



## November 8<sup>th</sup> Alumni Association Board Conference Call Minutes

2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday call

NEW NUMBER\*\*\* 641-715-0700 Access Code 979892

[https://www.freeconferencecall.com/wall/stg\\_delta\\_tau](https://www.freeconferencecall.com/wall/stg_delta_tau)

**Start Time: 8:13pm**

**Present on Call: Andy Clark, Jason Veenstra, Curt Binder**

**Curt Binder, Vice President (Holding meeting in Zac's absence)**

- Next newsletter: **January / February, sometime after new year**
- Special column hooks? I.E. BBN, VP's Corner, A look for the inside (written by VanCamp as a look into his role with the foundation???) Hungates pregnant ass?? You get the idea. We need help with the Newsletter. Who would like to have their own column??

**Zac Garner, President (written report)**

- Chapter update: No new update.
- The chapter will be sending new brothers to the Noble man Institute. Here is the link <http://sigtau.org/events/noble-man-institutes/> . If you would like to sponsor a chapter member it will cost \$60 a member.
- The chapter has asked if we could sponsor any new members fee to go to Noble Man Institute. (Board to discuss and vote yes or no) (If yes how many) Cost is \$60 a person. Event is Nov 10<sup>th</sup>. **3 on call voted NO based on the disappointment of homecoming. Also, financial status of account is unknown currently to determine if sponsorship is even possible. Table discussion until next call so we can look into account status. Veenstra is open to possible sponsorship or reimbursement of monies spent but wants proof from Nationals that members actually attended the Noble Man Institute.**
- Turkeypalooza! It might be time to close the door on this for 2017. I just don't believe we have the time or would be giving our membership the proper notice for this type event. Discussion to be held during Lew's time.

- Long term investment ideas for housing and chapter growth. A sub group consisting of Andy, Curt and Zac will be meeting to present options to the Association at our annual meeting.
- Next joint call will be in February. If you have any topics you would like for us to discuss please let us know.

### Andy Clark, Membership

- 2017 members: 35. We have time can we get to 40?? . **New Member Adam Hungate**
- Football League, Zac's special investigator has determined he stinks!!! Current leaders as of week 8. are Jeremy P. Jim Hesterman and LaMar Peterson. **GET ON Jeremy P about joining!!**

### Lew DiRuzza, Programs - **ABSENT**

- Homecoming October 21<sup>st</sup>. How did it go? **Disappointed, Lew absent from Homecoming and didn't show up to meet Veenstra and help. He was in town but never appeared at the tent. Actives were being disrespectful. They did not get propane or hot dogs after being asked to and were even given money to get them. They didn't even provide water at the tent for people. Very rough day. Gas grill could possibly have been left at the stadium...they didn't have a way to get it home. Only 2 people wearing Sig Tau letters: V & Ali Almomen. No actives were wearing letters at the tent.**
- Turkeypalooza! It might be time to close the door on this for 2017. I think we just let it get away from us. Not enough time to plan. Maybe we try a Christmas dinner or post Holiday season gathering. **All agreed to consider some gathering/cookout/whatever sometime in Janurary/February**
- What are the list of other events and dates for the year? **LEW!!!! Come on!!!!**
- **Formal / Spring Meeting. Binder to discuss top secret info with board and plan to be voted on. All agree that it would be good to do. Meeting during the day and then attend ribbon cutting afterwards.**

### Jason Veenstra, Finance

- **Storage shed committee. Jason Veenstra to give report on shed exit and plan for stuff going forward. Cleaned out and canceled. Stored in V's living room. Phil Beachey agreed to redo the big sign from front yard - V is going to fund the repairs. Has all the bottles - 20 cases of bottles. Only 7 composites remain. Open to any suggestions for storage but plans on holding on to contents until then. Composites being reframed, Zac what's the status??**
- **Uhaul payment \$69.95 - DONE, no more payments**

Open Comments, Board of Directors or guest;

Veenstra noted it's not Andy Clark's fault for no Turkypalooza

Thank you brother Binder for holding the meeting while I was out.

Meeting closed at: 8:50p