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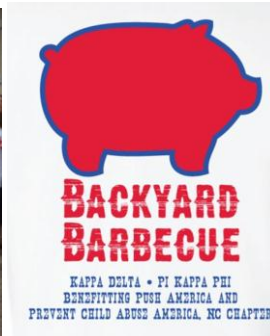
Pi Kappa Phi, Kappa Chapter

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Kappa Delta and Pi Kappa Phi's Backyard BBQ

This past October we teamed up with the girls of Kappa Delta to host the first annual "Backyard Barbecue" here at UNC Chapel Hill. The event, at which there were more than 500 students in attendance, raised more than \$7,300 for Push America and Prevent Child Abuse America, NC Chapter. A profound success in its inaugural year, Kappa Chapter plans against to host the Backyard Barbecue with Kappa Deltas as the finale of our Fall Push Week this upcoming October of 2013.



Everyone enjoyed our Formal, held in Savannah, Georgia in April!

Formal 2013

The active brothers of Pi Kappa Phi descended on Savannah, Georgia the weekend of April 12-13 for the fraternity's annual formal. During the day, brothers and their dates enjoyed historic Savannah, the beach and the riverfront. On Saturday night, Formal was held at the Marshall House in Savannah's historic district. The Marshall House was Savannah's first hotel, and boasts that it is also one of the most haunted. Although no ghosts were spotted, the brothers and their dates still had a great night. Following the three course dinner, the brothers sang The Rose to this year's Rose Queen and danced to a live band.

"My four years here in this school and with this fraternity have flown by. I'll never forget my experiences here." – Senior Steven Demeraski at this year's Senior Dinner

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Journey of Hope

During the Summer of 2012, two Kappa Chapter brothers – JP Aspinwall and Danny Gassaway – completed the Journey of Hope, a cross country bike ride that raises money for people with disabilities. Aspinwall and Gassaway each contributed well over \$5000 to PUSH America (Pi Kappa Phi’s national philanthropy). “It was truly a life changing experience and a summer I will never forget” said Aspinwall.



Junior JP Aspinwall celebrates his completion of the Journey of Hope in August of 2012.



Kappa Chapter’s 2013 Executive Council

- Everette “Tate” Byers – Archon
- Kareem Ramadan – Vice Archon Internal
- Michael Batres – Vice Archon Internal
- Donald “Chris” Dewberry – Treasurer
- Tyler Sparks – Secretary
- Ciaran Bermingham – Warden
- Joseph Williams IV - Chaplain
- William “Smith” Brinker - Historian

CHAPTER UPDATES

Letter from the Archon

Brothers,

It’s been my pleasure to serve as archon for this past semester. There are a lot of exciting things happening here at Kappa chapter. We were happy to initiate 14 new brothers this past semester and many of these gentlemen are already actively recruiting for the upcoming semester.

We also had an excellent semester in terms of philanthropy, from raising money through a benefit dinner with Lambda Chi Alpha to participating in Friday Night Live, a weekly program benefiting people with disabilities.

There are also currently two brothers, James White and Zackary Kaplan, riding their bikes across the country on the Journey of Hope.

We had a successful formal and Rose Ball in Savannah, Georgia this past April, which was an event that saw participation from 90% of the chapter.

Kappa Chapter was the runner-up for IFC Chapter of the Year and was recognized by winning most campus involvement and outstanding philanthropic involvement.

We expect more great things for the 2013-2014 academic year and we hope to see many of you at 216 East Rosemary and elsewhere in the coming months.

Sincerely,

Tate Byers

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