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Tradition of Excellence Continues with New Leaders, Brothers Work Towards All-Greek Philanthropy Event

Excellent Leadership of Chapter Direct Link to Fraternity Success

By: **John Cornick '81, President, North Carolina Beta Foundation, Inc.**

I would like to thank our outgoing chapter officers, President **Dave Matthews** and Treasurer **Robert Long**, for providing excellent leadership the past two semesters. Accepting a leadership role in the fraternity can be very challenging, but it is an outstanding opportunity to learn new skills that will help them throughout their careers.

Please help me recognize our incoming chapter officers, president **Robert Hutchins** and Treasurer **Dac Cannon**. They participate in the UNC Interfraternity Council (IFC) and the campus Judicial Board. Dac also is currently working with all Greek organizations to start the "Greek

Philanthropy Fund," which will incorporate every fraternity and sorority on campus into one philanthropy project per year. Their first target charity will be Habitat for Humanity.

This project has incredible potential and I encourage everyone to support Dac in his efforts.

I also would like to thank the alumni for their past support and encourage their continued

support. The Beta Foundation will continue to need your financial support to maintain our beautiful house, and your personal involvement, too. Alumni involvement is critical to our success—please let us know if you can become involved with the Beta Foundation.

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Chapter President Reports on Rush, Athletics, and Academic Successes, with Special Thanks to Alumni

Special Appreciation to Former President David Mathews for His Leadership and Achievements

By: **Robert Hutchins '07, President**

My tenure as President of Phi Delt already is exciting, with much more to come in the future. **David Matthews**, former president, helped us achieve unprecedented recruitment success; and receive two community service awards, two fire-safety awards, a community service award, a recruitment award, and an improvement citation. I hope to expand on this over the year.

Last fall, we had a successful rush that increased the Phi Delt to 73. We rely on the house as a major selling point to the rushees. Our new rush chairs, **Myles Wynn**, **Addison Montague**, and **John Lambert**, are gathering names for next fall's rush. Please contact them to recommend a rushee to the chapter.

Bowen Chapman and **John Choate** are returning to the UNC football team, joined by freshman linebacker **Mark Paschal**. Sophomore **Fletcher Gregory** also is returning to this year's varsity lacrosse team. Additionally, we have three Morehead Scholars, two of whom are freshmen.

Thank you for your continued support. Because of your interest and contributions, we are successful today. **Please visit the house any time you are in Chapel Hill. We look forward to seeing you soon.**

**New Alumni Website!
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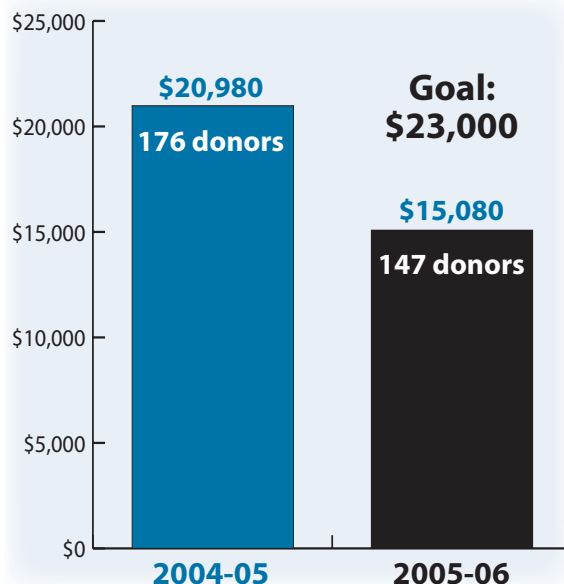
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We hope that you enjoy this issue of *The North Carolina Beta Data*. This newsletter, along with our other annual alumni communications and our website, are funded solely by the contributions of our readers.

If you're one of the brothers listed on the honor roll, please accept our appreciation. **It is because of you that ALL of our brothers can keep up-to-date on the latest news!**

If you have not donated, please consider making a gift to Phi Delta Theta, so that we can ensure that publication of our Chapter's news continues. You can make a donation through our secure website www.uncphidelt.com or by filling out and returning the enclosed form. The success of Beta Chapter depends on YOU!

These charts show the progress of Beta Chapter's annual giving over the past two years. We need more donations to reach our goal!



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'20s**James A. Whitaker M.D. '28**

(P.O. Box 8386, Rocky Mount, NC 27804) As told by his son **George Whitaker '66**, "My father lives with assistants at his home at 112 Cobblestone Ct. in Rocky Mount. He is probably the oldest living Beta, having turned 100 in December. His mind is excellent and he enjoys reminiscing with my brother **Allen Whitaker '64** and me about the Phi Delt house in the late '20s. If any brothers would like to take a road trip to Rocky Mount, he will be glad to treat them to drinks and dinner."

'30s**Edward C. Huffman '39**

(734 N. Main St., Shelbyville, TN 37160-2828) It's sad to see the decline in fraternity life. In the '30s, we made many close friendships. We also never heard of binge drinking. Many of us drank, and a few of us did too much, but we never heard of the current mania. Hopefully it's about run its course.

'40s**James R. Todd Jr. '46**

(237 Deerfield St. SE, Lenoir, NC 28645) I've retired after practicing law for 50 years.

'50s**Joseph Harris Jr. '52**

(10234 Governore Dr., Chapel Hill, NC 27517) I had the pleasure of marrying Dorothy Herring King on May 27, 2005, with Phi Delta Theta's John and Jill Jenkins catering our reception and dinner after the marriage at our home. I enjoyed seeing the many Phi Delta Theta brothers at our '50s and '60s reunion in Chapel Hill in April 2005!

Edward Sutton M.D. '57

(7471 N. Vanness Blvd., Fresno, CA 93711-0445) I retired last year after closing my two medical clinics, Valley Industrial and Family Medical Group in Fresno, Calif. The '50s reunion was the highlight of the year.

Marion Griffin M.D. '57

(716 S. Park St., Asheboro, NC 27203-6363; mgriffin76@triad.rr.com) About my only productive activity aside from spending quality time with family, friends and especially the Ford is writing. I enjoy golf too.

'60s**Richard Hendrickson '62**

(104 Mirrow Lake Ct., Cary, NC 27513-3454; richard822@nc.rr.com) I'm trying to establish an alumni organization for Phi Delta Theta in the Triangle area.

'70s**Richard M. Adams '70**

(PO Box 530510, Birmingham, AL 35253; radams@autotec.com) Keep up the good work!

'80s**Barden Winstead Jr. '82**

(1400 West Haven Blvd., Rocky Mount, NC 27803-1811; barden.winsteadjr@agedwards.com) I visited **Tom Long '81** in Milwaukee, where he recently moved to from London. He's the new Chief Marketing Officer at Miller Brewing Co., and promises plenty of Miller products to all the Phis.

Hunter McShan '87

(P.O. Box 2, McShan, AL 35471-0002; hunter@mcshanolumber.com) Many thanks to brother **James "Jimbo" Galloway '87** and his son Gray for inviting my son and me to the Final Four in St. Louis. Old friends are still the best!

Christopher Elliott '89

(217 Huntley Pl., Charlotte, NC 28207-2215; cje217@bellsouth.net) We had our 4th boy on 10/26: Rollins Alexander Elliott (hopefully, an SHP Class of 2028).

'00s**Durant Bell '02**

(4600 2nd St. N., Arlington, VA 22203; edb@woodpartners.com) Good to hear from you guys! Thanks for the update.

Your News and Photos are the Heart of Our Newsletter and Website!

Log onto our website today, to let us know what you've been up to.

Do you have memories from your days at the house you'd like to share? Do you regularly get together with your brothers? Are you moving, starting a new job, getting married or expecting a child?

Submit your update now by following the steps outlined below, and share your latest news with your fellow graduate brothers:

1. Make sure that you registered and logged on to the website;
2. Click on Alumni Updates;
3. Click on the notepad in the upper left had corner, titled Add/Maintain My Updates. At this screen you can add a new update and delete prior updates;

4. Type your update into the text box, select the number of days you would like this item to be visible on the website, click off the check in the box if you do NOT want your alumni update to be in the next newsletter and click Submit.

It's that easy!

While you're on the site, don't forget to read the updates that have been submitted by your Phi Delt brothers!

BETA FOUNDATION

Beta Foundation Requests You Write Congressman in Support of H.R. 1548, S. 713, Making Donations to Greek Housing Tax-Deductible You Can Make a Difference in Legislation Affecting Your Fraternity

There is proposed legislation in Washington, D.C. that would have an enormous positive effect on the Greek community and Phi Delt chapters around the nation. The proposed bill is called the Collegiate Housing and Infrastructure Act (H.R. 1548, S. 713). The act would allow fraternal educational foundations to use tax-deductible charitable contributions to provide grants to local house corporations that, in turn, could be used to

make housing improvements.

Fraternities and sororities are the largest not-for-profit student landlords, housing more than 250,000 students per year. However, unlike a tax-deductible donation to the University that could be used for dorm renovations, similar donations to a Greek housing project currently are not tax-deductible.

Please write your local congressman to support this much-needed initiative. Jack Elam '47 has allowed us to reprint a letter he wrote to his congressman asking for support of the Collegiate Housing and Infrastructure Act. Please refer to the Phi Delt website www.uncphidelt.com to review the letter and use it to contact your own congressman.

New Alumni Website: www.uncphidelt.com!

For many of our alumni members, making frequent trips back to UNC is not always possible. That's why we urge you to utilize our newly improved alumni website at www.uncphidelt.com. Our website serves as a place for brothers to come together and share memories, photos and updates about themselves! The site also provides chapter news, event details and so much more.

Here are some of the features you can look forward to:

- Event listings, alumni news, and chapter news
- A searchable directory

- Posting in our blog
- Organized photo albums
- Easily updating your information or viewing your personal giving history through your personal profile
- Using our secure server to quickly make a donation

Join your brothers and help to make our site a more active tool for keeping in touch with one another. Take that first step and Register NOW!

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