



Chapter Update

By Justin E. Mack '11, public relations chairman

SPRING 2010 RECRUITMENT UPDATE

The spring recruitment season for the Epsilon Gamma chapter finished as soundly as it began last week. The chapter's last event brought brothers and potential members together for bowling where they enjoyed food and friends at the University's Student Activity Center.

Last Sunday, the chapter voted on the majority of the new potential Betas and bids will be handed out at the beginning of the week, just in time for Thursday's induction. "All in all, I think it was another successful recruitment for the chapter," Recruitment Chairman Kevin White, CMU '12 said. "We have some really solid guys coming in – it's always a good feeling when you know you're looking at the chapter's future leadership."

Names and profiles of the chapter's new pledge class will be released as soon as the chapter has finalized their selections.

THE MEN OF PRINCIPAL GRANT

As always, the chapter has utilized the *Men of Principal Grant* to offer a scholarship for non-Beta students this semester. The Spring Semester scholarship is generously provided by brother Greg Compton '86. Scholarship applications were handed out at all Beta and Inter-Fraternity Council recruitment events in the hopes of rewarding a CMU student that holds high standards in scholarship and community service. This is a great way to meet potential brothers.

"The scholarship process is always pretty competitive and this year was especially successful." Scholarship Chairman Jeffrey Zapolski, CMU '11 told me. "There were a lot of very strong candidates and it will be tough to choose just one."

The \$500 grant will be rewarded at the February 3rd banquet. "No matter what, the chapter is just happy to have the opportunity to reward hard work and cultivation of the intellect to someone who deserves it."

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Silver Anniversary Banquet

By Tom Bussineau '86, banquet chairman

The Silver Anniversary banquet committee has been busy planning our reunion to be held on **November 13, 2010** at the **Comfort Inn, Mt. Pleasant**. The committee explored other venues in Mt. Pleasant, but the Comfort Inn has the best facilities to host our banquet.

We have received feedback from past events that brothers and wives would like to have more time to socialize during the evening. With that in mind, we are reducing the amount of time spent on presentations from speakers.

To generate income for the room and banquet deposits, we are offering advanced ticket sales for the event. The price for banquet tickets will be \$50 per person (\$35 pp for undergrads) and will go up to after March 1.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Midwest Keystone Leadership Conference
February 5-7, 2010
Lisle, Illinois
[MORE INFORMATION](#)

Three Fires
March 19 & 20, 2010
National City, Michigan

Pledge Initiation
April 24, 2010
Mt. Pleasant, Michigan

23rd Annual Robert A. Seeber/Lenny Varner International Pig Roast
April 24, 2010
Mt. Pleasant, Michigan
[DETAILS](#)

21st Annual Epsilon Gamma Golf Outing
July 24, 2010
Location TBA

Silver Anniversary Banquet
November 13, 2010
Comfort Inn - Mt. Pleasant, Michigan
[DETAILS](#)

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CAPITAL FUNDRAISING INITIATIVE

Epsilon Gamma on the web:

To receive the discounted price, there are two options to send in your payment: by credit card or electronic check via our website, or by sending in a check.

[To be taken to the registration page on the web site, click here.](#)

A block of rooms has been set aside at the Comfort Inn. Make sure you mentioned that you are with Beta Theta Pi. It is encourage that you make your room reservation as soon as possible because the room rate will go up if a home game is scheduled for that day. Phone: (989) 772-4000.

If you have any questions or comments regarding the Silver Anniversary, feel free to send me an email at tombussineau@suddenlink.net.



Donor Corner

By Scott Nadeau '89, housing corp. president

I'm going to start doing something that I should have been doing a long time ago, and I hope to continue it as a monthly feature.

It takes more than revenue from rent to keep the Beta House in good condition and to pay for renovations and major projects; it takes the generosity of several brothers (and their families.) I'd like to publicly thank the following brothers who have given to the EGHC in the past year:

Matt Brauer
Ken Breen
Scott Nadeau
Tom Olver
Andrew Shubnell

It also takes the generosity of several brothers and their families to be able to provide undergraduates with scholarships and leadership opportunities. Thanks to the following brothers who have donated to the Central Michigan Fund at the Beta Theta Pi Foundation in the past year:

Matt Baad
Kevin Brockman
Greg Compton
Jim Cone
Bryan Hix
Jeff Hughes
Keith Nagel
Jamie Riley
Trevor Wisniewski

If you would like add your name to the list and support Epsilon Gamma you can click on one of the links on the right hand side and send in a few dollars. If you would like to contribute in a more significant manner, feel free to click on the "Capital Fundraising Initiative" logo on the right to learn more.

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Fundraisers Wanted

The Epsilon Gamma Housing Corporation is looking for dedicated brothers that would be interested in serving as fundraisers for our group over the next few years.

Those brothers will collect a percentage off of every dollar raised.

If you are already in sales and would like to make an extra buck or two while helping out your fraternity, contact:

scott.nadeau@epsilongamma.org

Quick Bits

- Alumni Relations Chairman Kris Stenglein is looking for a few brothers who would act as e-mail pals to the guys in the new pledge class. If you are interested in helping out, you can contact Kris directly through Facebook or via e-mail: steng1ka@cmich.edu.
- If you are a contractor or remodeler, the Housing Corporation could use your expertise and advice concerning a few projects that are being considered for the house. Please contact Scott Nadeau if you would like to help out. scott.nadeau@epsilongamma.org
- Pig Roast was originally announced as taking place on April 10th. It has been moved to April 24th.

The Beta Network

- -nothing to report this month-

To send in your update, send a message to communications@epsilongamma.org

This Month's Birthdays

By Greg Compton '86, founding father

Wish your brother a very happy birthday.
February Birthdays:

Scott Stoughton	Feb. 15	45
Greg Neper	Feb. 23	46
Grant Kersten	Feb. 23	48
Jeff Wandzel	Feb. 19	44
Chris Hayes	Feb. 28	43
David Hasenleder	Feb. 11	40
Keith Nagel	Feb. 17	41
David Robertson	Feb. 09	40
Michael Severy	Feb. 03	39
Todd Finnin	Feb. 14	38
Scott Sawyer	Feb. 13	35
Stephen Hall	Feb. 24	35
Ryan McDermaid	Feb. 19	33
Ben Johnson	Feb. 20	32
Kenton Barber	Feb. 27	33
Jordan Buschmohle	Feb. 16	31
Brian Brigham	Feb. 13	31
Theodore Bott	Feb. 04	30
Joe Evenden	Feb. 16	29
Kris Wellman	Feb. 07	25
Chris May	Feb. 09	24
Robby Hunter	Feb. 15	22
Norm Anderson	Feb. 21	55
Terry Massie	Feb. 03	21

Oldest: Norm Anderson 55. Youngest: Terry Massie 21.
Ave. age is 35.83 years.

These are the birthdays I have for February. If any of you are not listed or are listed incorrectly, please contact me and I will change it or add it to my major list. Have a great birthday brothers!

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