

## Greek Leadership Awards

Congratulations to all of this years award winners. It is the hard work and cooperation of all the members of the Greek Life Community that help contribute to the overwhelming success of many programs and philanthropic endeavours here at the University of Akron. Below is a list of this years award winners:

Award	Sorority	Fraternity
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### Academic Awards

Chapter Academic Excellence:	KKΓ	ΦΚΤ
New Member Academic Excellence:	KKΓ	ΣΝ
Scholastic Achievement:	KKΓ	ΦΚΤ
Most Improved GPA:	ΔΓ	ΣΝ

### Activities & Programming Awards

Academic Programming:	ΑΔΠ	FJI
Alumni Outreach:	ΑΓΔ	FJI
Campus/Greek Involvement:	ΑΓΔ	ΑΣΦ
Member Development:	ΑΔΠ	ΛΧΑ
New Member Development:	ΑΓΔ	ΛΧΑ
Recruitment Excellence:	ΑΔΠ	ΑΣΦ
Public Relations:	ΑΓΔ	FJI
Risk Management:	ΑΔΠ	ΛΧΑ
Overall Sports:	ΑΔΠ	FJI

### Service Awards

Edna A. Gainer Service Commitment:	ΔΓ	TKE
IFC Philanthropic Excellence:		ΦΚΤ
Desiderata (PHC Philanthropic Excellence):	ΔΓ	

### Overall Awards

NPHC Spirit Award:	ΖΦΒ	ΑΦΑ
Interfraternal Award:		ΛΧΑ
Panhellenic Award:	KKΓ	
IFC Sportsmanship Award:		ΑΣΦ
PHC Sportsmanship Award:	ΑΦ	
Most Improved Chapter:	KKΓ	ΣΝ
Dean's Cup (Gold):		ΛΧΑ
Dean's Cup (Silver):		ΑΣΦ
Dean's Cup (Bronze):		FJI
Praestantia(Gold):	ΑΔΠ	
Praestantia (Silver):	ΔΓ	
Praestantia (Bronze):	KKΓ	

### Individual Awards

Dan L. Buie Advisor of the Year:	Chris Tankersley (From FJI)
Distinguished Alumni Service Award:	Dan Buie (From TKE)
Apple Polisher (Faculty of the Year) :	Susan Gainer (From TKE)
Order of Omega Thomas J. Vukovich Award:	Jason Moore (FJI) Anthony LuVullo (ΘΧ) Amy Hansen (ΔΓ) Meghan Kovach (ΑΦ) Bethany Tucker (ΑΔΠ) Marion Fuqua (ΖΦΒ) John Cain (ΛΧΑ) Amy Kovacevich (ΑΔΠ) Justin Carroll (ΦΔΘ)
Brian Breitholz Scholarship:	
Order of Omega Scholarship:	
Chapter President of the Year:	
Greek Woman of the Year:	
Greek Man of the Year:	

## Chapter Reports

### Alpha Delta Pi

This semester has been very eventful for the women of Alpha Delta Pi! Many of our members participated in Up Til' Dawn and Greek Night at the Jar. Alpha Delta Pi also held our Four Point Diamond Recognition ceremony where members were acknowledged for achieving leadership, outstanding scholarship, sisterhood, and service. Recently, Alpha Delta Pi held our Lion Share Bowling Challenge Tournament. The Chapter raised 310 dollars for the Ronald McDonald House. We would like to thank everyone who participated! We would also like to recognize all of our members who were inducted into Greek Honoraries: Katie Grieve- Rho Lambda, Order of Omega; Danielle Wylie- Rho Lambda, Gamma Sigma Alpha; Laurie Dalessandro- Rho Lambda, Order of Omega; Brittany Durra- Rho Lambda, Order of Omega; and Maggie Graeter. We are so proud of the all these women! At the Greek Leadership Awards this year, Alpha Delta Pi received the following awards: Academic Programming, Recruitment Excellence, Overall Sports, Risk Management, Membership Development and Praestantia. We would like to congratulate everyone who took home awards this year! Have a great rest of the semester and good luck with Songfest!

### Alpha Gamma Delta

Alpha Gamma Delta has had a very successful spring semester. We have 11 new pledges that will be initiated in late April, to reach our chapter total of 65 women. March started with many of our sisters attending Greek Night at the Jar to support our men's basketball team who were MAC champions this year. This was followed with two sisterhood events within the next few weeks and the Greek Life Awards. Our annual Cornhole tournament was a success; we raised nearly \$400 for the Alpha Gamma Delta Foundation; thank you to everyone who helped and supported us! On April 4th is our International Reunion Day with our alumnae chapter.

Also we are looking forward to Relay for Life and Songfest coming up in late April. Currently we have raised the second highest amount of money for the American Cancer Society for Relay. Our Red Rose Formal is the 25th of April, which will be a great way to conclude our spring semester activities before exams begin. Our summer projects include various volunteer opportunities and workshops to get ready for the following year! Thanks to all the UA Greeks for a great semester!

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## Alpha Phi

The lovely ladies of the Eta Gamma Chapter of Alpha Phi have had a wonderful semester so far and are looking forward to a great summer. The new executive officers attended Regional Conference where we were recognized and received many awards. COB's this semester proved, yet again, to be extremely successful as we welcomed 10 outstanding women into our chapter. Not only have we been flourishing with our new members, but we have also been very productive on our philanthropy front. We recently held our 3rd annual Red Dress Gala, a spectacular night of dinner, dancing, and a silent auction with family, friends, and other people in the Greek community. Over the course of the night we were able to raise \$2800 for the Alpha Phi Foundation. Alpha Phi was also extremely proud and honored to win the Sportsmanship award at the GLA's this year. We took 2nd place in the volleyball league and are hoping to be returning champs in basketball this year. Alpha Phi wishes all the chapters a great rest of the semester and good luck on all finals!



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## Alpha Sigma Phi

The brothers of Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity are proud to celebrate their second year on the University of Akron. Always living up to the tenets of Silence, Charity, Purity, Honor, and Patriotism, the "Gentlemen on campus," a title held dear by every Brother, have yet again proved what it means to be a true Alpha Sig. This semester we have engaged in many socials with the different Greek organizations on campus, fared well and competed with honor in intercollegiate sports, participated with internationally recognized philanthropy organizations, been recognized as a chapter of excellence by Alpha Sigma Phi nationals, lead brothers from other chapters and out own in a nationally acclaimed leadership institute, and so much more. We have also kept our grades among the top of any fraternity on campus. Much to the pleasure of our chapter and alumni, we were recently recognized by our national headquarters for our outstanding philanthropic work and we will soon be featured in our national magazine, The Tomahawk. For the upcoming fall semester, we hope to bring in more quality gentlemen into our Mystic Circle and broaden our reach in the University of Akron and the city as a whole. For any addition information, please contact President Logan Mellert at [lrm4@uakron.edu](mailto:lrm4@uakron.edu) or Communications Director Scott Abrams at [sda18@uakron.edu](mailto:sda18@uakron.edu).



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## Phi Gamma Delta

We all know the end of the semester is quickly approaching. With the end of every semester, finals week adds a lot of stress to everyone's lives. The week before finals is probably the most stressful, so the men of Phi Gamma Delta and members of Campus Focus at the Chapel are throwing a party, our annual Spico de Mayo. This will be an enjoyable study break including music, volleyball, and an opportunity to make new friends. Details about the date and time will be announced soon.

Coming up this semester is the annual Relay For Life on April 17th and 18th to help support the American Cancer Society (ACS). We are taking part in this event to raise money for cancer research and treatment. We look forward to helping the ACS reach their goal of \$50,000. We hope to do this with fundraisers based around our state, Nebraska. Also, coming up this summer we have our annual graduate golf outing. This event will bring Phi Gamma Delta graduates from all over the State of Ohio to Akron, to participate in an all day golf outing. We wish everyone the best of luck for the remainder of the semester.



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## Phi Kappa Tau

As the semester is coming to an end, we will be holding two fun and exciting philanthropy events to take a break and unwind. Our ultimate trivia challenge comes first where we will be hosting a game show in which teams will compete in a family feud style trivia game. We are in the final stages of preparing for our fourth annual volleyball tournament in which we have many exciting features. Get your teams together and come out and have some fun. There will be food, cornhole and

fun for all those waiting to participate in the tournament. We also look forward to relay for life to support

We are pleased to announce that Brother Jeff Harraman has been accepted into grad school at The University of Cincinnati. Education is a very valuable asset and we are all proud of his accomplishments. This summer we will be helping our alumni with their annual golf outing which raises a lot of money for our philanthropy. Active brothers will be helping to set up and coordinate the event as well as participating. If you would like to set up a team please contact us. It is one of the best golf outings you will ever witness. Prizes, food, and gifts will be given away. Come out and support us.

Also this summer, the Brothers of Phi Kappa Tau will be traveling to experience an exciting brotherhood event of white water rafting. This trip will help build our character and build our trust in each other and the teamwork that we must use in our organization.

Things have been gone rather well this semester as we look forward to participating in the final events held by the other chapters here at the University of Akron this semester. Keep up the good work, focus on those books, and good luck to everyone in the closing of this semester!

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## Phi Sigma Kappa

The men of Phi Sigma Kappa have been very busy throughout the past semester. We participated in Songfest with the women of Alpha Gamma Delta, held our first annual Miss Phi Sig Beauty Pageant, participated in Relay for Life, celebrated our Founders Day and held our annual Formal. After this hectic semester, we are all looking forward to enjoying our summer break. In the beginning of August, six of our brothers will be attending the 62nd General Convention and Shonk Leadership School, which will be held in Boston, Massachusetts. We all look forward to associating with brothers from around the country while developing our character and leadership skills. We are also looking forward to beginning another semester in the fall. We are excited to begin recruiting new members as we strive for academic success!

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## Sigma Alpha Epsilon

The men of Sigma Alpha Epsilon are looking forward to finishing out a fantastic spring semester and move on to a more beautiful summer. This spring has flown by faster than we imagined as we make further progress on our chapter house, having a salsa dance social with the ladies

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of Delta Gamma and being involved in the Relay for Life. As we finish out the semester, we look forward to participate in all Greek Life philanthropies and hosting our own Patty Murphy on April 20-25. Shortly there after finals will be not too far away as we try to obtain a 3.0 active chapter grade point average again. This summer is jammed packed with our new fundraiser with the Cleveland Indians, the 107 Nation Convention, and our continuous house project. We plan to have our chapter house completed just in time for fall semester. With the completion with the new football stadium we plan to be hosting cook outs, corn hole and other fun acuities before every football game. For any questions or concerns feel free to contact Kurt Warther at [krw25@uakron.edu](mailto:krw25@uakron.edu)

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## **Tau Kappa Epsilon**

TKE wishes all the students and faculty a safe, relaxing Summer Break. **Battle of the Great Lakes Powerlifting Competition:** This March several of our members assisted at the “Battle of The Great Lakes” power-lifting event held by Big K’s Power Meets in Strongsville. The members of Tau Kappa Epsilon Present assisted in setup, spotting, and racking weights for the lifters for the weekend and made a few very large friends along the way. The chapter accumulated over 1000+ service hours combined among those who participated. The chapter will also be assisting in other lifting events. **Walk-A-Mile In Her Shoes:** Walk a Mile in Her shoes is an International March to raise awareness and stop rape, sexual assault and gender violence. The even consists of all the male participants walking in heels and other feminine footwear to raise awareness of violence against women. Tau Kappa Epsilon has been involved with the Akron edition of the race for the last 4 years and it has always been a success. As always, the chapter invites all of the Greek community, students, and faculty to participate and donate. Money raised benefits the Rape Crisis Center of Medina. Help make this year’s keep in tradition with Walk-a-Mile’s past successes **Greeks in the Streets:** The chapter will be participating in the campus wide Greeks in the Streets service event with the rest of the Greek community.

**Alumni Golf Outing:** The chapter will also be holding an event to renew friendships with many of our alumni and raise money for house renovations.