



Newsletter

Winter 2015

Upcoming Events

April 10-12, 2015: 25th Anniversary Formal

Thanksgiving Dinner

This year we held the 1st annual Delta Tau Thanksgiving at the fraternity house. In years past, the White Rose has had a dinner for the actives. We decided that in order to promote better brotherhood, the alumni should host the Thanksgiving dinner along with the White Rose. We felt that it would be a great way to get more interactions with the alumni and actives. We were right.

We had a tremendous turnout this year. Almost (if not all) all actives were there. We had a good turnout of the alumni as well. I believe we had around 60 people total (actives, alumni, spouses, parents, significant others) show up for the event. Brother Garner and his parents helped cook the turkey and assisted with some additional side dishes. There are too many others to mention who had a hand in making this event a success.

Good food and great brotherhood is a perfect way to describe the evening. We look forward to having this be a continued tradition with Delta Tau in the future.

Thanks to all who came out!

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Alumni Birthdays

October:

14 - Chad Smith

December:

6 - Payton Knapp

8 - Dave Schroeder

23 - Eric Foster

January:

10 - Steve Stuck

Happy Birthday Brothers!

** If you have a birthday in one of these months but are not listed, and would like to be, please contact me.

Heritage Fund

This is just a reminder that the Heritage Fund exists for our chapter. We are encouraging people to continue to donate to it. The more we get donated, the more we can help out the actives.

In case you forgot, this fund is to be used specifically by our chapter and is to be used for improvement / betterment of the chapter. It can be used for education items, a study room, etc...whatever we decide as an Alumni Association.

We have some exciting new ideas on how to use this money. You don't want to miss out. Be on the lookout for our announcement in the future.

Polar Plunge

This year I am planning on representing The Delta Tau Alumni Association in the Chicago Polar Plunge on March 1st. As you may or may not know the Polar Plunge helps raise funds for the Special Olympics and that happens to be Sigma Tau Gamma's national philanthropy.

So if you would like to sponsor my effort you can donate online at <https://www.classy.org/fundraise/team?ftid=43179> or If you prefer, you can write a check payable to SCC/Special Olympics Chicago and mail it directly to their office at 541 N. Fairbanks Court, 4th Floor, Chicago, Il 60611. Please be sure to include my name(Mike Van Camp/Sigma Tau Gamma Alumni Association) so that the staff will know where to credit the contribution.

If you want to be crazy and join me on March 1st in Chicago to jump in to Lake Michigan email me and I will get you on the team.

I appreciate your support!!!

Fraternally,
Brother Van Camp

Formal 2015

As we enter 2015 we celebrate our 25th year of the Delta Tau Chapter. With that said I would once again like to remind everyone you can make your reservations for this year's White Rose Formal at www.whiterose25.eventbrite.com. This email is to invite Association Members in good standing to the annual Alumni Association meeting. The meeting will be held at 1:00 PM EST on Saturday, April 11th 2015 at the Embassy Suites Downtown, Indianapolis.

At this time I would like to officially open nominations for the 2015-16 Alumni Association Board of Directors. To nominate a Brother you yourself must be a current Association Member in good standing for your nomination to stand, additionally the person being nominated must also be an Association Member in good standing. The positions to be filled are as follows...

President (nominations for President can only include an Association Member who has served at least one term on the Board of Directors previously)

Vice President

VP of Membership

VP of Programs

VP of Finance

All nominations will be posted on our website www.sigmataugamma-deltatau.org weekly.

To nominate someone simply email me your nomination to mike@vansindustrial.com. I would suggest before you make a nomination you consult with the person you are nominating prior to submitting the potential candidates name. Furthermore if you have any new legislation you would like to have incorporated to the meeting or other agenda items I respectfully ask you submit those to me via email as well.

The deadline to make nomination or submittals must be sent to me no later than Monday, March 16th at 1:00 PM EST. Any nominations or submittals submitted past the deadline will not be considered at the meeting. Please respect that preparation for the meeting can be very tedious and time consuming.

Fraternally,

Brother Van Camp

Formal Itinerary

Friday April 10th

5:30 -7:30 Manager Reception (complementary to guests staying at the Embassy Suites)

Dinner on your own

8:30 PM – 10:30 PM Alumni Association Reception (Alumni Association Members & Guests)

Saturday April 11th

1:00 PM -3:00 PM Annual Alumni Association Meeting

4:00 PM Check In

5:30 -7:30 Manager Reception (complementary to guests staying at the Embassy Suites)

7:00 PM 25th White Rose Banquet

All events to be held at the Embassy Suites Downtown Indianapolis

****25th White Rose Banquet open to all Alumni in good standing and their guests with paid RSVP by 3/13/15 via www.whiterose25.eventbrite.com ****

Itinerary schedule subject to change

Vice President's Corner

There has not been a lot of fraternity events going on this time of year. Everybody is caught up with their families and the holidays. I would like to send a warm Brotherly Holiday Greeting to all the Sig Tau's. Thanks for making 2014 a great year!

Now, the focus is on 2015. This year is our 25th Anniversary. Let's make it a great event. I need your help in getting as many Delta Tau's as possible to the event (alumni and actives). So tell everybody you can about the event and encourage all to join us.

If you would like to see something included, no matter how big or small it is, please contact me and let me know. I want this newsletter to be about US, about the Delta Tau Alumni. So if a bunch of guys get together to go boating, send me some photos or tag me in Facebook or tag Delta Tau Alumni Association in Facebook and I'll try to get the photos posted in the next newsletter. My email address is: curt.binder@gmail.com

Curt Binder
VP Delta Tau Alumni Association