

The Red Door

Alumni Newsletter for Ohio Iota of Sigma Phi Epsilon The University of Toledo

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Corporation Report

First, let me say thank you to all those who have paid their dues for 1998. Your participation is sincerely appreciated. I would especially like to thank the following contributors, whose generous support was above the recommended amount: Lawrence B. Beer, '76; Thomas L. Bowers, '78; Ronald W. Greller, '74; James C. Herl, '69; Thomas E. Johnson, '39; Dino A. Pietromica, Jr., '93; Scott J. Satory, '95; Gerald L. Seizert, '75; Richard L. Springer, '52; Richard A. St. John, '63; Clifford Thoms; and Eugene Wehrle, '42.

For all of you who have not yet contributed your dues, I encourage you to do so. Your support is what makes possible such things as *The Red Door*, continuing to make Homecoming a free event and funding capital improvements for the house. As J.R. Hoppenjans '93 mentioned in his letter mailed to you earlier in March, the Alumni Board has been striving over the last several years to not only address the needs of the undergraduate chapter, but our Alumni as well. However we need your participation in order to do so.

I would also like to thank all of you who submitted your alumni information questionnaires. It was great to see all of the interesting information. Check out the alumni updates to see what some of your fellow alumni are up to.

Finally, thank you for all of your input and suggestions. They are comments well taken and we hope to continue

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improving your Alumni Corporation. I hope to see all of you at the Golf Outing on August 15.

Steve House '93 Treasurer

1998 Alumni-Active Golf Outing

by Mike "Boris" Borsos '86 Vice President-Alumni Operations

ere we are at beautiful Bedford Hills Golf Course on the last day of play for the Sig Ep Invitational. The story of the day is a young man from the class of 1986 ripping up the course on pace to shoot a 59. OK, so now I can wake up. Well Brothers, it's that time of year again. The Sig Ep Invitational will be held on August 15, 1998, at Bedford Hills Golf Course. Tee times start at 11:00 a.m., and we will use a scramble format. The cost for this year's Open is \$65.00 for those who have paid their alumni dues, \$100.00 for those who have not and \$65.00 for actives. And you ask: "What will I get for my money?" Well—18 holes at Bedford Hills and a cart, hot dog/pop/chips at the turn and a steak dinner along with two drink tickets. There will also be prizes for the longest drive, closest to the pin and the longest putt. The Nowaks and Hormans will play each other in a family grudge match. ATTENTION ALUMNI AND UNDERGRADUATES. THIS IS YOUR INVITATION TO PLAY IN THE OUTING. PLEASE CALL 419-475-2977 BEFORE AUGUST 3 TO MAKE YOUR RESERVATION. You can pay the day of the Open or send your check to: Mike Borsos, 3218 Algonquin Pkwy., Toledo, OH 43606. Make your check payable to Ohio Iota Alumni Corporation. I hope that we can top last years number of 70 golfers. Looking forward to seeing all of you

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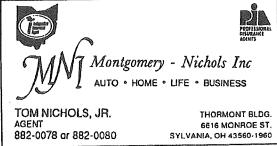
Left to right: Dan Nowak, Tom Zahorac, Doug Nowak and Scott Scheel. This foursome took a break to pose on the links at last year's golf outing.

and sharing memories of the old days and making some new ones, too.

The Tournament Sponsor is Montgomery-Nichols, Inc., providing auto, home, life and business insurance. Many thanks to Brother **Tom Nichols** for sponsoring this Tournament again.

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Dave Mustavega and Matt Jenk at last year's golf outing.



Alumni Board Update

The Alumni Board has grown and become more active this year due in part to an increase in the number of Board members. There are now nine active Alumni Board members. This year the Alumni Board rewrote our bylaws to become more proactive and responsive. There are three officers to keep in contact with alumni and six members of the Alumni Board whose sole function is to be a mentor to the undergraduates. Although there have been great strides taken this past year, there is room to improve. We need your involvement. I would encourage all

local alumni to become involved with the Alumni Board. If you have an interest in developing the current actives while renewing your dedication to Sig Ep, contact J.R. at (419) 472-6874 or e-mail at jr.hoppenjans@benchmarkusa.com.

On a personal note as an alumnus from another chapter (Marist College-NY)

becoming involved with the Ohio Iota Chapter, I have been reminded of what the Fraternity meant to me and encourage those who are not in the Toledo area to seek out a local chapter and become involved. The Fraternity is only as strong as our bond.

HFF Allen Roy

Alumni Profiles

Frederick Walbolt, unknown class, is living in Clearwater, FL. He is a member of the Masters Swim Program and is the only 85year old to swim in the One-Hour Swim this year.

Eugene Wehrle '42, is now retired and living in Perry Hall, MD. He is tied with Manning Hanline for the oldest member to pay his dues.

Manning Hanline '42, is living with his wife Anne in Gulf Breeze,

FL. He has 3 other members of his family that are "too old to be called children". He was a member of XBX and is tied with Eugene Wehrle to be the oldest member to pay dues. Richard L. Springer '52, after completing his Masters in Government Affairs from George Washington University and a Ph.D. at American University, served as a Foreign Service Officer for the U.S. Dept. of State with assignments in New York City, Bolivia, Italy and Spain. He then went on to join the faculty at Webster University in Geneva, Switzerland. Richard currently resides in Perrysburg, OH, with his wife Gail.

Charles Hutter '54, retired from Federal Civil Service in June of 1994 and now resides in Tennessee.

Frederick Boettler Jr. '60, is working for the Wiremold Company as International Business Development Manager in Morgaga, CA.

James Williams '64 is a senior manager with KPMG Peat Marwick. He resides in Hershey, PA with his wife Nancy.

Frederick Zimmerman '66 is living in Lorain, OH and plans on attending the Golf Outing on August 15th.

Michael Robarge '69 is Manager of Business Development for the Lathrop Company in Perrysburg, OH. Michael and his wife Sherie have two children Elizabeth, 19 and Abigail, 17.

Lawrence E. Martin '70, is living in Doylestown, PA, with his significant others: an Arnold Palmer Axiom pitching wedge and a Zing II putter.

Lawrence Beer '76, is living in Kalamazoo, MI, and has a weekly radio show on WKZO AM. The show deals with mental health issues.

Tom Bowers '78, is now a dentist. He lives in Toledo and has a 10 year old son, Eric.

Ted Behnken '82, is a former Alumni Board member and Chapter Counselor. He is living in Toledo and working as the controller for Midas Auto Systems. Gustavo Urdaneta '87, won the Ohio Community Theater Award for the Northeast Ohio Region for excellence in Directing/Choreography 1997.

Randall Hernandez '88, is living in Eugene, OR, where he has took a new job at the University of Oregon in August 1997. He was just recently appointed the chapter counselor for Oregon Beta at the University.

Keith Keokuk '90, is living in Cleveland, OH, with his wife Colleen and 5 month old daughter, Audre Kelly. He lists his chapter involvement as "Bad Indian".

Ted Wendling '91, was married to Micky in January, 1998. They are living in Lexington, OH.

Michael Patterson '93, was married to Renee on October 18, 1997. They are living in North Baltimore, OH.

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Alumni Profiles, continued Steve Falkenstein '94, is planning to marry college sweetheart Amy Eberly this September.

Undergraduate Update

Sig Eps continue to dominate the UT campus for the 3rd consecutive year. Sig Ep has been #1 on campus in manpower, academics and athletics. In addition, Sig Ep took first place at Songfest this past year. Our academic advisors efforts, along with strong alumni financial support and a well implemented Balanced Man Scholarship all contribute to this success. Our

next step towards excellence will be full implementation of the National's award winning Balanced Man Program. Stay tuned for more details.

We Need Your E-mail Address

In an effort to stay in closer touch with our alumni, we seeking to collect each brother's email address. If you have a current address, please send it to Mbgama@aol.com. In the message please ask to have your address added to our database.

Lost Alumni

Below are our lost brothers listed in alphabetical order. Please look through the list and let us know if you have current addresses or information about anyone listed. We suspect that a number of the older individuals are deceased, so let us know that information as well. You may send the updates to our database manager at Mbgama@aol.com, or mail them to Sigma Phi Epsilon, 1064 N. Main Street #401, Bowling Green, OH 43402.

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Needs List

Hey Fellow Alumni! The following is a list of things we need (want). Take a moment to think about contributing your time, talent or resources to helping us get them.

- Build/Acquire a new trophy case for the house.
- Pictures, stories, etc., for future Red Doors.
- Information on Golden Hearts.
- Sponsors (Corporate or Alumni) for the Golf Outing and future Alumni events.
- Lyrics to old Sig Ep Songs.
- Alumni in the Cleveland, Akron, and Dayton, OH, areas who are available to assist in doing home interviews for the Balanced Man Scholarship.
- Speakers for active's Sunday night meetings. Topics could include resume writing, job searching, etiquette, tobacco and alcohol health issues, etc.
- Someone to direct a capital campaign for the chapter.
- Someone to serve as Director of Risk Management and Legal Affairs. A Toledo area attorney would be ideal.
- A computer literate alumnus who could set up an alumni web page and electronic database for the Alumni Board.

If you can help with any of these items, please contact J.R. Hoppenjans at (419) 472-6874 or e-mail at jr.hoppenjans@benchmark-usa.com.

Thank You

Many thanks to the following brothers who generously contributed to our annual dues campaign. If you have not contributed, please you may send your contribution to Sigma Phi Epsilon, 1064 N. Main Street #401, Bowling Green, OH 43402.

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Gene A. Pinkus, '86 Jeffrey W. Powell, '97 Michael K. Robarge, '69 Gregory W. Ruppert, '96 James E. Sander, '67 Scott J. Satory, '95 Scott R. Scheel, '93 Brian W. Schmidt, '96 Gerald L. Seizert, '75 Arlo J. Spiess, '62 Richard L. Springer, '52 Richard A. St. John, '63 R. Jeffrey Stephens, '69 Alan P. Thompson, '71 Clifford Thoms Theodore A. Tilly, '67 Gustavo E. Urdaneta, '87 Frederick Walbolt Eugene Wehrle, '42 James H. Williams, '64 Philip A. Woolaver, '53 Frederick J. Zimmerman, '66

Let Us Know What You Are Up To

Just had a child? Received a promotion? Won an award? We want to know what is happening with you. Please send us any announcements or updates on your activities for inclusion in future issues of The Red Door. Also, if you know information about other brothers that we should include in our alumni news section, please send that as well. Finally, if you have an e-mail address please share that with us to add to our database. All correspondence to The Red Door should be sent to Sigma Phi Epsilon, 1064 N. Main Street #401, Bowling Green, OH 43402 or to Mbgama@aol.com.

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Mark Your **Calendars**

Sig Ep **Golf Outing** August 15th

Homecoming October

(Format has changed... stay tuned for details!)





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