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Thirty five Sig Ep Brothers and guests enjoyed a Saturday afternoon double header of OSU baseball. It turned out to be a beautiful day with blue skies and bright sunshine. Actually we got to see the end of the Friday game that delayed due to rain as well which the Bucks lost. But during the scheduled Saturday games, our group was honored with scoreboard recognition and enjoyed watching the Bucks defeat Illinois 9-2 in game one and 14-8 in game two of the doubleheader. They should invite the Sig Ep's more often to support their team.

We were hosted in the Anne Hayes Lounge (yes that is Woody's wife who was a big baseball fan) and feasted on chicken wings, BBQ beef sandwiches, fruit, nibbles and soft drinks throughout the afternoon. Bill Pfeifer and his wife Nancy were the most senior alumni in attendance – class of 1955 and they enjoyed the afternoon. Each Brother in attendance received a collectible OSU red and white baseball.

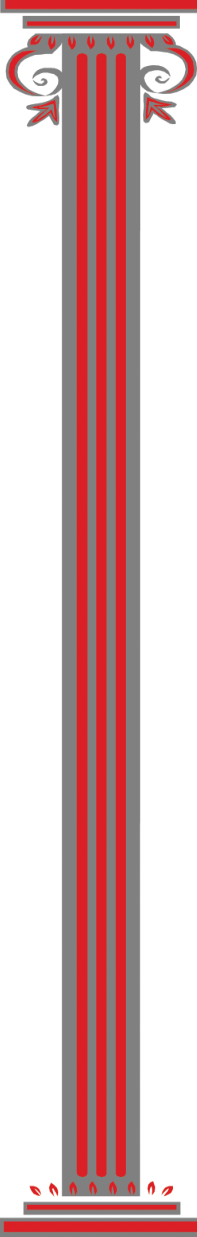
The alumni and undergraduates got a chance during the day to exchange ideas as well as the normal story telling of what life was like when the alumnus was in school. Maybe an alum even shared some useful information to what the real working world is and some suggestions that might

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From the Desk of the Foundation



Brothers:

For the last several years I have been describing to you the birth and growth of our alumni efforts to invigorate our alumni relations, expand our alumni outreach and insure the continued phenomenal success of the undergraduate Chapter. Our plans involved consistent alumni communications and event planning, chapter management and, naturally, fundraising to support all this.



I am so pleased that to date we have reconnected with hundreds of interested alumni, planned and held several successful alumni events, provided pivotal management to the undergraduate chapter and raised almost \$200,000.

What do we consider all this to be? A good start.

In the next month or so you be receiving a letter and a brochure from the Foundation formally commencing our Centennial Campaign. I implore you to read the brochure carefully so you can develop a full understanding of our undertaking, and if you are supportive, use the enclosed pledge card to make a donation and/or pledge to the Campaign. If you have already made a donation, please consider making a pledge to contribute that much or more each year for the next three years. And just as importantly, please make plans to join several hundred of your alumni brothers this fall at the Centennial Celebration banquet in Columbus the weekend of October 3-5.

Faternally,

Robert B. Barnett '71
President, Ohio Gamma Foundation

Centennial Campaign Gift Recognition Levels

Circle of Brotherhood members will be recognized on a plaque and in the brick work at the Chapter House; Centennial Club members in the brick work.

<u>Ohio Gamma Club</u>	<u>Centennial Club</u>	<u>Circle of Brotherhood</u>
\$50 Brotherly Love Level	\$250 Red Door Society	\$2,500 Founders Society
\$75 Diligence Level	\$500 Gold Society	\$5,000 Woodruff Society
\$100 Virtue Level	\$750 Pearl Society	\$10,000 Ruby Society
	\$1,000 Diamond Society	\$25,000 Ducal Crown Society
		\$50,000 Golden Heart Society
		\$75,000 Harry Kurtz* Society
		\$100,000 Herbert Smith* Society
		\$200,000 Edwin Buchanan* Society

**denotes an Ohio Gamma that served as
Grand President of the National Fraternity*

Thank You To Our Donors!

~any Brother that donated since the last newsletter is written in purple~

Circle of Brotherhood

Golden Heart Society (\$50,000-99,999)

S. Ray Lok '70*

Ruby Society (\$10,000-\$24,999)

*George Smith '63**

*Jim Crossley '70**

Woodruff Society (\$5,000-\$9,999)

*James Pfeifer '60**

Founders Society (\$2,500-\$4,999)

<i>James McMillan '54*</i>	Dan Prucha '69*
Tom Wheeler '55*	Eric Van Gilder '69*
Richard Walters '58	John Barta '70*
Dr. Jim Griesen '63*	Ken Butler '70*
Paul Freshwater '64*	Don Kender '70
John Yeamans '64*	John Waggoner '70*
Roger Moore '65	Bob Barnett '71*
Ray Roop '65*	Ken Misener '71*
Mike Deegan '66*	Michael Roberts '71*
Jeff DuBois '66*	Mark Stevens '71*
Mike Lockwood '66*	Bob Warren '71*
Dave Wilson '66*	E. John Raab '73*
Andy Latham '67*	<i>James Allshouse '76</i>
Jeff Odenwald '68*	Bradley Griffith '04*
Tom McLaughlin '69*	Scott Phillips Jr. '05*

Centennial Club

Diamond Society (\$1,000-2,499)

William Killgallon '60

Gary Ryan '67

Michael Reed '70

Gold Society (\$500-749)

Ed Spellacy '56

Robert Fogoros '73

Stephen Hicks '86

Red Door Society (\$250-499)

Richard Webster '49

Neal Kresheck '61

Ronald Miller '63

Jim Burkhard '64

Raymond Fahrmeier '64

Marvin Leedom '64

Gerald Gille '68

Linden Beck '69

Thomas Miller '70

Robert Williams '70

Stephen Stanford '71

Lawrence Bechler '72

William Grundemann '72

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Karl Curtis '98



**denotes "Charter Member"
of the Founders Society*

Ohio Gamma Club (up to \$249)

Howard Berthold '42	<i>George Wilkinson '57</i>	Bryan McIntyre '69	Robert Hanrahan '76**
Carl Obenhaus '43	Russell Hanthorn '58	Jeffrey Smith '69	<i>Mark Reilley '87</i>
Chris Slauter '46	Lynford Gabriel '59	Russell Wiseman '69	Bradley Brinzo '88
Donald Detmer '47	Edward Cass '60	Robert Gille '70	David Cereno '88
Thomas Hildreth '47	Keith V. Smith '60	<i>Steve Skapik '70</i>	Joseph Roman '90
Alan McAllister '48	Vernon Burger '61	Vincent Kazmer '71	Todd Wray '91
Robert Johnson '49	Robert Love '61	Rodger Soeldner '71	<i>John Berschied '97</i>
Carl Alexander '50	Frederick Osgood '64	Michael Tranovich '71	Benjamin Balliet '00
Lloyd Williams '51	David Rogers '64	Douglas Wemmer '71	Christopher Burk '00
Jacque Cain '52	David Gross '65	Chris Case '72	Brian Head '03
Richard Dilts '52	James Hendrickson '65	David Foust '72	George Gornall '04
John Crawford '53	David Crouch '66	<i>Joseph Masternick '72</i>	Matt Dornauer '05
LeRoy Jackopin '53	Charles Eigenberg '66	Daniel Miller '72	Jeremy Fiser '05
<i>William Pfeifer '55</i>	<i>David Rogers '66</i>	John Tranovich '72	Doug Hange '05
<i>Robin Schmidt '56</i>	<i>Jeffrey Smith '66</i>	Paul Kleifgen '73	Wade Guzdanski '05
<i>Donald Swales '56</i>	William Spitler '66	Mark Rollinson '73	Ron Dulaney '06
Frank Hill '57	William Vorlicky '68	Jerry Steiner '74	<i>Mark Mudarth '06</i>
William McNutt '57	Dean Failor '69	Doug Wemmer '74	<i>Matt Potts '06</i>
	Robert Gochoel '69	Stephen Linton '75	Adam Schwartz '06
		Ed Miller '75	Brad Waldsmith '06

Alumni OSU Baseball Event

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assist an undergraduate in their future. The alumni likewise got a chance to catch up on what Brothers each of us had been in contact with recently. Each of these alumni events has been fun to be part of, and opportunity to renew our friendships and to celebrate our 100th anniversary of our fraternity. Special thanks go to Dave Cessna and Howard Bender for suggesting the idea for this event and for making the arrangements.

Right: View from the SigEp Alumni Suite during our baseball event on May 10, 2008. Alumni and undergraduates cheered the Buckeyes (coached by SigEp, Bob Todd) onto victory!



Centennial Celebration Schedule

Golf Outing & Hoggy Roast: August 2, 2008

Join SigEp alumni for our annual golf outing at Blacklick Woods golf course (outside of Columbus) which will be followed by a hoggy roast back at the chapter house. More details available on our website at: www.alumni.osusigep.com, or on the insert to this newsletter.

Centennial Celebration Gala: October 3-5, 2008

This event concludes our celebration of the first century of Ohio Gamma. The event will be at the DoubleTree Hotel in Worthington where we have a block of rooms reserved with a special Centennial rate which also includes your breakfast for two each morning. Friday will include golf for those interested starting at 11:00 a.m. and a Welcome cocktail reception with heavy hors d'oeuvres Friday evening from 7:00 – 10:00 p.m. Saturday will include a ceremony at the Chapter House, campus tours for those interested, a Strategic Planning session on the future of our Chapter and the Centennial Gala Banquet including guest speakers from OSU and our Sig Ep National Headquarters. We have made arrange-

ments to be able to watch the OSU-Wisconsin (away) football game for our many diehard Buckeye fans. Sunday will conclude with a get-away breakfast and final farewells. This is our 100th anniversary and this truly is a once in a lifetime opportunity. Formal invitations will be sent out in June 2008 but please plan to attend like the many Brothers who have already indicated that they are planning on coming below.

Left: Alumni, spouses, and undergraduates enjoying the OSU Baseball Game from their suite behind home-plate.



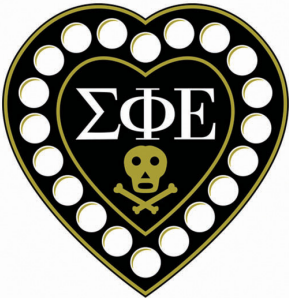
100 Years of History: The 1990s

The Centennial Committee, led by Mike Lockwood, has been compiling memories from each decade of Ohio Gamma's rich history. The 1990s was a decade that began with a Buchanan Cup and finished with a major turning point for the chapter- the promise of the Balanced Man Program for member development. We will share the recent history (1990-2008) of our chapter in an extended format in our next newsletter due out in late August 2008. If you care to submit any memories, please send an email to: ScottPhillipsJr@gmail.com.

LOOK who's coming to the Centennial Celebration Gala (October 3-5, 2008)

1940-1959	Jeff Smith	John Young	1990-1999
Edward Hill	Andy Latham	Hugh Muir	Bill Gordon
Howard Bender	Bill Spitler	Russ Wiseman	Pakon
John Clark	Rick Callison	1970-1979	Nunthiraporn
Donald Swales	Bill Vorlicky	John Barta	Chris Burke
Tom Wheeler	Brian McIntyre	Bill Grundemann	Mike Neilson
John Petro	Dan Prucha	Ken Butler	Matt Turner
Jim Pfiefer	Eric Van Gilder	Alex Sales	Joe Marino
Robin Schmidt	Gary Ryan	Jim Crossley	Ben Balliett
Peter Stroup	Geoff Hill	Bob Barnett	Greg Kreeger
Ed Spellacy	Jeff Odenwald	Ken Misener	Todd Hill
Dick Walters	Jim Doyle	Ed Miller	2000-2007
John Crawford	Linden Beck	Jim Allshouse	Scott Phillips Jr.
Ken Fox	Mike Deegan	Mike Mundorf	Matthew Potts
Brad Hummel	Steve Skapik	Mike Roberts	Joseph Whittaker
George Wilkinson	Steve Smith	Don Kender	Adam Osenga
Jim Worden	Tim O'Brien	Tac Berry	Dennis Kaps
1960-1969	Tom McLaughlin	John Raab	Brad Griffith
Mike Lockwood	Mike Reed	Mark Stevens	Christopher
Jim Burkhard	Chuck Juhasz	Dan Miller	Alvarez-
Dave Cessna	Keith Kistler	Ray Roop	Breckenridge
Brian Boling	Jim Griesen	Bob Harrison	Trevor Thompson
Dave Wilson	Jon Fitzenrider	John Petro	Adam Schwartz
Jeff DuBois	Mike McKisic	1980-1989	Michael Zion
Paul Freshwater	Tom Okasinski	Bob Jennings	Jonathon Maneval
Ray Fahreimer	Randy Smith	Todd Wirick	Patrick Klein
George McCreedy	John Hartman	Rob Hanrahan	Brian Katz
Roger Moore	Bill Stall	Mike Clark	Scott Clayton
John Waggoner	George Smith		Nate Busch

So that we can give an accurate count to the caterers for the dinner on October 4th, we appreciate everyone letting Mike Lockwood know if they plan to attend the event via email at: MLgobucks@roadrunner.com or via telephone at (330) 273-4344. We look forward to seeing many familiar faces at the Centennial Gala and all our events celebrating Ohio Gamma's first century.



Golf Outing and Hoggy Roast

Dear Brothers,

As you probably know by now, this is the hundredth anniversary of the founding of our Ohio Gamma chapter at Ohio State. To celebrate this milestone, we have planned a series of four events - four opportunities for Sig Ep actives and alums to get together. Our first event - the Sig Ep Sweetheart Ball in February - was a successful night enjoyed by all who were able to attend. Our second event in May was an OSU-Illinois Baseball game coached by fellow Sig Ep Bob Todd was equally enjoyable for those in attendance.

Our third event is the Sig Ep Golf Outing and Hoggy Roast to be held on **Saturday, Aug. 2, 2008**. The golf will be at the Blacklick Woods Golf Club, 7309 E. Livingston Ave., Reynoldsburg, OH 43068. Blacklick Woods features two challenging courses and is rated one of the top ten most difficult public golf courses in Greater Columbus by Business First magazine. We will be playing the Gold Course which is 18 holes over 6819 yards from the blue tees (white tees may be more in order for this group). We are planning a four man scramble event pairing Brothers of varying skills to level the playing field and provide for a competitive event. If you have particular Brothers that you would like to play with please indicate their names on the response form under comments. The Golf committee does reserve the right to adjust the teams to insure a balance of skill levels. We will assemble at the Blacklick Woods Club house at 11:00 a.m., arrange the teams and beginning teeing off at 11:30 a.m. Following golf, we will move to the Hoggy's New Albany Bar & Grill at 1370 E. Johnstown Rd. Gahanna, OH 43230 which is about 9 miles from the golf course. We will be in the Loft. Refreshments will begin around 6:00 p.m. with dinner around 7:00 p.m. Hoggy's is famous for its barbecued meals and the idea and restaurant selection for our event came from the 1980's Sig Ep's and their pig roasts. If you are not a golfer, you are welcome to simply join us for dinner. If your spouse or significant other is into golf or dinner, they are welcome to attend as well. Just add them as a guest.

Details are as follows:

Sig Ep Golf Outing and Hoggy Roast

Date: Saturday August 2, 2008

Place: 11:00 a.m. - Blacklick Woods Golf Course, 7309 E. Livingston Ave., Reynoldsburg

6:00 p.m. - Hoggy's New Albany Bar & Grill, 1370 E. Johnstown Rd. Gahanna

Cost: Golf - \$47 per person includes green fees, cart and prizes

Dinner - \$28 per person includes food, soft drinks, tax and gratuity. Cash bar available.

Both events - \$75 per person

We hope that you will be able to attend and look forward to seeing you. Inserted in this newsletter is the golf response form which should be completed and returned by **July 11, 2008 to Mike Lockwood, 280 Brookshire Oval, Hinckley, OH 44233** or visit the **OSU Sig Ep Alumni website at www.alumni.osusigep.com where you can be linked to the Golf response form and submit payment online**. Additional details will be sent to those responding by July 22, 2008 via email with directions and final arrangements for this event.

If you have any questions, please email or call one of the Centennial Golf Event Committee members below.

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Mike Lockwood '66

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The Undergraduate Update

Brothers of Ohio Gamma,

Exciting times are upon the Ohio Gamma Chapter of Sigma Phi Epsilon! In this, our centennial year, we have broken the 100-man mark for the first time since recolonization in 2001. This year alone we have recruited 43 men, surpassing last years mark of 37 men. While it is coincidence that we are at 100 men after 100 years, there is no doubt that this result is due to the hard work of all brothers, undergraduate and alumni, for the last decade.



As a testament to this diligence, we are privileged for the second year straight to have National Fraternity Headquarters sponsor and facilitate our spring quarter retreat. "Extreme EDGE Extreme," takes our brothers to Westerville for an entire Saturday of teambuilding, leadership training, and high ropes courses. Headquarters is willing and ready to assist our chapter due to the continued excellence of our work.

Ohio Gamma has won many awards in the past quarter. For our initiative in programming toward our Sound Body ideal, *we were awarded the inaugural Innovation Award at this years Ohio Union Leadership Awards Ceremony*. Additionally, at the Carlson Leadership Academy, eleven undergraduates accepted the *Donald C. McCleary Excellence in Membership Development Award* on behalf of the chapter. Ohio Gamma was also recognized for having the *Volunteer of the Year, Dennis Kaps '03*, in honor of his recruitment advising. Also at the Carlson Leadership Academy, **Dr. Donald Stenta was honored as an Outstanding Student Organization Advisor**, as he continues to provide direction for our executive board.

These awards have been the result of hard work and dedication. Now our dedication is turning toward October. We are already gathering names and commitments for the Centennial Gala in the fall, and after the success of February's Sweetheart Ball and the May 10th baseball game, everyone is excited for a celebration 100 years in the making. Many of our 14 graduating seniors will be returning for the event to help us ring in a new century of SigEp at The Ohio State University.

On behalf of the newly elected Executive Board, I'd like to thank you in advance for supporting our chapter and joining us at the Centennial Celebration Gala. It will be a time to celebrate 100 years of memories and accomplishments, while setting the course for our next century. I look forward to seeing you all there.

Faternally,

Sean Mittelman, President

2008-2009 Executive Board

President - *Sean Mittelman*

VP Programming- *Andy DeLong*

VP Recruitment- *Tom Vetter*

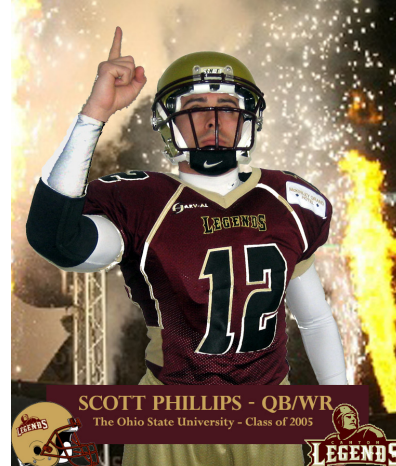
VP Member Development- *Brad McIntyre*

VP Finance- *Andrew Bishop*

Chaplain- *Nate Barbo*

VP Communications- *R. Scott Dudis*

You Ought To Be In Pictures!



If you have any SigEp pictures from the 1970-80-90's, we need them! Please send them to Mike Lockwood via email (MLGoBucks@RoadRunner.com) or postal mail to 280 Brookshire Oval, Hinckley, OH 44233. Please provide the names of those pictured for inclusion in the Sig Ep History DVD that we are creating. If you send the mail via postal service, Mike will be glad to scan the pictures and return to the owner if desired.

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