Congratulations Seniors!!

This past Spring 2017 semester we had six Active Brothers complete the requirements to earn a Bachelors degree in their respective areas of study. This is the largest batch of seniors we’ve seen at Alpha Psi in a number of years. Four of six were young members of the Active Chapter in Fall 2013, when we started our turn around efforts.

Each young man was elected to at least one officer position and one committee chair post during their undergraduate tenure. Between the six of them, all seven Chapter offices were represented and all of them were an integral part of leading the Chapter through the recent successes achieved at Theta Xi.

Join us in congratulating them for their esteemed accomplishment of earning Bachelors Degrees from Missouri S&T, and thanking them for their contributions to the betterment of the Chapter during their tenures as Active members! *Snap, snap, snap*. Good on you Brothers! Welcome to the Alumni Chapter of Alpha Psi of Theta Xi!

**A Theta Xi is St. Pat 2017**

For the first time since 1995, the highest position on St. Pat’s Court for the 109th Annual Best Ever Celebration, was awarded to a Theta Xi. Our own Max Rose, AU612 was elected the top honor of St. Patrick for the 2017 Court. Brother Max pledged Theta Xi in Fall 2014 and is studying Mechanical Engineering. Since he volunteered to represent Theta Xi on the St. Pat’s Board in Fall 2014, he was elected the Head of Sales in 2015, and President of the St. Pat’s Board in 2016. Max also served as our own Chapter President. We thank him for representing Theta Xi at such a high level.

**MEET OUR ALUMNI**

AU88 - Jack Toliver
Initiated: 2/14/1954 DOB: 1/23/1935

Brother Toliver was impressed with the sense of purpose and mature judgement of our members. In the early 50s our membership included a large number of Korean War veterans.

BS Metallurgical Engineering-Missouri School of Mines

JD Law-University of Detroit Mercy

Brother Sullivan married Carole (or Jo, as she prefers to be called) on 6/8/1957 following graduation. He is Self Employed at his company, Innovation Partners.

Ed and Jo live in St. George, UT.
They are the parents of Gale, born 25 August 1962.

Ed enjoys reading and playing golf.
1. Actives and friends hanging out in the front yard Friday afternoon.
2. Alumni and Active Brothers gather for a group photo in the front yard.
3. When snake killing duties are complete, AMs store their ‘tools’ in the magnolia tree in the front yard.
4. David Gillcrist (602) is too sexy for this Beer Pong Table.
5. Jacob Finn (590) has his brown bag beers ready for the weekend.
6. Justin Carollo (608) escorted Kaylee Cannon (younger sister of Alpha Psi Brothers Nathen (545) and Daniel (586)) at the Coronation Ceremony Friday Night.
8. St. Pat’s Court 2017 at the Grotto with owner, Michael Greenway (441).
9. St. Pat (Max Rose, 612) and his Court getting a ride on “Ye Old Manure Spreader” during the Saturday Parade.
10. Marshall Beatty (606), and his sister take in the 2017 St. Pat’s Parade together.
11. St. Pat (Max Rose, 612) and his Queen, Tegan Brand, in the Annual Parade.
12. The Reis Clan: Mom, Roxanne; Kevin (627); Sister, Megan; and Dad, Rich (363) take a family photo at the Greeks.
13. Brothers Sam Golden (589), Rich Reis (363), Mike Dunn (229), Mark Schlemeier (372), and Trent Petty (367) gather for a photo op under the Chapter Light.

Visit our website, thetaximst.com for the latest news and photos.
Save the Date Brothers! Homecoming 2017 will be 27-29 October 2017. The Alumni Association of the Alpha Psi Chapter of Theta Xi cordially invites you to the Chapter House for Homecoming 2017 Festivities. We have set an ambitious goal to get over 100 Alumni to attend this year.

1. We will update the Brotherhood on the status of our Fundraising efforts in support of the Capital Campaign to build new Chapter Facilities at 1605 Pine Street.
2. We will provide more details on the milestone schedule to build the Chapter House in 2018.
3. Annual Awards will be announced for Outstanding Alumni 2017; the Alpha Psi Future Leader Scholarship Recipient; and other award we traditionally announce at Homecoming.
4. All Alumni will be issued engraved Homecoming Coins and those who pledged/were initiated in years ending in “2” or “7” will have special annotations for their personal milestone anniversary.

We must make this priority to attend. Check out what we have done and weigh in on what we are wanting to do. If we have a valid email address, you will receive an electronic invitation and all will receive a printed invitation for those of you receiving this via USPS or just shoot us an email at phaphitetas@gmail.com with any news you want to share!

Homecoming 2017 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS
Friday, 20 October 2017
3:00p: Red Carpet Welcome at the Chapter House. Meet the Active and Associate Members, tour the properties (1601, 1603, and 1605 Pine Street) or take a walking tour of campus.
6:30p-9:30p: Cocktail Hour and Dinner at Matt’s Steakhouse (transportation provided to and from the Chapter House beginning at 4:00p).
11:00p-4:00a: Spouse Lunch and Winery Tour (T)
Saturday, 21 October 2017
8:00a-10:00a: Donuts and Coffee at the Chapter House. Open for other Campus activities
11:00a-4:00p: Spouse Lunch and Winery Tour (T)
11:00a-2:00p: Lunch/Alumni Association Business Meeting at Chapter House
2:00p-3:30p: Chapter Meeting and Initiation Ceremony (T)
4:00p: Ground Breaking Ceremony for New House Project
4:30p-7:30p: Cookout Dinner at Chapter House
7:30p-9:30p: Alumni/Active Social at the Chapter House.
Sunday, 22 October 2017
8:00a-10:00a: Donuts and Coffee at the Chapter House
10:00a: Goodbyes and open for other Campus activities.

QUICKNOTES

February
1. Nathan Cannon (AW345); 2. Anthony Richibon (AW3607); 3. Bryan Holdmeyer (AW3653); Cody Bahia (AW3654); 10. Tom Weible (AW3787); 12. Drew Davids (AW440); Matthew Streup (AW533); 14. Greg Fair (AW548); 15. Rob Carsay (AW560); Jeremy Hall (AW472); Tyler Baker (AW358); 16. Rob Swan (AW406); Dan Bellville (AW517); Brandon Daly (AW539); 17. Sean Dietz (AW560); 18. Trent Weaver (AW560); 20. Noah Adelman (AW480); Justin Carrolo (AW608); 22. James Ledbetter (AW597); 25. Mark Burdick (AW549); Mark Lansen (AW516); Josh Warner (AW580); 28. Ed Heckman (AW291); Josh Mahan (AW72)
March
4. Tom Brueggen (AW457); 5. Zach Rylas (AW458); 7. Landon Goldstein (AW381); 8. Ashley Sharp (AW350); 9. Evan Zelkovich (AW348); Aaron Trendash (AW558); 10. Kevin Reis (AW567); 12. Dan Richards (AW470); Frank Canastar (AW181); 13. Mike Zwick (AW454); Ryan Fisher (AW459); Dean Spazy (AW567); 15. Jack Reeves (AW474); 16. Sam Golden (AW559); 17. Mike Dunn (AW229); 18. Aaron Barklage (AW470); 19. Bill Herman (AW245); Ereckson (AW494); 20. Chris Anderson (AW111); 22. Jacob Finn (AW509); 25. Robert Kenmore (AW484); 26. Luke Wittmeyer (AW271); 27. Matt Word (AW488); Darrell House (AW413); 31. Doug Jost (AW319); KC Green (AW473)
April
1. Bill Flatt (AW127); Mark Schlemeyer (AW372); Scott Brit (AW436); 5. Dave Bontempo (AW390); 8. Edward Noonan (AW576); 9. Kevin Moll (AW449); 11. Lawrence Ross (AW304); Chuck Reeves (AW350); Richard "Pancake" Pikus (AW532); 12. Lucco Simoni (AW476); 14. John "Jr." Ilg (AW443); Eric Cloud (AW485); 16. Misty (AW569); 17. John Miller (AW251); 21. Marshall Foster (AW461); 23. Brian Crawford (AW354); John Wecht (AW357); 24. Babcock (AW386); 25. Mike "Broomfield" Cranston (AW521); 29. Theta Xi Fraternity - 153 Year! Jack Burton (AW103)
May
7. Craig Findley (AW494); 9. Charles Church (AW12); James Maxwell (AW302); Bryce Frazier (AW432); 31. Steven Gwaltney (AW502); Ken Goike (AW503); Scott Zelkovich (AW589); 32. June
June
2. Matt Connelly (AW388), Daniel Sloan (AW630), Glennon Watts (AW525); 8. Justin Britz (AW568); 12. Robert Diebenbacher (AW151); Steven "Catz" Catlett (AW548); 16. Kent Storer (AW215); 20. Marshall Foster (AW461); 21. Kevin Meade (AW494); 22. Mike Carnes (AW457); Mike Sallwasser (AW274); 24. Frank Aubin (AW526); 25. Mike Durbin (AW531); Alfredo Martinez (AW603); 30. Paul Nandico (AW348); John Meyer (AW443); Greg "Colonel" Sanders (AW499); Lucas Laughery (AW467); Joe Conoletti (AW172)

Anniversaries

February
1. Chris and Lori Rzewucki (AW146); 7. Nat and Delene Brockett (AW386); 14. Gary and Lisa Farwig (AW458); 16. Greg and Jean Osborn (AW399); 18. Michael and Anna Faith (AW250); 27. Dion and Denise Novak (AW366)
March
April
1. Robert and Katie Diebenbacher (AW515); 5. Matthew and Angela Clipper (AW453); 9. Matthew and Jennifer Fusk (AW521); 18. Matt and Seana Beard (AW437); 27. Ed and Sandi Sullivan (AW201)
May
June
1. Tom and Manuela Blankenship (AW425); Tom and Gretchen Weible (AW378); 2. Adam and Alicia Paddock (AW550); 21. Andrew and Jamie Greenway (AW441); 9. Josh and Heather Buehrer (AW356), Nathan and Amanda Cannon (AW345); 12. Jeff and Karen Scheibe (AW537); 13. Chris and Jeni Esai (AW466); Aaron and Renee Trentham (AW558); 18. Dr. Charles and Julia Church (AW12), Tim and Gina Speer (AW317); 49. Greg and Jacqueline Sanders (AW499); 16. Frank and Elizabeth Monroe (AW556); 20. Mark and Susanne Schlemeyer (AW372); 6. Joe and Darlene Mickes (AW487); 23. Josh and Kelly Bruggar (AW530); 23. Kelly and Collette Bellville (AW380); 29. Greg and Santa Pettit (AW438)

Congratulations!!
Seventy Times Seven, written by our own Tim Speer (317) is nominated for the Christian Small Publishers Book of the Year! Vote at http://www.christianpublishers.net/17votes/
Sean Furman (398) was officially sworn in as a member of the Board of Directors for the World Trade Center 7 Febrary
Brother Nick Ragsdale’s (496) family announced the arrival of Genevieve (Genny) Jane Ragsdale in March 2017.
Dan and Angela Bellville (517, and nephew to Keith and Collette Bellville (380) welcomed their first child, a son, Harlan Anthony Bellville to the world on 24 March. Congratulations to the Bellville family!
Volkan Becker (429) and Lisa Montano tied the knot at their destination wedding in Mexico 11 March 2017!
Chris Hutson (529) and his bride Brietta announced they are expecting their first baby. Due date is September 2017.
Tom and Katie Brueggen (547) have completed the building of their home.
Dylan Stevens (571) and Amanda Clessna tied the knot on 27 May at the Vineyard at Riverbend Chapel!
Glennon Watts (582) popped the question to Taylor Briggs on 30 April. She said YES! Congrats Brother and soon-to-be Mrs. Drama!
Brother Seth Foster was named the recipient of the Mines and Metallurgy Academy Scholar Award in April.

Condolences!!
We grieve with Brother Daniel Sloan (430) on the recent passing of his father.
Ed Mark (174) entered into the Chapter eternal on 26 March 2017 peacefully, in Lihum, surrounded by family.

We want to hear from you Brothers! We are all Brothers in the Bonds of Theta Xi and the accomplishments and challenges you experience in your personal lives are as important to us as they are to you. Please share the milestones of your family with the Brotherhood.
Upcoming Activities & Events

24-25 June 2017; and 29-30 July 2017 - Alumni Work Weekends (Chapter House)
We have 2-3 projects we’d like to complete this summer.  POC: Rich Reis, AΨ363 (636) 240-5166

PRO Days for Fall 2017 New Students - (Rolla, MO)

Friday, June 2
Friday, June 9
Friday, June 16
Friday, June 23
We need Alumni volunteers to help us sell the Theta Xi Experience to Potentials and their parents on campus and during house tours.  Contact our VP of Recruitment and Retention if you are interested.  POC: Volkan Becker, AΨ429 (314.566.2211)

9-28 July 2017 - Hit the Ground Running (Rolla, MO)
Three week summer program that provides a unique recruitment opportunity for us.  POC: Dominic Civettini, AΨ629 (314) 691-2148; Volkan Becker, AΨ429 (314.566.2211)

12-19 August 2017 - Orientation Week (Chapter House)
The last recruitment opportunity before classes start.  Actives will be focused on getting the Chapter House ready for the semester during the day and recruitment events in the evenings.  POC: Dominic Civettini, AΨ629 (314) 691-2148; Volkan Becker, AΨ429 (314.566.2211)

27-29 October 2017 - Initiation Weekend (Rolla, MO)
We will welcome our Fall 2017 Associate Members into the Bonds of Theta Xi Brotherhood.  The more the merrier.  POC: Marshall Beatty, AΨ606 (803.465.3595)

Is your son considering Missouri S&T after high school?  Do you know a worthy young man planning to attend Missouri S&T in the future?  Go to thetaximst.com and submit them for recruitment under “Join Theta Xi”!

Capital Campaign goes Public

In conjunction with our Fundraising Partner, Pennington & Co., a brochure was mailed out via USPS to make our Capital Campaign to build a new Chapter House at 1605 Pine Street public.  Final details are still being discussed, but some key action items have occurred:
1. Purchased properties at 1601 Pine Street and 1603 Pine Street to provide sufficient square footage to support the parking requirements dictated by city ordinance
2. Secured agreements from Brothers Ron Hamme (425) and David Bodeen (435) to provide the services of their company to support the design and building of the final facility
3. Secured $524,389 in pledges from our Alumni so far towards our goal of $1 Million dollars

This campaign is the top priority of the Alpha Psi Alumni Association.  All of our activities directly or indirectly support this effort.  If you haven’t pledged your commitment yet, please strongly consider it.  We can’t do this without the generosity of our Alumni.

Artistic Rendering of New Chapter House Proposal