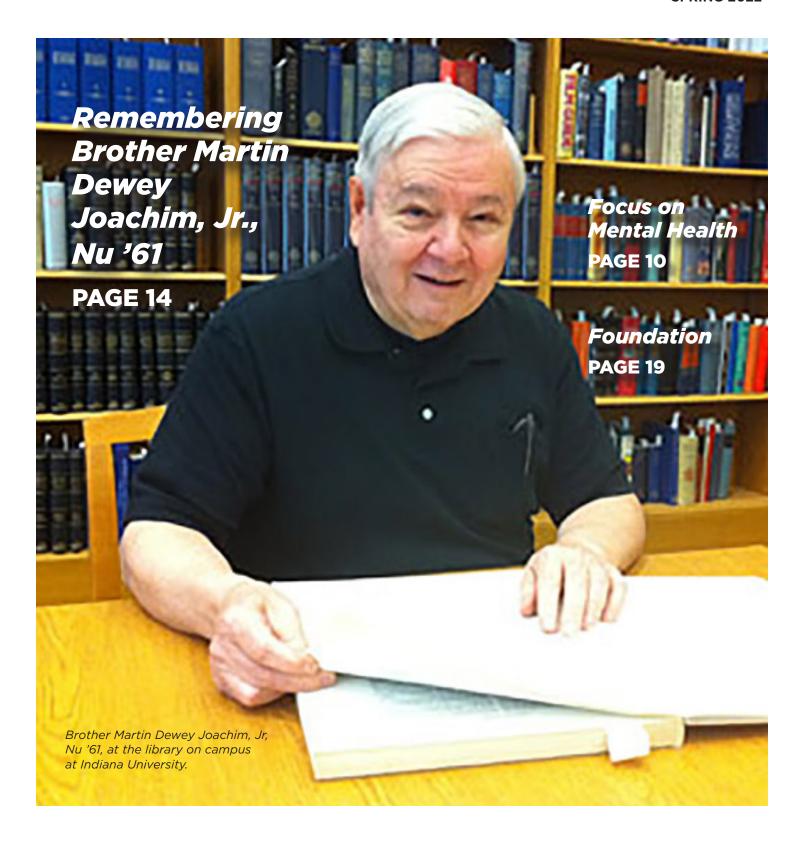
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## THE "SECRET" **TO CHANGE**

by W. Scott Bradley, Zeta Beta '99 President of the National Fraternity of Kappa Delta Rho



CHANGE. The only constant in the world is change. Every day there are news stories about change in the world, from weather changes to economic changes to health changes. We must all navigate these changes on a daily basis.

The Kappa Delta Rho National Staff and Board of Directors are no different. We are working diligently to foresee changes in the future and manage the current changes. The current changes we are managing can be as simple as helping a Chapter update its officers, to working with a Chapter and campus if they are deciding to educate remotely for a period of time. The future changes can be where we look to add new Chapters or how we can expand the services the National Office can provide.

The best change we have had recently is growth. Since we talked last, we have re-chartered our Chapter at Ohio State and are chartering a Chapter at Arizona State. These two instances show that even in changing times KDR can grow and flourish. During this past fall semester, we also had some of the best recruitment we have seen in many years. These are good changes that will help us for the future.

Another change has been with some of our staff at the office. Bryan Fields has left the office to pursue another venture and we have brought Chelsea Hummel-Crane on staff. While Bryan was amazing, we are excited about Chelsea's joining the team. I am also excited that Irving Montgomery joined the staff last year after changing over from an intern. He has been out working to grow some of our new Chapters.

"The secret to change is to focus all of your energy not on fighting the old, but on building the new."

-Socrates

Along with these changes we are looking every day at new ways to interact with the undergraduates and alumni across the country. We are asking monthly what can we change to make things better and easier for the Chapters. This is where the Foundation has taken a role with the Brothers' Keeper Campaign. This is a monumental change to keep Kappa Delta Rho on the forefront of education and assistance for our Brothers. I don't have the space to go into it again, but if you don't know about it, please ask anyone on the Board, Foundation, or Staff.

It does take more than just the Board of Directors, the Foundation Trustees, and the National Staff to handle all the changes Kappa Delta Rho must manage. We can use more alumni help every day as we come out of this pandemic and make sure we are supporting the undergraduate Chapters the best we can.

Kappa Delta Rho is able to take advantage of change because we look for ways to use it to our benefit.

> Honor Super Omnia, W. Scott Bradley, ZB99

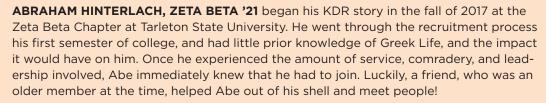
## **NEW FACES ON STAFF**

CHELSEA HUMMEL-CRANE joins The National Fraternity of Kappa Delta Rho, Inc., bringing extensive experience as a higher-education and Fraternity and sorority professional. She brings her knowledge of the educational programming and Chapter operations, with specific knowledge in recruitment and overall growth and development for fraternal organizations. Chelsea is responsible for providing administrative support and oversight pertaining to all Fraternity character-development efforts. She will have responsibility for interacting with collegiate officers, the organization, and other Fraternity constituents, as the organization continues to fulfill its strategic plan. Education, advocacy, and awareness are what she will continue to expand here at Kappa Delta Rho. She earned her Master of Education, with an emphasis in College Student Affairs Leadership, at Grand Valley State University and her Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice–Sociology at Saginaw Valley State University in Michigan. In her spare time, she enjoys spending time with her husband, family, and friends. She loves trying new cuisines and visiting diverse sites across the country. Chelsea is excited to join the KDR team and is looking forward to connecting with all members of the organization.



**Hummel-Crane** 

**OWEN REECE, GAMMA BETA '25** is a founding father of the Gamma Beta Chapter at Virginia Tech. He currently serves as the Senior Tribune. Owen's major is in Computer Engineering, and he is from Richmond, Virginia. As an intern, he is looking forward to helping with the KDR website, using his programming knowledge, and assisting with other tasks the National Fraternity is undertaking. During his internship, he hopes to learn a lot about what goes on behind the scenes for a national organization, while also applying the skills he is currently learning in his studies. Owen also looks forward to making connections and fostering a strong relationship with the National Fraternity on behalf of the Gamma Beta Chapter. *Honor Super Omnia!* 



Abe quickly became known and seen among students of all ages and became more involved on campus than he could have imagined. He held several positions in KDR including Risk Management, Vice President, and President. With the help of a supportive Chapter, he was able to lead the Chapter to double its size from 30 to 60, all amongst the Covid-19 pandemic.

Along with his involvement in KDR, he was very involved on campus as well. Abe was in several organizations, which include the Tarleton Transition Mentors (student leaders who lead freshman camps and orientations of new students), he was the President of the Tarleton Ambassadors (a prestigious organization that deals directly with the President of the University as well as prominent leaders in Texas) and was on the Strategic Planning Committee for Tarleton's 2020–2030 plan. He has have won awards and been placed in challenging positions during his time at Tarleton and is eager to leverage these experiences and knowledge onto the Illinois campus. His goal is to build a self-sufficient Eta Chapter that is once again among the very best within KDR and on campus.

Abe is looking forward to the support and encouragement of the Eta alumni. His experience with KDR since he started college has been nothing but positive and hopes that future students are able to come across the same opportunities as he did.



Reece



Hinterlach

## 2022 *Ordo Honoris* **Nominations Request**

by Joseph S. Rosenberg, Xi Alpha '96



EVERY OTHER YEAR at the National Convention, Kappa Delta Rho recognizes its outstanding alumni for their lifelong achievements and bestows upon them our Fraternity's highest honor — the *Ordo Honoris*. Once again, we are asking the leaders of our Chapters and alumni corporations, National Board of Directors, Foundation Trustees and individual Brothers to submit nominations for the *Ordo Honoris*.

#### How the process works...

Selection for *Ordo Honoris* rests in the hands of one's peers. Chapters, alumni corporations, national Board of Directors, Foundation Trustees or individual Brothers submit nominations for induction into *Ordo Honoris*. The *Ordo Honoris* Selection Committee receives the names of the nominees and their biographies to review, and makes the final selections.

The National Fraternity President will notify recipients that the *Ordo Honoris* medal and plaque will be conferred upon them on August 4th, at the *Ordo Honoris* banquet at the conclusion of the 2022 Williams Leadership Academy and National Convention in Lexington, Kentucky.

#### What you have to do...

Click here to complete and submit the nomination of a Brother for consideration for the *Ordo Honoris* Award. When you complete the nomination, make sure you have included all the requested information to the best of your knowledge. Next, send your nomination(s) to the National Fraternity office to Executive Director, Dr. Joseph S. Rosenberg at jrosenberg@kdr.com by hitting submit.

#### History of the Ordo Honoris

As the history of The National Fraternity of Kappa Delta Rho, Inc., grows, we recognize alumni for notable achievements. Until 1982, there was no formal way to recognize these alumni. Outstanding alumni achievements took the form of an occasional biography in the *Quill & Scroll*, or a personal appearance at a National Convention. KDR, with the encouragement of Donald L. Stohl, Zeta '54, corrected this lack of formal recognition by founding the *Ordo Honoris*. The general idea of the National Board of Directors was to establish a Hall of Fame for distinguished alumni.



#### **NATIONAL OFFICE**

In 1980, shortly after becoming executive director, Donald L. Stohl wanted the Fraternity to formally recognize the impressive achievements of alumni members. Brother Stohl also saw the opportunity for these outstanding achievements to serve as an inspiration for current and future members. Many *Ordo Honoris* recipients have indicated that KDR made an early and lasting impression, which helped them in their personal and professional development. An important factor, however, was the term Hall of Fame, which conveyed the general idea of what the National Board of Directors wanted to accomplish. The term, dull and overused, was less desirable, however. Instead, the Board sought to find a meaningful term to recognize outstanding alumni.

The obvious path was to follow the tradition of the KDR Ritual and Ceremonies derived from the model of the ancient Roman Republic. From the suggestion of a Benedictine monk at the Archabbey of St. Vincent College in Latrobe, Pennsylvania, the National Board of Directors decided on the distinction of *Ordo Honoris* (Order of Honor), the honor given to Roman citizens for their contributions to state and community.

On August 14, 1982, the first class of inductees received the official citation, "Brother we salute you. Being persuaded of your honor, fidelity, and concern for your fellow man, we have caused these letters to be issued . . .." The first class of inductees, designated the Alpha Class, included eighty-one members and recognized notable achievements during the first seventy-five years of KDR's history. At each National Convention, the Fraternity recognizes a new class of select inductees, designated by consecutive letters of the Greek alphabet.



## We Need YOU!

by Gene Spencer, lota '76



ARE YOU AT A POINT in your personal and professional life where you can devote some time to being a member of the National Board of Directors? We ask this question because when our Fraternity meets in Malvern, Pennsylvania, next year for its 106th National Convention, delegates will elect alumni directors to serve for four-year terms.

What's the time commitment? Briefly, directors meet face-to-face three times a year at the Fall meeting in November, the Mid-year meeting in March, and the annual meeting in August. In between these meetings, the Board meets monthly through a telephone conference line. Also, as a board member you will be asked to serve on two committees. Once you have joined the Board, you may discover that your interests dovetail into a position on the Executive Board.

Right now . . . ask yourself, "How did KDR change my

*life?*" If you had a very positive KDR experience, you may have all the qualities to make you an ideal director-candidate. If you believe it's time for you to rediscover the KDR experience and learn about the importance of KDR in undergraduates' lives, then I urge you to submit your nomination and any supporting documents to **nominations@kdr.com**. The Nominations Committee, chaired by immediate Past President Spencer will review all nominations and present a slate of candidates to delegates at the National Convention Business Meeting in August 2022.

**WE NEED YOU!** And we need the gift of your presence as a director to help us forge a KDR where you, and other alumni, can use your talents and lifetime experiences to help nurture and guide a new generation of KDRs. That's a loan repayment each KDR should be proud to support!



## **MEET THE 2022 CHAPTER CONSULS**

by Joseph S. Rosenberg, Xi Alpha '96 and Irving Montgomery, Sigma Beta '21

One of the best leadership experiences a young man can have in college is that of being a Chapter Consul (President). They learn firsthand what it takes to lead a team to run a small or in some cases large nonprofit organization. All of our chapters are separate 501 C (7) nonprofit organizations recognized by the federal government. Depending on the size of the chapter and if it is housed a Consul is responsible for a budget between \$10,000 to more than \$2,000,000 when considering the Chapter House as an asset.

Our Fraternity continues to grow because of the hard work the Consuls do each day to lead their respective chapters. We are thankful for their leadership and service to KDR. Please meet the 2022 Consuls



I want to continue the legacy of our lota Gamma KDR Chapter by building upon our Brotherhood traditions and recruiting more members to build our organization. I plan to deliver upon creating a friendly and social environment while forming a group of well-prepared individuals to succeed in their future. I want to focus on maintaining a strong Brotherhood as well and ensuring that every member in our Chapter thrives to be the KDR gentlemen we are proud to be.

#### Michael Mutnick, Nu Gamma '23

I will continue to grow and achieve success within our Chapter. I am fortunate to have been elected Consul during our founding class' final semester and want to display our gratitude towards them for starting an organization that has positively changed many Brothers' college experience. In addition, I am looking forward to the future of our Chapter with the ongoing dedication and passion throughout our Brotherhood.

#### Austin Kohler, Kappa Gamma '23

In the next year, I look forward to leading my Chapter through chartering as well as expanding our numbers with the next pledge class. I also look forward to hosting our Chapter's first philanthropy event.

#### Keanu Bunting, Alpha Alpha '23

My intention as Consul is to inspire and lead the quality gentlemen of my Chapter as we uphold the values of Kappa Delta Rho. My vision is to grow the Chapter exponentially with men that will be their Brothers' Keeper and understand the true meaning of Brotherhood.

#### Kyle Spillare, Gamma Beta '24

My intention as Consul of the Gamma Beta Chapter at Virginia Tech is to strive to constantly improve. As a young Chapter, I aspire to make a difference both within Kappa Delta Rho and on our campus. With hopes to rebrand ourselves, I will hold all of our Brothers to a high standard to facilitate a Brotherhood of high-quality individuals that can shape the future of our Chapter. As we continue to grow, I would like to maintain a strong-knit group full of individuals determined to portray a positive image regarding our Chapter.

#### Blake Schorr, Theta '23

The Theta Chapter of Kappa Delta Rho is more than just a fraternal organization that seeks to build a collegiate community here at Purdue University. We are a family that strives to build our members through academic support, service, and cultivating personal accountability and responsibility. We work toward building lifelong friendships through our Brotherhood and self-governance each and every day.

Personally, I've experienced so many personal and professional benefits from my time as a member from both our Brothers and alumni network, which continues to grow. It is our adherence to the principles of strict moral character, reflected in our motto "Honor Super Omnia," which has



Brandon Wesley, lota Gamma '22



Michael Mutnick, Nu Gamma '23



Austin Kohler. Kappa Gamma "23



Keanu Bunting, Alpha Alpha '23



Kyle Spillare, Gamma Reta '24

#### **2022 CHAPTER CONSULS**



Blake Schorr, Theta '23



We at the Beta Chapter are excited to take this historic institution into a new era after being strengthened through adversity. As more students look for opportunities to seek out fellow scholars with a passion for learning, we are proud that this house has become a hub of thriving discourse for those seeking to know themselves both in and out of their studies. Consequently, our efforts are focused on bolstering the physical and spiritual integrity of the house in order to accommodate our expected influx of new Brothers.

allowed us to build trust amongst each other and with the general community that we interact with. It is these values we hope to instill in our future members to build a brighter future and more informed citizenry. In the coming months, it is my pleasure to serve a leadership role to reach these goals.



Aidan Ackerman, Beta '23

#### Corey Lore, Eta Alpha '23

My goal is to outfit our young group of gentlemen with the proper tools for them to strive for greatness.

#### Scott Wagner, Nu '23

This upcoming year will be a very exciting time for the Nu Chapter. We had a very successful recruitment this past fall and look forward to carrying that momentum into the spring. We have a very motivated group of guys in our elected positions and have plans to expand our campus and community outreach this year as well.

#### Adam Robinson, Iota Beta '24

My vision is to embrace KDR tradition and presence on campus in order to attain the highest standard of Greek life on campus. I hope to do this through rush, social Chapter relations, and tradition.

#### Zachariah Butler, Alpha Beta '23

I'm looking forward to this upcoming year for the men of the Alpha Beta Chapter at the University of Delaware. We have faced a lot of challenges, and hardships between COVID-19, and events that unfolded this past semester. When I look ahead to the next year, we plan on recruiting and adding high-quality gentlemen to our Chapter that will continue to shape what makes Kappa Delta Rho so great. We also plan on being heavily involved in community service and philanthropy, as well as making contributions to other great causes. The Executive Council that I'm surrounded by is also hungry to get the ball rolling on these events, as well as the rest of the men in our Chapter.



Corey Lore, Eta Alpha '23

#### Andrew Ramseur, Beta Gamma '23

My goal for the Beta Gamma Chapter at CNU is to reform and reinvigorate the old bonds and traditions that have been lost during COVID while we were virtual. By pushing Brothers to recognize the deep history we have, I hope to bring Beta Gamma back to what it was while also improving the Greek community at CNU as KDR always set out to do.

#### Clayton Black, Epsilon '23

Being a Brother of Kappa Delta Rho means aiming to make better, more honorable men out of each and every one of us. That was my vision when I joined the Fraternity and that is my goal in this position. From Brotherhood to philanthropy, I plan to inspire my Brothers to create enduring bonds with each other and engage in the service of mankind, as our precepts command us to. I desire to achieve this honor, not only for myself or my Chapter, but for the Fraternity as a whole and the entire Fraternity world.



Scott Wagner, Nu '23



lota Beta '24



Zachariah Butler, Alpha Beta '23



Andrew Ramseur, Beta Gamma '23



Clayton Black, Epsilon '23



Ben Earle, Kappa '23

#### 2022 CHAPTER CONSULS

#### Ben Earle, Kappa '23

I hope to maintain the excellent leadership that has been previously exhibited by our former Consuls. I hope to push our Chapter forward and help create the beginnings of a lasting legacy on Ohio State's campus. By continuing to build our Chapter with men who hold themselves to the highest standard possible, I hope we can create something not only for ourselves, but for many people in the future.

#### Mathew Gibellato, Omega Alpha '23

I look forward to working with my school and its new system of Greek life on campus; as well as doing a great job of recruiting quality new members to bring into the Fraternity.

#### Jeremiah Snider, Pi Alpha '23

Since joining the Pi Alpha Chapter at the University of Toledo, we have grown from an average Fraternity to becoming the top on campus. My vision is to still be number one on campus but diversify ourselves in other aspects of life. I want Pi Alpha to excel not only nationally within Kappa Delta Rho in the pillar of service, but in all of Toledo. I want to focus on impacting other people's lives as a Chapter instead of only ourselves.

#### Benjamin Housenecht, Eta Beta '23

My vision for the Chapter this year is to build the bond of the Brotherhood and to further our name on campus. I see a group of close Brothers who hold each other accountable in all facets of our lives. I intend to engage in more philanthropy, fundraising, and social events. I also plan to build stronger relationships with other student groups and the rest of Greek Life. Finally, I set a goal of \$5,000 raised for charity in my time as Consul.

#### Caleb Wiggins, Zeta Beta '22

I plan to increase accountability across the board by focusing more on the Brotherhood side of the Fraternity. If someone you see as a Brother is putting their all into something, you will follow suit as it becomes more of a group mindset. This, in turn, leads to better recruitment as potential new members will see the tight-knit Brotherhood they would be joining.

#### Jack Leake, Tau Alpha '23

My vision for my Chapter is for us to continue to grow and make a difference on campus.

#### Sebastian Bienkowski, Lambda Beta '23

I look forward to building quality pledge classes and being the top Chapter at JMU for Relay for Life next semester.

#### **Gavin Rotante, Gamma Gamma '23**

With many of our COVID restrictions being lifted, we hope to get back to normal and participate in all our philanthropy and volunteer work. We also hope to incorporate some new tools to our Chapter such as recruitment platforms and organizational skills.

#### Garret Brink, Omega '23

As Consul I intend to further the growth of the Omega Chapter in terms of members and financially, while also maintaining a fun and cohesive experience for all the Brothers.



Mathew Gibellato, Omega Alpha '23



Jeremiah Snider, Pi Alpha '23



Benjamin Housenecht, Fta Beta '23



Caleb Wiggins, Zeta Beta '22



Jack Leake. Tau Alpha '23



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Gavin Rotante. Gamma Gamma '23'



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# MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AID TRAINING: Key Component of Brothers' Keeper

by Joseph S. Rosenberg, Xi Alpha '96

THE LEADERSHIP OF THE NATIONAL FRATERNITY has made the commitment to increase the mental health resources to support our undergraduate membership. A demonstration of our commitment to providing more mental health resources and support to our Brotherhood was the implementation in 2019 of Mental Health First Aid training for our Chapters. To date we have trained more than 100 Brothers in Mental Health First Aid from 25 Chapters; that represents 75 percent of our Chapters. Our goal is that by the end of the Fall semester we will have an undergraduate Brother trained in every Chapter.

Just as CPR training helps a person with no clinical training assist an individual following a heart attack, Mental Health First Aid training helps a person assist someone experiencing a mental health crisis such as contemplating suicide. In both situations, the goal is to help support an individual

until appropriate professional help arrives. Mental Health First Aiders learn a single 5-step strategy that includes assessing risk, respectfully listening to and supporting the individual in crisis, and identifying appropriate professional help and other supports. Participants are also introduced to risk factors and warning signs for mental health or substance use problems, engage in experiential activities that build understanding of the impact of illness on individuals and families, and learn about evidence-supported treatment and self-help strategies.

This training provides our undergraduates with how to apply the 5-step action plan in a variety of situations, such as helping someone through a panic attack, engaging with someone who may be suicidal, or assisting an individual who has overdosed. An important component of the Mental Health First Aid course is the opportunity to practice the intervention strategy rather than just to learn about it. This simple experience can make it easier to apply the knowledge in a real-life situation.



## Kappa Delta Rho Lifeline Making an Impact

by Joseph S. Rosenberg, Xi Alpha'96

IN 2019 THE NATIONAL FRATERNITY of Kappa Delta Rho launched the Kappa Delta Rho Lifeline, an online mental health resource center adapted from The Jed Foundation's ULifeline website, which demonstrates the Fraternity's commitment to greater mental health awareness, accurate education, and appropriate treatment resources. Since its launch the site has had more than 3.400 unique pageviews. More important, 130 Brothers used the "Get Help Now" feature and 55 Brothers utilized the "Help A Friend" feature.



The Jed Foundation

Lifeline is part of a collaboration with The Jed Foundation (JED)—a leading non-profit organization that exists to protect the emotional health and prevent suicide for our nation's teens and young adults, led by Brother John MacPhee, Nu Alpha '89.

"Many college students will experience periods of emotional distress and mental health challenges, and among college students, it is less common for men to seek help when they are struggling," said John MacPhee, CEO of JED. "We are pleased to see a national fraternal organization like Kappa Delta Rho supporting their members' wellbeing and empowering them to know when and how help themselves and each other with resources like Kappa Delta Rho Lifeline."

Kappa Delta Rho Past National President, Eugene L. Spencer, Iota '76 believes, "As our Brothers' Keeper, we should be aware of possible warning signs and subtle calls for help. We do not have to be mental health professionals to recognize someone else's difficulties or our own and seek assistance. We cannot stand idly by and expect that Brothers struggling with mental health issues such as depression, anxiety, or substance abuse will ask for help or resolve these issues on their own. A Brotherhood means that we support each other, and we put a hand out to those Brothers who need it; we do not wait to be asked or invited. Sometimes, the request for help doesn't come and the impact of the death of a Brother on everyone whose life he touched is profound, and forever."

All Brothers—both undergraduate and alumni—are encouraged to review the Lifeline site kappadeltarho.ulifeline. org/. By knowing what tools and resources are available, the Brothers can act quickly and confidently when they recognize a Brother in need. Lifeline is a resource that will truly help all Brothers be their Brothers' Keeper.

## **SAVE THE DATE**



**2022 National Convention August 5 -7 at the Desmond Hotel** in Malvern, PA



ONE IN FOUR COLLEGE STUDENTS have a diagnoseable mental illness, with depression and anxiety being the most common. According to The American College Health Association, in the past year 34.8 percent of male-identifying college students reported that they felt so depressed it was hard to function, 49.1 percent had overwhelming anxiety, and 11.3 percent seriously considered suicide. Mental health issues are on the rise especially as the COVID-19 pandemic continues and suicide is the second-leading cause of death among 15–24-year-old male-identifying students.

Seeking help can feel like a big hurdle when it comes to treating mental illness. According to the National Alliance on Mental Illness, approximately 37.4 percent of the maleidentifying population receives mental health treatment annually with rates lowest among the non-Hispanic Asian population. Untreated mental illness takes a significant toll on individuals and society.

But seeking treatment isn't always easy. Not only is there a critical shortage of mental health providers in the United States, but there still exists a stigma in some groups against seeking mental health treatment and talking about mental health, and it is vital to break down this stigma.

It's important to recognize that the strongest stigma that you are likely facing is from yourself. Fear that others will think less of you if you seek mental health treatment is very common. However, over the past two decades, society's understanding and attitude about mental health has markedly changed and it's likely that you will receive support from your community, family and friends. Mental health struggles do not make anyone weak, less masculine, or less capable. On the contrary, it takes tremendous strength to ask for help.

When it comes to emotions, you cannot control them, but when seeking help, you are in control. You are in charge of how you seek help: online, in-person, on campus, off campus. There are several options for mental health treatment, and they will vary person to person. Some people will find they need medication, but many find that talk therapy

You can start by seeing your regular doctor or calling your insurance carrier. You can visit the KDR Lifeline at kappadeltarho.ulifeline.org where you can utilize the self-evaluator tool and find campus-specific resources to get started.

## It's important to recognize that the strongest stigma that you are likely facing is from yourself.

Remember that emotions are universal and being ashamed of your emotions reinforces the stigma around seeking help. Many people mask their emotions and push their feelings down and try to ignore them. But eventually those feelings will float to the surface and force you to deal with them. Mental health is just as important as physical health. Untreated mental illness increases the risk of substance abuse, cardiovascular disease, and many other issues. Think about the time you spend in the gym maintaining your physical body. The mind has maintenance needs that are just as important. Meeting all your needs helps you to meet your goals and get what you want out of life.

The final hurdle is to share your story. Once you reach out and you're ready, share your story of that time you needed help and reached out for it. Personal experiences from those we admire and trust have the biggest impact breaking down the stigma when it comes to mental health, encouraging others to seek help when they need it.



is enough to make a

difference



FOR THE 2021-2022 ACADEMIC YEAR, we have two expansion projects at Virginia Tech and at UNC Greensboro. As the initial expansion phase at Virginia Tech ends, we will start the process at UNC Greensboro during the Spring semester.

#### ANTI-FRATERNITY EXPERIENCE

When the Anti-Fraternity experience was first presented to me by our partners at Phired Up, I was taken aback and confused. Why would I market the Anti-Fraternity experience if I want men to join? The Anti-Fraternity experience is utilizing a different philosophy from traditional recruitment practices. We must shift the way we recruit the next generation of KDR Gentleman. Some of the differences include having 1:1 meaningful interaction with potential new members (PNMs), utilizing resources to manage PNMs, and emphasizing the "Why KDR" experience.

#### **VIRGINIA TECH**

After the first semester the men at Virginia Tech obtained Provisional Chapter status. Currently standing strong at 29 members, the Chapter has a goal of becoming fully chartered by the end of the Spring 2022 semester. Aside from recruitment the Chapter was able to excel in many fraternal areas including academics and philanthropy efforts. With an average GPA of 3.23, the Chapter was ranked

5th out of 25 IFC Organizations. The Chapter also raised more than \$2,500 for the B+ Foundation and our Brothers' Keeper Initiative.

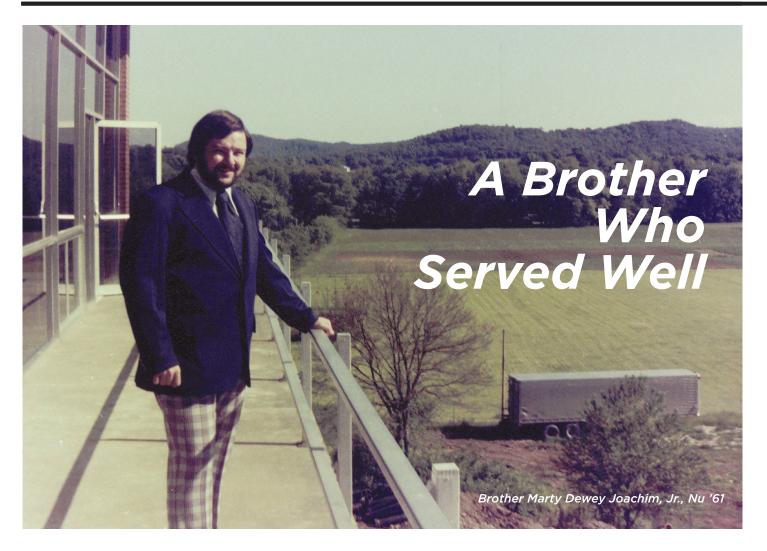
Currently, Virginia Tech has 25 IFC organizations that are vastly different, but similar to KDR. How do we stand out? Why would a student join KDR when they have the option to join 24 other established organizations? Three things that helped the Gamma Beta Provisional Chapter be successful were:

- 1. Being different than every other organization on campus. This sounds very cliché but having that mindset transcended the Chapter's success with recruitment and fraternal operations.
- 2. "If you treat him like a Brother, he will become a Brother. If you treat him like a number, he probably won't join, and if he does, he probably won't stick around."
- 3. #INITIATIVE—This quickly became a buzzword to describe the good and bad moments of the

I will leave you with this when asked "Why KDR" the Consul from Virginia Tech said, "KDR offered a unique experience to bond with a close-knit Brotherhood who share the common goal to make a difference."

Why would a student join KDR when they have the option to join other established organizations?

#### COVER STORY



by Kenneth A. Beckley, Nu '62 and Edward A. Spray, Nu '63

KAPPA DELTA RHO LOST an exemplary scholar and man of the Classics when Brother Martin Dewey Joachim, Jr., 82, died in August 2021 in Bloomington, Indiana. His is a story of a Brother helping Brothers.

Countless men who were Nu Chapter undergraduates when Marty (Nu '61) served as scholarship advisor throughout the 1960s and beyond, attribute their academic successes—and ability to graduate—to his calm, encouraging, sometimes prodding, manner. He helped hundreds of men in need of crafting a persuasive English sentence, understanding a professor's seemingly unclear assignment, and approaching other Brothers for their advanced expertise, but, most important of all, he led undergraduates in learning how to devote time and effort to study. On the lighter side, he possessed a whimsical sense of humor and seemingly always had time for Bridge.

A native of Indianapolis, Marty earned his BA in Classics and MA in Library Science from Indiana University (IU). He began academic advising of undergraduates by overseeing study table and privately meeting with those who needed special assistance. These comments are typical:

"Having finished my first semester with a GPA of 2.06 (4.0 scale), I was in dire straits. Marty tutored me and ensured my continuity at IU. I was able to finish my four years."

"Coming from a blue-collar rural community I had little knowledge of the academic rigors that college would demand. I was a freshman ... and had failing grades at the mid-semester break. He kind of adopted me and guided me scholastically through my freshman year."

"After throwing a big pot of cold water on Marty in the shower, I surrendered my pledge book. It came back the next day with a twenty-page essay in Greek, Latin, and English: Twenty-five centuries of quotes about water, annotated to warn me against a repeat."

"He quietly led by examples of tolerance, humility, and as a scholar in graduate programs of Greek/Latin Studies among others. Marty was a guiding light in the success of the house while we were there. His mantra was to have fun while respecting others and succeeding with your studies. That is how he lived his life."

"He volunteered to read my papers. I assumed he'd

help me write them and perhaps even dictate sentences.... Wrong! He graded my papers as a professor would with notations like wrong tense, misspelling, not clear, be concise, wrong word, needs paragraph break, etc. ...; when I'd ask what he would suggest, 'You figure it out' was his gentle but firm reply. Without his coaching and mentoring I doubt I would have returned for my sophomore year. I roomed with (him one semester) and ... got my one and only 4-point (GPA)!"

"Marty will always have my vote for 'the most outstanding KDR I ever knew!""

Reserved and self-effacing, Marty spoke volumes in his actions of helping others. His work for the Chapter (which also included more than thirty years as the Nu alumni corporation's secretary/treasurer) has led Nu alumni to launch a campaign to establish an endowed scholarship in his name at the KDR Foundation, available to Nu undergraduates and graduates.

Marty worked his entire career in the cataloging department of the Indiana University Bloomington libraries and received the title Librarian Emeritus upon retirement. Possessing the ability to speak or read multiple languages, he translated the contents of books in Greek, Latin, and the modern Romance languages and wrote the text for card catalogs. His work reached library users throughout the world. Elizabeth Johnson, the now-retired head of Technical Services for IU's rare books library, Lilly Library, first knew Marty at IU libraries. She described him as "a joy to have because of his work ethic." He was "fastidious ... and had extraordinary language abilities." Johnson called him a leader in the worldwide standardization of electronic cataloging rules and methods. As "Senior Cataloger" for the

university's main library of more than 4.6 million volumes, Marty taught other librarians about proper cataloging in a rapidly changing world.

#### "Marty will always have my vote for 'the most outstanding KDR I ever knew!""

Additionally, he edited two books.

For at least nine years after retirement, according to one article, he devoted "thousands of hours" to Lilly Library. He specialized in reading and cataloging books printed prior to 1501. The article stated, "He estimates that 75% of the incunabula are in Latin. The remainder are mostly in Italian, French, German, Greek, and Spanish with an occasional work in English." Library Director Joel Silver said there were about 700 such books.

Marty's interests were wide-ranging and to many, fascinating. He could be as comfortable at a Hoosiers' basketball game as at a Jacobs School of Music opera. He collected books, stamps, art, pottery, and movies and traveled internationally. He was a gourmet cook, daily practitioner of New York Times crossword puzzles, and for mindless enjoyment watched Days of Our Lives on television as often as possible.

Kappa Delta Rho is a special Brotherhood that forges lifelong relationships and Brothers helping Brothers. For many, Marty Joachim was a paragon of such a man, using his multiple talents to assist not only his Brothers but the world at large.

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Avinash Agarwal, Beta '95

Harlow G. Wetmore, Delta '29

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Jack D. Weil, Epsilon '51

Ronald Bufalini, Eta Alpha '83

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James P. Clugston, Zeta '58

#### **ENGAGED IN SERVICE OF MANKIND**

by Alex Tran, Beta Gamma '22

SERVICE IS SOMETHING that is taken very seriously at Beta Gamma. Not only is it one of our fraternities' pillars, it is also a pillar that is part of our campus culture. As a Chapter we engage in the community and world, to share our gifts and talents, and to learn how our interests and skills can make a real difference in the lives of others.

The week before Thanksgiving the Brothers at Beta Gamma took on our largest service project in Chapter history. Brothers set out to canvas more than 3,000 houses within our local community to collect food donations as well as monetary donations for the Virginia Peninsula Foodbank, which services the Hampton Roads region in Virginia. With the help of the local community, we collected more than 3,000 pounds of donations as well as \$350 in donations. Brother Ramseur said, "I really felt like I had a genuinely good impact on the community." Brother Tran reflected, saying that "It was awesome seeing everyone come together for

a big project." Through the hard work of the Brothers and generosity of our local community we were able to provide meals to members in need in our community. Good food today makes for a brighter future tomorrow.

At Beta Gamma we do our best to engage in the service of mankind. We do it because it is the right thing to do to be a collaborative and impactful partner in our community.



The Brothers of the Beta Gamma Chapter at Christopher Newport University collecting food for their food drive where they collected 3,000 pounds of food for the local food bank.

## **Expansion at Kappa Delta Rho**





The Nu Gamma Chapter at The College of New Jersey (TCNJ) officially chartered on November 20, 2021. They have 55 Brothers this semester.





Recolonization at Gamma Beta, Virginia Tech, started this past fall. Currently, the group has 29 new members. We are expecting to have more than 30 members by the end of the academic year.





The Kappa Gamma Chapter at Arizona State University officially chartered on January 22, 2022. Kappa Gamma has 31 Brothers.

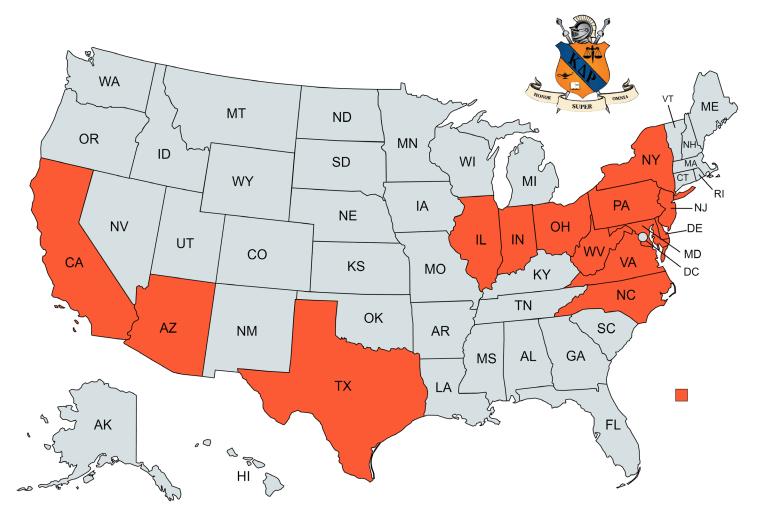




Recolonization at Sigma Beta, University of North Carolina Greensboro will kick off this spring.

## WHERE ARE OUR CHAPTERS?

Kappa Gamma	Arizona State Univ.	ΑZ	Eta Beta	West Chester Univ.	PA
Lambda	Univ. of California -		Gamma Gamma	York College of PA	PA
	Berkley	CA	lota Alpha	Univ. of Pittsburgh -	
Alpha Beta	Univ. of Delaware	DE		Johnstown	PA
Eta	Univ. of Illinois	IL	Omega	Indiana Univ. of PA	PA
Epsilon	Franklin College	IN	Psi Beta	East Stroudsburg	
Nu	Univ. of Indiana	IN		Univ. of PA	PA
Theta	Purdue Univ.	IN	Theta Alpha	Slippery Rock Univ.	PA
lota Gamma	Towson Univ.	MD	Xi Alpha	Temple Univ.	PA
Lambda Gamma	Frostburg State Univ.	MD	Eta Gamma	Angelo State Univ.	TX
Sigma Beta	Univ. of NC - Greensboro	NC	Zeta Beta	Tarleton State Univ.	TX
Nu Gamma	The College of NJ	NJ	Beta Gamma	Christopher Newport Univ.	VA
Beta	Cornell Univ.	NY	<b>Epsilon Beta</b>	Old Dominion Univ.	VA
lota Beta	Rochester Institute of		Gamma Beta	Virginia Tech	VA
	Technology	NY	Lambda Beta	James Madison Univ.	VA
Nu Alpha	Columbia Univ.	NY	Omega Alpha	VA Commwealth Univ.	VA
Kappa	The Ohio State Univ.	ОН	Phi Beta	The College of	
Pi Alpha	Univ. of Toledo	ОН		William & Mary	VA
Alpha Alpha	Lock Haven Univ.	PA	Tau Alpha	Radford Univ.	VA
Eta Alpha	Robert Morris Univ.	PA	Chi Beta	Univ. of Charleston - WV	WV





#### The National Fraternity of Kappa Delta Rho, Inc. RISK MANAGEMENT POLICY (Adopted August 28, 2019)

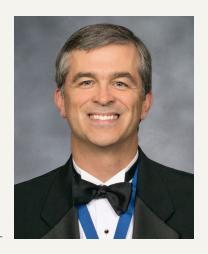
#### **ALCOHOL AND DRUGS**

In any activity or event sponsored or endorsed by the [chapter/organization], including those that occur on or off [organizational/chapter] premises:

- (1) The [organization,] members, and guests must comply with all federal, state, provincial, and local laws. No person under the legal drinking age may possess, consume, provide, sell or be provided alcoholic beverages.
- (2) [Organizations,] members, and guests must follow the federal law regarding illegal drugs and controlled substances. No person may possess, use, provide, distribute, sell, and/or manufacture illegal drugs or other controlled substances while on [organizational/chapter] premises or at any activity or event sponsored or endorsed by the [chapter/organization].
- (3) Alcoholic beverages must either be: (1) provided and sold on a per-drink basis by a licensed and insured third-party vendor (e.g., restaurant, bar, caterer, etc.); or (2) brought by individual members and guests through a bring your own beverage ("BYOB") system.
- (4) The presence of alcohol products above 15% alcohol by volume ("ABV") is prohibited on any [organizational] premises or at any event, except when served at an event by a licensed and insured third-party vendor.
- (5) Common sources of alcohol, including bulk quantities, which are not being served by a licensed and insured third party vendor, are prohibited (i.e., amounts of alcohol greater than what a reasonable person should consume over the duration of an event).
- (6) Alcoholic beverages must not be purchased with [organizational] funds or funds pooled by members or guests (e.g., admission fees, cover fees, collecting funds through digital apps, etc.).
- (7) An [chapter/organization] must not co-host or cosponsor, or in any way participate in, an activity or event with another group or entity that purchases or provides alcohol, illegal drugs or controlled substances.
- (8) An [chapter/organization] must not co-host or cosponsor an event with a bar, event promoter, or alcohol distributor; however, a [chapter/organization] may rent a bar, restaurant, or other licensed and insured third-party vendor to host a chapter event.

## From the Foundation President's Desk

by J. Hall Jones, Jr., Lambda Beta '91 Foundation President



I AM HONORED AND EXCITED to provide you an update on the progress we have made at the Kappa Delta Rho Foundation. This may sound strange in the current environment, but the past six months for me have been fun. Reminiscing with Alumni from numerous Chapters about old friends and experiences and watching new Chapters get established has been energizing. The past few months have not been without their hurdles, but the enthusiasm from alumni to support their Brothers has been wonderful. We have seen alumni come together to provide financial support for our undergraduate members in a way that might be unprecedented in our history. We ended 2021 by approving a new scholarship for the Nu Chapter honoring Marty Joachim. You can read more about Marty on page 16. His story is a great example of KDR as a lifelong Brotherhood, and we hope to uncover more stories like Marty's as we reconnect with alumni across our Brotherhood. The successful execution of the Martin D. Joachim Scholarship Fund is a great example of how the Foundation can collaborate with alumni groups to create beneficial outcomes for all parties. The Nu alumni positively memorialize their Brother and the Brothers of Nu Chapter receive additional financial support for their academic endeavors. This fund is the third new scholarship entrusted to the Foundation so far this fiscal year, and fifth for 2021! Among these new funds is KDR's first needs-based scholarship that we will proudly distribute in Fall 2022.

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As a Foundation we are "ALL IN!" as we have rededicated ourselves to the work necessary to make our Fraternity stronger by raising the financial resources required to provide the services that our undergraduate members deserve. We are seeing increases in the number of donors and dollars donated versus the previous year. However,

there is much more that we can do together to improve and enhance the Fraternity experience for our Brotherhood. Kappa Delta Rho is in the midst of one of the mostimportant fundraising endeavors in our 116-year history! The Brothers' Keeper capital campaign!! College students today face more complex challenges than ever before. It is not uncommon for students to turn to alcohol and other drugs to relieve their stress and anxiety. Unfortunately, these situations can develop into more serious incidents such as self-harm or suicide. Most college and university staffs are overwhelmed and underequipped to handle the increasing number of student that seek help. Far too often we see stories on the local and national news of young men and women who did not get the support they needed and chose a tragic end to their lives. As a Fraternity, we MUST lead by providing our undergraduates with the skills to be able to minimize the negative outcomes of stress and anxiety and the resources they need to find help. We need to be "all in" to make this \$2.5M campaign successful. Thus far, over \$1.35M in commitments have been received from supportive undergraduates, alumni, and parents. We know there are many alumni that are pondering their level to commit to the effort. Please consider supporting this campaign at kdr.com/foundation/ Brothers-keeper.

The Kappa Delta Rho Foundation, through scholarships and educational grants, provides our Brotherhood a portion of the resources necessary successfully to navigate the college experience. Since 2000, the Kappa Delta Rho Foundation has provided over \$1.6 million dollars in scholarships to worthy undergraduate and alumni Brothers and over \$1.2 million in grant funding to support the Fraternity's educational programming. None of this would be possible without the Brothers, friends of KDR, and parents of our undergraduates who financially support the Fraternity's efforts. We are providing the Fraternity the support to impart to our undergraduate Brothers the skills to succeed in life.

Thank you for your confidence in me and for giving me the opportunity to serve.

Honor Super Omnia J. Hall Jones, Jr., Lambda Beta '91

## Introducing Scott Smaniotto, Sitting Trustee of The Foundation

By Nathaniel E. Reyes, Alpha Beta '22

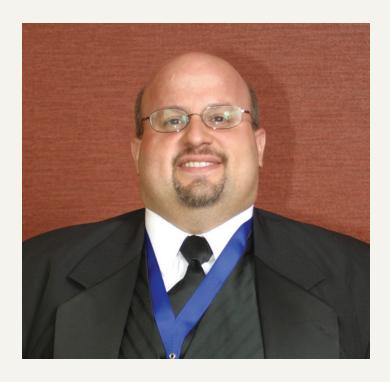
BROTHER SCOTT SMANIOTTO, ALPHA BETA '93, is a man of Middlebury Blue and Princeton Orange. Initially drawn to the University of Delaware's Alpha Beta Chapter for its academic excellence and its many Brothers studying engineering, Scott found his Fraternal family in Kappa Delta Rho. In his time as an undergraduate Brother, Scott held the positions of Risk Manager, Historian, Praetor, and Advisory Chair. He explains that not only holding but also striving to excel in these positions granted him plenty of opportunities to exercise and build strong leadership skills that would go on to aid in him in postgraduate life.

"The leadership opportunities certainly take you into your career.... Not just being a leader in the Fraternity but being a leader within your corporation, stepping up for additional projects or whatever—it's those types of things that were fostered in the Fraternity that helped my career".

While he studied engineering at first, Scott discovered a newfound passion for economics his sophomore year and would thus graduate with a bachelor's degree and then a master's degree in Economics. Nowadays, Scott is the Vice President of Credit Analytics & Loss Forecasting at Synchrony Financial where he attributes some of his success to the sturdy groundwork he laid with his experiences and the many leadership skills he gained as an undergrad and through life.

Furthermore, Scott's impressive resume within KDR does not end after graduating from college. Scott would go on to serve as Alpha Beta's Alumni Advisor. He then would help build his Chapter's alumni corporation and served as one of its first officers. Later, he served on the National Board of Directors as Treasurer, VP of Finance & Administration, and now currently as a Trustee for The Foundation. He describes that his drive to be a leader and his ability to take initiative with one's passions are what landed him these positions that are incredibly vital to our Fraternity's operation. One initiative that Scott is moved by is Kappa Delta Rho's cutting-edge Brothers' Keeper Campaign. Here's what he had to say about the Foundation,

"Our primary goal is to raise money to fund the efforts of the national organization.... Some of it is the day-to-day stuff, paying office staff, paying the leadership Consultants, getting people on the road. Then some of it is much bigger endeavors—We're trying to endow a campaign called Brothers' Keeper. Especially in times like now, where there's a lot of feeling of isolation and depression and the like ... just given the world and quarantine and its effect on people's psyches, this is an opportune time for a program to help mental health. It's something we just didn't have—and the Fraternal world doesn't have. We're kind of cutting edge on



this. It's certainly an issue that's becoming more and more relevant."

Scott's commitment to the betterment of the Fraternity is exactly the meaning of Brotherhood. A community of men like Scott having dedicated time out of their busy schedules to continue to promote the success of our undergraduate body along with Brothers to come is what makes Kappa Delta Rho so great. Scott's story exemplifies how taking initiative in one's Chapter and "striving to lead" are a great way to build the necessary skills to achieve success in not only one's career, but also in one's life. He is proud of his work and the lifelong bonds with Brothers that span years. When asked his vision on how he hopes to make Kappa Delta Rho a better Fraternity as a Trustee for The Foundation, this is what he had to say:

"Anything that you do of any worth—you get back what you put into it. I'm getting a sense that I'm furthering the objectives and the ideals of my Fraternity. I'm ensuring, especially being on the Trustee side, that we will have the financial wherewithal in the future to get things done. It's really the give-back that I get out of it"

We thank Brother Scott Smaniotto, Alpha Beta '93, for his hard work, commitment, and service to our Fraternity!

## **KDR RISES TO THE CHALLENGES**





### "We cannot choose our external circumstances, but we can always choose how we respond to them"

#### -Epictetus

KAPPA DELTA RHO HAS ENDURED nearly two years of uncertainty and vagueness that COVID brought our way. Although we are not out of the woods yet, I have been genuinely inspired by our undergraduate members, alumni, parents/friends of KDR, the National Office Staff, and everyone's ability to remain resilient.

KDR has risen to the challenge of "external circumstances" and "how we respond to them" so our Fraternity can continue to succeed and grow in these times. Some of the items I have witnessed firsthand include:

- In November 2021, we participated in our seventh annual 'GivingTuesday' fundraiser, where we raised just over \$28,000 from 51 donors. We have come a long way from 2015, where gifts totaled just over \$3,000.
- In October 2021, I attended the chartering of the Kappa Chapter at The Ohio State University. Kappa has 66 Brothers now, and most of this effort occurred during the pandemic. What was so amazing to me was the undergraduate members and alumni from Kappa and Pi Alpha who came together to make this a reality.

• In June 2021, we closed out the fiscal year and raised just under \$124,000, which was our 13th best year in the 26-year Annual Fund History.

As we near the halfway point for our fiscal year, I'm reminded of an article by then Foundation President, Thomas V. McComb, Nu '59, from the Spring/Summer 2006 Quill & Scroll where he asked "each of you (17,500 living alumni) who have not made a financial commitment to your Fraternity to do so. Four thousand (4,000) additional alumni donors at a modest \$25 each would produce \$100,000 of additional funding annually—funding that is needed by your Fraternity to provide critical undergraduate programming, leadership training, and Chapter development".

Or, in today's words, please help KDR continue to be resilient.

Fraternally,

Mark "Shelby" West Upsilon Alpha '88 Vice President of Development and Communication

Did you know there is an easy way to support the Kappa Delta Rho Foundation with just a click of a button?

Amazon donates 0.5% of the price of your eligible AmazonSmile purchases to the charitable organization of your choice, which includes Kappa Delta Rho Foundation. AmazonSmile is the same Amazon you know. Same products, same prices, same service.

Please consider supporting KDR Foundation by selecting Kappa Delta Rho Foundation as your charity of choice. You can start your shopping at smile.amazon.com.



# The Heritage Society

The Heritage Society is a way of recognizing and thanking the Brothers and friends of Kappa Delta Rho who have included the Foundation as a beneficiary of their estate plan.

by Jim Hubbard, Psi' 66

"KDR IS FOR LIFE" seems a trite phrase to some, but for me KDR has always been a building block and a foundation piece for how I built my life. My time as a KDR on campus at Lycoming College (Psi Chapter) in Williamsport, PA, was truly important to me during some of my most formative years. The friendships I gained and leadership experience I acquired as a Chapter officer in the early 1960s proved to be valuable throughout my professional career that spanned forty (40) years with Brunswick Corporation. Being fortunate enough to have spent my working career with one single company, albeit serving in multiple operating divisions and roles, does make me a bit of a "dinosaur" in today's world. Nonetheless, I maintained contact with many of my Brothers across the years of my career and continued to support KDR annually during that time.

As my career began to wind down and my son and daughter saw their careers blossom, I increased my engagement with KDR and accepted an invitation to become a Foundation Trustee upon my retirement in 2008. I can confirm that during the last 13 years being a part of the work of the Foundation, which primarily exists to help financially support the education-related work of the Fraternity, has been and remains very rewarding for me. As a trustee I have met so many young men as scholarship recipients and participants in Fraternity programs that I am convinced the future is bright with these quality KDR gentlemen taking their place in today's world. I also have been able to understand and recognize that the great work our Fraternity does in support of our Brotherhood, both on campus and off, is dependent on funding.

It became clear to me after seeing how Brothers who came before me gave through their estate plans to make today's programs possible that I too could make a difference. Talking it over with my wife of 50 years, Sharon, we agreed that we needed to include KDR in our estate planning and have done so. Our chosen method was to make the KDR Foundation a percentage (%) beneficiary in one of my life insurance policies, easy peezy with a beneficiary change document. Sharon agrees that my lifelong friendships that she also enjoys, and the influence KDR has had on my life, that KDR deserves our support after we are gone and whole-



Brother Jim Hubbard with his lovely wife Sharon on vacation.

heartedly endorsed adding the KDR Foundation as a beneficiary. Sharon and I have gone to so many Homecomings and KDR events over the years that most Brothers think she graduated from Lycoming with us, which she didn't.

We recognize that the world is different today than back in the 1960s, but the young men of today, and those of tomorrow, will still benefit from being a part of a quality Greek experience. That will not be possible without adequate funding. We have chosen to do our part to help "being a KDR" continue to mean something and be a valuable part of each Brother's personal development.

The Heritage Society

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\*Deceased

To include the Foundation in your plans, the information you or your advisor would need is:

"I leave to the Kappa Delta Rho Foundation located in Greensburg PA, Tax ID # 25-1449252, XX% of my estate or \$XXXXXX for the general endowment."

If you would like to discuss support for a specific program and endowing a scholarship contact Bill Paris, Eta '87 at: Bparis@elevateims.com



## **BROTHERS' KEEPERS NEEDS YOU!**

Join hundreds of Brothers as we aim to endow the Brothers' Keeper mental health initiative!





AT THE CLOSE OF 2021, the Brothers' Keeper Campaign to endow KDR's mental health and leadership-related programs was more than halfway to goal with \$1.35 million in pledges.

As most everyone realizes, Brothers' Keeper is NOT "just another Capital Campaign," rather it may just be the most important effort Kappa Delta Rho has ever undertaken. The current climate and stresses on campuses, and within society in general, make it clear that having mental health resources available to all Brothers, those on campus and those no longer on campus, is necessary. KDR is uniquely positioned to provide those resources in a confidential and understanding way for its Brotherhood. Brothers' Keeper focuses specifically on the mental health and well-being of our members, plus provides support through KDR's leadership development efforts, so that our Brothers on campus are equipped to make good decisions.

"KDR is for Life." This is more than just a catch phrase! For most Brothers it reflects how they feel and have acted in gaining and retaining lifelong relationships with other KDR Brothers. Many Brothers (264 as of 12.31.21) from both active and inactive Chapters who have seen the incredible things that this Campaign is providing to the Fraternity have committed to support the campaign.

To those Brothers who have already gotten involved and have chosen to make a difference in the lives of all Kappa Delta Rho Brothers through their pledge of support ... THANK YOU!

We believe we can reach our goal of \$2.5 million by Convention August 2022. This amount will allow us to endow the Brothers' Keeper resources assuring their availability into the future.

We need the help of all Brothers. All commitments are welcome so please support this program at a level that is comfortable for you. If you have not yet made your gift or pledge—Why not now? With a pledge to this Campaign, you will be confirming: "I am my Brothers' Keeper."

To make your pledge, visit the Brothers' Keeper information page at kdr.com/foundation/Brothers-keeper/ where you will find additional information about the Campaign, see an informational video about Brothers' Keeper, as well as see a Donor Wall that includes the names of all Brothers and friends who have supported the campaign thus far.

It is a new year and NOW is the time to be on board with your support. We hope you will consider your best pledge to this worthy campaign. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact either co-chair of the campaign. HSO

Bill Paris, Eta "87 - bparis@elevateims.com Jim Hubbard, Psi '66 - jhubbard3727@frontier.com

#### Brothers' Keeper consists of the following programs and more:

- Lifeline: KDR, in collaboration with the JED Foundation developed online resources on mental health concerns through a KDR-branded website, kappadeltarho.ulifeline.org. Since going live in January 2019, 130 Brothers have hit the "Get Help Now" button.
- TiPs Training: Training for Intervention Procedures is educational programming and training for the responsible service, sale and consumption of alcohol.
- Educational programming at the Consuls Academy and Elmon M. Williams Leadership Academy: These programs are to educate the undergraduates on the current issues and on how to be a supportive leader, as well as the resources available to support them.
- Mental Health First Aid (https://www.mentalhealthfirstaid.com/): Mental Health First Aid teaches you how to identify, understand, and respond to signs of mental illness and substance use disorders in your community.
- Director of Health & Wellness position: An endowed position of Director of Health & Wellness, whose responsibility it is to oversee the implementation of the Brothers' Keeper program and risk management education.

## 2020-2021 BROTHERS' KEEPER DONORS

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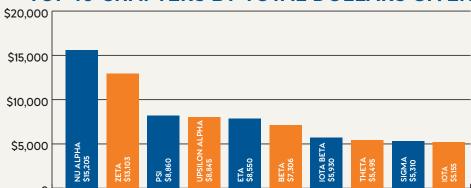
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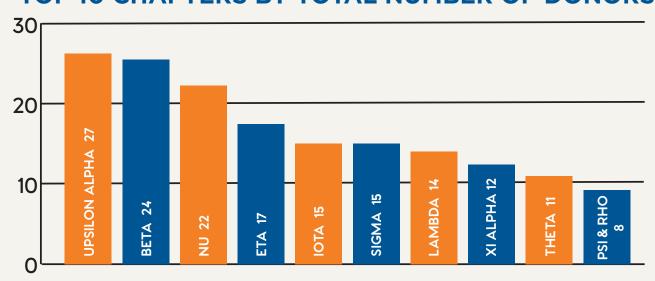
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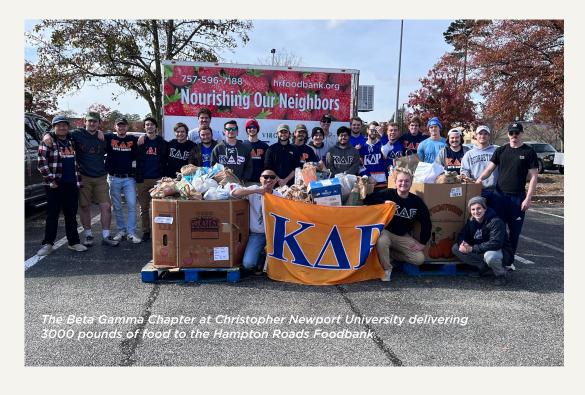
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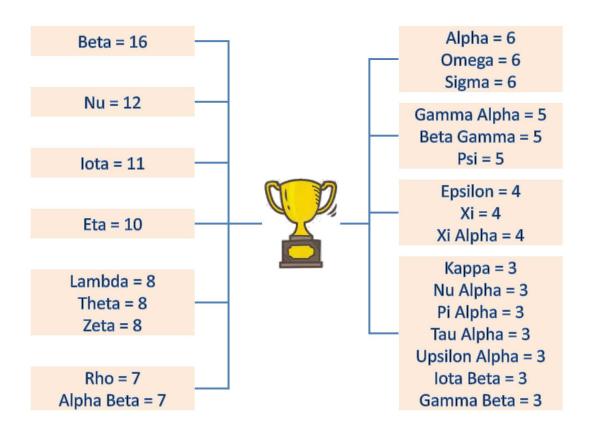
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