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HONOR THE PAST ~ CELEBRATE THE PRESENT ~ CREATE THE FUTURE

THE 55TH GRAND CHAPTER CONCLAVE

I was honored to present our chapter with its 8th Golden Buchanan Cup at the Sigma Phi Epsilon 55th Grand Chapter Conclave. It gave me a double sense of pride as the cup was named after our own chapter brother, Edwin Buchanan. This year's Conclave was filled with celebration and acknowledgement of those men who have served our chapters as heroes both as undergraduates and alumni. The theme was also a challenge as stated by our new Grand President, Brother Chris Bittman: "Sigma Phi Epsilon must have heroes, leaders and champions who are willing to inspire others to act and take our Fraternity to new heights, for we are at a critical moment in the history of our fraternity and the American college fraternity." Universities across our nation are questioning the relevance of our historic organizations. At Conclave, our undergraduate brothers took an important step in preserving our Fraternity's future by voting to make our chapter homes alcohol and substance free. We will need alumni support to make this happen and continue to maintain our relevance at The Ohio State University.

Change is never easy. But throughout our history, SigEp has always had the courage to lead. Whether it was opening membership to men of every race or ending pledging with the Balanced Man Program, generations of Sigma Phi Epsilon brothers have been on the right side of history. Now it's time for this generation to cement our legacy.

Time is truly the essence of our existence and must be given content if our lives are to have meaning. The following brothers were recognized at award functions for being heroes of Sigma Phi Epsilon: Keith Bruce, Illinois '87 who facilitated the third most-viewed event in American television history...Super Bowl 50. Dan

Hicks, Arizona '84, lead NBC swimming commentator as Michael Phelps ended his historic Olympic career. And Bob Hartsook, Emporia State '70, who revolutionized the fundraising industry by helping nonprofits raise over \$231 billion.

This fall we recognized our Ohio Gamma Heroes on page 3 of this newsletter.

Brothers it is time to reengage in Sigma Phi Epsilon by continuing to make a difference in your own community or volunteering for SigEp. We need mentors and board members to continue the legacy that was created over 100 years ago. Don't wait, sign up today!



From left to right: John Waggoner '70, Kenton Reason '17, Logan Kohl '19, Jason Littman '19, Ethan Warner '18, George Smith '64, Scott Dudis '09.



2017

GOLF OUTING AT GLENROSS

The weather threatened a little but allowed us to enjoy a mostly sunny and enjoyable day. Thanks to all winning teams donating their prize money back to the chapter and the "extreme" purchase of mulligans, we raised \$749 that will be deposited into our OSU Foundation Sig Ep Scholarship Fund. We want to especially thank the undergraduate Brothers for their participation in this year's event.

We have a new winner this year which is the Bryce Conway team and his partners Nick Fisher, Marc Ribe and Steve Englehaupt with a first place score of -6. Congratulations!



Conway Team

Waggoner Team

Crossley Team

DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI

LEGENDS AWARD



As many of you know, the Buchanan Cup is a national award presented to chapters who achieve the highest level of excellence. This year as a new part of the George E. Smith Distinguished Alumni Award we are adding the Legends Division for our brothers who died before we began these awards.

Our first Legends award was presented to Edwin Buchanan for whom the cup was named in 1967. Brother Buchanan was the 18th member of Ohio Gamma in 1910 and graduated in 1911 from what was then just called the Arts College. Utilizing his skills learned as an executive at Ohio National Bank, Brother Buchanan became Sig Ep's Grand Treasurer in 1932 and twice

served as Grand President.

"Buck" often said, "We are judged not by how much, but by how well, we do. Our principles are ageless, and our goals are the goals of the young reinforced by the wisdom gained with maturity."

I'm sure Buck Buchanan would be quite pleased to learn that 50 years later we received our 8th straight cup. Only 3 chapters in the country have 8 straight or more, so we are proud to be in the top 3 of the 229 Sig Ep chapters across the country. Buck Cups are presented every other year, so 8 straight cups represents 16 years of excellence. I'd also like to note that we received our first Buck Cup in 1967 when we were led by Mike Lockwood '66 as our undergrad president. –John Waggoner

GEORGE E. SMITH DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI AWARD



Thomas L Wheeler '55, Business Executive and Philanthropist

Tom Wheeler served in executive positions with the United Parcel Service for 27 years. In honor of his father, he and his mother made a donation to the Business School to establish the Thomas Wheeler Jr. Lecture Hall in Gerlach Hall which has become a cornerstone of the Fisher College of Business.

Tom was always interested in small companies and their development, as well as developing students in that field. He also wanted to provide guidance to these students and to be active in their development. These interests led him to endow \$2.5 million dollars to establish the Thomas L. Wheeler, III Internship for small business. Working with the assistant dean of the OSU business school, the internship provides \$50,000 annually for student internships in small businesses and has become so successful that there are more small businesses looking for these interns then there are students!



Dr. Andrew W. Latham '67, Physician & Business Leader

In 1980, pursuing a goal of developing a physician group composed of emergency medicine specialists in a major medical center, Dr. Latham joined the medical staff at Borgess Medical Center in Kalamazoo, Michigan as medical director of emergency and trauma services.

That same year, he co-founded Kalamazoo Emergency Associates (KEA), a professional corporation of emergency physicians, and served

as president of that organization for 21 years until his retirement in 2001. Under his leadership, KEA grew from an organization of five physicians providing emergency physician services at Borgess Medical Center to a group of nearly 50 physicians practicing in a coordinated network of regional hospital emergency departments in southwestern Michigan.

In retirement, Dr, Latham has traveled extensively to other countries providing much needed medical services.

The full biography of each of these honorees can be found on our website at: ohiogamma.org

THE BOB BARNETT OUTSTANDING ALUMNI SERVICE AWARD



Michael Repasky Alumni Corp President

As an undergrad president for 2 years, Mike understands ac-

complishments are a team effort and he, Ryan Dressler and Nathan Weber all held executive positions over the same 2 years. So with an experienced team in place, the results were outstanding. Highest GPA, largest manpower, OSU Chapter of the Year, our 3rd Buchanan Cup, and we exceeded the 100 man chapter size for the first time.

The undergrad exec team lead by the 2 years terms of Repasky, Dressler and Weber were certainly strong years for our chapter and set the "model" for our future.

After three years on Headquarters staff, Mike came back to Columbus and volunteered to be the President of our Alumni Corporation.

Working with the group of mentors he recruited to work with each member of the undergrad executive committee, Mike and his team have helped the undergrad chapter grow to new heights, continue to win Chapter of the Year and Buchanan cups, work through some difficult challenges and, most importantly, maintain our Balanced Man values and principals each year. On the National level he serves as a facilitator for 2 of our key leadership programs, EDGE and Carlson.

Do you know a brother who is deserving of an alumni award for his distinguished career or someone in the past who was outstanding for his service to Sigma Phi Epsilon, either our local chapter or at the national level? If so, please contact John Waggoner at waggonj55@aol.com or 614-406-1690. We need to identify more heroes!

Vetter Impact Award 2017 Winners

build top-quality, driven men, the expectation to be outstanding continues to be promoted and upheld. One prestigious way to recognize the brothers in our chapter that go above and beyond is the Vetter Tom Vetter '10 (Ohio Gamma alumnus and previous chapter president) and his father, Bud, a Bowling Green Sig Ep.

Heinmiller '17 and Kenton Reason '17.

Fournier Campus Involvement Award

Recently we implemented the Fournier Campus Involvement award. A \$1000 scholarship presented to an undergraduate who exhibits strong leadership in University activities. This award is provided annually by Ryan Fournier '08.

Kenneth T. Misener Medical Scholarship

Ken Misener '71 is funding a \$50,000 endowed scholarship for Ohio Gamma undergrads or grad students involved in the field of medicine. The scholarship will pay \$2000 annually and begin in 2019.

SUMMER INTERN GRANTS

- ZACHARY A JOHNSON -**NYC Networking Trip**
- AARON J DADAS -The International Brain Injury Association's 12th World Congress on Brain Injury in New Orleans.
- MASON WHITE -Wall Street Prep Financial Modeling Premium Package course.
- ERIC GREENWOOD -Experiential Public Health in Finland & Estonia

GIVING BACK

SigEp Scholarships Awarded by Giving Donors

DONOR	CLASS YEAR	2017	UNDERGRAD AWARDEE GPA	
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	4074	¢4.000	Mul B	4.00
George Smith	1964	\$1,000	Matthew Davis	4.00
George Smith	1964	\$1,000	Kenton Reason	4.00
S. Ray Lok	1970	\$1,000	Samuel Renner	4.00
S. Ray Lok	1970	\$1,000	Maxwell Scurlock	4.00
Annual Donors-Based on GPA in Chapter House				
Jim Crossley	1970	\$1000	Matthew Inniger	4.00
AVC		\$1000	Theo Coman	4.00
Matt Stoltzfus	2002	\$500	Benjamin Richards	3.941
Wade Guzdanski	2005	\$500	Hunter Bloecher	3.925
Ken Misener	1971	\$500	Carl Bloecher	3.918
James Burkhard	1964	\$500	Nicholas Mitevski	3.896
Gordon Kresheck	1953	\$500	Zachary Salyer	3.868
Mike Zion	2004	\$500	Matthew LeDonne	3.825
Ray Fahrmeier	1964	\$500	Patrick Ferguson	3.676
Jim Doyle	1967	\$500	John Heinmiller	3.675
Mike Roberts	1971	\$500	Curtis Yohman	3.52
Dan Prucha	1972	\$500	Nicholas Topel	3.4
Mark Hallam	1979	\$500	Dalton Rowell	3.333
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Need Based				
Rich Potts	1989	\$500	Bryan King	3.544
Jeff DuBois	1966	\$500	Nicholas Valin	3.325
Brothers not in Chapter House				
Terry Scheiber	1969	\$1000	Andrew Benvenuto	4.00
Dave Wilson	1969	\$1000	Jacob Damge	4.00
Robert Love	1961	\$1000	Jake Hirsch	4.00
Robert Love	1961	\$1000	Thomas McElroy	4.00
Michael Lockwood	1967	\$1000	Nicholas Miller	4.00
Dick Bangs	1968	\$1000	Mason Monahan	4.00
Jim Allshouse	1976	\$1000	Henry Moseley	4.00
Ken Butler	1970	\$1000	Nicholas Pappa	4.00
	1991	\$1000		4.00
Todd Wray	1960	\$1000	Andriy Vlashyn Mason White	
Jim Pfeifer Don and Brett Everhart	1960			4.00 4.00
		\$1000	Sterling Winter	
Nathan Stahl	2002	\$500	Anthony Mango	3.953
Jim Weider	1965	\$250	Thomas Solarek	3.94
Dick Walters	1957	\$250	Matthew Gottshall	3.925
Pete Stroup	1960	\$250	James Roche	3.921
John Tannous	2012	\$250	Benjamin Miller	3.909
Bob Barnett	1971	\$250	Neil Makhijani	3.9
Matt Dornauer	2005	\$250	Nicholas Berry	3.892
Tom McLaughlin	1969	\$250	Joshua Hubbard	3.891
Newell Yaple	1954	\$250	Alex Nickel	3.838
Matt Littman	2014	\$250	Karan Naik	3.875
Brian McIntyre	1969	\$250	Stephen Rudolph	3.875
Andrew Latham	1967	\$250	Eric Greenwood	3.863
Steve Stanford	1971	\$250	Lukas Brorein	3.86
Chris Maskevich	2014	\$250	Melvin Gravely	3.85
Dave Hyre	1976	\$250	Nicholas Grover	3.8
Bradley Brinzo	1988	\$250	Taylor Poole	3.8
Grand Total-Undergrad Scholarships:		\$27,750	46	

HERITAGE SOCIETY



Of the many functions of our alumni corporation, fundraising is one of the most important. We did not have any significant Ohio Gamma alumni fundraising activities before 2000. By 2009, as a result of significantly increased fundraising activities, the Alumni Corporation had received enough contributions to award our first scholarships. By 2014 increased donations allowed us to award over \$30,000 in scholarships annually. To assist alumni brothers who may find it appealing to make donations at their death as a part of their estate plan, the Alumni Corporation has established the Ohio Gamma Heritage Society. To participate in this program, you need to make the Sigma Phi Epsilon Scholarship of The Ohio State University Foundation a beneficiary of your estate, either by Will, Trust, IRA or life insurance beneficiary designation.

Once you have done this, let John Waggoner of the Alumni Corporation know what you have done. You will automatically become a member of the Ohio Gamma Heritage Society and be recognized as such (no dollar amounts will be associated with your donation until it is actually received). The Alumni Corporation can provide additional details if you are interested, and can also direct you to one of several alumni brother professionals who can assist you. Our OSU Development Officer can also assist if desired. Building these long term plans is an important part of insuring our Chapter's future (and over time probably THE most important part). We encourage you to consider becoming a member of the Heritage Society.

MEMBERS OF THE OHIO GAMMA HERITAGE SOCIETY ARE:

Ray Lok
Bob Barnett
Mike Deegan
Richard Hoover
Mike and Nancy Mundorf
James Allshouse
Dr. Milisa K Rizer.

$\underset{\text{Men}}{\text{SigEp}} \mid \underset{\text{Men}}{\overset{\text{Building}}{\text{Balanced}}}$

Each year alumni provide assistance to all in the chapter who would like to attend the Carlson Leadership Academy. So each undergrad member has an opportunity to attend the key leadership program offered by our national headquarters. Our motto since we established the Balanced Man program is "We will be different" and our fraternity focus on leadership development is what makes it so.

Why not join the many brothers who help with funding for Carlson and send any amount to one of the two Ohio Gamma Funds listed on the right. Help us make a difference in the lives of these men.

TWO OHIO GAMMA FUNDS TWO WAYS TO GIVE



IF YOU PREFER TO GIVE TO SIGMA PHI EPSILON SCHOLARSHIP FUND AT OSU:

Make your check payable to The Ohio State University Foundation and indicate in the memo section: "Sigma Phi Epsilon Scholarship Fund 316021." Mail your check to:

The Ohio State University Foundation ATTN: Gift Processing 1480 West Lane Ave. Columbus, OH 43215



IF YOU PREFER TO GIVE TO OHIO GAMMA FUND OF THE SIGMA PHI EPSILON EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

Make your check payable to: Sigma Phi Epsilon Educational Foundation and indicate in the memo section: "The Ohio Gamma Fund." Mail your check to:

> Sigma Phi Epsilon Educational Foundation 310 S. Boulevard Richmond, VA 23220

You can also contribute online to either fund at: http://www.ohiogamma.org/donate/donate-now.

Note: Based on current OSU policy, if you give \$3,000 per year this donation qualifies you for membership in OSU's Presidents Club, and you will be eligible to purchase 2 season football tickets. If you are already in the Presidents Club, extra money given may help improve the location of your seats. Also qualifies for corporate matching.

UNDERGRAD SPOTLIGHT

Brother Jordan Mosely, student member of OSU's Board of Trustee's



Junior Brother
Jordan Moseley
exemplifies what it
means to be a SigEp.
Jordan, an Epsilon,
is active in Ohio
Gamma as well as
in the greater Ohio
State Community.
Over the past few

years, he has become heavily involved in the Buckeye Leadership Fellows, a selective organization dedicated to giving students real world experience on challenging projects. The Fellows tackle one challenge each semester for either a nonprofit, Columbus based company, or a larger, global company.

Additionally, Jordan is one of two undergraduate members of the Ohio State University's Board of Trustees. Here, Jordan works to improve the university for all students and is one of only seventeen voting members. During his term so far, Jordan has been a part of the Master Plan for Ohio State and pushed for tuition freezes for incoming freshman. Jordan, through his role as an Undergraduate Trustee, has spoken for the 45,000 undergraduate students. He continues to support making tuition affordable to undergraduates and their families, similarly, he has supported increasing of need-based financial aid; this further increases diversity at Ohio State. Through Jordan's interactions with the highest ranking officials of Ohio State, he has negotiated his ideas and earned their continued support, which will provide lasting benefits to the students of Ohio State.

Lastly, Jordan has set a high standard for which each and every brother strives to reach. He makes a consistent effort to reach out and help other brothers reach their goals, whether they be academic, professional, or within the chapter. Additionally, he provides a unique perspective as a student from the Appalachian region of Ohio. From this perspective, he continually encourages brothers to push themselves, take chances, and face challenges with enthusiasm as he does every day. Jordan truly exemplifies what it means to be an active SigEp.

FORMAL ROOM

DEDICATED TO COLONEL JAMES D. ALLSHOUSE

Jim was a 1976 grad and an Air Force pilot who flew in the distinguished Wild Weasel's unit during the first Iraq war. The Weasel's set themselves up as targets to bait the enemy's anti-aircraft defenses into targeting them with their radar allowing the Weasel to know where the radar was. This allowed the Weasel or their teammates to target that radar for destruction.

He went on to become Commander of Air Force ROTC and Professor of Air Science at the University of Virginia. He received a degree from OSU in Russian history, and 2 Master's degree's. He was a loving husband to Milisa and father to Kaylin.

In the mid-2000's, when we were trying to start a Foundation for a scholarship program, Jim was not on our "radar". But at one of our events, Jim just showed up. And then he did more. He volunteered his time, he mentored, he advised, he gave very generously to our scholarship campaign. In their estate, Jim and Milisa left the Ohio Gamma chapter a legacy endowment of \$250,000.

Our newly elected Grand President, Chris Bittman, said "Sig Ep needs Heroes". Jim Allshouse was a hero in every way. The



The picture above, shows some of Jim's brothers receiving a duplicate of the plaque to be placed in the Formal Room.





Carl Panke '74, Mark Hallam '79, Dennis Baer '76, Mike Lockwood '67

TO ALL OF THE BROTHERS OF OHIO GAMMA:

Our beloved and talented brother, John Crawford '53, passed away on August 30, 2017 in Columbus, Ohio. He was the biggest fan in OSU football history – attending every home game for 73 years starting in 1943. He was the most loving and dedicated individual I have ever known. He gave of himself and never asked anything in return. John was a proud member of Sigma Phi Epsilon and his life reflected our values.

I first met John when I was going through "Hell Week" in 1955. He took me under his wing and made certain that I was not going to fail. His wife, Harriet, John and my wife Jan and I spent some wonderful vacations together playing golf and dining out. I always called him "my big brother" and I was his "little brother." - Robin Schmidt '56



In Memoriam:

John Crawford - 1953

Colonel Howard Bender - 1955

Richard Lee Hoover - 1955

Sonja L. "Sonny" Wilkinson, wife of Bud Wilkinson - 1957

William Johnston - 1967

Colonel James Allshouse - 1976

Mark Mills - 2016

UNDERGRAD UPDATE FROM FALL SEMESTER



SOUND MIND:

Editor's note: With the negative experiences we are hearing in the news about fraternities, it is nice for our alumni to hear the perspective of our undergrads on why they joined a fraternity. "Dr. J", OSU's Vice President of Student Life believes Greek organizations play an important role in the development of a student. We just need to do the right things and Dr. J believes we are a model for doing things right. This story reflects my understanding of why many of our undergrads join Ohio Gamma.

A New Member's Perspective by Anthony Cuva

"This Fraternity will be Different," Upon the completion of my freshman year, I decided to do some reflecting. I enjoyed my classes, made new friends, and cheered on my football team. It had been a great first year and I became accustomed to collegiate life. However, I felt that I was lacking something. I became complacent with my life and knew I was not living up to my full potential. My goal for Sophomore year was to get involved and do more with my time. I had no intention of joining a fraternity until I met the brothers of Sigma Phi Epsilon.

Like most people, I had a negative perception of fraternity life. I was uninformed, so I decided to put myself in an unfamiliar position and attend the first recruitment event. After leaving the event, I had a completely different idea of what a fraternity was like. I remember having stimulating conversations with intelligent, motivated, and caring members. Finally, I had found something meaningful and felt like I would fit right in. A group of young men who are dedicated to achieving their full potential, whether it be mentally, physically, or spiritually. This was the involvement that I had been looking for. This was not your stereotypical fraternity, this fraternity is built on virtue, diligence and brotherly love.

Since becoming a brother, I have felt much more confident about where I am in my life. I am part of a community. This organization has already helped me become better, and I know will continue to shape my life in a positive fashion. My favorite part of this fraternity is the ability to make an impact from the start. As a new member I have already felt the desire to get involved. Either through interviewing candidates for the Balanced Man Scholarship or writing this article, my 6 weeks as a brother have been filled with incredible opportunities to make a difference. I am truly excited to begin this new chapter of my life. I could not be happier with my decision to show up to that recruitment event and go through with this process. What a difference 6 weeks can make

Grand Chapter Conclave: A Memorable Experience for Logan Kohl

Every two years, Sigma Phi Epsilon hosts a Grand Chapter Conclave for brothers across the nation. This year's conclave embarked on SigEp's 55th conclave and was held in Orlando, Florida from August 2nd through August 6th. Ohio Gamma was fortunate to have three current undergraduate brothers attend as well as a recent graduate brother. Ethan Warner, Jason Littman, Logan Kohl, and Kenton Reason represented our university and fraternity in Orlando.

Throughout the experience, a variety of events took place. Highlights of the conclave experi-

ence included leadership development seminars, networking opportunities with alumni, meeting brothers from across the country, and attending the Gala for the education foundation courtesy of our Ohio Gamma alumni. In addition, our chapter president Jason Littman served as a delegate for our chapter and worked along other delegates proposing new legislation as well as amending current bylaws. The largest piece of legislation that passed was enforcing that all SigEp chapter houses become substance free by 2020. The headliner of all of the conclave highlights was Ohio Gamma earning their 8th straight Gold Buchanan Cup. Buchanan Cups are awarded to the top 10 percent of SigEp chapters and serve as a true mark of chapter excellence. Overall, conclave was an incredible experience. Whether you're an undergraduate or long-time SigEp alumni, you should come to the 56th Grand Chapter Conclave in 2019 that will be held in Houston, Texas.

Chapter Retreat

To kick off the semester with our new members, the first chapter retreat of the school year, organized by Jake Reece, VP-Communications was held on labor day weekend. The retreat began with brothers kayaking on the Scioto River. We had a beautiful day for kayaking and bonding with our incredible brothers, old and new. That evening, the chapter headed to the OSU retreat house for dinner and a chance to discuss our goals for the semester and what we were looking forward to. The retreat concluded with the SigEp Burning Heart Ritual.

Regional Learning Center and Campus Engagement Event

This semester, the RLC(Regional Learning Center) committee led by VP RLC Ethan Warner and campus engagement committee led by VPCE Matt Bango joined forces to put on an RLCE event open to all brothers that would eventually help benefit the SigEp BuckeyeThon team. The RLC committee had been planning to host an event to teach brothers how to use power tools. Meanwhile, the campus engagement committee and BuckeyeThon team captains were brainstorming fundraising ideas. The team came up with an idea that would both raise money for BuckeyeThon and help girls invited to fraternity formals save time making coolers. The team decided to buy coolers, and then sand and prime them so that all girls had to do was decorate them. We were also able to raise money for BuckeyeThon by selling them. Before the men began working on the coolers, the RLC committee hosted their workshop teaching brothers how to safely use power tools, one of which was an electric sander. This workshop was a great example of two committees working together, and sets the framework for a BuckeyeThon fundraiser that can be continued for semesters to come.

Dad's Day

On September 30th, the brother's of SigEp celebrated another successful Dad's Day. Many brothers went golfing at Cook's Creek with their Dads. Brothers also had the option to take their Dad's shooting at Black Wing. Here some experienced brothers showed off their shooting abilities, while other brothers and their Dad's learned for the first time. At night, everyone gathered together for dinner and to watch the Ohio State football team defeat Rutgers. Everyone enjoyed getting to see that their brothers are really spitting images of their Dads!

Chapter Meetings

We have enjoyed some variety at our chapter meetings so far this fall. Many members of our Ohio Gamma Alumni Volunteer Corporation came in to speak at chapter to share with the fraternity what their role was as an AVC. Many brothers hear about how important the AVC is to our fraternity's success, but do not have a lot of experience interacting with these alumni. They also got the chance to talk about what they are doing today and what roles many of them play as advisors to the members of our executive board. After their presentation, the chapter broke out into smaller groups, each led by one AVC member, to discuss the meaning of brotherhood and ask the alumni any other questions they had about the AVC, SigEp, or life. Getting to see the AVC together at chapter was helpful for many brothers to better understand who they are.

The first event of our Balanced Leadership Success Series (BLSS) took place on October 2 in place of our weekly chapter meeting. This year, through the work of brothers Jordan Mosely and Nick Valin, SigEp Ohio Gamma is pairing with the Ohio State University to allow our Balanced Leader Success Series events to count as part of the university's "First Year Success Series". All freshman at Ohio State are required to attend several educational opportunities as part of the university's First Year Success Series. Having these SigEp BLSS events count as part of the freshmen requirement allows the brothers of SigEp to connect with many students new to Ohio State in a fun but educational setting. The first BLSS event this year took place at the union with professional speaker and leadership expert Mark Sanborn, father of brother Hunter Sanborn. Mark Sanborn spoke passionately on the value and development of leadership. He also discussed content from his new book "The Potential Principle", which discusses the ultimate strategy for maximizing your own potential to succeed in both your personal and professional life.

Another event stood in place of chapter this fall, this time counting as our Health and Wellness Standard of Excellence event. The Ohio Union Activities Board hosted the real-life DEA agents behind the hit Netflix show Narcos, Steve Murphy and Javier Peña. The agents discussed their pursuit of the world's first narco-terrorist Pablo Escobar while sharing their often unorthodox advice on working together to achieve success despite challenges. The agents shared their personal stories and some pictures they took themselves to describe their experiences. This event served as a very entertaining way to teach effective leadership, teamwork and split-second decision making amid extreme circumstances.

Brother Mason Monahan organized an event called "Internship Insiders" where brothers from different majors spoke in a panel setting in front of membership to discuss topics related to their past professional experiences. Some of those experiences include impressive and highly-sought after internships, co-ops, lab or research positions, and shadowing experiences in various fields of work and study.

SOUND BODY

Various brothers participated in the Columbus marathon, Pelatonia, and club sports. Additionally all undergrads work on the Sound Body Challenge, a program geared to their individual fitness level.

All of the undergrad material was written by them and coordinated for us by Jake Reese, VP-Communications and Alumni Relations.



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2018 EVENTS



THE 2018 SIG EP GOLF OUTING

Saturday, August 18, 2018

HALL OF FAME EVENT

Friday, October 5, 2018

LOUNGEGATE

Saturday, October 6, 2018 Ohio State University vs. Indiana



Website News

Please visit our revamped website at **ohiogamma.org**.

Here you can access our alumni directory, update your profile, check for upcoming events, read about recent news, how to support the chapter, and more.