



Chapter Update

By John Klapchuk '09, chapter recruitment & public relations chairman

Epsilon Gamma chose to pair with the sister of Delta Phi Epsilon to compete in this year's Golden Goblet Registered Student Organization competition as part of Homecoming. They participated in events like "Yell Like Hell," "Quest for Central Spirit," and "Chippewa Food Relay." Team Beta/D Phi E finished 2nd overall for the week.

Beta's young and old came to 814 S. Main to celebrate Homecoming at the annual "Bubba's Beta Brunch". Paul "Bubba" Koehn and Barbara again made an amazing breakfast before everyone watched the Homecoming parade and headed to Kelly/Shorts Stadium to partake in football festivities.

Also this past month, Allen Hardin, Oregon '09, is the new Leadership Consultant for the Epsilon Gamma Chapter. Brother Hardin paid the chapter a visit and met with the E-board and pledge class.

Later this month on November 21st we will be conducting the initiation ceremony for this semester's pledge class. All of you are invited to attend. The exact time of the event will be posted on www.epsilongamma.org within a couple of weeks.

2009 CMU Homecoming & "Bubba's Beta Brunch"

By Scott Nadeau '89, EGHC president

Another CMU Homecoming is in the books. The food was great, the parade was fun and CMU beat the stuffing out of the EMU Eagles. Barb and Bubba Koehn would like to pass on the following message:

Paul (Bubba) and I would like to thank Justin and his "crew" for meeting us at the door at 6am to help unload the food- The house was immaculate (including the kitchen). The guys were so very helpful. Thanks to Gunner's (Barb's dog) new friend, Terry (Massie) who took him while we got everything together! Also, thanks to Scott, Tom, Justin and Epsilon Gamma for the framed caricature print that was presented to us as a thank-you!

For those of you who missed Bubba's Beta Brunch- you missed seeing a lot of alumni, pledges, and one of the best active groups since way back when!! These MEN truly embody The Men of Principle ideal and show it in their words, and actions. It is a pleasure to cook for all of you and can't wait to do it again!!

Yours in -kai-

Paul (Bubba), EG241, Gunner EG241½ and Barb Koehn (Betamom)

Photos from the day are posted both on my Facebook page and here: <http://snurl.com/t1266>.

Epsilon Gamma's Silver Anniversary

By Scott Nadeau '89, EGHC president

Mark your calendars!

The tentative date for next year's Silver Anniversary is Saturday November 6, 2010. The committee is still checking into locations for the best deal and accommodations.

If you would like to join the committee or would like to share your idea for next year's big event, please send a message to banquet@epsilongamma.org.

Upcoming Events

<p>November</p> <p>Initiation November 21, 2009 814 S. Main, Mt. Pleasant, Michigan</p>	<p>December</p> <p>CMU Exams December 7-11, 2009</p>
<p>January 2010</p> <p>Spring Semester Begins January 11, 2010</p>	<p>February 2010</p> <p>Midwest Keystone Leadership Conference February 5-7, 2010 Wyndham Lisle Hotel in Lisle, Illinois</p>

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

The Beta Network

- Gary Zarkowski `89** writes: I got married last year to a beautiful lady named Tamara (Tammy). We have 3 kids, her two girls, Kathryn(9) and Olivia(7) and my son Reece(8). Other than that I am still a Financial advisor and CPA in Greenville, like I have been since '94. Hope to see you at some Beta events this year. I hope to make a few.

Send in your Beta Network News to communications@epsilongamma.org or fill out the form at: <http://www.epsilongamma.org/alumni/betabase.htm>.

This Month's Birthdays

By Greg Compton `86

Hippy Hippy Happy Birthdays for November.

Wish your brother a very happy birthday.

Joseph Santilli	36	Nov. 03.
Kevin Martin	42	Nov. 04.
Matthew McCluskey	36	Nov. 04.
Robert F. Seeber	46	Nov. 05.
Richard Ballor	43	Nov. 05.
Eric Konopka	31	Nov. 05.
Alexander (Sandy) Gaulin	44	Nov. 06.
Jeff Hughes	37	Nov. 06.
Robert Gronda	47	Nov. 12.
Kris Stenglein	21	Nov. 12.
Joseph Balinski	34	Nov. 13.
Steve Desmet	37	Nov. 14.
John Hill	39	Nov. 15.
Michael Griffin	39	Nov. 15.
Scott McQuillan	40	Nov. 15.
Tom Olver	34	Nov. 15.
Willie Hilliker	37	Nov. 15.

Charlie Parker	41	Nov. 16.
Robert Brisson	29	Nov. 16.
Matthew Louks	39	Nov. 18.
James Cone	34	Nov. 18.
Jason Catania	37	Nov. 18.
Ted Gronda	46	Nov. 19.
Bradley Bezeau	39	Nov. 19.
Marc Walkowski	34	Nov. 19.
Gordon Tomlin	42	Nov. 22.
Kevin Steele	42	Nov. 24.
Chad Springer	36	Nov. 24.
Jacob Ott	32	Nov. 25.
Kyle Ranson	33	Nov. 26.
Dylan Wright	35	Nov. 26.
Marc Rosa	40	Nov. 27.
Mark Ruhling	35	Nov. 27.
Eric Bilbrey	28	Nov. 28.
Scott Willey	34	Nov. 29.
Brian Scheffler	32	Nov. 29.
Scott Walbrun	20	Nov. 29.
Thomas Ross	44	Nov. 30.
Jeff Fielstra	39	Nov. 30.

Oldest: Bob Gronda 47. Youngest: Scott Walbrun 20.

Ave. age is 34.3 years.

These are the birthdays I have for this month. If any of you are not listed or are listed incorrectly, please contact me at compton@aaps.k12.mi.us and I will change it or add it to my major list.

Have a great birthday brothers!

If you have any questions or comments please send them to communications@epsilongamma.org.

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