



September Conference Call Agenda

September 14th

Present on call: Drake, Chad, Curt, Zac. Andy sent his written report in before the meeting.

Call started at: 7:00pm CST

Zac Garner, President

- **DD's for Homecoming:** Austin (The chapter President) along with all associates not doing the walk will be DD's. Austin will put together a call card that we can pass out. DD service for Alumni will end at 3:30pm. Make sure to tip your drivers.
- **Chapters' recruitment plan and update:** The chapter currently has 30 members that are close to being able to receiving bids. The chapter has bid 7 guys. 5 have accepted so far. They will be holding more events this week. The first associated pinning will be Friday the 16th. Followed by another 2 weeks of recruitment and another associate pinning following that.
- **Update on HQ and Phired up agreement:** HQ is no longer willing to committee to a long term plan with Phired up due to the effort and results so far. The issue will be revisited after this semester to see where we are at.
- **Joint conference call date:** The all members/brothers call will take place September 28th. Agenda for meeting to be sent out on September 26th. Please submit potential topics for the board to review by the 23rd. Call will take place in the evening at 7:00cst /8:00est. More details below in the VP section.
- **Polo's for events and alumni Update:** We have looked into Polo's and they range from \$55 to \$90+. It all depends on how many and what quality. If you are interested in buying a polo we might have time to get them for homecoming. Please send an email to stgdeltatachapter@gmail.com and let me know what size and amount you would be willing to pay. If we get enough guys to place an order I will email you back with a link to send payment and let you know the details. We will try to find a price range that works for all.

Curt Binder, Vice President

- **Next newsletter:** Next Newsletter will be sent out the day of our all brother conference call Sept. 28th. Please submit all article to stgdeltatachapter@gmail.com by the 23rd. Your help is needed for content.

- Contact with Brian from the Chapter. New email addresses to send newsletter too. **Brian is putting together two articles and has been very responsive. We are excited the chapter is joining in to help add content to the newsletter.**
- Joint conference call setup? What do you need?? Time of call?? **As stated before, this call will be on September 28 at 7cst/8est in the evening. This call will be open to all brothers. With the potential of having a large amount of brothers on this call, we will stick to an agenda. We will try to keep side conversions to a minimum. For the guys who might not have been on a large joint call or have not had the pleasure of being on a call when someone's dog is barking in the background the whole time, we will send out a call etiquette sheet with the agenda. The new call site allows us to call in using a free number along with having the ability to join over the web so we can share info over your screen. You do not have to sign in on the computer to join us it is just an added benefit. We will have an instruction sheet sent out with the agenda on how to join us.**

Andy Clark, Membership (written report)

- New members: **None**
- Recruitment plan for Homecoming?? **Brother development and collecting dues on the spot brothers need to ask!! We are asking the chapter to do it we need to do it ourselves. Zac and Chad will have the square and be taking cash and checks.**
- Remind Zac to take Square to Homecoming. **Ha-ha Zac has been reminded.**
- **Andy has requested that we get the HQ to define what "back on our feet" means when discussing the recruitment plan. At what benchmark does the HQ see it as an option to commit to the plan? We will follow up with the HQ on this. We can discuss this more with the group on the joint call.**

Travis Drake, Programs

- **HOMECOMING!!!!!!**
 - Final agenda/schedule to be ready by Sept 28th call. Items to be included: **We will have a schedule of events with times and DD's numbers to send out with the joint call agenda.**
 - Tent city Opens at: **11:00am** and Closing time:**3:00**
 - Wrist bands? **Not needed**
 - DD's number list: **Will be included on schedule of events**

- **Food and Drinks:** The association will be providing food, water and ice at the tent. With the new university rules in place for tent city all alcoholic beverages will be BYOB. NO GLASS allowed inside of tent city. If you are doing the walk and need a cooler taken to the tent please contact a brother before hand so we can label your cooler. We will have more info on the beverage policy during the joint call on the 28th.
- **Duties list (what is needed):** Drake will be cooking, the DJ duty is still open so let us know or just bring your I phone or I pod.
- **Music?? :** YES
- **BYOB:** It's a must this year. Don't worry its just like college, find a brother and split a case ha-ha. Just remember no glass. (We will have cups for people wishing to have a cocktail).

Thanksgiving: What kind of budget are we going to set for this event,

- **Fliers ready by homecoming?** Fliers are done and already being sent out. This event is one where we really need to work hard on RSVP'ing. We don't want to be short on food and don't want to throw a bunch away.
- **Rooms need to be booked by 10/06/16,** to be guaranteed. After that rooms are not guaranteed. Room block is under ISU Sigma Tau Gamma. \$90.99 a night+ tax.
- **We will work with the chapter to see if any guys want to be DD's** for this event.
- **RSVP's ???** Yes we need them. Please send the to stgdeltatauchapter@gmail.com
- **Formal, Chapter wants to have it in Terre Haute:** We will be calling places in Terre Haute and trying to secure the April 8th date. More info on room blocks and dinner to come.

Chad Smith, Finance

- \$187.90 was spent from the recruitment funds to pay for the recruitment retreat in August with the chapter, Phired up and Alumni.
- Storage unit from Uhaul

Keep up the good work and recruit a brother!!

Open Comments, Board of Directors or guest:

There is a lot going on these next few months. Please try to make the call. There have been requests to have more open calls during the year and this will be a good time to touch base with everyone and get a chapter update. Homecoming and Thanksgiving are great events. Set time aside now to join us. Remember: "Grow the Party, Add to the List, Bring a Brother with you"!! Homecoming is a great time to ask a brother to join you. If we invite 2 brothers to come with us to an event we will be at 50 alumni members in no time.

Thank you everyone.

Call closed at 7:40