

Hi Brothers!

Wow, another Alumni newsletter! This one is being distributed at the 40th and sent out with the newsletter. Due to the cost of sending out 2 newsletters, this will be combined with the one in May and sent out then.

Two main ideas from me:

1. If your address has changed, please leave me a note in the office(or send me your new address). This will make sending out newsletters much easier.
2. If you have any ideas for the next newsletter, please see me or leave me a note(again).

Enjoy the weekend. Have fun. Smile, etc..

Yf,
Marty Perreault
-cinder

CHAPTER HAPPENINGS

SPRING '87 ECOMM

President:	Hugh Cohen('87 Math, Freeport, NY)
SVP:	Robert Rommel('88 Physics, Smithtown, NY)
MVP:	Scott Judson('88 ME, Exeter, NH)
FVP:	Glen Wolverton('88 EE, Lincroft, NJ)
Treasurer:	Ian Agranat('87 Comp Sci, Weston, MA)
RecSec:	Andy Huey('89 Comp Sci, Roselle Park, NJ)
CorSec:	Marty Perreault('89 Ind. Eng., Granby, MA)
Historian:	Sharon Zohar('87 Management, Tuckahoe, NY)
SAA:	Paul Lavoie('89 Eng, Walpole, NH)
OM:	Macarena Parra('89 Chem, Jersey City, NJ)

This spring's Ecomm set forth the following goals for this semester.

GOALS:

1. Start planning for fall sectional.
2. Increase contact with other chapters.
3. Increase advisor involvement in the Fraternity activities.
4. Improve the academic performance of the Brotherhood.
5. Increase the Brotherhoods' understanding of the Treasury system.
6. Evaluate the rush program and develop guidelines.
7. Evaluate the pledging program and develop guidelines.
8. Review the bylaws for possible improvements.
9. Evaluate the service program.
10. Get the composites, soon.

BRIEF NOTES:

- * At the installation banquet held at Casey's East, Chris Wickham received the DSK, while Rob Rommel and Kenny Rogers were awarded service awards.
- * The EZ scholarship Fund for incoming Freshman is being revised. A committee to review applicants is being created.
- * The armory room is being renovated - we're going to have a real electrical system.
- * The Advisor's meeting held in February discussed VTS, with the decision being made to go with Greyhound. MMOC and the scholarship committee were also mentioned.

SECTIONALS:

Spring sectional will be held at Alfred University.
Fall sectional will be held at RPI!!!!!!!!!!!!

SPORTS:

PUCKOFFS MADE THE PLAYOFFS!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

40th:

Stan Carpenter is attending.
Don't forget to attend the service projects!!!

MEMBERSHIP

We started the semester with 45 Brothers. Pledge voting in February brought new Brothers:

Katie Boucher ('90 Comp. Sci., Weston, MA)
Doug Fink ('87 Comp. Sci., Fairfield CT)
Dave Fischer ('88 EPOW, Smithtown, NY)
Quinten King ('90 Physics, Toledo, OH)
Mike Pajaro ('90 EE, Stanhope NJ)
Scott Sheinbaum ('90 EE, Marlboro NJ)

In addition, Dave Abolafia and Mary Catelli were continued. Dave will be voted on March 29.

Highlights to Rush included a Scavenger Hunt, "No Survivors" Party, and the Alaskan Beach Party III. Rush also produced the Edward B. Weisselberg Pledge Class.

Chris Cargado	'90 ESCE, Philadelphia, PA
William Cornett	'90 CSCI, Windsor, CT
Barbara Finch	'90 Eng., New York, NY
Rajeesh Gajabi	Mas. OR&S, Maharashtra, India
Douglas Gibson	'90 EE, Rochester, NY
Gene Greger	'90 CSCI, Endicott, NY
Karin Grossu	'90 Eng., Oceanside, NY
Melinda Johnson	'90 Eng., Brookline, MA
Amy Lin	'90 Eng., Mickleton, NJ
Victor Papagno	'90 Math, Quincy, MA
Mary Rinaldi	'90 Eng., Oakville, CT
Yasser Syed	'90 Eng., Dallas, TX
Chris Walker	'90 Eng., Georgetown, IN

This semester, the pledge class had a Time Management Seminar given by Dr. Meltzer from the Learning Center. Also, the Brothers beat the pledges 3-0 in Pledge-Brother Volleyball.

SERVICE

The semester got off to a roaring start with Schedule distribution, Envelope Stuffing, and Checkin. The CS, BS, and GS Swimorees all went off well, while office inventory succeeded also. Ushering at Troy Music Hall, a Lansingburg Boys Club cleanup, Sunnyside Work project, and Eden Park Bingo were other projects. VTS went well, WE BROKE EVEN!!!!!!

COMING UP:

40th:

South Troy Community Center Work project and Special Olympics Basketball.

MMOC:

Connie "Sgt. Viscious" Vanderbosch, one of our advisors, won two years ago. Fierce competition is anxiously awaiting GM Week so we can determine the Meanest Man on Campus. All proceeds will be donated to Bethany Center, a day shelter for the homeless in Troy.

Trivia:

Once again teams will match wits in order to claim the title *"most trivial people on campus"*.

FELLOWSHIP

Wow, have we been promoting fellowship!!!! The Installation Banquet, Big Red Freakout Party, a "COMPOSITES ARE IN" party, Ski Trip, and the Irish dinner were just a few of the activities that have gone on. Road Trips to Everywhere have promoted pledge-Brother-other chapter interaction, incredibly!(seven trips in one weekend!). We sponsored our very own 3-3-3 weekend including: a progressive dinner, Rocky Horror Run, Picnic, Swimoree, and a Dance Party! Upcoming events are the 40th(now), sectional, and the end of pledge week party!!

CAMPUS

IN BRIEF:

Sage Dining Hall renovations were completed over the summer, and it opened this fall for student and faculty meals. The Union renovations were also completed over the summer, with the extra room used for enlarging the Bookstore and the Marine Midland Bank. The Quad will be closed next year for renovations. Students will be housed in alternate dorms.

RPI closed down for the afternoon on January 22 due to snow, one of the few snow closings ever in RPI history.

The RPI Engineers won the Big Red Freakout 8-3 over Brown. In the ECAC hockey finals in Boston, the Engineers tied for third. Harvard was first, and Yale was second.

The CII (Center for Industrial Innovation) is nearing completion. While not formally dedicated, classes are meeting in it.

Dan Berg was removed from his office as President by the Board of Trustees in early March. Stanley Landgraf '46, a member of the Board, took over as acting president. A search is on replacement.