

GAMMA-RHO CHAPTER KAPPA SIGMA FRATERNITY

26th ANNUAL A. L. SLONAKER HALL OF FAME AWARDS



November 8, 2013

Welcome.....

TO THE 26TH ANNUAL A. L. SLONAKER HALL OF FAME & 98TH ANNIVERSARY AWARDS BANQUET

When the local Delta Phi Fraternity affiliated with Kappa Sigma in 1915 as the Gamma-Rho Chapter, its members established a tradition of excellence and brotherhood which has been cherished and nurtured by each succeeding generation of members.

As of today, approximately 1,700 men have been initiated into the Brotherhood. There are now approximately 1,200 living Gamma-Rho alumni who, with few exceptions, were members of an active chapter that was the clear leader on the University of Arizona campus. Year after year, as individuals and as a group, the men of Gamma-Rho have distinguished themselves with high academic standards, excellence in athletics, and campus leadership.

The dimension of brotherhood has always been the chapter's greatest strength. Many close ties which began in the chapter have flourished for entire lifetimes. Large numbers of alumni are residents of the same communities, while others still sharing the bond live across the country from each other. The common interests of Gamma-Rho brothers have changed in many cases but the beginnings of friendship always go back to their association in the fraternity.

While this year marks our 98th year on the Arizona campus, it also is the 26th Annual Hall of Fame Awards Banquet. Conceived as a way of honoring alumni for outstanding achievements, this award has become an integral part of the tradition at Gamma-Rho. Inductees are among a select group of alumni. Recognition is given to those who have excelled in their career, in their service to the community, and/or to the fraternity. In conjunction with the A. L. Slonaker Hall of Fame inductees Gamma-Rho also honors an alumnus as the Mike Cagalj Man of the Year and recognizes several other alumni and undergraduates for awards.

We hope you enjoy your weekend and plan to make it back in the near future.

Program

Introduction of Special Guests

George Jenson '82

State of the Chapter Presentation

Nic Martino '13, *Grand Master*

House Corporation & Foundation Update (Century Club)

Matt Noble '84, *Alumni Chapter President*

Presentation of Undergraduate Awards

Greg Mammanna '90, *Alumnus Advisor*

Presentation of Scholarship Awards

John Turner '70, *Educational Foundation President*

Presentation of the A. L. Slonaker Hall of Fame Inductees

George Jenson '82

Presentation of the Mike Cagalj Man of the Year Award

George Jenson '82

Good of the Order

2013 UNDERGRADUATE AWARDS

Don Harris Outstanding Pledge – Sam Guterman

Top Active GPA Award – Zach McCormick '13

Joel Rapp Spirit – Spencer Stathis '13

Carl Cooper Outstanding Intramural Athlete – Stephen Crim '13

George Jenson Ritual Award – Nick Maccrone '13

Taylor Heidenheim House Manager Award – Drew Delgado '13

Pete Parker Hustle – Jake Gorski '13

Branden Lombardi Community Service – Sam Turner '13

Eric Stevenson Campus Involvement – Dylan Christopher '13

Ryan Anderson Outstanding Active Award – Kori Hazel '13

David Stallings Outstanding Officer – Holden Havlick '13

Matt Noble Outstanding Senior Award – Nick Macarone '13

2013 SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

Bologna Scholarship

Eric Baker '13

Stephen Crim '13

Ryan Henry '13

Nic Martino '13

Manny Rodriguez '13

Gamma-Rho Leadership Scholarship

Holden Havlick '13

Nick Maccarone '13

Top Pledge Scholarship

Sam Guterman

Delta Phi Scholarship (Awarded early Fall)

James Dang '13

Kori Hazel '13

Elnor Scholarship

Stephen Crim '13

Lytle Scholarship

James Dang '13

Barnes Scholarship

Manny Rodriguez '13

Cagalj Scholarship

Nic Martino '13

Macia Scholarship

Dylan Christopher '13

Whaley Scholarship

Nic Martino '13

Richard Tear '71

Brother Tear is part of a line of Kappa Sigmas. His father, Harry Tear II was a '48 initiate and founder of Epsilon Mu Chapter at the University of Tulsa and his brother, Harry "Hank" Tear III was initiated into Gamma-Rho in 1970. And, more recently, his son Kevin was initiated into Gamma-Tau at Colorado in 2012.

As an undergrad at Arizona he began his sales career selling ads for the Daily Wildcat. He was an active participant on Kappa Sigma's various intramural teams including football, basketball, soccer, and four straight years with the champion volleyball team. He also served as Social Director in 1972. He earned his B.A. in Political Science in 1974.

Following time with American Express and Boise Cascade Corporation in the mid-80's Brother Tear founded a computer systems integration company named CSCI. Following 22 years of growth the company was sold to Iomega Corporation in 2006. Rich repurchased a portion of the company in June of last year and has been acting CEO since. In 2006 CSCI was named Managed Services Provider of the Year by Juniper Networks.

Brother Tear is active in his community, having served on the board of directors for the San Diego Chapter of the Red Cross, the La Jolla Branch of the YMCA, and recently helped in founding a regular La Jolla food drive known as "Second Saturday Club" in conjunction with Feeding America San Diego.

He has also remained active with Gamma-Rho, particularly during house construction and follow-up.

"Gamma-Rho was introduced to me by my brother and his Kappa Sigma brothers in the house and it meant a lifetime of friendships and part of a greater organization to stay attached to for life. Obviously with my brother, my father, and now my son all Kappa Sigmas the fraternity means more than just an organization but also an extension and part of my family. I have seen brothers support the chapter and the organization for entire lifetimes which serves as an incentive and inspiration to me."

Scott Gimple '90

Brother Scott Gimple was attracted to Kappa Sigma because it was not the stereotypical fraternity.

“Kappa Sigma - and Gamma-Rho more specifically - was a place to work with people with a common goal. We were a small house that was not the traditional ‘frat house’. We prided ourselves on being different and eclectic. Gamma-Rho was the geeks, jocks, social misfits, frat guys, stoners, and everything in between. The diversity of the brothers in the house is what made us special. “

As an undergrad Scott was active within the chapter, serving as Pledge Educator and Grand Procurator. He was also a member of the University of Arizona Soccer Traveling Team. He graduated in 1992 with a B.A. in Political Science and a minor in business. He later earned an MBA from Pepperdine in 2005.

After college, Scott began his career working at American Protective Services as a management trainee. He would later work with Universal Studios, Hollywood as Director of Security, Recreational Division, as well as Head of Security, Safety and Travel for DreamWorks S.K.G.

Scott’s love of the fraternity has kept him involved as an alumnus; he has served on the Gamma Rho Housing Corporation Board, including time as the board’s secretary.

His love of soccer has also continued. Scott has been a volunteer soccer coach and referee for AYSO for 15 years, including as a coach for children with special needs. His passion is now his career, as he is currently the National Director of Player Development and Events for AYSO.

“The experiences at Gamma-Rho helped me learn to appreciate the differences in others and how those differences developed a much stronger team than if we were all the same. I look back and appreciate it more now than I did as an Undergraduate.”

“Kappa Sigma today is about the friends and brothers that have been supportive over the past 20 years. It is the one-hour calls with brothers to catch up and laugh about life; complaining about bosses and frustrations of working and raising a family. The one-hour phone calls about promotions, new job opportunities, family success, achievements, and bragging about the kids. It is meeting the brother in the neighboring city for a Sunday breakfast. It is about meeting up with a brother for a drink in a city on the other side of the country that we both are visiting for work. It is about having a brother being the minister for your wedding. And it is having brothers and friends from Kappa Sigma show up at your daughter’s funeral to give support even though you have not seen them in years. It is really about being an extended family that you always have a connection with even when you live thousands of miles away or you have not talked in year.”

Ethan Orr '94

Brother Ethan Orr is the Executive Director of Linkages, a statewide organization dedicated to helping people with disabilities and Veterans find employment, a State Representative, a small business owner and a faculty member at the University of Arizona. Initiated into Kappa Sigma in 1994, Ethan completed two undergraduate degrees and a Masters of Public Administration from the U of A and has taught in the Political Science Department for over 12 years. Last year his non-profit agency helped 855 people find employment. Ethan is a freshmen member of the Arizona State House of Representatives and serves as the Vice Chairmen of the Higher Education and Workforce Committee, as well as a member of the Judiciary and Energy and Natural Resources Committees.

He has also served as the Director of Economic Development for the City of South Tucson, and a Council Aide and the Director of the Empowerment Zone for the City of Tucson. At both cities he created programs that received national recognition for their effectiveness. He has served on a number of Boards including the Joint Legislative Task Force on Homelessness, The Governor's Rehabilitation Advisory Council, and the Greater Tucson Leadership Council, Ethan has been married for 12 years and has three wonderful children, all of whom love going to U of A games and being part of the Wildcat Family.

For Ethan Kappa Sigma was about more than friendship, the relationships that he built in the fraternity are still an important part of my life almost 20 years later. Ethan credits Kappa Sigma with helping him develop leadership and interpersonal skills. As a student Ethan was extremely involved in the campus community, including serving on the ASUA Senate, Kappa Sigma was the foundation of his campus involvement and the part of student life that he enjoyed the most.



Pat Moran '92

Brother Moran has a long, active history with Gamma-Rho Chapter. Initiated in 1992, Brother Moran went to work for the fraternity and hasn't stopped since. As an active, his involvement included serving terms as Social Chair, Neighborhood Relations Chair, Grand Master of Ceremonies, and Rush Chairman. Patty Mac also served as Vice-President for Public Relations, Inter-Fraternity Council.

After graduating with a B.A. in '97, he was off to attend Law School at the University of Wyoming. While working towards his JD (received in 2000), he still found time to help out the fraternity by serving as an Alumnus Advisor for Delta-Gamma Chapter of Kappa Sigma.

Brother Moran returned to Tucson in 2000 and started a three-year stint as a Public Defender for the city. He now is the owner of his own firm, the Law Offices of Patrick Alan Moran.

He has continued to serve Gamma-Rho as an Assistant Alumnus Advisor and Alumnus Advisor from 2000 through 2009, and upon our return to campus he stepped up as our Assistant Alumni Advisor overseeing the Grand Procurator. And when not advising undergrads in the fraternal capacity, when boys will be boys, he has taken a page from Bill Risner '62's book and has been known to advise them in the legal capacity as well.

He and his wife, Jolena, have a five-year-old daughter, Keely.



KAPPA SIGMA MEN OF THE YEAR

1942 James Macia '35

1962 Paul Fannin '26

MIKE CAGALJ MEN OF THE YEAR

1953 Harold Schwalen '15

1954 Linc Wilson '17

1955 A.L. Slonaker '18

1956 Tom Wallace '18

1957 Brad Tolson '48

1958 Chuck Arnold '48

1959 Ned Darnall '49

1960 Boyd Allen '26

1961 Frederick Stofft '26

1962 Paul Fannin '26

1963 Paul Newell '46

1964 Tom Salyer '51

1965 Roy Lassetter '31

1966 John Murphy '31

1967 John Henkel '49

1968 James Corbett '46

1969 Brack Whitaker '43

1970 William Frey '39

1971 Charles Sullivan '61

1986 Don Langlais '82

1987 Charles Pickrell '40

1988 Tom Chandler '41

1989 Tom Keating '62

1990 Pat Murphy '65

1991 Mike Cagalj '58

1992 Don Harris '59

1993 Doyle Shipley '62

1994 Matt Noble '84

1995 George Jenson '82

1996 Loren Jackson '37

1997 Stew Elner '60

1998 Robert Fickas '64

1999 Verne Seidel '47

2000 Edward Buckley '59

2001 Carl Russell '59

2002 Dave Stallings '67

2003 Taylor Heidenheim '71

2004 Ryan Anderson '94

2005 John Turner '70

2006 Bill Risner '62

2007 Gary Foster '62

2008 William Steve Dean '84

2010 Earl Pottinger '48

2012 Greg Mammana '90

2013 Pat Moran '92

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2013

Richard Tear '71
Scott Gimple '90
Ethan Orr '94

- 1987** Horatio Butts '25
Paul Fannin '26
James Ewell '33
John McPherson '36
Loren Jackson '37
Charles Pickrell '40
Vernor Lovett '48
Brad Tolson '48
Bill Smitherman '51
Skip Kent '57
Mike Cagalj '58
James Gardner '59
Karl Johnstone '60
Bud Alessio '61
Tom Keating '62
Bill Risner '62
Fred Stofft '62
Leo Gillespie '72
Fred Chin '80
- 1988** Gordon Cauble '37
Tom Chandler '41
Howard King '48
Leonilo Larriva '51
Robert Campbell '53
Mac Magruder '63
Pat Murphy '65
- 1989** James Macia '35
Grant Williams '42
Frank O'Bryan '52
- George Noon '54
Don Harris '59
Gary Foster '62
Bruce Lawrence '67
- 1990** Lincoln Wilson '15
Jack Thompson '33
Carl Cooper '40
Don Fickas '60
Bob Fickas '64
- 1991** James Miller '23
John Henkel '49
Taylor Hicks '56
Dick Stull '64
David Smith '72
Matt Noble '84
- 1992** Boyd Allen '27
Tom Finley '36
Bill Dent '40
Jim Negri '42
Verne Seidel '47
Charles Sullivan '61
Todd Smith '80
- 1993** Cecil Hudnall '24
Ralph Deal '26
Bud DeWolf '31
Dirk Frauenfelder '55
Jim Sherman '59
Doyle Shipley '62
George Jenson '82
Gary Long '90
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1994 Andy Tolson '23
Taylor Hicks '27
Lee Matsch '54
Jim Klein '63
Richard Carter '65

1995 Tony Morales '46
Ned Darnall '49
Art Tanner '52
Steve Lawrence '60
Mark Villalpando '80

1996 Sid Woods '35
Frank Barreca '46
Stephen Chabre '62
Dave Stallings '67

1997 Harold Schwalen '15
Walter Armer '37
Earl Pottinger '48
Edward Buckley '59
Stewart Elner '60
Philip Carrott '66
George Smith '93

1998 Karl Dennis '39
Carl Russell '59
John Pfeffer '62
Dave Murray '93

1999 Roy Young '38
Brackston Whitaker '41
John Layne '56
Taylor Heidenheim '71

2000 Louis Clark '31
Joe Dozier '46
Chad Brucker '57

2001 Bob White '48
Otto Verch '52
Don McGrath '60
John Turner '70

2002 Jerry Cessor '57
Russel Carter, Jr. '61
Quentin Rench '63

2003 Dee Lesle Wooddell '40
Bill Lowell '41
Michael Logan '67
Duke Schwartz '81

2004 Sam Antcliff '61
Steve Dean '84

2005 Zenas Noon '24
Ted Fowler '50
Chuck Lytle '59
Steve Huntsberry '62
Steve Inman '65
Eric Stevenson '82

2006 Gene Morris '48
Robert Levin '71
Randy Christensen '89

2007 Malcolm Mathes '67
Mark Casey '82

2008 John Mattis '66
Eliot Kaplan '82
Ryan Anderson '94

2010 Mark Sellers '69
Pat Moran '92
Branden Lombardi '01

2011 Edward Truman '69
Pete Parker '88
Michael Honigstein '91

2012 Mike Rogers '60
Terry Leonard '94



*Not for an hour... a day...
or college term only... but for life.*



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