



Brothers,

This is your Fall Semester 2013 update for the Alpha Iota Chapter. We hope that this newsletter finds you in good spirits as the holiday season approaches. Our 58 man chapter has made significant strides this summer and post-Chartering and would like to share some of our exciting accomplishments with you!

In this newsletter you will learn several exciting new developments including newly initiated members, convention announcements, our new executive board elect, and the acquisition of a new chapter house beginning in the 2014 school year.

We Have Acquired A Fraternity House!

After a long search, the Alumni Corporation Board and chapter have finally identified and signed a lease for a Chapter Fraternity House. The property address is 1952 Luka Avenue and is in a great location-- a short walk to and from campus and in the heart of the Greek community. This 15 bedroom house will have twenty brothers living-in and a house mom/dad beginning in 2015, and will serve as a meeting place for brothers old and new alike. The lease runs has the potential to run through the 2015-2016 school year and is a great first step in obtaining a long-term property. We have heard many stories from alumni about experiences stemming from living in a fraternity chapter house and look forward to making some great memories of our own. We anticipate having our first alumni event at the house at the beginning of next school year. Mark your calendars for an event in September/early October—more information to come.

Announcements from Convention

This summer Alpha Iota had four members of the chapter attend the National Convention in Phoenix, Arizona (Dylan MacDowell, Cody Nagel, Tyler Wasserman, and Matt Deptola). During Convention, our Colony (at the time) received a Chapter of Distinction Award, both Matt and Tyler were selected as recipients of the Order of the Sphinx Award, and Matt was also selected as one of ten members to receive the McKee Scholarship. Congratulations Brothers!



Pictured Above – Vice President of Social Excellence Tyler Wasserman and President Matt Deptola alongside Assistant Director of Fraternity Recruitment and Development Andy Bremer accepting a Chapter of Distinction Award

Newly Initiated Members from the Fall 2013 class:

- Nate Huntsberger | huntsberger.6@osu.edu
 - Mechanical Engineering
- Andrew Jones | jones.4220@osu.edu
 - Political Science
- David Jurcisin | jurcisin.5@osu.edu
 - Logistics
- Alex McWhirter | mcwhirter.4@osu.edu
 - Civil Engineering
- Ryan Porter | porter.662@osu.edu
 - Psychology
- Anthony Szuhay | szuhay.3@osu.edu
 - Journalism

We recently elected a new Executive Board and want to share the new officer elects and their positions:

- President
 - Cody Nage | Nagel.100@osu.edu
- Vice President
 - Dylan MacDowell | Macdowell.12@osu.edu
- Vice President of Membership Development
 - Anthony Cannon | Cannon.216@osu.edu
- Vice President of Recruitment
 - Connor Hoper | Hooper.98@osu.edu
- Treasurer
 - Jon Conley | Conley.377@osu.edu
- Secretary
 - Justin Soltesz | Soltesz.9@osu.edu
- Sergeant at Arms
 - Braden Stevenson | Stevenson.278@osu.edu



Pictured above – The 1952 Iuka property that will serve as the chapter facility for the foreseeable future!

A Message from recent Alumnus, Nicholas Hampton

As the first alumnus of Alpha Iota since our recolonization, I find myself, unsurprisingly, serving an atypical role in this fraternity. When I think back to my third and final year of my undergraduate experience, I immediately associate most of my memories with Delta Sigma Phi. My role in that final year was not only to serve as a student, a brother, or a Buckeye. It was to also plan for the future ahead; both the fraternity's and mine. As a pledge, I gave my word of honor to Delta Sig, and now as an alumnus, I give that word its weight. To me, being an alumnus of this fraternity is about the responsibility of the individual to carry the reputation of the group. It is less about planning and perfecting the commitment to being a leader, a giver, and a gentleman, and more about enforcing that commitment every day when I wake up.

As I watch Alpha Iota grow every day, I become further excited to see where this group of men will take us tomorrow. From what I had seen as an active member, and even more so now as an alumnus, it remains evident that this extraordinary brotherhood is "all in" to change our society for the greater good. I can't wait to see what happens next.

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Alumni support is very important to us and we would love to meet any alumni who live in the area or are even just visiting Columbus. Any ideas, advice, and even personal stories are very valuable to us and we would love to hear it! If you have anything you would like to share with us, feel free to contact me via email or phone. On behalf of the brothers of the Alpha Iota Chapter at The Ohio State University, we hope you have a great holiday season!

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