Acknowledgements

As we reflect on the accomplishments of the MTSU Greek Community over the past year, we would like to take the time to thank those who have been central to that growth and development.

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Dr. Gene Fitch, Dean of Students
Dr. Danny Kelley, Associate Dean of Students
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Libby Magill, Murphy Center
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Caroline Bizot, Assistant Director of Admissions, Lambda Theta Alpha

Gayle Boyd, Chapter Advisor, Delta Sigma Theta
Marshall Campbell, Kappa Alpha House Corporation Board
Megan Carter, Chapter Advisor, Alpha Delta Pi
Dr. Jennifer Kates, English Instructor, Alpha Omicron Pi
Monique Denney, Lambda Theta Alpha Alumna
Chelsea Goodwin, PHC President, Alpha Omicron Pi
Ashlee Gray, President, Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc.
Isabelle Harden, President, Chi Omega
Chassen Haynes, Chapter Advisor, Sigma Nu
Dustin Hensley, IFC President, Kappa Alpha
Warren Isenhour, Alpha Phi Alpha
Troy LeForge, Executive Director, Alpha Omicron Pi
Terri McMoore, President of MGC
Lindsey Middleton, President, Kappa Delta
Bryan Nale Chapter, Advisor, Sigma Chi
Dr. Deanna Raffo, Professor, Leadership Studies
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Tim Strobl, House Corp. Board, Sigma Alpha Epsilon
Kim Taylor, Chapter Advisor, Alpha Chi Omega
Chris Todd, President/IFC Treasurer, Sigma Chi
Mike Venable, House Corporation Board President, Alpha Tau Omega
Year in Review

Dear Friends of the Fraternity and Sorority Life Community at MTSU,

During the 2009-2010 academic year, the MTSU fraternity and sorority community experienced growth and development in some areas, and were challenged in others. The Greek Life Annual Report is intended to highlight the achievements of the Greek community over the past year, as well as identify opportunities for improvement. There are many significant accomplishments that made the 2009-2010 academic year a success. Some of the highlights are as follows:

- The formation of the Multicultural Greek Council. The Multicultural Greek Council was formed in September of 2009 and serves as the governing body for Lambda Theta Alpha and Lambda Theta Phi.

- The addition of three fraternities (Kappa Sigma, Lambda Theta Phi, and Iota Phi Theta), and the reactivation of one sorority (Zeta Tau Alpha).

- The reactivation of Order of Omega. Order of Omega is a Greek honor society that recognizes juniors and seniors who have exemplified high standards in the areas of scholarship, leadership, involvement within their respective organization and within the Greek, campus and local community. Members are selected from the top 3% of Greeks at MTSU.

- The reactivation of the Greek Life Task Force. The Greek Life Task Force is comprised of students, staff, faculty, advisors, and other constituents that are committed to the MTSU Greek community. This group worked to assess the strengths and weaknesses of the Greek community in an effort to create a strategic plan for the MTSU Greek community.

- Creation of the New Member Education Program. The New Member Education Program serves as an opportunity for new members to become familiar with the Greek community at MTSU. Additionally, members were presented with an anti-hazing workshop.

- Sexual Assault Trainings. The Office of Greek Affairs partnered with the June Anderson Women’s Center to offer these trainings to the fraternity and sorority community.

While we had many successes this year, it is imperative that we acknowledge our challenges. Many of our issues were associated with a lack of commitment to fraternal values. Those challenges included alcohol violations, hazing, poor decision making, apathy, and low accountability amongst the Greek community. As you reflect upon this report, we ask that you begin to think critically about how we partner to create a Greek community that is true to its fraternal values as well as those of the University. As we enter our 41st year as a Greek community, we are embarking upon uncharted territory, and hope that you will join us as we strive to be one of the nation’s premier fraternity and sorority communities.

We thank you for your supporting the fraternal movement and the Fraternity and Sorority community at MTSU, and hope that you will continue your involvement in the future.

Interfraternally,

Angela N. King
Director

Byron Lightsy
Coordinator
Community Statistics

**Service Hours**
Members of fraternities and sororities donated 23,605 service hours to Middle Tennessee individuals and organizations in 2009 – 2010.

**Philanthropic Dollars Donated**
Greek organizations contributed $66,501 to local and national charities in 2009-2010.

27 Non-Profit Organizations Served
- MTSU Foundation
- American Heart Association
- St. Jude Children’s Hospital
- Veteran’s Memorial Hospital
- Make a Wish Foundation
- Children’s Miracle Network
- Girl Scouts of America
- Goodwill of Middle Tennessee
- Habitat for Humanity
- Operation Christmas Child
- Haiti Relief
- Special Needs Prom
- March of Dimes
- MT Symphony
- Tennessee Rehabilitation Center
- Ronald Regan Alzheimer’s Foundation
- Hospitality House
- Red Cross
- AIDS Awareness
- Arthritis Foundation
- Susan G. Komen Foundation
- Exchange Club of Rutherford County
- The Big Event
- Adopt-A-Highway
- Tracy Lawrence Foundation
- Prevent Child Abuse America
- Special Kids

Risk Management Violations
There were 8 IFC risk management violations handled by Judicial Affairs in the following areas: Alcohol Beverage Charge, Hazing, and Conduct Dangerous to Self or Others.

No other groups were found responsible through Judicial Affairs.

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### MTSU Foundation Scholarships for Greek Members

- **Alpha Delta Pi, Epsilon Tau Chapter**
  - Kappa Alpha Order
- **Amy Elizabeth Spain Memorial**
  - Mary Stewart, AKA Sorority
- **Dean Judy Smith**
  - Pi Kappa Alpha
- **Kappa Alpha Psi**
  - Sigma Chi Book
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Brandon Batts, Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.  
Jenni Bewley, Alpha Omicron Pi

**Amy Spain Scholarship 2010 recipient:**  
Lisa Shores, Lambda Theta Alpha Latin Sorority, Inc.
## Awards and Recognition

### Advisor of the Year
- Heather Adams (PHC)
- Paul Wydra (IFC)
- Jimmy Wilson (NPHC)

### Outstanding Senior
- Meredith Howell (Sorority Woman)
- Wil Shults (Fraternity Man)

### NPHC Woman of the Year
- Brittany Hilson

### NPHC Man of the Year
- Brandon Batts

### Outstanding Community Servant
- Donald Abels (IFC)
- Rebecca Cathey (PHC)
- Chelsea Gray (MGC)

### Risk Reduction
- Alpha Delta Pi

### Outstanding Sophomore Award
- Haley Wilder (Sorority Woman)
- Jeff Higginbotham (Fraternity Man)

### Philanthropy of the Year
- Kappa Delta

### Outstanding Junior Award
- Brandon Batts (Fraternity)
- Jenni Bewley (Sorority)

### Outstanding New Member
- Amy Burns (Sorority)
- Donald Abels (Fraternity)

### Community Service Programming
- Lambda Theta Alpha

### Outstanding Social Event
- Alpha D Pi/Sig Ep/Phi Beta Sigma

### Chapter President of the Year
- Jen Beadle (PHC)
- Alan Brady (NPHC)
- Justin Nelson (IFC)

### Outstanding Freshman of the Year
- Jessica James (Sorority)
- Ryne Alexander (Fraternity)

### Outstanding Collaboration
- Sigma Nu/AGR/KAPsi/AXO

### MGC Greek Man of the Year
- Josh Wilcox

### MGC Greek Woman of the Year
- Terri McMoore

### Most Improved Chapter
- Zeta Tau Alpha

### Alumni Relations of the Year
- Kappa Delta

### Public Relations
- Kappa Delta

### Campus Program of the Year
- Alpha Delta Pi

### IFC Greek Man of the Year
- Wil Shults

### PHC Woman of the Year
- Brittney Sceals

### Chapter of the Year
- Alpha Omicron Pi

### President's Cup
- Alpha Omicron Pi (PHC)
- Sigma Nu (IFC)
- MGC and NPHC did not meet minimum requirements to receive President's Cup.
Fraternity and Sorority Leadership

2010 Student Orientation Assistants with Greek Affiliations

Alpha Chi Omega
Courtney Pryor
Megan Ross
Brittany Sceals

Alpha Delta Pi
Valerie Byrd
Ashley Diffenderfer
Mandie Morgan
Rachel Thompson

Alpha Gamma Rho
Chad Hardy
Jacob Strong

Alpha Omicron Pi
Meagan Daugherty
Katie Kelley
Trisha Thompson

Beta Theta Pi
Coby Sherlock

Chi Omega
Jayme Breedlove
Megan Massey
Allison McCullough

Kappa Delta
Betsy Jo Culbreath
Kristen McCue

Kappa Sigma
Cody Smith

Pi Kappa Alpha
Taylor Fox

Pi Kappa Phi
Kris Basler

Sigma Nu
Michael Hollis
Shaun Luber

Sigma Pi
Donald Abels
Lance Wagner

Student Judicial Board, Fraternity and Sorority Members

Jenni Bewley- Alpha Omicron Pi
Eric Pegues- Kappa Alpha Psi
Jessica Ford- Alpha Omicron Pi

2010 – 2011 Student Government Association Officers, Fraternity and Sorority Members

Brandon Batts, President, Alpha Phi Alpha
Samantha Cobb, Executive VP/Speaker of the Senate, Alpha Chi Omega
Sarah Ayache, VP Administration and Public Affairs, Alpha Delta Pi
Donald Abels, Homecoming Director, Sigma Pi
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- Rebecca Cathey
- Brittany Childs
- Samantha Cobb
- Lauren Creasy
- Lamanda Howell
- Leslie Lynn
- Tamara Peterson
- Megan Ross
- Brittany Sceals

**Alpha Delta Pi**
- Sarah Ayache
- Laura Bosi
- Jenny Hall
- Amanda Morgan
- Katie Phillips
- Kristen Russell
- Jayna Whittaker

**Alpha Omicron Pi**
- Jenny Bewley
- Kelley Crook
- Anna-Carol Haywood
- Madison Kentner
- Heather Rawson
- Emma Bailey Tate

**Alpha Phi Alpha**
- Brandon T. Batts

**Beta Theta Pi**
- Jonathan Swafford

**Chi Omega**
- Isabelle Harden
- Megan Massey

**Kappa Delta**
- Kristen McCue
- Brittany Mimms

**Lambda Theta Alpha**
- Lisa Shores

**Lambda Theta Phi**
- Dara Smith, Jr.

**Sigma Chi**
- Justin Edwards
- Craig Hutto

**Sigma Nu**
- Matthew Russell

**Tau Kappa Epsilon**
- Corey Jeacock

**Zeta Phi Beta**
- Brittany Hilson

**Zeta Tau Alpha**
- Amber Gray
- Elizabeth Karg
- Elizabeth Michels
- Hayley Williamson
Governing Council Updates

Interfraternity Council Update

The MTSU Interfraternity Council welcomed 248 new members into the community during the 2009 – 2010 academic year. This includes 39 members of the MTSU Colony of Kappa Sigma. The Interfraternity Council placed a focus on membership recruitment during the past year. The governing council sponsored “Phired Up” resulting in an increase in recruitment registration and new members pledged.

Multicultural Greek Council Update

The MTSU Multicultural Greek Council welcomed 11 new members, including 4 new members of Lambda Theta Phi Colony. The MGC was established in Fall 2009 with two member groups. This is MTSU’s fourth and newest council in the Greek community. The inaugural MGC Week was extremely successful. A forum was held to discuss multicultural stereotypes and promote cultural awareness called “Exposing Stereotypes.” The week ended with a Barbeque picnic.

National Pan-Hellenic Council Update

The MTSU National Pan-Hellenic Council welcomed 79 new members. This includes the 4 new members of Iota Phi Theta, NPHC’s newest colony. NPHC held a successful Step Show, a tradition on the MTSU campus. NPHC will begin a new tradition in 2010 – 2011; funds raised through the annual Step-Show will fund a scholarship for members of NPHC.

Panhellenic Council Update

The MTSU Panhellenic Council welcomed 256 new members. This includes 71 members of Zeta Tau Alpha, who reactivated this year and became the sixth NPC member organization at MTSU. The traditional Halloween Carnival and Easter Egg Hunt were a success with the campus and local community. This past spring, the Panhellenic Council hosted a NPC consulting team to assist in reorganization.
Fraternity and Sorority Highlights

Greek Week 2010

Greek Week 2010 was the culmination of a busy year for the Greek Community. It was a fun and eventful week! MTSU’s Greek Week included:

- Blood drive competition with WKU Greeks
- Game night
- "Greek is Good" Forum
- Greek pageant
- Greek Awards
- Greek Letter Day/Center for Student Involvement and Leadership Reception

Greek Task Force formed

On November 23, 2009, the first meeting of the Greek Task Force was held. The task force is composed of Greek students, advisors, National Greek organization officers, and University staff. Their charge is to “address the current condition of the Greek system: the role of the four governing councils; relationships between chapter, governing councils, the Greek Affairs office/staff, and the university; and recommendations for enhancements and changes to improve the system and insure the long term health of the Greek community.” To date the committee, has reviewed the consultation report completed in 2003, and held a retreat facilitated by Tom Jelke, a prominent Fraternity/Sorority consultant. The committee has prioritized common community themes, written a vision and mission statement, and identified shared core values. The task force is in the process of creating a strategic plan that will guide our community into the future. Angela N. King, Director of Greek Affairs, serves as the chair, and Megan Carter, Chapter Advisor for Alpha Delta Pi, serves as the co-chair.
Greek Affairs Vision, Mission, and Shared Core Values

Vision

The Greek Community of Middle Tennessee State University will create and promote an environment conducive for our members to learn, teach, live and uphold our shared core values.

Mission

The mission of the Greek Community is to:

- Promote excellence in academics, leadership and service
- Foster lifelong friendship and responsible citizenship
- Engage in a collaborative partnership with Middle Tennessee State University

Share Core Values

The Shared Core Values for students, staff and advisors of the Greek community at Middle Tennessee State University are:

Education – We promote academic excellence and life-long learning.

Leadership – We promote ethical leadership and development opportunities through student empowerment to positively impact the University and campus community.

Service/Philanthropy – We promote selfless contribution for the betterment of the campus, local, and global communities.

Brotherhood/Sisterhood – We promote the fostering of life-long relationships and unity through respect, trust, and the ideals of the Greek Community.

Integrity – We promote ethical standards and character, accountability, and values congruence.

Diversity – We promote the deeper understanding and appreciation of all persons.

Collaboration – We promote inter-organizational, campus, and community partnerships.
Fraternity and Sorority Life Staff Updates

New Director of Greek Affairs

Angela N. King joined the Center for Student Involvement and Leadership staff as the Director of Greek Affairs in August 2009. Angela has a B.S. in Business Management from Hampton University and a M.S. in Higher Education Administration from Old Dominion University. Prior to coming to MTSU, she served as an Academic Advisor at Tennessee State University and the Assistant Director for Fraternity and Sorority Life at University of Kansas, Lawrence. Angela is a member of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. The Office of Greek Affairs now has two full-time professionals, a Graduate Intern, and four undergraduate interns.

Professional Development – Angela King

- Attended the Association of Fraternity and Sorority Advisors Annual Meeting
- Appointed to the Nominations and Elections Committee for AFA
- Served as the Logistics Coordinator for the National Black Greek Leadership Conference
- Presented Intake Webinar for the Association of Fraternal Leadership and Values
- Served as an Expert in the “Ask the Expert” section of Connections magazine

Leadership Development and Programming

- Greek Leadership Summit was held at the beginning of each semester for council and chapter leaders.
- New Member Education Series was offered throughout the academic year.
- Sexual Assault Awareness training was provided in collaboration with the June Anderson Women’s Center.
- Mark Sterner presented “DUI – a Powerful Lesson” on alcohol awareness. This program was open to all University students and offered in collaboration with The Office of Greek Affairs, Health Services, the Student Athlete Enhancement Center, Student Programming Council and Tau Kappa Epsilon.

Association of Fraternal Leadership & Values

Council leaders attended the annual Association of Fraternal Leadership and Values Conference held in St. Louis, MO. Council-specific programming targets Fraternity and Sorority governing leaders and their advisors. It also serves as a forum to discuss current campus events and issues that impact all members of the Fraternity and Sorority community. The conference was held in conjunction with the National Black Greek Leadership Conference.

Southeastern Panhellenic Conference

Leaders of the MTSU Panhellenic Council, Chapter Panhellenic Delegates and Chapter presidents traveled to Atlanta, GA for the annual meeting of the Southeastern Panhellenic Association.
MTSU Welcomes

Panhellenic Council
Zeta Tau Alpha  
(ZTA)

Interfraternity Council
Kappa Sigma  
(KΣ)

Founded  
October 15, 1898  
(111 years ago)
Longwood University  
(Farmville, Virginia)

Type  
Social

Motto  
Seek the Noblest

Colors  
Turquoise
Steel Gray

Symbol  
Five-pointed Crown, Strawberry

Flower  
White Violet

Publication  
Themis

Philanthropy  
Breast Cancer Education and Awareness

Chapters  
238 active collegiate chapters and 260 
alamne chapters

Members  
200,000+ collegiate

Homepage  
http://www.zetataualpha.org

Multicultural Greek Council
Lambda Theta Phi  
(ΛΘΦ)

National Pan-Hellenic Council
Iota Phi Theta  
(ΙΦΘ)

Founded  
December 1, 1975  
(34 years ago)
Kean College

Type  
Social

Motto  
Chivalry Above Self

Colors  
Brown
White

Symbol  
White Carnation

Chapters  
81 undergrad chapters, 19 colonies and 10 
alumni associations

Nickname  
The Lambdas

Homepage  
www.lambda1975.org

Founded  
September 19, 1963
Morgan State University

Type  
Social

Emphasis  
Service

Motto  
Building A Tradition, 
Not Resting Upon One!

Colors  
Charcoal Brown
Gilded Gold

Symbol  
Centaur

Flower  
Yellow Rose

Chapters  
270

Nickname  
Iotas, Centaurs, Outlaws, 
Thetamen

Homepage  
www.iotaphitheta.org