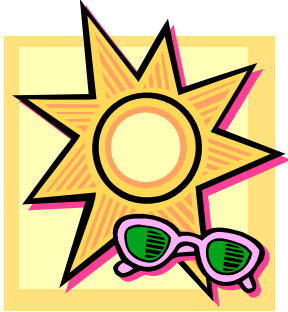


Panhellenic Council Newsletter



September 2006

The heat of mid-August brings an influx of Greek women back to campus, and while other students are still shaking the sand out of their bathing suits, the Panhellenic Council has already been planning for a new and amazing year! There are many events to get Greeks to excited, including Hit the Bricks for the Brian Piccolo Cancer Fund and the Breast Cancer Fashion Show. This semester also marks the first time that Greek Week will be held in the fall, allowing freshmen to get a good look at WF Greek Life!

In addition, this fall represents the first opportunity for all Panhellenic sororities to hold informal recruitment for sophomores. Sororities are busy planning to meet the wonderful women of Wake Forest, both during fall Informal Recruitment and formal Spring Recruitment. But don't worry! These events have not kept Greek women from enjoying the pleasures of fall, as they can be seen tailgating at Wake Forest football games and enjoying the last few weeks of warm weather. One thing for sure, this year will be new and exciting for all Panhellenic women!

Lauren Harris & Sara Sizemore
Publications Co-Chairs



PANHELLENIC COUNCIL CHAIRS

The All Greek Council sponsored the Alcohol Speakout on August 31. Emily Watson, the Panhellenic Council All Greek Representative, Anna Edgerton from Chi Omega and Jenny Hornberger from Kappa Kappa Gamma addressed the crowd at the event. The main speaker, Joel Goldman, focused on both alcohol and sexual responsibility.

GREEK WEEK

Greek Week will be held from October 25th until October 29th this year. Our theme for the Week is Greek Olympics, and there will be numerous activities for everyone to participate in. Some of these activities include Flag Football and Kickball tournaments, a Cookout with a band, Field Day events, and Greek Sing. Mark your calendars for this event!

SCHOLARSHIP

During September, the Scholarship Chairs are planning a Panhellenic faculty breakfast and gearing up for a great night of faculty babysitting!

SERVICE

The service chairs are gearing up for the Breast Cancer Fashion Show on October 16, benefiting the Susan G. Komen Triad Affiliate in Greensboro. Come get "Pretty in Pink" and support the women working to fight breast cancer!

PICCOLO

Thomas K. Hearn Plaza will be a flurry of activity on Thursday, September 28th as students, faculty and staff members participate in the Fourth Annual Hit the Bricks for Brian to benefit the Brian Piccolo Cancer Drive. This community wide event will include performances from local bands and campus groups along with free food from a number of local vendors. Sororities are encouraged to organize teams of 12-15 ladies. Team captains will receive a custom made Hit the Bricks Jansport backpack and team members will receive Hit the Bricks tee-shirts. If you have further questions, please contact Jillian Macdonald at macdjm3@wfu.edu.

PUBLIC RELATIONS

The Panhellenic Council is excited to introduce our new Public Relations Chair, Lisa Brett! She is doing a great job encouraging girls to "Go Greek!" with magnets in their mailboxes and weekly fliers with "fun facts" about each sorority. To help girls distress over the winter break, she plans to create a "WakeSororityGirl" screen name, manned by different girls throughout the weeks, to provide a quick answer source for the Potential New Members about anything from what to wear to how to make it through that long first day! Welcome, Lisa!

CHI OMEGA



Chi Omega is going to have a great start to the school year with many fun activities planned ahead. This past Tuesday we rushed to find a boy to bring to our first date function "Grab a Date". Our very special Anna Edgerton made us proud with her moving speech about drunk driving at the Alcohol Speak Out last Wednesday. At the activities fair, we wore our jerseys with a big smile as many girls showed interest in joining the Greek Community. We are excited about our open house on the 14th for the beginning of fall recruitment. Chi Omega is looking forward to cheering on the Deacons at football games and especially reuniting with graduated sisters at Homecoming with a fantastic tailgate party filled with fried chicken and fun. *-Taelor Leinss*

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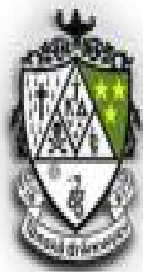
This year has gotten off to a great start and all the Tri Deltas are extremely excited about this month's upcoming events. We brought August to an end with a sisterhood event to bring the sophomore and senior classes closer together over some yummy food at Steak n Shake. September starts off with a fall retreat at Salem Lake for the entire chapter as well as officer's training for the current officers. September 21st is our first date function that everyone is getting excited for, especially with "nerds" as the theme. Planning for Triple Play is already underway with the start of committee meetings this month in preparation for the big day on October 21st. We are looking forward to a great month with opportunities for service, sisterhood and fun. *-Caroline Kirwin*

DELTA ZETA



Delta Zeta started off the semester with some fun sisterhood events such as such as a cookout in the Luter courtyard, where we had a chance to hone our grilling skills, and weekly sisterhood lunches in the Mag Room. DZs are having fun tailgating and supporting their team, and on September 9 will present their "I Have a Choice Tailgate", which will highlight how one can have fun without drinking. Gearing up for recruitment, Delta Zeta will hold one recruitment workshop this month. Also, on September 22, Delta Zeta will hold a Crush Party, in which each member is allowed to anonymously request that two crushes attend. Finally, DZ's are looking forward to participating in the annual Brian Piccolo "Hit the Bricks" relay race and Homecoming Weekend. *-Mallory Biegler*

KAPPA DELTA



The sisters of Kappa Delta are celebrating the new semester with a month full of sisterhood! Great activities are planned, such as tubing on the Dan River, sisterhood tailgates, as well as plenty of sisterhood dinners and TV nights in our lounge. Our sisterhood chairs even surprised us with an afternoon of fun & Cookout milkshakes to kick off the first week of class! September 17th is this year's National Women's Friendship Day, which Kappa Delta will celebrate with raffles and a benefit night at Jason's Deli. All the efforts will benefit the Winston-Salem Women's Shelter. The local alumni association will also be celebrating National Women's Friendship Day with a "Swap o Rama". And as always, KD's are ready to run in "Hit the Bricks" supporting Piccolo. Kappa Delta can't wait to honor our alums during Homecoming Weekend with a brunch and tailgate before the football game! –*Renae Odom*

KAPPA KAPPA GAMMA



Kappa Kappa Gamma is excited to begin a new semester and kicked off the month with our Mai Tai date function on September 1. We are also eager to begin working on our national philanthropy, Reading Is Fundamental, and are planning specifically to help a Zeta Psi alum working for Teach for America. We are also excited to participate in Wake's annual Hit the Bricks competition. As usual, our members are working hard in classes and around campus! –*Amelia Smith*

PHI MU



The sisters of Phi Mu are very excited to begin the school year. At the end of last month we had our first date function, Black and White, to celebrate the first day of school. A group of sisters volunteered their time September 2nd at Habitat for Humanity to help with the Women's Build project. All homes are constructed for women in the community. We are planning for a Mai Tai date function for the middle of the month. The semester is off to a great start! –*Stephanie Mixson*

PI BETA PHI



The women of Pi Beta Phi are taking the month of September to adjust back to the ways of Wake Forest. Members are becoming reacquainted with their positions in numerous campus groups like the Varsity Soccer Team, Mock Trial, Student Union, the Breast Cancer Fashion Show Committee and many more. Our Executive Board has a retreat planned on September 10th along with our Alumni Advisory Committee to jumpstart the new academic year. At the end of the month, our chapter will be hosting a few Homecoming events for our visiting Alumni. Three of our members, among seventy one other Pi Phis nationwide, recently received Pi Beta Phi Foundation Scholarship and Fellowship awards. These impressive women are Amy Bruno, Katelyn Frey, and Sheila Kilkelly. –*Christina Kratz*