Interfraternity Council Meeting
April 8, 2013
Flint Hills Room
7:00 pm

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL
Triangle and Sigma Alpha Epsilon were absent from meeting

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND SPEAKERS

- Brett Siedl - Your Student Union
  - Three Aspects why this is needed: The Need (roof leaks, old windows, not efficient), The Opportunity (the Union could better serve students with added benefits), The Plan, ($25 million expansion, a onetime $20 increase in students privilege fees, voting is April 10-11, the Union is a separate entity from the University, this will help save students money in the long run). Encourage members to vote – continue the tradition of Greek voters turning out well.
- Russell and Connor from Delta Upsilon - Miss K-State
  - They are looking for the best all around woman at K-State. Would love to see a lot of support at the event. Four different rounds in the competition. Tickets are $3, all proceeds go to the Global Initiative Service. Everyone who comes will get free Red bull, will be giving away free T-Shirts.
- Kelsi Horner - Order of Omega
  - Order of Omega takes the top 3% of students in the Greek community and focuses on leadership, academics, and strong relations in the Greek community - it is for all juniors and seniors. Applications are due this Friday.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS REPORTS

President: Kent Balkenbush (kentb@ksu.edu)
- Social events – would encourage all chapters to take part in the Greek Week events.

Vice President: Jake Sankey (jsankey@ksu.edu)
- Scholarship Roundtable – met with Julie Wright, a University Librarian, this week and will be arranging a time for her to meet with chapters.

Judicial Affairs: Kurt Yoder (kurty@ksu.edu)
- Judicial Policy Pop Quiz
  - Got together in Greek Week pairings and worked on the quiz together.

Risk Management: Brian Grant (bwgrant@ksu.edu)
Only 7 of 25 fraternities filled out registration forms for this weekend. We don’t want to have hearings for not following rules.

**Public Relations:** Paul Lewis (plewis92@ksu.edu)
- Greek Week tweets – Will be going on all week, can tweet from 3:00-5:00, have to have 4 different chapters in each picture.

**Community & Internal Relations:** Ryan Schmidt (rschmi11@ksu.edu)
- Bylaw Changes for Philanthropy’s
- Chi Omega will be picking up “Chi O Casino” packets after Greek’s Got Talent Wednesday night

**Recruitment:** Jared Marcusson (marcuson@k-state.edu)
- Expo in Olathe is next Monday the 15th details will be e-mailed out later this week.
- K-State Day at the K is June 9th. *Only had one response so far.*
  - Please let us know by **Friday, April 19th** if your Chapter is planning on participating.
  - All ticket orders that are going to be made for the IFC block will be due on **Monday, May 2nd at noon**.

**Advisor’s Report:** Jenni Jones (jonesjs@k-state.edu)
- Publication Pictures [greek@k-state.edu](mailto:greek@k-state.edu) – Any recent pictures are welcome (Good PR)
- Twitter will be used to announce changes in plans for Greek week due to weather.
- Fraternal Excellence Awards Ceremony-Kappa Sigma (2), FIJI (3), Phi Kappa Theta (4), Pi Kappa Alpha (5), Sigma Chi(2), Sigma Nu (2), Triangle (2)
- All University Open House(4/20, 10am-2pm)-space is still available tabling in the Union
  - Email Kyle Pelton at kcpelton@k-state.edu

**Old Business**
- Bylaw changes – **Scholarship Standards, Chapter Standards, and New Member Standards**
  - *Pi Kappa Alpha motioned to vote; Alpha Tau Omega seconded*
  - *Motion did not pass*
  - *Acacia moved to vote on Section 401. Scholarship Standards as presented, Alpha Gamma Rho seconded*
    - 401. Scholarship Standards passed as presented
  - *Pi Kappa Alpha moved to vote on Section 402. Chapter Standards, Alpha Tau Omega seconded.*
    - 402. Chapter Standards did not pass
  - *Alpha Tau Omega motioned to vote for Section 403. New Member Standards, Pi Kappa Alpha seconded*
    - 403. New Member Standards passed as presented

**New Business**
- Bylaw Changes – **Responsibility Policy (Regarding Philanthropies)**
  - Farmhouse moved to put on table, Pi Kappa Alpha seconded
FY14 Budget Proposal

- Talked over general idea of the packed
- Farmhouse moved to put on table, Pi Kappa Alpha seconded

Introducing the expansion of Sigma Tau Gamma to Kansas State
- Will be presenting to IFC Council in the last meeting of the year

Presentations on chapter information: Farmhouse, Delta Sigma Phi
- Brian Moore Presented on Farmhouse
  - Founded in 1921, two buildings on campus named after alum, most famous alum is John Carlin, 4 aspects (intellectual, spiritual, physical, and social/moral), philanthropy is Philanthrocakes, house capacity is 62 members.
- Brett Seidl Presented on Delta Sigma Phi
  - Been on campus since 1925, about 85 members (56 live in house), Pat Bosco is a famous alumni, house has been at 100% capacity the last couple of years, have raised over $6000 in philanthropy’s the last couple of years, former student body president was a member, received national fraternity’s top award, under campaign to renovate house, just started chapters own 2025 plan.

Announcements
- Alpha Gamma Rho had limestone sign stolen out of lawn

For the Good of the Order

Acacia – Just had philanthropy, raised $500 for Manhattan Emergency Shelter, first Dad’s day this weekend
Alpha Gamma Rho – Took 2nd at Acacia Paintaball Philanthropy
Alpha Kappa Lambda – Just got done with These Hands Don’t Hurt Philanthropy
Alpha Tau Omega – Powercat Paint run was this weekend, $6000-$8000 raised
Beta Sigma Psi –
Beta Theta Pi – Beta Lei is coming up on May 4th
Delta Chi – Had Mom’s day on Saturday
Delta Lambda Phi – None
Delta Sigma Phi – initiated Spring pledge class this saturday
Delta Upsilon – Mom’s day this past weekend, working on Miss K-State
FarmHouse – Got done with final recruitment weekend
Kappa Sigma – Scoops for Troops this Friday, all proceeds go to Military Hereo’s campaign ($2)
Lambda Chi Alpha – Just got done with alumni event, Block Party is coming up next Thursday, the 18th
Phi Delta Theta – Mom’s day is coming up
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Phi Kappa Theta – Getting ready for philanthropy
Pi Kappa Alpha – Remodeling parts of the house for 100th year celebration, re-initiating “Fireman’s Challenge” this spring, sorority based event
Sigma Alpha Epsilon – Not Present
Sigma Chi – Finished Derby Days, more than doubled proceeds from last year.
Sigma Nu – Annual philanthropy is coming up, proceeds go to wounded soldiers
Sigma Phi Epsilon – Sunset revival is coming up this weekend, Mom’s day was last weekend
Sigma Pi – Two philanthropy events next week, Tie Die and Dunk Tank
Tau Kappa Epsilon – Formal this weekend
Theta Xi – Had 3rd and final weekend this past weekend, Mom’s day is coming up
Triangle – Not Present

Important Dates to Remember
- Next Meeting is Monday, April 22
- This week is Greek Week