

FALL 2004

### SAVE THE Date!

Mark your calendars for the Annual Alumni Banquet and Kansas DUs 85th Anniversary, May 7, 2005. Make plans to spend this milestone with your brothers.

More details will follow as the event approaches.

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# THE SUNFLOWER

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### **DU EXCELS IN ACADEMICS** AND RECRUITMENT

reetings from 1025 Emery! We had a great **Recruitment** spring semester and I am excited to update you on the early successes of the fall semester.

### Academics

The Chapter continues to excel in academics. We earned an all-Chapter G.P.A. of 3.07, finishing fifth on The Hill. This was the sixth straight semester with an all-Chapter G.P.A. above 3.0. The scholarship dinner, held Wednesday, October 20, has been greatly improved the last two semesters. We have appreciated increased alumni involvement and those alumni who came to support us.



Dick Wintermote '51 (second from left) and Norv Osborn '52 (far right) lead KU students in a cheer at a 1947 pep rally.

### Campus Involvement

Our Chapter is setting a strong example through campus involvement. Jeff Dunlap '05 is KU's student body vice president and has support from Wes Osbourn '05 as a business school senator. Nick Arthachinda '06 continues his term as IFC vice president of recruitment, and Paul Gregory '05 sits as vice chief justice for the IFC Judicial Board.

The Greg Wilkerson Football Tournament concluded September 27 with Alpha Chi Omega taking the girls' championship. Bringing home the men's championship was our own DU team. The tournament, which is in its 24th year, raised \$3,500 for the Boys and Girls Clubs of Lawrence.

Recruitment Chairmen Paul Lantis '07, Brad Lewis '07, and Nolan Seim '07 have been compiling a recruitment list from in-house member contacts, alumni recommendations, and University sources. Thanks to all alumni who provided recommendations. Your input is crucial, and we hope to continue receiving names throughout the year. We are preparing to send out letters to potential new members for our November 13 recruitment event. This will be our first recruitment event of the fall and we expect a strong turnout.

### Membership

On September 12, we conducted our formal pledging and initiation ceremonies, initiating five brothers and pledging 26 associate members. We are excited about the future contributions this great group of men will make to DU.

A highlight of this semester was a visit from KU basketball legend Danny Manning. Danny joined us for dinner and then stayed for a question/answer session. Topics included the upcoming KU season, the 1988 championship season, life in the NBA, and KU recruits for years to come. Thanks goes to Housemother Shirlie Vaughn for arranging this amazing experience.



Members of the Chapter were honored to have Danny Manning visit for dinner this semester.



## Welcome Fall 2004 New Members

Kansas Chapter is pleased to welcome the following 26 men to Delta Upsilon.

\* Indicates legacy. Legacy's relative is in parenthesis.

#### **Chris Albrecht '08**

Wichita, Kan. Bishop Carroll H.S. National Honor Society, Kansas Honors Scholar, cross-country, golf

### **Tommy Beeler '08\***

Leawood, Kan. Blue Valley North H.S. National Honor Society football, All-EKL, All-Sun County, All-Metro, All-Johnson County, All-State; golf; basketball (Father Scott Beeler '76)

#### Peter Biberstein '08

Manhattan, Kan. Manhattan H.S. National Honor Society; choir, All-State; football; tennis

#### Kyle Byers '08\*

Overland Park, Kan. Blue Valley North H.S. National Honor Society, swimming (Father Lowell Byers '77)

### Brendan Camey '08 Dallas, Texas Creekview H.S. Homecoming King, swimming

#### **Eddie Dickerson '08**

Albuquerque, N.M. Sandia Prep H.S. National Honor Society, Spanish National Honor Society, soccer, basketball Josh Fisher '08 Los Angeles, Calif. Mary Star of the Sea H.S. National Honor Society, National Merit Commended Student, California Scholarship Federation, football, baseball

Zach Fugate '08\* Wichita, Kan. Maize H.S. golf (Brothers Tad Fugate '83 and Todd Fugate '89)

### A.J. Gilbert '08

Chicago, Ill. Barrington H.S. soccer, lacrosse, track, gymnastics

### Will Hendrix '08\*

*Ottawa, Kan.* Ottawa H.S. tennis, basketball (Brother **Drew Hendrix '06**)

### Brian Huntington '08\*

Leawood, Kan. Blue Valley North H.S. National Honor Society football; swimming, All-Metro, All-Johnson County, All-EKL (Brother Jason Huntington '05)

#### Daniel Keating '08 Manhattan, Kan. Manhattan H.S. basketball, football

Greg Laketek '08 Chicago, Ill. Fremd H.S.

football

### Eric Marshall '08

*Topeka, Kan.* Washburn Rural H.S. soccer, All-City, All-League; baseball, All-City, All-League

#### Ben Mayhew '08\*

Wichita, Kan. Bishop Carroll H.S. baseball, All-Conference; football, All-Conference (Brother Aaron Mayhew '05)

#### Matt Metz '08\* Wichita, Kan.

Wichita Independent H.S. football, basketball, golf (Brother Mike Metz '04)

### **Trent Nelson '08**

Manhattan, Kan. Manhattan H.S. National Honor Society, soccer

### Chris O'Neill '08

Leawood, Kan. Blue Valley North H.S. swimming, All-State, All-EKL, All-Metro, All-Johnson County, All-Sun County A new member signs during the formal pledging ceremony on September 12.

Alex Reed '08 Kansas City, Mo. Park Hill South H.S. National Honor Society, golf, All-District, All-Conference; cross-country, All-District, All-Conference; band, All-State, All-District; basketball

### Ross Reichenberger '08

Wichita, Kan. Bishop Carroll H.S. National Honor Society, basketball, golf

Pat Ryan '08 Prairie Village, Kan. Shawnee Mission East H.S.

### Jacob Schirmer '08 Holton, Kan.

Holton H.S. U.S. National All-American Honor Roll; Boys State; track; football, All-State, All-County, All-District; forensics Matt Smith '08 Kansas City, Mo. Oak Park H.S. National Honor Society, soccer, track

### Steve Storm '08

McPherson, Kan. McPherson H.S. National Honor Society, AP Scholar, football, basketball, wrestling, band, Jazz Band

### **Grady Sullivan '08**

Overland Park, Kan. Blue Valley North H.S. track, two-mile state champion; swimming, cross-country, chorus

#### Drew Waldron '08\*

Ottawa, Kan. Ottawa H.S. golf, All-Area; basketball, All-Area (Brother Matt Waldron '06)

### KANSAS CHAPTER BIDS FAREWELL TO FIRST LEGACY William S. Koester, November 1919–January 2004

Kansas Chapter's first legacy passed on to Chapter Eternal in January 2004. William S. Koester '41, the son of Colonel Fred W. Koester '18 passed away in Fullerton, California. Fred was one of the founders of the Kansas Chapter. When Bill was initiated, he was given the pin of Goldwyn Goldsmith, Columbia 1896. This pin is now displayed in the Bunnel Library along with the note that Goldsmith sent to Fred Koester.

According to Mr. Goldsmith's note, he wanted the "first of the new generation to go Delta U" to have the pin that the Chapter gave him at its installation. The pin has the word "Kanza" engraved on the back. A representation of the Kansas Chapter's founders' hard work, the pin stands as a way to remember the Chapter's first legacy.

Bill was a retired magazine editor and

still read the entire *L.A. Times* often writing in with his own edits. He enjoyed politics, listening to music, and spending time with his daughters. His beloved wife, Irma, preceded him in death 20 years prior. He displayed a great amount of courage in his last years and always showed loyalty to Delta Upsilon. His passion and brilliance are truly missed by all who knew him.



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Left: The pin that Goldwyn Goldsmith, Columbia 1896 gave to Bill Koester '41. Center: The pin and letters are on display in the Bunnel Library. Right: A portion of the note that Goldwyn Goldsmith 'YR sent to Fred Koester '18 offering his pin to Bill Koester '41.



### ALUMNI UPDATE

### '30s

**George B. Hamilton '37**, Millbrook, N.Y., is still out and about at the age of 87. He doesn't really see or hear from many DU brothers from 50 years ago but wishes the undergraduate Chapter the best.

### '40s

John R. Fee '47 was his Rotary district's delegate to the Rotary Council on Legislation in Chicago, Ill., this year. He is the retired president and chairman of the board for Mont-gomery Watson Harza. John lives in Arcadia, Calif., with his wife, June. E-mail John at feejohnr@aol.com.

### '50s

John E. Meyer '50 and his wife, Margaret, are settling into their new home in a total care community located in Tulsa, Okla. John enjoys golfing and motorcycling. He sends greetings to all of his DU brothers. His e-mail address is jhawkone@cox.net.

John D. Rockwell '52 and his wife, Jean, live in Santa Rosa, Calif. He is a retired sports medicine consultant. Jack still gets up in the morning after seven heart attacks, five bypass surgeries, two strokes—with the last one in December 2002. He hopes to return to golf soon. Jack also enjoys writing letters, reading novels weekly, walking two miles a day and exercising 30-45 minutes every day. He also loves following KU sports! Contact Jack at jrock45523@aol.com.

**Richard D. Nordstrom '54** has retired after 21 years with California State University as a professor of marketing. He lives in Fresno, Calif., with his wife, Margaret. E-mail Richard at richardn@csufresno.edu.

Roger L. Wood '57 and his wife, Lou Ann, returned to Wichita, Kan., in September for their WHSE 50th reunion. On Sunday evening, Dr. Richard Shaw '57 and his wife, Ruth, hosted a mini DU '53 reunion at their home. Seven pledge brothers, John Rees '57, Jack Holt '57, Bob Simpson '58, Charles Belt '57, Tom Emery '57, Richard Shaw '57, and six wives enjoyed a fun-filled climax to a wonderful weekend. Roger lives in Silverdale, Wash.

### '60s

**F. Alan Coombs '60** is retiring after more than 35 years on the history faculty at the University of Utah. Alan and his wife, Margie, plan to travel a great deal. They toured South Africa last summer and will visit Australia,

New Zealand, Fiji, France, Spain, Morocco, and Portugal this year. E-mail Alan at margiecoombs@comcast.net.

**J. Michael Watson '66** and his wife, Sarah Jane, reside in Makaha, Hawaii. He enjoys retirement and spends time paddling outrigger canoes. His crew just won the annual Molokai-to-Oahu canoe race (Masters Division) for the third straight year. He is also looking forward to watching KU's basketball team in the next year's Maui Classic. Michael hopes to see some brothers there. Mike says Aloha!

**Richard K. Harris '69** is teaching statistics and managerial decision making, in addition to consulting, at Keller Graduate School of Management. Rich also coaches football and lacrosse. Rich lives in Wheeling, Ill., and can be contacted at rharh2000@yahoo.com.

### '70s

A. Scott Davis '73 recently completed the requirements for the Introductory Course for Admission to the Court of Master Sommeliers. Scott and his wife, Karen, live in Ridgeland, Miss., where Scott is a sales representative for Magnolia Marketing. You can reach Scott via e-mail at scottkansas@cs.com.

### '80s

**J. Brandon Greer '84** works for Bechtel Power Corp. as a lead mechanical field engineer on the construction of a 400MW power plant being built for Tuscon Electric in Springerville, Ariz. He and his wife, Suzanne, have one son, Ryan. Brandon can be reached at jbgreer@bechtel.com.

### '90s

Kevin C. Cooper '92 is a police and narcotics officer for the Lenexa Kansas Police Department. He lives in Paola, Kan., with his wife Sara. The couple had their first child, Chip Reid, on January 18, 2004.

Kurtis S. Rhoden '93 and his wife, Dawn, celebrated the birth of their second child on December 16, 2003. Cole Schiller joined Kurt, Dawn, and big sister Paige Elise at their home in Platte City, Mo. Congratulate Kurt at rhoden@gbronline.com.

### 00s

A.J. Austerman '00 is a manager at Wells Fargo Financial in Bloomington, Minn. He was named the 2002 MVP/Marketing Leader at Wells Fargo. A.J. lives in Minneapolis, Minn., with his wife, Erica, who he married in June 2003.

### DU Excels in Academics and Recruitment

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### Intramurals

The Chapter started the intramural season in winning fashion. DU's number one football team is 12-0 entering The Hill tournament, finishing first in our bracket. We won the Kappa Kickoff tournament and our own Greg Wilkerson philanthropy tournament. As floor hockey season approaches, the team hopes to repeat as champions. We are excited about the possibility to regain our spot as one of the top athletic fraternities on The Hill.

### Thank You

My term as president will be ending shortly and I would like to thank all of the alumni for their hard work and support. Without continued alumni involvement, Kansas DU will not continue as a top chapter at KU. Your contributions of time and money have given all of us a great college experience and allowed us to learn and grow as brothers in Delta Upsilon. I would like to extend a huge thanks to my executive vice president, Nathan Rosemann '05, for his hard work and leadership, as well as the entire Executive Board. A fraternity is only as good as the men who are in it. I am extremely proud to be associated with the Kansas Chapter of Delta Upsilon's strong alumni and I feel confident leaving the Chapter in the hands of the leaders of the undergraduate Chapter. It has been an honor serving as the undergraduate president and I will always be proud of my membership in Delta Upsilon and of our many great accomplishments over the last year.



Fraternally, Paul Gregory '05 Chapter President Paul4ku@ku.edu



### THANK YOU ALUMNI! Alumni Contributers Help to Ensure Kansas Chapter's Future

In the spring of 2004, 62 generous alumni contributed \$11,080 to the *Kansas DU Educational Foundation* annual campaign. The ongoing and loyal support of our alumni directly impacts the success of Delta Upsilon at the University of Kansas. Since the fall of 1996 the Educational Foundation has received a total of \$196,064 from alumni contributions. Your commitment is greatly appreciated.

The following is a list of annual campaign contributors to the Kansas Chapter of Delta Upsilon since fall 1996. Donors' cumulative giving totals are listed by giving level. If an error has been made in recording the amount of your gift(s), we sincerely apologize. Please send corrections to the Kansas Chapter of Delta Upsilon, P.O. Box 1611, Lawrence, KS 66044. Thank you again for giving back to the Chapter-it truly makes a difference!

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### PLANNED GIVING ALLOWS MEMBERS TO LEAVE LASTING LEGACY

The opportunity to give back to the Fraternity extends beyond annual giving. Tom Rinehart '57, Charles Heath '64, and Grant Kaufman '92 have made a commitment to Kansas DU through planned giving that will benefit DUs for generations to come.

Chuck cites several reasons for planned giving to KU and DU. Below he describes his decision for setting aside a portion of his estate to both organizations.

"Planned giving can be both a selfish and selfless endeavor. Many bases can be touched including your own home plate. In my case, I have been able to do a Charitable Remainder Unit Trust with KU Endowment and the DU Houston Scholarship Fund as the beneficiaries. Out of this, my spouse and I get an enhanced income for life, a nice tax deduction, capital gains tax avoidance, and the ability through my employer to match part of the gift. The gift's principal is still exposed to the capital markets, thereby enabling it to grow beyond the distributions and enhance the ultimate value for KU and DU. On the charitable side, it has enabled me to recognize two organizations that have had a profound influence on my life...KU and Delta Upsilon. This was a very simple thing to implement and easy to understand. Most importantly, it provides a keen sense of satisfaction for repaying in part the institutions that have enabled me to pursue a lifestyle and career of my own choosing."

Please consider joining the above alumni in the newly formed Heritage Club by including the Kansas Chapter in your estate. Your commitment to the future of Delta Upsilon ensures that the opportunities you had will be available to Kansas DUs for years to come.

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### **Craig Slawson's Daughter Carries Torch at Traditions Night**

At this year's Traditions Night during Hawk Week, freshman Taryn Leigh Slawson, a fifth generation Jayhawk, was one of two freshman representatives to carry the torch into Memorial Stadium on August 16, 2004. The torch represents the knowledge that is passed down Mt. Oread by the upperclassmen.

Taryn's connection to DU is almost as strong as her connection to KU.

- Craig Slawson '80 is her father
- Todd Slawson '84 is her uncle
- Donald Slawson '55 is her grandfather
- Charles Slawson '20 is her great-grandfather

The undergraduate chapter was represented in the ceremony by Nick Arthachinda '06 who carried the torch for the junior class.

### DU SCHOLARS

In spring 2004, 45 Kansas DU members earned a 3.0 G.P.A. or better. Congratulations to the following members for their academic success!

4.0 G.P.A. Chris Colyer '04 Jason Huntington '05 Paul Lantis '07 Matt Fencl '06 Nolen Seim '07

Attention: This newsletter is intended for Kansas DU alumni and parents. If your son is still attending the University of Kansas,

he will receive a copy at the chapter house. If he has graduated, please send us his permanent address to update our records.

### 3.75 to 3.99 G.P.A.

Jon Gray '04 Justin Trombold '04 Bob Bruce '05 Jeff Dunlap '05 Blake Julian '05 Justin Roberts '05 Nathan Rosemann '05 Kyle Cook '06 Paul Paridy '06 Matthew Waldron '06

#### 3.5 to 3.74 G.P.A.

Kyle Schafersman '04 Jason Shanker '05 Ryan Wasinger '05 Neil Miller '07

#### 3.25 to 3.49 G.P.A. Ben Counter '04

Ryan Voth '04 Wes Osbourn '05

Chris Drake '06 Tanner Scott '06 Christopher Markham '07 John McCollum '07 Garrett Moore '07

#### 3.0 to 3.24 G.P.A.

Corey Dunbar '04 Scott Steele '04 Grant Thompson '04 Jacob Wilson '04 Scott Bradford '05 Matt Fray '05 Paul Gregory '05 Wes Ingermanson '05 Ryan Standefer '05 Ben Van Ness '05 Nick Arthachinda '06 Drew Hendrix '06 John Hollenberg '06 Matt Morrison '06 Jared Wharton '06 Eeman Akhtar '07 Eric Johnson '07 Justin Kreikemier '07

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