

## News In Brief

*By Scott Nadeau '89, EGHC communications director*

It's been quite an eventful month at the Epsilon Gamma colony. The guys are making progress toward all of the goals that have been placed before them. It hasn't been a smooth ride - there have been a few bumps to be certain, but with each passing week the colony is learning and growing.

Some notable events took place in the last few weeks:

- Through the hard work of Treasurer Phil Klassen and Financial Advisor Jeff Wandzel, the colony has a zero budget with the General Fraternity, ridding a debt of over \$1700.
- The colony retained and initiated all 7 members of the pledge class. (The 4th largest class on campus.)
- The colony performed an outstanding initiation ceremony on November 18th.
- The colony is slated to send full representation to all of the leadership opportunities offered by the General Fraternity.

I hope to get you an expanded report on the colony's progress next month.

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## Congratulations to the New Initiates!

Chad	William	Crary
Chris	J.	Mueller
Shane	P.	Farrell
Drew	Daniel	Mason
Zachary	Richard A.	Zeoli
David	Joseph-Lee	Jablonski
Robert	M	Hunter

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## Motor City Bowl

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Congratulations to the Central Michigan Football Team (and their Athletic Trainer Phil Adler '98) on winning the MAC Championship!

Now the Chippewas will face the Middle Tennessee Blue Raiders in the Motor City Bowl on December 26th at Ford Field. Kickoff is set for 7:30 p.m., and the game will air to a national television audience on ESPN.

Greg Compton and I are attempting to coordinate buying a block of tickets for any interested Betas.

The CMU Athletics Ticket Office is selling a discounted ticket that will offer fans a savings of at least \$15 per ticket. That deal cannot be matched by any other ticket vendor.

**If you want to go in on the block of tickets, please contact either Greg Compton at [compton@aaps.k12.mi.us](mailto:compton@aaps.k12.mi.us) Cell: (734) 846-0409 or Scott Nadeau [scott.nadeau@epsilongamma.org](mailto:scott.nadeau@epsilongamma.org) Cell: (734) 417-2615**

**Tickets are \$30 each plus any crazy fees that they add to the order.**

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If you want to get tickets on your own, you can find the info at: <http://www.cmuchippewas.com/>

Later this month I'll send out information on where the Tailgate Gathering will take place.

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## Upcoming Events

<i>DECEMBER</i>	<i>JANUARY 2007</i>
<b>Exam Week</b> December 11 - 15, 2006	<b>Spring Kick-off Retreat</b> Saturday, January 13, 2007 Mt. Pleasant
<b>Motor City Bowl</b> December 26, 2006 Ford Field - Detroit, MI	<b>Pledge Induction</b> Sunday, January 28, 2007 814 S. Main, Mt. Pleasant

EG's interactive full event calendar is [here](#).

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## Help! We need networking contacts! (+ I have Rose Bowl Tickets)

*By Trevor Wisniewski `91*

Brothers,

My wife just branched out and started a psychotherapy private practice in downtown Royal Oak. Her new business is largely based on referrals from medical Doctors. If you know your Doctor well, or have a friend or family member that is a Doctor she would truly appreciate the opportunity to talk with them regarding her qualifications and how she can help their current patients. If you can help, please email me at [trevorw@comcast.net](mailto:trevorw@comcast.net) or [kimw@comcast.net](mailto:kimw@comcast.net).

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Trevor Wisniewski

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**PS - Brothers, I have a total of six Rose Bowl tickets for sale. If you're interested, drop me an email at [trevorw@comcast.net](mailto:trevorw@comcast.net)**

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## The Beta Network

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- **Todd DeVito `94** writes: I would like to announce my engagement to long long long time girlfriend Janet Lynn McMahon. The big event occurred on August 21st at the highest point in MI (Mt. Arvon, elevation 1979 ft). Due to the thin air from the high elevation, I slipped and twisted my ankle. While I was down on 1 knee I asked Janet if she would carry me! She just broke into tears and said yes, I will marry you! Talk about a twist of fate.

### *BETAS IN THE MILITARY*

- **Todd Wood `08** writes: Since the Betas in the Military section has been a little bare, I suppose I should let the brothers know that I was promoted to Private First Class last month.

Send in your Beta Network News to [scott.nadeau@epsilongamma.org](mailto:scott.nadeau@epsilongamma.org).

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## Happy Birthday

*By Tom Olver `98, EGHC president*

**Twenty-six** members of the Epsilon Gamma rolls will celebrate a birthday this month. The average age of

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these men is 30.7. The oldest brother with a birthday this month is Sean O'Bryan, #33 at 43 and the youngest is Todd Wood, #340, at 21.

12/1	Sean O'Bryan, #33	43
12/2	Matt Hegenauer, #40	41
	Christian Thelander, #95	38
	Paul Marquardt, #256	29
12/3	Justin Warnack, #269	27
12/4	Kyle Russell, #257	28
	Dave Partaka, #308	28
	Todd Wood, #340	21
12/5	Matt Cagle, #281	26
12/7	Norm Klein, #329	22
12/8	Ryan Ward, #321	25
12/9	Kevin Clark, #310	25
12/12	Matt Graves, #298	25
12/13	Todd Miller, #115	37
	Eric Dumont, #274	28
12/16	Hugh Witham, #49	40
12/18	Tobin Bailey, #156	35
	Josh Tilley, #291	26
12/22	Trent VanWormer, #306	27
12/23	John Doyle, #251	28
12/24	Brian McCormick, #169	35
12/25	Matt Simkins, #158	38
12/29	John Knaus, #88	39
12/30	Scott Verbeke, #243	31
12/31	David Steiner, #207	31
	John Parker, #303	26

Please help these brothers celebrate by [sending an email](#), making a phone call, sending a card, paying a visit, taking them out, etc. Best wishes for a healthy, happy and safe birthday, brothers!

Yours in \_\_\_\_*kai*\_\_\_\_,

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