



Delta Sigma Phi

Alpha Iota Chapter | February 2017 Alumni Newsletter

Undergraduate News

Brothers,

Another calendar year and academic semester are here and the Alpha Iota chapter is buzzing with activity. Almost 30 new members have been pinned and are currently going through the new member education process to become part of our cherished brotherhood. To celebrate their first step of their transition into Delta Sig, we rented a nearby bar with many friends of the chapter. Everyone has been excited to expand the chapter, welcome the Theta Class, and share the bond that we all hold so dear.

In other news, in the autumn semester of 2016, Delta Sig ranked #2 out of all the fraternities at Ohio State in terms of GPA. While this is a fantastic honor and the entire chapter worked extremely hard to achieve such a high rank, we are always striving to be even better. We fully intend to increase our standards and expectations until we've reached the top.

When it comes to philanthropy, all Delta Sigs are extremely passionate. We had a great showing of members and friends of Delta Sig volunteer and give blood during our first blood drive of 2017. If you would like to volunteer or donate blood at our next drive on March 2nd, feel free to send an email to myself or another



The brothers of Alpha Iota at the last chapter meeting of 2016.

active brother and we will promptly send you further details!

Lastly, our big spring philanthropy event is coming up quickly! Delta Sigma Phi Dog Days will be held on campus from 11:00-3:00 on April 18th. This is an extremely popular event for students and we would love for alumni to volunteer with active brothers to help raise money for a great cause. If you would like to help with this or any of our other events, as always, contact myself for further information. We look forward to hearing from you all soon!

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Letter from the President



Former Chapter President, Isaac Caverly, (left) and current Chapter President, Luke Biasotti (right).

Brothers of Delta Sigma Phi,

Before I get too excited about getting into the future of the Alpha Iota chapter of this great fraternity, first let me say what an honor it is to have the opportunity to serve as President and lead these fine men that we have in our brotherhood. With the leadership of the older brothers and the enthusiasm and character of our recently pinned members, I have no doubt that the future of Alpha Iota is in excellent hands.

Last weekend I attended the 4th Annual President's Academy at Camp Tecumseh, IN, and as I listened to some of the problems that other chapters are having to deal with, it made me extremely proud to know that we truly have one of the finest chapters in the country. Building on the progress and momentum that you all have helped start, this current semester is looking to be our best

yet in all aspects: our social calendar is packed with fun events with other Greek organizations, our philanthropies are steadily growing by the event, and our brothers are closer than ever. I have no doubt that we are well on our way to becoming one of the top fraternities, both here at Ohio State and nationally, and I know our new Executive Board is more excited and driven than ever to turn that dream into a reality.

I encourage all of you to come back and visit at some point during the semester to see the fruits of your labor in action. There is so much more I could say about how excited I am for these next eleven months, but I will leave you with something that I believe will help us create a strong foundation for years to come and maintain the values that make Delta Sigma Phi what it is: our new mission statement:

"To foster the continuous growth of men embodying excellence through authenticity, courage, and passion."

YITBOS,

Luke Biasotti

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