haven Youth and Family Service.

The Alpha Beta Chapter (University of Illinois) won the Greek Excellence Award for the Best Scholarship Program among all sororities on campus. Forty-seven members achieved a 3.5 or above GPA, with 11 of those achieving a 4.0 average. Sarah Konsky and Megan Nowicki (who was named Outstanding Senior in Education) were honored as the top students in the graduating class. Other members receiving awards included

Sarah Quoss (Outstanding Senior in General Engineering), Academic Chair Amy Waitz (Excellence in Physics), Gina Mezzano (Mother's Association Book Award for 4.0 GPA), and Erin Stieber, Courtney Collins, and Danielle Jacob, who received various scholarships.

The Alpha Gamma Chapter (University of Alabama) has two members, Lauren Bissell and Elizabeth McLeod, who were elected as senators to the Student Government Association. Leslie Kinsaul, April Quinn, Nicole Speake, and Katey Watkins are members of Phi Eta Sigma; Jennifer Traywick is doing an internship in Washington, D.C.; Amy Anderson, Jessica Brooks, Karen Ellis, Suzanne Freshwater, and Rachel White are members of the Order of Omega, and Jessica was also named the Student Alumni Association's Senior Advisor. Hillary Nix was named to the 2001 Homecoming Executive Board and Jennifer Traywick is the Homecoming Director of Lawn Decorations.

The **Alpha Pi Chapter** (Samford University) is working with the Birmingham Alumnae Chapter to implement a mentoring program, and have had a successful first season in flag football intramurals.

The Alpha Rho Chapter (Ohio Wesleyan University) held its third Red Cross Blood Drive this past spring and won second place in Delta Gamma's Anchor Splash. Members also supported Bowl for Kids' Sake, a recycled art contest, and the Environment and Wildlife Club. For the sixth year in a row, the chapter received the award for the highest GPA in Region V and was recognized for outstanding philanthropy. Traci Kennedy received the Outstanding President Award.

Alpha Sigma Chapter (Florida State University) member Holly Radcliffe was selected to join the Tallahassee Ballet Company. Previously, Holly danced on Florida State's dance team. The chapter's CCD, Amy Anderson, was named Chapter Advisor of the Year among all sororities at the Greek Awards. Members participated in philanthropic events such as March of Dimes/ Walk America, FSU's Dance Marathon, Girl Scouts Clothing Drive, and the Make a Wish Foundation.

The Alpha Theta Chapter (University of Kentucky) was named the Most Spirited Chapter for the second year in a row at the Greek Banquet. Emily Bindas and Amber Gatlin were recognized for academic achievement at the banquet. Chapter President Montica Carpenter, was inducted into the Order of Omega, seven women earned 4.0 GPAs, and Amber Gatlin, who graduated in May, will become a Chapter Consultant for Delta Zeta. Robyn Cunningham, Angie Glass, and Kim Wolfe were Rho Chis during formal recruitment.

Six members of the Alpha Upsilon Chapter (University of Maine) were inducted into the Order of Omega, Mary Kathleen "Casey" Johnson holds the office of President, and Kimberly Wagner is Public Relations Chair for the honor society. The chapter was honored for Outstanding Community Service at the Greek Awards, and Kimberly Wagner was named Sorority Woman of the Year. Brooke Smith-Stowell was accepted to the National Student Exchange Program at the University of Georgia, and Amie Hoffman, a junior majoring in chemical engineering, is the Vice President of the Society of Women Engineers.

The Beta Alpha Chapter (University of Rhode Island) finished a successful spring recruitment with their signature Grease skit. Members also had a chance to meet cast members from MTV's Real World at a school event.



The Beta Alpha Chapter on Bid Day.

The Beta Delta Chapter (University of South Carolina) held its first annual Turtle Tug event, which raised \$1,600 for the Delta Zeta Foundation and hearing impaired classes at a local elementary school. The chapter teamed with Alpha Chi Omega, Lambda Chi Alpha, and Alpha Phi Alpha to take first place in the Greek Week competition. Candice Braddock received the school's Most Outstanding Woman award for her dedication to many campus activities.

Beta Gamma Chapter (University of Louisville) members participated in the March of Dimes Walk America, and made backpacks for underprivileged school children. Tiffany Houchin, Sara Houlette, and Beth Sherman are members of Mortar Board, and Sara is a member of the Order of Omega.

The Beta Kappa Chapter (Iowa State University) sponsored a self-defense seminar at which Ames, Iowa police officers demonstrated self-defense techniques. "I think there is a false sense of security sometimes," said Becky Ridge, a sophomore. "This session gave us valuable lessons to remember." Information from the Ames, Iowa Tribune, Feb. 28, 2001.

The Beta Lambda Chapter (University of Tennessee) received the Panhellenic Involvement Banner for the spring semester. "This banner shows how hard our chapter has worked outside of the Sorority," said Krissie Bruno, Delta Zeta Panhellenic Delegate. Sarah Hill and Rachel Dodson graduated with a 4.0 GPA, and Ashley Wise is doing an internship for the governor of Tennessee in Nashville. Kathryn Wise, a senior in public relations, received a campus citation for leadership and service, one of the highest honors given by the university.

The Beta Tau Chapter (Nebraska Wesleyan University) received the Delta Zeta 1902 Loyalty Award, a national award which recognizes the chapter with the greatest percentage of members who support the 1902 Loyalty Circle, Delta Zeta's collegiate giving program. Members volunteered at the Special Olympics for Greek Week 2001, and hosted a mother-daughter tea for members in the spring.

The Beta Xi Chapter at Auburn University placed second in Spirit for the Annual Greek Sing Show this past spring, and also placed second in the Panhellenic Spirit Points. The chapter was the champion in the Softball Intramurals, and placed third in the Greek Week competition. Members adopted a family through the Make a Wish Foundation. Many members belong to honor societies and sit on the Panhellenic Board. Dara Ranson received the FBI Honors Internship, which is awarded to only 55 people nationwide.



The Beta Xi Chapter hosted a Panhellenic Council meeting with a rodeo theme.

The Delta Beta Chapter (University of Tampa) won the Outstanding Volunteer Organization of the Year Award for the second year in a row, and won Sorority of the Year for the third consecutive year at the university's Leadership Awards. Sarah Mantooth, a freshman, won a campus leadership award for "Outstanding First Involvement at UT."

The **Delta Delta Chapter** (Georgia State University) received the Dean's Cup for Academic Excellence at the Greek Awards, and took first place in philanthropy during Greek Week. Leslie Nurnberger and Alicia Barnett are members of the Order of Omega. The chapter also held its annual Turtle Race to raise money for the speech and hearing impaired.

The **Delta Omega Chapter** (Fort Hays State University) received the Outstanding Small Chapter Award at Region Weekend. Sarah Brown was recognized as the Outstanding Greek Senior Woman at the university. Kim Pfannenstiel is a member of the Order of Omega; Lisa Conn, Teresa Detweiler, Deena Erdman, Dawn Friedly, Michelle Joy, Anne Madorin, Megan Palmer, Kim Pfannenstiel, and Julie Shaffer received Panhellenic Scholastic Achievement Awards.

The **Delta Phi Chapter** (Northeastern Oklahoma State University) was named Greek Week Champion for the fourth year in a row. The chapter was also recognized with the Outstanding Sorority Award at the Greek Awards for community and campus involvement. Maci Hamilton was named as the Top Greek Woman on Campus, and Amber Fite was elected as the president of the student body.

The **Delta Sigma Chapter** (Truman State University) was awarded recognition on campus for the Highest New Member Grades. The chapter won the Greek Week competitions with the men of Phi Sigma Kappa and Lambda Chi Alpha. Andrea Behr was on the court for the Greek Week Queen. The chapter sponsored a Golf for Gallaudet tournament, and raised money for underprivileged children with the men of Beta Theta Pi.



The Delta Sigma Chapter members won first place in the Greek Week competition.

The Delta Tau Chapter's (Temple University) new member class held a philanthropy event to donate toiletries and funds to homeless children through an organization called "Stand Up for Kids," which was begun by a Temple alumnus. The chapter also joined other organizations, Greek and non-Greek, on campus for "Locks for Love," donating hair to make wigs for children who have cancer. The chapter had the highest GPA of any sorority on campus.

The **Delta Theta Chapter** (University of Houston) was honored at Region Weekend with the Carolyn Barnes Gullatt Formal Recruitment Award. Amanda Koss won the Outstanding Vice President of Programming Award; Elizabeth Cobb, the Outstand-

ing Ritual Chairman; Marti Rankin, Outstanding Panhellenic Officer; and Ashley Vaughan, Outstanding Vice President of Membership. Bonnie McSwain will represent the city of Spring in the Ms. Texas pageant, and Michelle Galligan was nominated for Outstanding Woman Athlete in intramurals.

The **Delta Upsilon Chapter** (Marshall University) won Greek Week and Greek Sing for the third year in a row. Kim Cella and Chapter President Erin Jellots have been inducted into the Order of Omega. The chapter was also featured in an article in the Wheeling, West Virginia *Intelligencer* for giving up their spring break to help others as they raised money for the Children's Miracle Network.

The **Delta Xi Chapter** (University of Northern Colorado) received an award for winning attendance at Greek Week. Three members serve on Panhellenic Council, one member is serving on the University Program Council, and three members were recognized as department scholars. The chapter also has members on the cheerleading squad, dance team, and as members of Golden Key Honor Society.

The Epsilon Chapter (Indiana University) placed second in the Homecoming Competition, and won first place in the Banner Competition at Homecoming. The new member class ranked first in grades among all 23 sororities on campus. Jaime Hockensmith received the Student of the Year Award from Dean Richard McKaig for her work as Panhellenic Risk Management Chairman. Jennifer Huey will be teaching school in Australia for six months, and Keri Schindler and Courtney Watterson were chosen to be Recruitment Counselors for next school year.

The Epsilon Delta Chapter (Concord College) won first place for its Homecoming float, and member Susan Thorn was Homecoming Queen. Heather Sowards received the David S. Roth Memorial Award for Outstanding English Major of the Year. Emily Myers, a Presidential Scholar, was inducted into the Cardinal Key Honor Society and Lambda Pi Eta Communication Arts Honor Society. She is also editor of the Honors Program newsletter and a member of the Honors Student Advisory Council.



The Epsilon Delta Chapter organized the Greek Unity Bonfire during Greek Week. Pictured are Monica Lusk, Shannon Miller, Amanda Baughman, Andrea Marino, Andria Peters, LeeAnn Fink, Nikki Bales, Terri Wright, Carolyn Dillard, Emily Myers, Reneé Feisley, Joi Honaker, Melinda Livingston, Jessica Trent, Billie Jean Crigger, Melissa Newhouse, Jada Simpson, and Susan Thorn.

The Epsilon Epsilon Chapter (Fresno State University) is proud of its members Ruth Riggs, Janine Xavier, Kelly Reilly, Channone Smith, and Amy Poulsen who made the President's List, Teresa Richards received a 4.0 and was recognized by the Order of Omega Honor Society. The chapter donated two truckloads of food to the Pavarello House, a homeless shelter in Fresno. On Kid's Day, members sold newspapers to raise funds for the Children's Valley Hospital. The chapter won Kappa Sigma's poster contest and won third place at Sigma Chi's Derby Days event.



Members of the Epsilon Epsilon Chapter gathered to collect canned goods for a local homeless shelter.

The Epsilon Gamma Chapter (Central Missouri State University) received several awards at Region Weekend. Among those awards were the Outstanding Treasurer Award presented to Annie Littrell, and Above All Sorority GPA, Above All Women GPA, and Total and Quota Awards for 2000 to the chapter. The chapter also received awards at CMSU's Greek Week, including one for scholarship. Member Krista Freeman will be working in Hawaii at a summer camp, and Andy Prewitt will attend Washburn Law School.



Epsilon Gamma graduating seniors at Region Day included: Sarah Lewark, Audrey Blonien, Ali Sousley, Jeannine Goetz, Lindsay Gower, April Fidler, Holly Porte, Tiffany Madl, Andy Prewitt, Krista Freeman, and Rachel Kluesner.

Epsilon Iota Chapter (Fairmont State College) member Brooke Michael was elected as Fairmont State's Student Body President, and Carrie Roberts was elected as Vice President. Haley Mellert and Jessica Walker were named to the Dean's List. Chapter members also helped to raise money for the Marion County Unit of the American Cancer Society by selling daffodils to individuals and businesses.

The Epsilon Kappa Chapter (University of Wisconsin/ Whitewater) invited all alumnae back to campus for a banquet held in the spring. A recognition service for National Director of Alumnae Development Susan Hein Feuerherm and a memorial service for a past CCD were some of the highlights. Members were recognized for 25 years of membership, and Ora Campbell Jones T received the Order of the Diamond for 75 years of membership. A car wash was held at the end of the school year to raise donations for Gallaudet University.



Epsilon Kappa CCD Pat Bladow Christian with chapter members Heather Heywood, National Director of Alumnae Development Susan Hein Feuerherm, Kay Gustrowsky, and Order of the Diamond recipient Ora Campbell Jones T at the May banquet honoring alumnae.

The **Epsilon Nu Chapter** (Southwest Missouri State University) has a high profile on campus, placing second in the Lambda Chi Alpha Watermelon Fest, second in the Sigma Nu Softball Tournament, first in Sigma Pi's Search for Athena, and first in Sigma Chi's Derby Days. Carey Cashion and Marilyn Oster were named to the Panhellenic Executive Board, and Erin Beckrich was selected as a board member for the Student Activities Council. The chapter also raised \$4,200 through its annual Big Man on Campus event, which was donated to the Communication Sciences and Disorders Department on campus.

The Epsilon Omega Chapter (University of Wisconsin/Eau Claire) received two awards at the Greek Awards Banquet in recognition of outstanding involvement on campus in other college organizations and outstanding member recruitment, retention, and education. Jackie Biery, an MIS major, was honored as the Greek Woman of the Year. Chandra LaViolette became a member of Mortar Board and Omicron Delta Kappa.



Epsilon Omega collegiate and alumnae members at Alumni Weekend on campus.

The Epsilon Omicron Chapter (Western Illinois University) was named number one in chapter GPA out of all sororities on the Western Illinois campus. Three members were chosen to serve as Panhellenic Rho Chis for fall 2001: Shaun Feldman, Colleen Seick, and Erin Wallinger. CCD Barbara Brumett Baily was named Advisor of the Year. The chapter received awards for Outstanding New Member and Outstanding Finance, and President of the Year.

The **Epsilon Pi Chapter** (Henderson State University) won several awards at Greek Week, including the Community Service Award, Chapter of the Year, and won first place in the Lip Sync Contest. Sarah Evans graduated cum laude and was an Honors College Scholar. The chapter's Rock-a-thon, staged on the campus Quad, benefited the House Ear Institute in Los Angeles, and was begun by Sarah Evans.



Epsilon Pi members on graduation day. Front row: Brandy Sweeden, Amanda Pendergraft, Meghan Miller, Chasity Cox, Jaime Jacob, Suzanne Stayton, and Angela Krueger. Back row: Jaime Bradford, Vanessa Jones, Julie Pennington, Sheilah Newton, Kara Harlan, Jessica Mizell, Heather Runyan, Erin Carpenter, and Sarah Evans.

The Epsilon Rho Chapter (Northwest Missouri State University) was recognized for academic improvement, and received awards at Region Day, which included Outstanding Treasurer, Jill Ebmeier, and Outstanding Scrapbook, done by Andrea Johnson. The chapter achieved 100% participation for every member involved in a second, and often third, organization on campus.

The **Epsilon Sigma Chapter** (Wayne State University) sponsored a domestic violence and rape seminar which was open to everyone on campus. The chapter is top in academics on its campus, and recognized Lynette Rumon (Vice President of Programs) for her work as Nominating Chairman, and Risk Management Chair Dima Kanakri for her dedication in promoting an alcohol-free Winter Formal.

The **Epsilon Tau Chapter** (Longwood College) delivered daffodils for the American Cancer Society, and participated in the MS Walk and the Battered Women's Walk. The chapter also took part in W.I.S.H. Week to raise awareness about homelessness, and was very active in intramural events on campus.

The **Epsilon Theta Chapter** (Clarion University) was honored to have Alisha Roberts named Outstanding Greek Woman of the Year by the university. Kristie Shoemaker broke the Clarion track record in the 4 x 100-meter relay, and Jen Ramsdell was accepted into the San Jose/Cleveland Ballet Company.



The Epsilon Theta Chapter was acknowledged for academic excellence for the school year.

Epsilon Upsilon Chapter members at the University of Central Oklahoma hosted their Killarney Ball, and would like to thank Ranee Franklin for the excellent job she did in organizing the event. The chapter sponsored a booth on Earth Day, April 15th, and members did face painting for children in the community attending the annual May Day event. Ruth Anna Gray and Amber Hefley became members of Mortar Board.

The Epsilon Xi Chapter (University of Central Arkansas) hosted its annual Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser to benefit the Arkansas School for the Deaf, and held a Delta Zeta Family Day for family members. Several chapter members are captain leaders on the Student Orientation Staff for UCA, and others serve on the head committee for "Up 'til Dawn," a fundraiser for St. Jude's Hospital.

The **Epsilon Zeta Chapter** (Drexel University) had the highest sorority GPA for the school year on its campus. The chapter won the Sisterhood Award at the Student Life Awards Banquet, which recognizes a sorority that exemplifies the true meaning of sisterhood. Chapter President Julia Rarig won the Outstanding Sorority Chapter President Award. The chapter completed a prom dress philanthropy for local underprivileged young women who were unable to afford a dress for their high school prom.



The Epsilon Zeta Chapter in their new chapter house.

The **Gamma Alpha Chapter** (Baldwin-Wallace College) has one new member on the Executive Board of the New Member Greek Board at the college, and several members are running for the Greek Council Executive Board. The chapter participated in the Dance Marathon kick-off and encouraged people to give blood to the Bloodmobile.



The Gamma Alpha Chapter hosted a baby shower for CCD Christine Lenz Begeman.

The Gamma Beta Chapter (University of Connecticut) participated in Sigma Chi's Derby Days, and with Kappa Sigma in the Clothesline Project for the Women's Center on campus. Members visit the residents of a local nursing home regularly. Amy Penikas, Danielle McGrath, Tracie Rivet, Johanna Stephens, and Vanessa Kirsipuu were recognized as Academic Scholars in a university awards ceremony.



The Gamma Beta Chapter's new member class on Bid Day.

The **Gamma Chi Chapter** (Ball State University) had two teams participating in Sigma Chi's Derby Days, with proceeds from the event going to Riley's Children's Hospital. The chapter's major philanthropic event, Turtle Tugs, was held at the end of April. Cathy Pankros was a Rho Chi during fall recruitment, and Kelly Floyd was a Homecoming Royalty candidate.

Gamma Delta Chapter members (Pennsylvania State University) paired with the brothers of Phi Sigma Kappa to raise money for the AIDS Walk during Spring Weekend. Kristin Pisciotta and Kristin Koelsch were chosen as chairs for the AIDS Walk.

Gamma Kappa Chapter (Kent State University) member Jennifer Lapso was named Greek Woman of the Year for 2001 and was elected president of the Order of Omega. Amy McGahan, a junior fashion design major, designed a pattern that was chosen by Simplicity to be produced for distribution, in addition to winning \$1,000 and a trip to Simplicity's headquarters in New York City. The chapter placed second during Greek Week, and third in the Lip Sync Contest.

Gamma Lambda Chapter (San Jose State University) members received the following awards for the school year: Kara Bender, Jen Naess, and Jillian Basinger were named to the Who's Who Among College Students for leadership and scholastic involvement within the Greek community; Alicia Sams and Jen Naess were recognized for academic excellence by the Golden Key Honor Society; Nickie Cefalu and Theresa Higgins received recognition from the Order of Omega; and Stephanie Powell for Greek Sister of the Semester from the Panhellenic Council. The chapter also received recognition for the highest new member GPA (fall semester), outstanding chapter education, most improved GPA, and highest initiate GPA (spring semester).

The Gamma Pi Chapter (Western Michigan University) placed second at the Greek Week Awards and won several Standards of Excellence Awards, including the Stone Arch Award and the Golden Award, which recognized sisterhood, leadership, and community service. Nikki Strzelecki won the Greek Woman of the Year Award.

The **Gamma Psi Chapter** (Central Michigan University) took first place in the Greek Olympics and participated in the Children's Miracle Network Dance Marathon. The chapter was also awarded for having the most participation in the all-Greek philanthropy "Greeks in the Streets." The chapter won the Panhellenic Council Award for Excellence for its risk management program. Meredith Fynewever received the Regency Award for Excellence, and Rachel Dern served as Rho Chi during fall recruitment.



Gamma Psi Chapter members Jen Wolfe, Julie Price, and Meredith Fynewever at Phi Sigma Sigma's annual golf outing for the National Kidney Foundation.

The Gamma Rho Chapter (Northern Illinois University) sponsored its sixth annual philanthropy, Delta Zeta Dream Man. Members also held a canned food drive to benefit Hope Haven, a homeless shelter, and sponsored Campus Clean-Up in which other Greek organizations participated. The chapter was commended by university officials for the clean-up project. Jenny Joy become a member of the Golden Key National Honor Society.

The Gamma Sigma Chapter (Eastern Michigan University) was named the Most Panhellenic and Most Philanthropic Chapter of the Year at the Greek Awards Banquet. Vice President of New Member Education and former Panhellenic Secretary Amber Herrington received recognition for her outstanding sisterhood within the chapter and the Greek community. The chapter won first place in the Greek Week Variety Show, the proceeds of which were donated to local charities.



The Gamma Sigma Chapter at Greek Week 2001.

The **Gamma Tau Colony** (Bowling Green State University) has three members who will serve as Rho Chis next school year. The chapter also won several awards at Region Day, and won the Phi Mu softball tournament and Delta Upsilon's Duck Hunt.

The Gamma Theta Chapter (Carroll College) was named the most improved organization on campus by the Student Senate. At Region Day, Rachel Ullenberg and CCD Amy Birschbach Dethloff were named as Outstanding Delta Zetas. Suite Chair and former Academics Chair Mary Grace Riggs was Homecoming Queen, and Holly Moeller was initiated into Phi Alpha Theta, an international honors society for history majors.

The **Gamma Xi Chapter** (New Mexico State University) placed first in the most competitive events during Greek Week, and second in overall competition. The chapter hosted the Mr. Greek competition on campus, and participated in the Day of Caring and the Race for the Cure.



The Gamma Xi Chapter during Greek Week activities at New Mexico State University.

The **lota Colony** at the University of Iowa was honored during the Greek Awards ceremony as First Place Sorority and First Place Team in Greek Week, the latter of which the colony teamed with the men of Delta Chi and Phi Kappa Psi. President Evelina Nowacki received the Rho Lambda Honorary Panhellenic Award. The colony also participated in Sigma Chi's Derby Days, placing second.



Representatives of the Iota Colony at the University of Iowa.

The **lota Alpha Chapter** (Southwest Texas State University) participated in Greek Week, and was recognized with the highest attendance for St. Jude's "Up 'til Dawn" program as they worked to raise money for that charity.

lota Delta Chapter (Edinboro University) members Jessica Budd, Kristina Inzana, Beth Pasinsky, Anna Peterson, Lisa Thut, and Lee Ann Walters were named to the Dean's List. Michelle Truswell was named the Scholar Athlete for the third year in a row. Senior Lisa Thut graduated cum laude with honors, and Lee Ann Walters will be assisting CCD Diane Diorio Rafle as an alumna and will graduate from the police academy later in August.

The **lota lota Chapter** (Middle Tennessee State University) received the Best Recruitment Ethics Award at the Greek Awards, and Christa Rhoden, last year's president, was awarded the school's Greek Women of the Year award.

Iota Iota is represented in over ten honor societies on the Middle Tennessee campus, and several members are on the executive boards for honor societies as well.



Iota Iota Chapter members Heather Brown, Amanda Pavlock, and Tracy Newman Parsons at graduation.

The **lota Phi Chapter** (University of Nevada/Las Vegas) raised \$3,000 at their annual Turtle Tug philanthropic event, where 12 out of 13 fraternities on campus came together for the competition. Four freshman members were inducted into Phi Eta Sigma Honors Fraternity.

lota Pi Chapter (West Virginia Tech) member Stephanie Oliver was named the Greek Goddess at Greek Week events on campus. Tiffany Capps received an outstanding leadership and service award from the WVU Tech student government association. The chapter also held a philanthropy project for children at the Montgomery General Hospital, and enjoyed a luncheon with the Greater Kanawha Valley Area Alumnae Chapter.

The lota Psi Chapter (University of Texas/Arlington) received the Pride of the Region Award at Region Weekend, the VIP Award for Outstanding Philanthropy, and the Outstanding New Member Education Program Award. Philanthropy Chairman Christine Sides won the title of Outstanding Philanthropy Chairman. At the Greek Week Awards, Melissa Bakeman received the Outstanding Active Award, and the chapter received an outstanding scholarship award and an award for Panhellenic spirit.

The lota Rho Chapter (West Chester University) raised the most money during the Dance Marathon which supports Camp Dreamcatcher, a facility that helps children born with AIDS. Kathi Kelliher and Nicole Paul were inducted into the Order of Omega, Sarah Basilio, Erin Collins, Meg Freed, and Deena Gross were chosen to be Rho Chis in the fall, and two chapter members were designated as student ambassadors.

The **lota Theta Chapter** (Mansfield University) had two members who were recognized with the school's Outstanding Student Award and in Who's Who. Members also volunteered for the Children's Miracle Network Dance and at the Earth Day community service event. The chapter volunteered to assist the Special Olympics in the spring.

The **lota Upsilon Chapter** (California State University/Fullerton) ranked second on campus in academics. The chapter has adopted a local elementary school and donates supplies and organizes fundraisers to help the chapter. Three members sit on the Gamma Sigma Alpha Executive Board, an honor society, and five more members have been initiated into that honorary.

The lota Xi Chapter (University of Missouri/St. Louis) received several awards during Region Weekend. Melissa Whitmer received the Outstanding New Member Award, and the chapter received the Most Improved Chapter Award. The chapter also has the highest grade point average of all sororities and fraternities on campus. Dani Stoll will be a Rams cheerleader for the school in the coming year.

The Kappa Chapter (University of Washington) had 33 members named to the Dean's List, including Kristin Anderson, Katrin Andrews, Katie Blake, Carly Burns, Casey Clevenger, Meghan Cross, Christine Dearey, Lindsay Embysk, Brooke Fisher, Cindy Fisher, Angela Forbes, Katherine "Keffie" Frank, Jennifer Fredlund, Amanda Gibbs, Jessica Greenwald, Tessa Gregory, Anne Hessburg, Erin Hymel, Leslie Inaba, Jenn Low, Christy Luther, Kelsey Mertes, Jen Murdock, Amy Reed, Heather Shimamoto, Erika Simms, Christina Sirbu, Erin Teeter, Nicki Viall, Brynne Wakasugi, Erin Williams, and Irene Zaremba.

Kappa Alpha Chapter (Nicholls State University) members Danya Roux, Erin Terracina, Beth Terracina, Mele Kaulahao, Jamie Boudreaux, and Kristen Matherne were named to the President's list. Mele Kaulahao, Mandy Buisson, Jamie Boudreaux, Stephanie Ledet, and Lee Gravois were named to the university's orientation staff. Trisha Zeringue was on Kappa Alpha's Sweetheart Court, and Jamie Boudreaux was voted Greek Goddess and was also on Tau Kappa Epsilon's Sweetheart Court.

The Kappa Beta Chapter (Northern Kentucky University) had the highest GPA on campus, and won Greek Week for the third year in a row. Seven Kappa Betas served on four fraternity sweetheart courts, including Kristin Williams as the Alpha Tau Omega Sweetheart and Lyndsey Yeager as the Tau Kappa Epsilon Sweetheart. Roxanne Dunaway represented Kappa Beta on the Homecoming Court.

The Kappa Chi Chapter (Youngstown State University) received the award for the highest GPA among all sororities on campus. In addition to several members who made the Dean's list, Amanda Richey received recognition as the University Scholar and was inducted into Alpha Lambda Delta. Leslie Miller is a member of the Order of Omega and an All American Scholar. Angela Barwick graduated summa cum laude with a degree in combined sciences and professional editing and writing, and Jennifer McLaughlin graduated summa cum laude, is a member of the Order of Omega, Greek Honor Roll, and Golden Key, among many other citations, and has the highest GPA in the chapter.

The Kappa Epsilon Chapter (Plymouth State College) received the Campus Involvement Award and the Programming Award among all Greek organizations on campus. Homecoming Queen was Carolynn Massey, Princess was Brigid McCarthy, and Lindsay Toth was a second-year attendant on the court. Erin Corrow was accepted into Kappa Delta Phi, the education honor society, Jennifer Craffey won the community service award for the Greek community and the senior class, and Carolyn Massey was the senior class president.

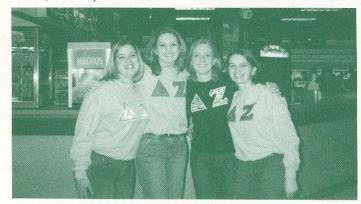
The **Kappa lota Chapter** (Wright State University) had a strong spring recruitment. Sally Kissel graduated and will go on to a job in pharmaceutical sales.



Kappa Iota members Sally Kissel, Nicole Schwenk, Tina Welch, and Jennie Helton at the Phi Sigma Phi Formal.

The **Kappa Mu Chapter** (Shepherd College) member Rosie Scheiner received a Delta Zeta leadership award, and was recognized at Shepherd College's Leadership Conference as well.

The **Kappa Phi Chapter** (University of North Carolina/Charlotte) was recognized for outstanding success in Recruitment and New Member Education at the Greek Week Awards, and for its Outstanding New Member Program. Fifteen chapter members were recognized for their academic achievement. Emily Stephens served as senior class president and won the title of the university's Woman of the Year. At the chapter's semi-formal, Erin Hoke was named Sister of the Year, Laura Brown received the President's Award, and Amy Strumfels received the CCD Award.



Kappa Phi members Laura Brown, Carrie Alexander, Erin Hoke, and Brandy Everhart on Bid Night 2001.

The **Kappa Psi Chapter** (Shippensburg University) achieved top recognition in Region III for their community service and campus involvement. Among the members named to the Dean's List were Leslie Keller, Danielle Kozich, and Brianne Moss. Leslie Keller was Miss Shippensburg University, and Brianne Moss became a member of the cheerleading squad on campus with another sister, Kristy Kappen. The chapter was highlighted in the *Shippensburg Sentinel* for their work during Greek Clean to help clean up city streets.

The **Kappa Rho Chapter** (Kutztown University) ranked first in grade point average among all sororities on its campus.

Kappa Tau Chapter (Morehead State University) member Cami Cooper was named Greek Woman of the Year; Angela Kelly received the Panhellenic Sisterhood Award; and several members were initiated into Pi Delta Kappa (education honors fraternity) and the Order of Omega. The chapter received awards at the Greek Awards Banquet for campus programming. Lisa Bayne, a senior, has maintained a 4.0 throughout her collegiate career, and was also recognized at the banquet.

The **Kappa Xi Chapter** (Duquesne University) won second place in the largest Greek event on campus called "Carnival." Sadie Skupien and Daniella Gigliotti are members of the Order of Omega. The chapter hosted its third annual Big Man on Campus event to raise money for the speech and hearing impaired.

The Lambda Beta Chapter (University of Southern Indiana) won the Greek Olympics and the Greek Week Philanthropy Award for collecting over 2,700 cans of food to donate to a local food bank. Two members were inducted in the Golden Key Honor Society, Ivy Krom and Kate Moore received special awards from the science department, and another member was crowned Greek Goddess.

The Lambda Delta Chapter (University of Virginia) placed first in Sigma Chi's Derby Days competition to raise money for the Children's Miracle Network, and hosted a Greek God and Goddess competition to raise money for speech and hearing. Two members were named as trustees to the class of 2002, and were among 40 selected from a total class of 3,000 students.



Lambda Delta members attend an annual race event held in Charlottesville, Virginia.

The Lambda Gamma Chapter (Jacksonville State University) took first place in the banner and dance competitions during Pi Kappa Phi Fraternity's annual War of the Roses, the proceeds of which went to PUSH America, which serves those with disabilities. The chapter also took second place in field events, and Lambda Gamma members were declared the Rose Queens. CCD Kim Dalesandro was honored as Greek Advisor of the Year at the Greek Awards.

The Lambda Kappa Chapter (University of Alabama/Huntsville) has many members who have been recognized for scholastic achievement and are members of other honor societies, including Natalie Tillman, Heidi Bobo, Leah Parker, and Courtney Lawrence, who was also recognized with the highest GPA for the Greek junior class. Chandra Childress has the highest GPA for the sophomore class, and Katie Amundson and Celetta Selby for the freshman class. Stacy Gamble has the highest GPA for the senior class, and Martha Tallman received the Outstanding Freshman Award. The chapter also received the Panhellenic Highest Scholarship Award for the highest GPA among all sororities on campus.

The Lambda Lambda Chapter (The College of New Jersey) member Brianne Sherwood graduated cum laude; Melissa Mink graduated magna cum laude and received the Faculty Award of Achievement for having the highest GPA in her major at graduation and full tuition research assistantship to Syracuse University's Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs. Becky Costantino graduated summa cum laude, and with Brianne Sherwood and Natalie Kraner, became a member of the Golden Key Honor Society.



Lambda Lambda Chapter members at the conclusion of recruitment, with potential new members, alumnae, and members of Kappa Rho from Kutztown University.

Lambda Omicron Chapter (Angelo State University) members volunteered for the Christmas in April event, and won the participation award for Greek Week.

The Lambda Phi Chapter (Appalachian State University) won second place in the Greek Week events, and sponsored a basketball tournament for Habitat for Humanity with Sigma Nu. The chapter also donated teaching supplies to a local elementary school, and raised funds for books for the children.

The Lambda Pi Chapter (Georgia College and State University) placed first in swimming and the Greek Sing during Greek Week. At Delta Zeta Family Day, family members were invited to learn more about Delta Zeta, and Alumnae Weekend was the highlight of the semester with a Greek Reunion Picnic. The chapter also participated in the Relay for Life for the American Cancer Society, and Bowl for Kid's Sake to raise money for Big Brothers/ Big Sisters.

The Lambda Psi Chapter (Columbus State University) was named the Best Overall Organization on Campus during the week of Winterfest at Columbus State. The Greek Council also awarded the chapter the Leadership Award for 2000-2001. Past Chapter President Lindsey Griffin graduated magna cum laude and will go on to pursue a master's in education at CSU.

The Lambda Rho Chapter (Illinois State University) won second place in Chi Omega's March Madness competition. Several members are performing in plays, operas, and musicals at the school.

The Lambda Sigma Chapter (Winthrop University) raised over \$700 for the Delta Zeta Foundation through its Big Man on Campus competition. The chapter participated in Adopt-a-Highway, and volunteered at the local Democratic precinct, calling registered voters to remind them to go to the polls.

The Lambda Theta Chapter (Michigan Technological University) received the Best Sorority on Campus Award and an award for hosting the best informational program at the Interfraternal Council Banquet. Chapter President Jamie Wagner was awarded the Greek Woman of the Year designation. The chapter was also highlighted in a news story in the Detroit Free Press about its first place win among sororities in the Winter Carnival competition, an annual event on campus.

The Lambda Xi Chapter (Texas A&M University) received the Gold Pride Region Award at the Regional Weekend. Several members were recognized for their academic accomplishments, and the chapter also received awards for Excellence in Programming, Philanthropy, and Membership.

The Omicron Chapter (University of Pittsburgh) received the Cathedral Award for Excellence in Academic Programming and Jaclyn Beatty was named Recruitment Chairwoman of the year by the school. The chapter also placed first in the Greek Sing event and the 5K Walk/Run during Greek Week. Many members were recognized at the Panhellenic Banquet for their academic achievements. Heidi Busche, who was elected to the Student Government board, and Heather Eschenauer were inducted into Omicron Delta Kappa.

The Omicron Alpha Chapter (St. Mary's University) received the Carolyn Barnes Gullatt Formal Recruitment Award at the Region XII Conference. The chapter also received the Vera Tuggey Scholarship Award for the highest GPA in the region, and Chapter President Patricia Mejia was awarded the Grace Mason Lundy Award. Initiates Vanessa Gomez, Priscilla Camacho, and Trisha Taino were inducted into the Order of Omega. The chapter was also recognized by the university with the Chapter Excellence Award at the Distinguished Leaders Night, and Patricia Mejia was named the Outstanding Greek President and received the Presidential Award, the highest award a senior can receive.

The **Omicron Beta Chapter** (Richard Stockton State College of New Jersey) ranks number one in academics out of all sororities on campus. The chapter won second place during Greek Week, and first place for the Greek Sync event for which the members wrote their own songs.

The Omicron Delta Chapter (Bryant College) had four members inducted into the Order of Omega. The chapter was named Sorority of the Year at the campus-wide Recognition Banquet, and received the Philanthropy of the Year award as well due to their work to benefit Gallaudet University and the Children's Miracle Network. The chapter was named the Most Spirited Sorority on campus, and holds the highest sorority GPA. Siobhan Grondin had the Highest GPA for the Greek Community among Greek women, and Jessica Toto received the Highest New Member GPA Award. Brenda Lane was awarded the Greek Woman of the Year distinction.

The Omicron Epsilon Chapter (Arkansas State University) raised over \$2,500 for City Team Ministries, which provides a safe and secure place for children to go after school. The chapter also celebrated its tenth anniversary on campus with an open house and dinner to which alumnae members were invited.

The Omicron Gamma Chapter's (Ohio University) former chapter president and current president of the Women's Panhellenic Association Julie McDermott received the Pride of the Region Award at Region Day. Former Vice President of Programming Katie McKay received the Gold Crest Award and senior Stacy Hoffman received the Golden Heart Award for her outstanding demonstration of sisterhood. The chapter received the Full Quota Award and the Leadership Award.

Omicron Kappa Chapter (State University of New York/ Albany) member Kiersten Warren received the Outstanding Service as a Residential Assistant Award and was named to the Dean's List. Michelle Gicz, also named to the Dean's List, was awarded the Presidential Undergraduate Leadership Award. Tara Cohen received a full scholarship to Albany Law School, and Tara Blitz received a scholarship to attend medical school. The Omicron Lambda Chapter (North Carolina State University) won second place at Greek Week, and placed first in the swim meet event. Stephanie Fox will attend graduate school at the University of North Carolina/Charlotte; Katy Lehman will attend law school at the University of North Carolina/Chapel Hill; Anna Poppe will attend graduate school at the University of Virginia; and Cara Wells will go to graduate school at NCSU. Jessica Heath and Jessica Mishoe were admitted to the Order of Omega.

The Omicron Mu Chapter (University of South Carolina/ Spartanburg) brought home 15 awards from Region Day, including All Above Sorority and All Above Women's GPA, Excellence in Programs, Alumnae Relations, and Philanthropy. Erin Henderson was named Greek Goddess during Greek Week and received the Outstanding Vice President of Programming Award at Region Day, Jennifer Morgan was Homecoming Queen and received the Outstanding Collegian Award at Region Day. Also at Region Day, Jenee Morrell received the Best New Member Award; Kristen Hill received the Best Vice President of Recruitment Award; and Marie Dunaway received the Golden Crest Award.



Omicron Mu members Karmen Ladson, President Marie Dunaway, Jennifer Hamrick, Jennifer Morgan, Julie Bryant, and Carrie Brown at the March of Dimes Kickoff Rally, at which the chapter had its own walk team.

The Omicron Nu Chapter's (University of Windsor) new chapter president, Alynn Bergamin, received the "Hearts Light Way" Volunteer Award for her dedication to the United Way and the Big Sisters Association of Greater Windsor. Alynn encouraged the participation of members in a recent fundraising dinner that raised over \$60,000 for the cause.

The **Omicron Omicron Chapter** (Lindenwood University) participated in the university's annual Fund Phone-a-thon to raise money for university scholarships by contacting alumni of the school. The chapter helped to raise \$60,000 for the school, and participated in the annual Walk America for the March of Dimes.

The Omicron Zeta Chapter (Randolph Macon College) had six members inducted into Rho Lambda, an honor fraternity which recognizes Greek excellence: Licia Thomas, Marli McAden, Kimberly Richardson, Kerry Judge, Carolyn Sutton, and Alana Harper. Several members also became members of the honor fraternity Gamma Sigma Alpha, which recognizes Greek members with a 3.5 GPA or above.

The Pi Chapter at Eureka College had many members who received awards at the school's honor banquet, including: Katie McLuckie—Music Award for Leadership and Excellence; Anna Carlson, Rachel Heckman, and Donna M. Mezydlo—Sigma Tau Delta Honor Society; Carole Brashers, Rebecca Hearn, Rachel Heckman, and Susan Gauvin—Creative Writing Awards; Rachel Heckman and Lisa Travis—Outstanding Students of the Year; Jori Cooper—NIIC First Team All Conference and NIIC Player of the Week Award in volleyball competition. Valerie Ann Milam won the title "Miss Springfield 2001" and will go on to compete in the Miss Illinois Pageant. The winner of that competition will go on to the Miss America Pageant.



Pi Chapter member Valerie Milam was crowned Miss Springfield. Valerie's community service platform for the competition was "The Critical Importance of Blood Donation."

The Rho Chapter (University of Denver) won the Chapter of the Year award from the university. Kate Bleakley was the Outstanding Greek Junior Member, and Lauren Latterman was the Outstanding Greek Freshman. The chapter won for its float and banner during Homecoming activities and had members on the Homecoming Court. The chapter won first place in Sigma Chi's Derby Days. Nine members made the Dean's List.

The **Sigma Chapter** at Louisiana State University hosted the Region XI Weekend. The chapter won the Chapter Scholastic Award, the Leadership Award, Outstanding New Member Programming, Outstanding Chapter Programming, the Speech and Hearing Award, and the Community Service Award. The chapter donated \$10,000 to the speech and hearing impaired at its Miss LSU-USA Pageant, where member Lauren Dedeaux placed third. The chapter was recognized by the university as the most outstanding social sorority on campus, and CCD Doraine Bonnecaze Wilson was named the Order of Omega's outstanding alumna of LSU's Greek community.



Sigma Chapter members with CCD Doraine Bonnecaze Wilson after receiving their awards at the Order of Omega Banquet.

Theta Chapter (Ohio State University) member Emily David was awarded the New Member of the Year award at Region V's Region Day. Cheryl Brennan received the Excellence in Scholarship Award from the university's College of Arts and Science. Jenny McDowell was a member of the Homecoming Court, and seniors Jenn Quinn and Teniell Trolian were awarded the Conoway Chase Outstanding Senior Award at the Greek Week Banquet.

Theta Eta Chapter (Creighton University) member Mary Fisher won the All Sorority New Member of the Year award at the Greek Week Banquet. The chapter won the Alumnae Relations and Leadership Development Awards at the banquet.

Theta lota Chapter (Western Carolina University) member Ronda Hope serves on the Greek Life Advisory Committee. Linda Moore, a new initiate, is a dancer in the play "Cinderella" on campus. Marianne Spain was accepted as a Golden Ambassador for the university. Amy Rex is a member of the school's tennis team, and Amy Eddins is on the track team.

The **Theta Nu Chapter** (Minnesota State University/Moorhead) participated in the March of Dimes Walk and a philanthropic Teeter-Totter-thon with Delta Upsilon Fraternity. Twenty members were honored with certificates of achievement at the Killarney Ball for making the Dean's List. The chapter exceeded the All Greek and All Sorority GPA averages on campus, and won an award from the university as the top organization in campus service.

Theta Omega Chapter (Barton College) member Brittany Thomasma is the president of the campus Panhellenic. Amanda Humphrey was among the nominees for Greek Advisor of the Year, and Chapter President Annie Cooper was nominated for Greek Woman of the Year. The chapter volunteered at the "Just Imagine" House, which was decorated by area designers, and sponsored a program for the Holocaust Memorial Program.

The Theta Psi Chapter (Ashland University) won second place at Greek Week on campus. At the Greek Awards Banquet, the chapter received awards for Most Improved Sorority, Community Service, and Public Relations. Three women won awards for Greek Outstanding Faculty/Advisor, Rho Lambda Honorary, and the Order of Omega honor society. At Region Day, Theta Psi won the Total Chapter Membership Award, the Membership Award, the Philanthropy Excellence Award, and the VIP Award for Philanthropy for their work with a local domestic violence shelter.

Theta Rho Chapter (California State University/Los Angeles) members received acknowledgements and awards. Named to the Dean's List were Eliazar Diaz, Eleanor Chen (who also received the Board of Director of the Year Award), Cecilia Gaeta, Susan Daubeneck, Maria Heredia, Maribel Lopez (who also received the Freshman Honors Award), and Jaime O'Neal. Marlyn Madrigal was named to the Who's Who Among America's Colleges and Universities, and Melissa Cox and Eleanor Chen received university scholarships.



The Theta Rho Chapter at a recruitment event.

The **Theta Chapter** (DePaul University) sponsored a silent auction and a car wash, and donated over 500 items of clothing and 60 boxes of toiletries to Claire's House Shelter. They also raised money in a local walk to help the homeless. The chapter placed third in Greek Week festivities and donated their winnings to a local charity.

The Xi Alpha Chapter (University of Massachusetts/Amherst) continues to raise money for Gallaudet University. Ali Small is the Panhellenic representative for the chapter.

The Xi Beta Chapter (Eastern Kentucky University) received first place in the Greek Sing event and the Greek Games. The chapter received several Greek awards: the Distinguished Service Award, the Highest Active and Highest Overall GPA Awards. Kara Tatum was named Greek Woman of the Year and was the Student Government president, Cami Huff entered the Order of Omega, and Mary McGregor was named Distinguished Leader of the Month.

Xi Chi Chapter (Robert Morris College) member Amy Lipscomb has been accepted to study at City University in London. Amy is Vice President of the Xi Chi Chapter, majors in marketing, is a member of the American Marketing Association, and won the Robert T. Erwin Intramural Award for outstanding achievement in intramural sports. Information from Beaver County Times, Beaver, Pennsylvania.

The **Xi Delta Chapter** (Radford University) raised money for Gallaudet University with a See-Saw-a-thon. The chapter volunteered to help a local clothing bank, which provides free clothing to people in need, renovate and move into a new space after the bank's original building was damaged by fire. *Information from the <u>Radford News Journal</u>, Radford, Virginia*.

The Xi Eta Chapter (Northwood University) placed first in Greek Week, received the Academic Excellence and Community Service Awards, the President's Award for Greek Excellence, and sponsored a cancer walk in honor of Carol Meinhardt, the chapter's advisor. Jamie Reif was named Outstanding Junior.



The Xi Eta Chapter at its auction to raise money for the speech and hearing impaired.

The Xi lota Chapter (Muhlenberg College) was selected for the Best Greek Organization Award from among all other sororities and fraternities on campus. The chapter won the Greek Award for Community Service, and placed second in the Greek Week and Lip Sync competitions. The chapter participated in community service events such as the Greek Make a Difference Day and the 2000 Walk for Breast Cancer.

The Xi Kappa Chapter (Rowan University) won the Spirit Competition during the Homecoming Bonfire. The chapter received first place for several intramural events, including flag football, indoor soccer, volleyball, and softball, which makes the chapter eligible for the President's Cup award to be given in the fall.

The Xi Lambda Chapter (University of San Francisco) placed second in the Greek Games. Veronica Soria, Ashley Conger, Heather Littlefield, Joyce Libunao, and Karen Shultz were named to the Dean's List. Katie Patterson won the Student Leadership Award, Joyce Libunao was named to the Who's Who in America's Colleges and Universities, Caroline Tweeton won the Skill Initiative Award from the Student Athletic Advisor Association, and Karla Kim and Jamie Johnson are members of Alpha Sigma Nu, a national honor society.

Xi Nu Chapter (Tarleton State University) member Amber Williams won the prestigious John Tarleton Spirit Award for involvement and enthusiasm in numerous organizations on campus. Jennifer Inmon and her twin sister were signed to two modeling agencies in Japan and Italy, and Michelle Mauch will be working in Corpus Christi as a news reporter.

The Xi Omega Chapter (Purdue University) won Delta Tau Delta's Powder Puff Football event, Alpha Kappa Lambda's Soccer Classic, and Pi Kappa Phi's Push Wars. The chapter also had over 20 fraternities compete in its Bowl-a-Rama for philanthropy. The chapter was the top team in sorority soccer at intramurals.

The **Xi Omicron Chapter** (Loyola-Marymount University) marked its 15th anniversary on campus by inviting alumnae and collegiate members to a special celebration held in Marina del Ray, California. The chapter received the Sorority Programming Excellence Award at the Order of Omega Awards and were the reigning Derby Days champions for the fifth year in a row. Senior Alex Sartor received the award for the highest Greek GPA; outgoing Chapter President Krissy Lee will become a Delta Zeta national Chapter Consultant; and new member Amanda Phillips was voted as vice president of the Associated Student Body for the university.

The Xi Phi Chapter (University of Missouri/Kansas City) organized the Turtle Tug-o-war for a local charity, and also raised money for the Delta Zeta Foundation. Former Chapter President Lisa Wood was awarded the Grace Mason Lundy Award and Treasurer Mindy Dent received the Spark Plug Award at Region Weekend.

The Xi Psi Chapter (Grand Valley State University) received the Outstanding Academic Programming Award and the Highest Panhellenic GPA for Sororities Overall at the Greek Academic Awards. Six members were accepted into the Order of Omega, and five members also hold positions on the Greek Presidents Council: Trisha Werder, Amanda McClellan, Erin McNally, Lindsay Smania, and Samantha Hardenburgh. The chapter also won the Chapter of Excellence Award, the highest award possible, at the Greek Recognition Awards, and individual members won awards as well.

The **Xi Rho Chapter** (Clarkson University) won the Phalanx Award, the highest award the university can give, in the spring. Many members received individual Phalanx Awards as well.

The Xi Sigma Chapter (University of North Carolina/Chapel Hill) completed its spring philanthropy project, "Flapjack Attack." The pancake breakfast raised over \$1,300 for the Delta Zeta Foundation.

Xi Upsilon (Northeastern University) member Joanna Pietrzyk was recognized by the Panhellenic Council for the highest sorority woman's GPA. The chapter also did a joint presentation with the National Theater of the Deaf.

Xi Xi Chapter (North Georgia College and State University) member Stacie Morgan received the Sister of the Year Award from the chapter. Wendy Stull received the Outstanding Military Leadership Potential Award from the Retired Officers Association, and Jessi Ayer received a graduate assistant position in athletic training at Berry College under a full scholarship.

The **Zeta Beta Chapter** (University of Wisconsin/Stout) worked with a local domestic abuse center to raise visibility about domestic abuse. The chapter also hosted a parents' dinner and volunteered at the local humane society.

Zeta Epsilon Chapter (California University of Pennsylvania) member Kristi Rutherford receive the President's Scholar Award from the university, and Tricia Mortichesky became a member of the Greek Judicial Board.

The Zeta Kappa Chapter (Ohio Northern University) received awards for the Best New Member Education Program, Best Programming, One Hundred Percent Participation, and Recruitment at Region V's Region Day. Amy Dickson received the Pride of the Region Award. At the university's Greek Awards, the chapter received awards for Best Public Relations, Recruitment, Risk Management, and Most Improved Academics.

The Zeta Lambda Chapter (East Carolina University) raised over \$1,000 for the Delta Zeta Foundation, and hosted children from the Boys and Girls Club for an Easter Egg Hunt in the spring. Member Kelly Bomberger was named to the honor roll for the fall semester and is the promotions chair officer for the American Marketing Association.



COLLEGIATE ACHIEVERS

Lieutenant Monica McGrath OM, Honor Candidate, receiving her award at graduation with Major Freeman and Colonel Brunson of the U.S. Army.

Monica McGrath '98, a member of the Omicron Mu Chapter, has an impressive collegiate record of achievement. Before she graduated in the spring of 2001 from the University of South Carolina/Spartanburg, Monica was an active member of the ROTC and the National Guard. In the summer of 1999, she attended Basic Training Camp at Fort Knox and won a \$60,000 scholarship that is given to only the top four female cadets. The National Guard also awarded her with a scholarship that paid for 80% of her college tuition.

During the 2000-01 school year, Monica trained every morning at 5:30 a.m. to prepare for Advance Training Camp, where she competed with many other cadets, learned leadership skills, and trained to become an office in the United States Army. At the end of the training period, she was named the number one female cadet in her platoon and was designated as Battalion Commander. She also received the Top 20% Physical Fitness Award and the Recondo Badge, the latter of which is given to the cadet who excels in various areas of training. In April 2001, Monica was commissioned as 2nd Lieutenant in the United States Army and the National Guard. The Omicron Mu Chapter and *The LAMP* is proud to salute this collegiate achiever.

Does your collegiate chapter have a member who has made outstanding achievements in academics, athletics, volunteerism or philanthropic work, career pursuits prior to graduation, or other areas? Submit this information with a picture of the member to Nancy Brewer, Editor of *The LAMP*.

The Zeta Phi Chapter (Slippery Rock University) had 19 members recognized by the Panhellenic Council for academic achievement. Katie McKenna was honored with the Greek Woman of the Year Award. The chapter also placed first in the Greek Week competition and the Greek Sing event. Eight members were named to the Dean's List, and four were inducted into the Order of Omega.



Zeta Phi members join members from the Lambda Delta Chapter on spring break in the Bahamas.

The **Zeta Pi Chapter** (University of Georgia) participated in the Dance Marathon to benefit the Children's Miracle Network and the Relay for Life for cancer research. The Spring Fling event raised money for Gallaudet University. Many members participated in "Watch Dawgs," a campus program which provides safe rides home from downtown Athens. Kristen Mathis was inducted into the National Society of Collegiate Scholars.



Zeta Pi participated in the campus safety program this year.

IS YOUR CHAPTER MISSING?

The LAMP provides guidelines and report forms to all chapters which contain deadlines, requirements for material to be submitted, and photograph requirements. We want your chapter to be a part of *The LAMP*. If you don't see your chapter listed, it is because that chapter did not file their *LAMP* Report with the Editor or because the information was not received by the deadline specified on the Report.

If you have any questions regarding submissions, please contact Nancy Brewer, Director of Communications and Editor of *The LAMP*, at National Headquarters by mail at 202 E. Church Street, Oxford, OH 45056, by phone at 513/523-7597, or via e-mail at neb@dzshq.com.

Zeta Psi Chapter (Stephen F. Austin State University) members Amber Richardson, Angie Hazlett, Jodi Jones, and Carrie Ross were inducted into the Leadership Honor Society. Kelli and Kammi Mikeska performed in the university's opera, and Marta Swingle, Angie Hazlett, and Carrie Ross became members of the Order of Omega.



Zeta Psi members at Region XII Weekend included, top left, Carrie Ross, Jill Woodring, Abbey Franks, Angie Hazlett, Ashley Hulsey, Amber Richardson, Courtney White, and Lindsay Hough. Bottom left, Jenny Silva, Amanda Grice, and Alyson Smith.

The Zeta Rho Chapter (William Jewell College) brought back the following awards from Region Day: Academic Excellence, Exceeding Total, and Meeting Quota. Paige Varwig, Lindsay Wiegel, Ingrid Larson, and Laurie Hough were named Pryor Leadership Fellows for 2001 by the college. Jen Humburg received the Grace Mason Lundy Award.

The Zeta Xi Chapter (Lenoir-Rhyne College) has 16 members named to the Dean's List, and Jenni Lawson was named to the President's List. Samantha Erbaugh is the Varsity Women's Soccer Team Captain, Micaela Glenn is the junior Panhellenic representative, Sarah Hinsch is the Model United Nations Head Delegate, Blair Huneycutt served as the 2001 Prologue Leader, Sarah-Jane Milheim is the Circle K President, Jana Smith is the Varsity Cheerleading Team Captain, the senior Panhellenic representative and the Panhellenic Secretary, and Katie Baker is the Captain of the Varsity Women's Soccer Team.



Zeta Xi seniors gather at Homecoming. Left to right are Erin Russell, Jennie Lawson, Adrianne Sisk, Meredith Osborne, Landi Coltrain, Shannon Norris, Joanna Kieschnick, Katie Baker, Crystal Pepper, Michelle Harrison, and Michelle McConnell.

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News from the Delta Zeta Foundation

The Delta Zeta Foundation Supports the Work of the House Ear Institute



Dr. John House accepts the donation from the Delta Zeta Foundation, presented by Foundation President Marjorie Lovewell.

On February 25, 2001, Delta Zeta Foundation President Marjorie K. Klingensmith Lovewell presented a check to Dr. John W. House of the House Ear Institute from the Delta Zeta Foundation. The donation was given at the annual Flame Fantasy event hosted by the Lamplighters alumnae group at the Santa Anita racetrack in southern California. The proceeds from the Flame Fantasy event also go to the House Ear Institute.

The House Ear Institute in Los Angeles, California is one of the premiere research sites for hearing disorders and the prevention of hearing loss. You can visit the House Ear Institute on the Internet at www.hei.org.

Cochlear Implant Facts

- In the 1970s, Dr. William F. House developed the first FDA-approved implantable device that directly stimulated the cochlea and created a sensation of sound.
- In 1980, two boys aged 10 and 12 were the first children to receive the implant.
- The CARE Center and Clinic at the House Ear Institute has implanted over 350 children, and over 3,000 children worldwide use the cochlear implant.

The Gallaudet Dance Company—Dancing into the Third Millennium



Joan Dondrea Lowry, Gallaudet University Liaison for the Delta Zeta Foundation, presents Dr. I. King Jordan, President of Gallaudet University, with a check from the Foundation to support the Delta Zeta Scholarship Fund at Gallaudet.

The Gallaudet Dance Company held its spring dance performance in April of 2001. The program was entitled "Dancing into the Third Millennium: Celebrating Diversity." Tryouts and rehearsals prior to the performance were held at the Delta Zeta Dance Studio on the Gallaudet University campus.

The Dance Company, under the direction of Director Dr. Diane V. Hottendorf and Assistant Director Sue Gill-Doleac, is the country's leading organization for dancing by deaf people, and has a 90 percent graduation rate with dance company members who dance for at least two or more years with the company. The dancers have given shows throughout the United States and internationally. All performances rely on outside funding to continue.

The excellent reputation of the troupe has enabled the Dance Company to perform for former President and Mrs. Ronald Reagan, former President and Mrs. George Bush, and former President Jimmy Carter. The Gallaudet Dance Company's most recent television adventure was produced by Wisconsin Public Television, and is entitled "Everywhere, Everyone." The program aired on PBS in January of 2001.

Gallaudet University in Washington, D.C. is the world's only university with undergraduate programs accessible to hearing-impaired students. Through the Delta Zeta Foundation, we provide scholarship support for students and support the library and performing arts programs endowment funds. Visit Gallaudet University on the web at www.gallaudet.edu.



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The program is designed to increase collegiate awareness of the Foundation and expand the number of young donors.

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Elizabeth Mueller
Jaime Sonora Spotleson
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KAPPA IOTA Heather Marie Blevins Jaime LeAnn Butcher Amanda Maureen Jacobs Sally Ann Kissel Vanessa Little Heather Marie Sterling Jenna Warman

KAPPA CHI Angela June Barwick Kristen Lynn Fifer Leslie Lynn Miller

LAMBDA BETA Kara Baskett Kristin Ann Draeger Carey Jeanne Reed Eileen Marie Stahura

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LAMBDA KAPPA Heidi Leigh Bobo Lisa Ann Cave Stacy Lynn Gamble Allison Tate Owens Leah Marie Parker Amanda Smith

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XI BETA Stephanie Lynn Webb

XI ETA Shannon Marie Martin

XI KAPPA Jennifer Erbeck

XI LAMBDA Roxanne Estella Ramirez

XI NU Jessica Rae Tucker

XI XI Brooke Bagby Brandi Cary Blanchette Nicole LeeAnn Goldsmith Kara Elizabeth Killian Victoria Lynn Townley

XI OMICRON Suzette Escobar Adriana Gross Alyssa Nelson

XI SIGMA Amber Hargett

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OMICRON PHI Emily Elizabeth Grandy Kelley Elizabeth Piccone

OMICRON CHI Andrea Marie Cabano Medalla Marie Jorolan

In Memoriam

Grace Pritchard Gorham AO, Past National Officer



Grace Pritchard Gorham ΔO during her tenure as National Treasurer, 1968–70

Past National Officer Grace Pritchard Gorham ΔO passed away on April 22, 2001. Mrs. Gorham was a member the Delta Omicron Chapter at Northwestern Oklahoma State University. She married Chester Gorham in 1935. After her husband's death in 1947, she began her own accounting business as a CPA. She also taught accounting courses at Oklahoma State University. In her later years, she enjoyed travel and playing bridge.

Mrs. Gorham was the National Treasurer for Delta Zeta from 1968-70. She was appointed to the Delta Zeta Museum Foundation early in its formation and was named Director Emerita when the Foundation merged with the Delta Zeta National Historical Museum.

Mrs. Gorham's work for the Delta Zeta National Historical Museum provided the valuable framework for the Museum in its preservation of archival materials. Donations may be sent in memory of Mrs. Gorham to:

The Delta Zeta Foundation 202 E. Church Street Oxford, OH 45056

THE 2001

Grace Mason Lundy Award Winners



Sarah Brown, Delta Omega, Fort Hays State University



Jennifer Hendrix, Alpha Pi, Samford University



Jennifer Humburg, Zeta Rho, William Jewell College



Patricia Mejia, Omicron Alpha, St. Mary's University

THE GRACE MASON LUNDY AWARD IS GIVEN ANNUALLY TO OUTSTANDING SENIOR COLLEGIATE MEMBERS. THE AWARD IS NAMED AFTER GRACE MASON LUNDY E, PAST NATIONAL PRESIDENT. THE WOMEN SELECTED ARE LEADERS IN CAMPUS AND SORORITY ACTIVITIES, HAVE SERVED THEIR CHAPTERS WITH LOYALTY AND DEVOTION, AND CONTRIBUTED TO THEIR CHAPTERS' ADVANCEMENT. GRACE MASON LUNDY RECIPIENTS ARE ALSO CHOSEN BECAUSE OF THE POTENTIAL THEY HOLD FOR ACTIVE ALUMNAE INVOLVEMENT.

Delta Zeta is proud to honor the following women with this award. These women exemplify the best of Delta Zeta, and their hard work, devotion, and talent will ensure that the Sorority has strong leadership for tomorrow.



Heather Reichardt, Epsilon Kappa, University of Wisconsin/Whitewater



Cara Wiley, Delta Phi, Northeastern State University



Lisa Wood, Xi Phi, University of Missouri/Kansas City

Alumnae News



Alumnae assist chapters with recruitment and host end-of-the-year events for college graduates.
Chapter reunions are held, and many alumnae chapters participate in philanthropic and volunteer projects to benefit their communities.

BLUE RIDGE AREA (DC, NC, SC, VA, WV)

The Chapel Hill Alumnae Chapter celebrated the Xi Sigma Chapter's 13th anniversary at the University of North Carolina/ Chapel Hill, and continues to assist the collegiate chapter. Some of the alumnae serve as mentors to members of the collegiate chapter's Executive Board. The next meeting to help the chapter is August 4th at 11:30 a.m. at the Xi Sigma House. Contact Susan Price Waugh AO '60 at spwaugh@yahoo.com or 919/484-0236 or Heather Dichter AH '98 at hdichter@email.unc.edu or 919/593-0022.

The Northern Virginia Alumnae Chapter leads by example to mentor to other alumnae and collegians. Chapter Editor Jeanette Latimer Power ΓΚ '88 says, "Be active, volunteer, dedicate your time to your sisters, donate money whenever you can, and share experiences. For a few hours and dollars, you can build friendships, help those in need, develop a greater understanding of the important things in life, and gain a sense of belonging, not just to Delta Zeta, but to your world."

The Shenandoah/Central Virginia Alumnae Chapter hosted Sue Browning from the Virginia Department for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing. Special guests were a young woman named Petya and her mother. The chapter raised funds to purchase a hearing aid for Petya, and her mother discussed the challenges of raising a hearing-impaired child. To contact the chapter regarding membership, e-mail Loretta Crain Carter EO '88 at lcarter@shentel.net.

The Wilson Alumnae Chapter in North Carolina supports the Theta Omega Chapter by attending initiation and Greek Week events at Barton College. For the collegiate chapter's Rose Ball, the alumnae gave each new member a gift, and provided food during final exams. The chapter has also assisted two hearing impaired children who are students in an alumna's class. The Lt. Governor of North Carolina is coming to the children's school to meet them, and the chapter provided clothing for the students to wear for the visit.

CENTRAL PLAINS AREA (CO, IA, KS, MN, MO, ND, NE, SD)

Geraldine "Gerry" Bina Teevens Y '69 serves as a special education teacher in Grafton, North Dakota, and was recently named "Teacher of the Year" by the Arc, a leading volunteer-based organization which advocates for people with mental retardation. She met with the mayor of Grafton as he proclaimed March "Mental Retardation Month" in North Dakota.

The **Denver Alumnae Chapter** attended the Denver Area Panhellenic Awards, hosted a tour of the Denver Botanical Gardens, and attended a Denver Rockies Baseball game.

The Wichita (Kansas) Alumnae Chapter presented the Golden Rose pin and certificate to Alice "Bette" Campbell Pate BE '51 at a special event in her honor. The chapter's Philanthropy Chairman Mary Jo Krueck Bond AA '60 oversaw the chapter's donation of clothes, toys, and money to the Haven of Hope, a shelter for women and children in crisis.



In May, the Wichita Alumnae Chapter installed new officers for 2001-02. From top left to bottom right are Panhellenic Representative Brenda Lindeman Macari $\Delta\Omega$ '83, President Patricia Rieland Kissick $\Delta\Pi$ '67, Secretary Sandy Snell $\Delta\Omega$ '96, Chapter Editor Jessia Long $\Delta\Omega$ '97, and Vice President Megan Carlini $\Delta\Omega$ '96.

Alumnae from the **Waterloo/Cedar Falls, Iowa** area celebrated Founders Day together. The alumnae mentor to and support the Iota Colony at the University of Iowa. Dorothy Carver Haugeback BK '43 was honored with the Order of the Golden Rose, and Blanche Rosa Wolf BK '32 and Altise Monroe Wylie BK '31 received the Order of the Pearl.

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All three attended Iowa State University where Altise was a charter member of the Beta Kappa Chapter. Contact Carolee Lewis Followill AF '73 for more information about gatherings at 319/277-5217.



At a Founders Day celebration of alumnae from the Waterloo/ Cedar Falls, Iowa area, Dorothy Carver Haugeback BK '43 received the Order of the Golden Rose, and Blanche Rosa Wolf BK '32 and Altise Monroe Wylie BK '31 received the Order of the Pearl.

GREAT LAKES AREA (MI, OH, CANADA)

The Cleveland Eastside Alumnae Chapter hosted Don D'Amore, a speech-language pathologist who works in augmentative/alternative communication in Cleveland area schools. Carla Arnold Woodcock Γ K '58 received the Lamplighter Award at Region Day at Kent State University. Gretchen Bierbaum Γ K '62 was one of three Americans invited to show their collage work in the Eighth Annual Exhibit of the Contemporary Collage in Sergines, France. The chapter kicked off its annual spring flower sale to raise money for the speech and hearing impaired.

The Cleveland Westside/Berea Alumnae Chapter raises money for the Lorain County Hearing and Speech Impaired through flower sales, and donates money to the Gamma Alpha Chapter to assist them with sisterhood events. The alumnae will team with the Gamma Alpha Chapter in the fall to form "Alum Chums," which pairs an alumna with a collegian. Chapter Co-President Helene Johnson Cushenan B Ω '47 volunteers for the American Association of University Women, and also works on programs to rehabilitate women who leave the prison system. Mara Stifter Evans Γ A '91 is Director of the Cleveland Filmmakers and produced one of the most successful Cleveland International Film Festivals ever. Mara's agency offers classes and workshops to assist potential and budding filmmakers.

Great Lakes Area alumnae attended Region V Region Day, which was hosted by the Gamma Kappa Chapter from Kent State University and area alumnae. Over 500 collegiate and alumnae members attended. Lamplighter Awards were presented by

Mella Cooks Davies A '56 to the following alumnae: Kelly Watts Gombert ΓΚ '82, Joan Schweikert Kayer A '62, Michelle Bracken Riddle ΘΨ '93, and Carla Arnold Woodcock ΓΚ '58. Cynthia Leedy Yeagley ΓΚ '01, mother of RCC Jennifer Yeagley Anderson ΓΚ '88, and Kristan Fitzpatrick Napier ΓΚ '01, daughter of Cindy Brenner Fitzpatrick BX '66, Findlay Alumnae Chapter President, were alumnae initiates.



Alumnae from the Great Lakes Area gathered at Kent State University for Region Day.

The Kent Alumnae Chapter held a joint charity auction with the Gamma Kappa Chapter, and alumnae on the Gamma Kappa House Corporation oversaw the refurbishing of the new study room for the house as well as other improvements. The husbands of the alumnae will also assist in a work day at the chapter house.

The **Metro Detroit Alumnae Chapter** gathered for a gourmet food sampling event.



Metro Detroit Alumnae Chapter members at a recent gathering included Sue Krueger Hagman ZΩ '68, Chris Meyer EΣ '72, Elizabeth Kryca Davenport EΣ '70, Ellen Kessler McNally EΣ '78, Kathy Rogers BP '72, Colette Gilewicz BP '72, Loretta Majewski Gilewicz BP '48, Judy Dallaire Christian BP '64, and Harriet Cotton Kamm A '51.

chapter associations.

The Oakland County (Michigan) Alumnae Chapter dedicated a learning center in memory of Barbara Bodell BP '69 at a local church in Rochester, Michigan. Members attended the Birmingham Panhellenic Luncheon and celebrated Founders Day at the home of Joan Boesch Knapp T '51. Jane Moudy Van Dragt AH '50, Irmgard Kretzing Sagante EE '57, Barbara Bondy Collison EE '56, and Betty Murray Spehar Δ '50 were presented with the Golden Rose, and Silver Certificates were given to Diane Barrett Lynn $\Delta\Theta$ '75 and Marilyn McCarter Messina Z Ω '75.

Xi Chapter members from the University of Cincinnati gathered in Cincinnati at the home of Beth Fleaher Rogers **E** '73. The alumnae include graduates from the years 1975-78, and usually meet the first week in December each year.



Alumnae from the Xi Chapter who gathered in Cincinnati included, front, left to right, Donna McCarthy Hellmann '74; center, Becky Merrill Gilliam '72, Mischell Frost Wolfram ΔΥ '72, Laurie Devany Volker '73, Carol Chase Haber '72; top row, Kathy Canedy Lobe '73, Beth Fleaher Rogers '73, Joanne McCarthy Raterman, and Debbie Bear McKinney '75.

GREAT WESTERN AREA (AK, AZ, CA, HI, ID, MT, NV, OR, UT, WA, WY)

Janet White Doak AX has been elected to the Board of Trustees of the House Ear Institute in Los Angeles. For the past 20 years, Jan has directed the Institute's fundraising efforts and will retire in January of 2002. As Executive Vice President of Development, she conceived and implemented a capital campaign which helped to fund a new facility for the Institute, organized three volunteer auxiliaries, and implemented a planned gift and bequests program, among many other significant contributions to the House Ear Institute.



Jan White Doak AX has been named to the Board of Trustees of the House Ear Institute. The Long Beach Alumnae Chapter has celebrated Founders Day with the Delta Alpha Chapter at California State University/ Long Beach for the past 30 years. Alumnae speak at recruitment events and prepare food for the collegians during the recruitment period. Alumnae members also assist in decorating the chapter house, and share information about professional careers with the collegiate chapter. The chapter is planning a reunion celebration for the Centennial in October 2002.

The Sacramento Alumnae Chapter hosted guests from the Agency of Hearing at a recent luncheon event. Director Chris Winger and Audiologist Dixie Imada were presented with a \$500 check from the chapter to purchase audiology equipment.



Sacramento Alumnae Chapter members hosted guests from the Agency of Hearing. Left to right are Agency Audiologist Dixie Imada, Betty Willard Peer A '37, Agency Director Chris Winger, Maurine Muller Rollins M '37, Jean Spradling Jones M '51, Elaine Wurts Doerr $\Gamma\Lambda$ '52, Phyllis Carroll Talbot M '42, Lillian Veglia Colombero ΔX '57, L. Lenore Shepherd Brashear Φ '56, and Mary Anne Murphy Schendzelos AX '62.

The San Fernando Valley Alumnae Chapter met at the National Center on Deafness at California State University/ Northridge for their annual contribution and hands-on help with an NCOD project. The chapter donated \$600 to NCOD from its fundraising project. This year the chapter raised \$1,750 for various philanthropic projects.

The **Tucson Alumnae Chapter** gathered recently at a spring luncheon. The chapter works with the collegians of Gamma Xi Chapter at New Mexico State University.



Tucson Alumnae Chapter members include, front, left to right, Maxine Mason Peterson Γ'33, Irma Dennis Maklin BP'46, Martha Krehbiel Marsden X'59, Carol Anne Schantz McDougal AΨ'61; back, Charleen Holmes von Gortler Φ'54, Barbara Anderson Hayes Δ'40, Edi Groff Moore BΠ'55, Linda Sigfridson Huizinga ΓΒ'60, Barbara Shaw Franklin ΓΡ'57, Connie Armstrong BP'56, Grace Rocque Swoveland EY'56, and Marilyn Ousdahl Hansen BK'41.

MID-AMERICA AREA (IL, IN, WI)

Nora Lasbury E '96 promotes awareness and raises money for research of neurofibromatosis. Her boyfriend, Matt Hay, was diagnosed in 1998 with the rare genetic disorder that involves the formation of benign tumors along the spinal cord and hearing nerves. Nora recently joined the National Neurofibromatosis Foundation Team to run a 26.2 mile marathon, which she finished in under five hours. She is also working for the passage of a \$25 million appropriation for the Army's Neurofibromatosis Research Program in the 2002 Defense Appropriations Bill. Information from the <u>Times</u>, Hammond, Indiana.

The Bloomington Alumnae Chapter treated the Epsilon Chapter's (Indiana University) graduating seniors with an ice cream sundae party at the chapter house at the end of the school year.



The Bloomington Alumnae Chapter hosted an end-of-the-schoolyear event for graduating seniors from the Epsilon Chapter.

Jonene Davis McDermid FX '67, of the Indianapolis Alumnae Chapter, majored in deaf education at Ball State, and is currently the head of the Boone/Madison/Hamilton Counties School Audiology Department. She organized and chaired a Regional Hearing Impaired Workshop, which was sponsored in part by Delta Zeta and attended by teachers from the state of Indiana. The workshop was so successful that Jonene has been asked to continue it. Jonene also presents a deaf education program annually for the alumnae chapter.

The Chicago Far-West Chapter volunteers to assist the International Center on Deafness and the Arts (ICODA), a children's theatre. The theatre did a production based on Mother Goose Themes and a production by teenagers based on Broadway themes which were both signed and spoken. ICODA received the Hearing Help Grant from Delta Zeta last year.

Chapter members had their annual spring flower sale, and would like to thank Virginia McKeefery-Reynolds $\Gamma\Omega$ '68 for her work over the past five years in making the flower sale a success.



Members of the Chicago Far-West Alumnae Chapter gathered to celebrate Founders Day. Left to right are Linda Perry ZN '78, Pat Good Rice E Φ '56, Clare Ann Locascio Himmelblau ZA '76, Virginia McKeefery-Reynolds $\Gamma\Omega$ '68, and front, Melanie Alm Robinson $\Lambda\Theta$ '84.

The Muncie (Indiana) Alumnae Chapter attended the Senior Ceremony of the Gamma Chi Chapter at Ball State University. The alumnae hosted a dinner for new members and officers earlier in the year.

Members of the **Gamma Rho Chapter** from Northern Illinois University recently gathered for an informal reunion in Florida. The reunion included alumnae of new member classes from the years 1953-54.



Gamma Rho alumnae at a reunion in March included, front, Priscilla Schneider Peterson '54, Rosetta Iacovelli Smith '55, Mary Anna Schoening Skul '54, Jan Olson Bennett '54; back, Nina Pence Fockens '54, Loismae Rees Rutter '55, and Margaret Sage Bennett '54.

make a Connection

MID-ATLANTIC AREA (DE, MD, NJ, PA)

Cheri Bungard EK '93, a member of the Southern New Jersey Alumnae Chapter, has been named as the new Public Relations Manager for The Miss America Organization. Cheri previously worked as Director of Community and Media Relations for the Atlantic City Surf Professional Baseball Club of the Atlantic League. Cheri was President of the Xi Kappa Chapter at Rowan University while an undergraduate there, and then obtained an MBA with honors from Rowan. The Miss America Program provides \$200 million in cash scholarships to women, and its network of volunteers participate in more than 12,000 community-service projects.

Gina Furia Rubel EZ'88, Esq., Central Philadelphia Alumnae Chapter President, joined Dudnyk Public Relations, a corporate and marketing public relations firm in Horsham, Pennsylvania, as an account supervisor. She will supervise healthcare accounts and the newly created managed care business group. Gina was a practicing attorney in Philadelphia, then worked in public relations and later managed communications for a technology company.



Gina Furia Rubel EZ '88, President of the Central Philadelphia Alumnae Chapter.

The Central Philadelphia Alumnae Chapter works with the Epsilon Zeta Chapter at Drexel University during recruitment and invites collegians to its philanthropic events. The chapter has held its annual "Step-a-thon" event since the chapter's founding. Members run or walk up and down the 1,000 steps of the Philadelphia Art Museum to raise money for the Delta Zeta Foundation, Gallaudet University, House Ear Institute, Dogs for the Deaf, and the Archbishop Ryan School for the Deaf in Philadelphia.



Central Philadelphia Alumnae Chapter members with members of the Epsilon Zeta Chapter (Drexel University) at the Step-athon Fundraiser.

The South Hills of Pittsburgh Alumnae Chapter held a book exchange and white elephant sale, and hosted a presentation about antiques and collectibles at the home of Janet Wight Palka ΓΔ '65. If you live in the South Hills area of Pittsburgh and are interested in membership, contact Mary Vescio Reno EΘ '57 at 412/835-1730.



South Hills of Pittsburgh alumnae members at a recent meeting included Marianne Mayorsky Ponist ZO '63, Tara Hann D'Agaro IΔ '94, Betty DeSalvo, JoDee Ratica Hartman ZE '62, Lynne Kirchner Magulick ZE '59, and Carole Abernathy Karn ΘΔ '62.

NORTHEAST AREA (CT, ME, MA, NH, NY, RI, VT)

Members of the Gamma Beta Chapter gathered for an annual celebration in Connecticut. The alumnae graduated during the 1980s from the University of Connecticut.



Alumnae who gathered at a Gamma Beta Chapter reunion included, back row, Barbara Scionti Kuehnle '81, SueAnn Laudano Malinconico '82, Jodi Kennedy Gaffey '82, Jennifer Tracey Carlo '83, Susan Pearson Gambardella IΩ '82 (later affiliated with Gamma Beta), Barbara Poremba '83, Kathy Doherty Larkins '80. Front row, Maudie Long '83, friend Sharon Sperazza, Beth Kogut Iarusso '83, Joanne Kelleher '84, Alicia Rue Laing '80 (with son Jonathan), Melanie Larkins (daughter of Kathy Larkins), Faith Saunders Douglass '82, and Julie Lassy '83,

The Omicron Phi Chapter from Alfred University has formed a chapter association. Members gathered during the university's spring Alumni Weekend event to elect officers and set goals for the coming year. The association currently has over 100 members who are alumnae of the chapter. The Omicron Phi Association has also created a Yahoo Group for all members. For log-in information, contact Kerri-Ann Appleton '97 at appletk@yahoo.com. Any alumnae from the chapter who need further information about the chapter association should contact Katie Isaac '97 at kisaac@vidmon.com or 703/201-2962.

SOUTH CENTRAL AREA (AR, KY, LA, MS, OK, TN)

Members of the Knoxville (Tennessee) Alumnae Chapter speak to members of the Beta Lambda Chapter at the University of Knoxville/Tennessee about professions and career opportunities. Many collegians obtain intern positions at companies and organizations where alumnae are employed. Several women have received offers of employment at these same companies after graduation. Chapter President Allison Morgan Jones BA '92 is a teacher, and asked a Delta Zeta member to come speak to her class about the member's personal experience with a learning disability and how she has succeeded in her career.

Members of the Louisville Alumnae Chapter supported the 2001 Louisville Area Panhellenic at its spring luncheon and helped raise money for the Panhellenic's programs.



Louisville Alumnae Chapter President Jenny Jackson Wrightington BT '89, her mother Mary Jo Weisenberger Jackson BF '96 (who has been nominated as a Fall Chairman), and Jenny's sister, Terra Jackson BT '92, who serves as the Louisville Area Panhellenic Chairman at the Louisville Area Panhellenic Luncheon.

The Jonesboro (Arkansas) Alumnae Chapter, together with alumnae from the northeast Arkansas area, hosted a reunion weekend at Arkansas State University in April in celebration of Omicron Epsilon's tenth anniversary on campus. The activities included a picnic for members and their families, a dinner with an awards presentation, and a social event to welcome graduating seniors into the alumnae chapter. Alumnae Chapter President Samantha Davis Glover OE '96 was named to the National Dean's List and the United States Achievement Academy's All-American Scholar Program, as she pursues a master's degree in Educational Administration. Chapter member Sarah Hines Wilson OE '97 received the Distinguished Service Award from the Department of Health, Physical Education, and Sports Science at Arkansas State University. Sarah is an exercise physiologist at St. Vincent's Infirmary Medical Center.

The Oklahoma City Alumnae Chapter hosted Isabelle Hough Spangler TY '25 as she received the Order of the Diamond for 75 years of membership in Delta Zeta Sorority. Isabelle was a teacher and moved to Yukon, Oklahoma after retirement. She continued to drive into Oklahoma City to play bridge with her Delta Zeta sisters, and was a model in the alumnae chapter's style show at the age of 90. She will be 95 on August 18.



Oklahoma City Alumnae who celebrated Isabelle Hough Spangler's 75th year of membership were, standing left to right, Marion Robinson Fry ΓΥ '42, Doris Wright Sandoz ΓΥ '36, Jean Nelson Stockham Π '39, Deanna Alleman Pendleton AT '61, and Arlene Jacks Randall DO '80. Seated, Sylvia Leigh Pardue AE '54, Mary Lois Moran Dreiling ΓΥ'37, and Isabelle Hough Spangler TY '25, the Order of the Diamond recipient.

SOUTHEAST AREA (AL, FL, GA, PR, VI)

The Huntsville Alumnae Chapter donated playground equipment to the Huntsville Child Care Center, which serves primarily low-income children. The Center serves approximately 40 children and relies heavily on grants and donations to maintain operations.

Information from the Huntsville Times, Huntsville, Alabama.

Members of the **Gold Coast Alumnae Chapter** attended the annual Fort Lauderdale Alumnae Panhellenic Luncheon/Style Show. Irene Leslie Bush A Σ '49 is the President of the Fort Lauderdale Panhellenic. Elsie Kuck Bailey AO '25, Order of the Diamond recipient, joined the group, as did Elizabeth Miller Wood Θ '62 (President of the Columbus Alumnae Panhellenic), who was visiting from Ohio.



Gold Coast Alumnae members attend the Fort Lauderdale Alumnae Panhellenic Luncheon. Front, Great Lakes Public Relations Chair and Columbus Alumnae Panhellenic President Elizabeth Miller Wood Θ '62, Fort Lauderdale Panhellenic President Irene Leslie Bush ΑΣ '49, and Order of the Diamond recipient Elsie Kuck Bailey AO '25. Back, Linda Ratkus Packham ZΦ '67, Diane Salade Neralic IT '69, Nancy Moore Norris EZ '58, Laura Harland Dunham BN '66, Anita Voden Arnaut ΓΤ'62, and Southeast Area Development Chairman Pat Beatty ΓΤ '59.

Miriam Johnson Jobe A Σ '26 was honored with the Order of the Diamond in the spring by the Jacksonville Alumnae Chapter.



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The Jacksonville Alumnae Chapter recognized alumnae members with the Golden Rose and Silver Certificates to honor their years of membership in Delta Zeta. The chapter celebrated its 20th anniversary at a local restaurant, and held a garage sale to benefit the Gallaudet Regional Center in St. Augustine.



The Jacksonville Alumnae Chapter at its 20th anniversary celebration.

National Council and Foundation members gathered at the **South Eastern Panhellenic Conference** held in Atlanta. Approximately 40 representatives from other NPC member groups were in attendance as well.



Delta Zeta Foundation President Marjorie Klingensmith Lovewell, National Vice President of Membership Development Denise Williams McCullars, and National Vice President of Alumnae Affairs Jamie Hammill Pyne at the South Eastern Panhellenic Conference held in Atlanta recently.

The Suncoast Alumnae Chapter presented Ethel Slicklen deVyver $B\Omega$ with the Order of the Diamond award in March. At New York University, Ethel served as her chapter's vice president after her initiation into the chapter in 1924. She was the president of the Beta Omega Alumnae group, and professionally was president of Washington Square College at NYU. She was also president of the Homemakers Forum of New York City and a member of Kappa Delta Pi, the honorary society of education.



The Suncoast Alumnae Chapter presented the Order of the Diamond to Ethel Slicklen deVyver $B\Omega$ '24 this past spring.

The **Tuscaloosa Alumnae Chapter** met this spring for their annual Senior Salad Supper to honor the Alpha Gamma graduates from the University of Alabama/Tuscaloosa. An alumna offers to host the event in her home, and seniors share their plans after graduation with the alumnae. If you are interested in membership in the chapter, please contact Chapter President Sylvia McCalla Cottingham BE '52 at 205/507-0110.

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The **Houston Alumnae Chapter** sponsored its annual Spring Fashion Show, with all proceeds going to Camp Hope (a summer camp for children with AIDS) and the Center for Hearing and Speech. This year the chapter raised \$10,000 for these organizations.



Houston Alumnae members who served as chairmen for the chapter's annual Spring Fashion Show were Kathleen Worthington McQueary $\Gamma\Pi$ '76 (left) and Katie Lehnert BA '94 (right). Emily Brock, center, was the guest speaker from the Center for Hearing and Speech, and spoke about how she has benefited from the Center's programs.

The San Antonio Alumnae Chapter proudly watched member Anna-Melissa Cavazos' OA '92 installation as the 2001-02 San Antonio Panhellenic Association President in May. Phyllis Berens Ross $\Delta\Omega$ '64, Delta Zeta Past National Officer, was initiated as an honorary member of the Mu Kappa Chapter of the Order of Omega at St. Mary's University. The Mu Kappa Chapter chooses an honorary member to initiate each year.

If you need contact information for a Delta Zeta sister for whom you are searching, please contact National Headquarters at 202 East Church Street, Oxford, OH 45056, by phone at 513/523-7597, or via e-mail at dzs@dzshq.com.

Join Your Chapter Sisters for a Centennial Reunion!

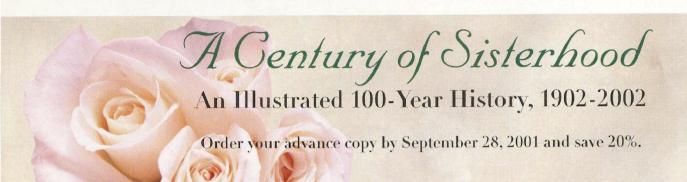
Would you like to enjoy a memorable reunion with your chapter sisters during the Centennial year? Visit the Delta Zeta website at www.deltazeta.org and go to the "Centennial" page to find out how to connect, plan, or just be a part of a memorable reunion. You'll find reunion information and postings for and from Delta Zetas around the country who will reunite at the 2002 Convention in Oxford, Ohio or for other reunion celebrations to be held on Founders Day, 2002. Don't miss the excitement—post your reunion and connection information to the Centennial Forum today!

CONNECT WITH A CHAPTER ASSOCIATION!

An easy way to connect with your sisters in Delta Zeta is through Chapter Associations. Alumnae who belong to the same college chapter can form a chapter association. It's really just a chance to meet whenever you want to—chapter associations don't have the formal structure of an alumnae chapter, but give alumnae the opportunity to connect with sisters from their college chapter at their convenience.

If you'd like more information about organizing a chapter association in your area, you can contact:

Meggan Jordan George AE '89 Area Chapter Association Contact 4210 Tompkins Court SE Grand Rapids, MI 49546 616/977-7668 e-mail: mkgeorge@iserv.net Send all notices of address changes and member deaths to: Delta Zeta National Headquarters 202 East Church Street Oxford, OH 45056 Phone: 513/523-7597





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