



Delta-Beta Alumni Newsletter

Fall 2015

Chapter Update – Sage



Delta-Beta chapter had a sufficient year of recruitment, initiating 10 new members total between the spring and fall semesters of 2015. Unfortunately, only one of these new members was initiated in the fall. However, our chapter has stepped up our recruitment strategies for the upcoming spring semester where we plan on initiating between 10 and 15 new members. As we plan to grow in size, we also plan to further develop our public image both on campus and within the community outside of Monmouth University. With regards to enhancing our campus image, we continue to host and participate in other organization's events and fundraisers. Brothers will also continue to partake in regular community service at local soup kitchens and churches. Academically, our GPA fluctuated between a 2.8 to 2.9 for the past several semesters. It is one of our top priorities to raise our GPA above a 3.0 in the spring, with hopes of being placed as one of the top organizations in terms of academics.

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Chapter Educational Fund Update



The number of Delta-Beta brothers who have benefited from the generosity of our alumni donors continues to grow. Since our CEF was founded in 2006, our Delta-Beta brothers have received the following benefits:

- \$3,500 in Red Clover Awards
- \$1,500 in Dr. Joseph B. Mosca Scholarships
- Over \$6,500 in travel grants to attend the Mid-Year Leadership Conference in St. Louis
- \$630 in registration grants for national conferences
- Nearly \$1,000 spent on local educational programming
- More than \$1,500 in alumni events

Future plans for CEF distributions include sponsoring more of our undergraduates to attend more leadership and professional development conferences and creating new scholarship opportunities for all of our brothers, including graduate students. Our donors are the reason why we can provide such incredible support to our fellow Delta-Beta brothers. Contact Bryan Duarte for details on how you can help grow the educational fund!

- Monmouth CEF Committee

CEF Committee Members:

- Vinny Bruno '14
- Bryan Duarte '14
- Bill Foley '06
- Andrew Grosso '08
- Anthony Horan '15
- Jimmy Vandervalk '13
- Joe Palazzolo '03

The Delta-Beta CEF Balance
as of November 30, 2015 is:

\$22,779.19

Contact for more details on our
Chapter Educational Fund:

Bryan Duarte

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The 2016 Executive Council



The Delta-Beta Chapter thanks the 2015 Executive Council for their hard work and dedication throughout the year. We are excited to the direction that the 2016 Executive Council moves Delta-Beta in this year!



2015 Executive Council



2016 Executive Council

Initiates – Fall 2015

Nick Infante was the lone initiate for the Beta Zeta pledge class. He is a Homeland Security major from Brick, NJ. Even though he just joined Sigma Pi, Nick has already been elected Vice President of the Interfraternity Council.



Chapter Involvement

The brothers of Delta-Beta have had a busy fall semester. We attended the NJ Province Workshop at Seton Hall University. Brothers even used time over fall break to attend the “Making Strides Against Breast Cancer” walk in Point Pleasant. The brothers were also the winners of ZTA’s “Think Pink” volleyball tournament in support of their philanthropy. These events along with our continued involvement in intramural sports, IFC, Monmouth Fishing and the Snow Riders Club were all part of Delta-Beta’s fall semester. The members of the Snow Riders Club will be returning to Mt. Tremblant in Quebec, Canada again this January.



Soccer Champions

For the second year in a row, Sigma Pi won Monmouth University's intramural soccer league championship! Against a rival fraternity, we dominated play en route to a 6-2 victory in the championship match. Go Owls!



Chapter Activities

Community service is one of the ways Delta-Beta strives to be an exemplary chapter. Assisting those in need provides a feeling of fulfillment and shows how only a few hours of your day can mean the world to another person. Our chapter has not only performed individual community service events, but has also partnered with other Greek organizations and Monmouth University to accomplish large scale service projects. An honorary brother initiation, The Big Event, and Trunk or Treat are just a few of the events Delta-Beta has participated in this semester.



Chapter Activities

This December, the chapter hosted a Chris Mejia Candlelight Vigil on the steps of Wilson Hall. The event is a way the chapter shows support for the Mejia family and also serves as a remembrance to our fallen brother Chris.



Graduates – January 2016

- **Steve DiGiuseppi**
 - Business Management
- **Tom Barlotta**
 - Business Management/Real Estate
- **Zach Seeds**
 - Criminal Justice
- **Brandon Baysura**
 - Medical Laboratory Sciences
- **Mike Alessandra**
 - Health and Physical Education

Alumni Interview – Alec Gutierrez



1. Why did you choose to join Sigma Pi? Did anything specific stand out to you when you were rushing?

I joined Sigma Pi because the brothers were not carbon copies of each other, you had guys who were into heavy metal, surfing, sports and art. What stood out to me was that such a different, unique set of individuals were able to mesh together and form a bond that was strong.

Additionally, at the time it was one of the fraternities that would not get upset if you decided not to rush, I waited till my sophomore year second semester to do so and these guys stayed in touch.

2. Aside from the social life, what did you take away from being an undergraduate member in Sigma Pi?

Being in a fraternity in college provided an introduction of structure and stability in life. We had other priorities than partying that we needed to handle as a group and we were successful at it because of the operation as a whole. At that age it is easy to be immature, we were not perfect, but each guy was really good at a certain thing that provided a great product as a whole organization.

3. What is your favorite memory of college?

My favorite memory was the Greek Week Talent show where we mixed figure skating, jumping off a ladder into a solo cup and a tightrope walk on the ground.

4. Where do you currently live? What is your current profession?

I live in Mullica Hill, New Jersey and I am an Assistant County Prosecutor.

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5. Do you have a message for the undergraduates?

My message for undergraduates is to find that balance between social life and academics. The effort you put in now will pay off in the long run, some work years to obtain skills that could have been achieved in their college years.

6. How can people contact you if they want to get in touch?

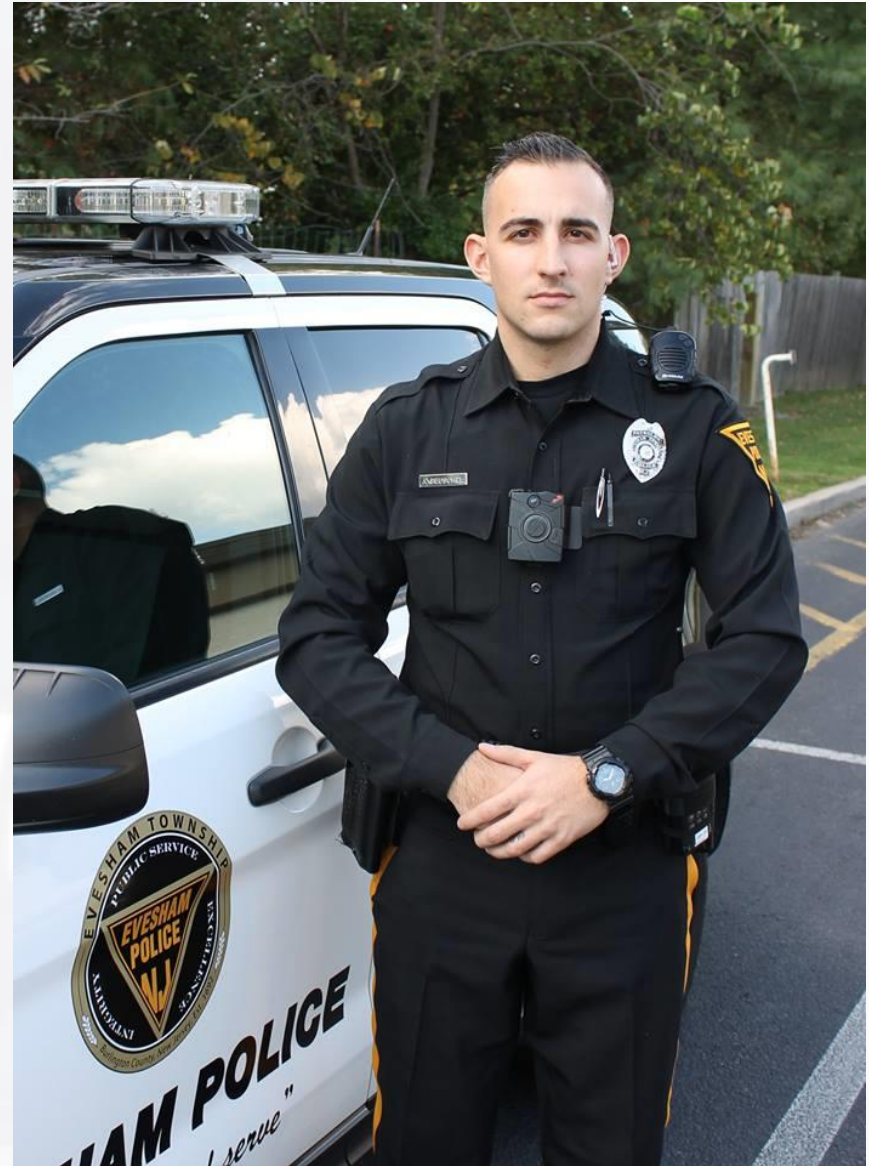
I can be contacted at alecjgutierrez@gmail.com



Alumni Accomplishments

Andrew Beuschel was named the November 2015 Officer of the Month for the Evesham Township Police Department.

Congratulations, Andrew!



Alumni Accomplishments

Mike Hart was sworn in
as an officer of the
Woodbridge Police
Department in
December 2015.

Congratulations, Mike!



Alumni News

Congratulations to Paul Salvesen on his marriage to Alyssa Gentile on December 30, 2015! Paul has served as Delta-Beta's Assistant Chapter Director for many years. We wish Paul and his bride all of the best!

Paul's Groomsmen included chapter alumni Brett Stevens, Albert Kurtz, Andrew Grosso, and Bob Wankel. In addition, Paul's Best Man was his younger brother Brian Salvesen. Brian is an active member of the Theta Chapter of Sigma Pi Fraternity at Penn State University.



Missing Alumni Information



The Executive Office of Sigma Pi Fraternity recently listed all of the alumni that they show as “missing” in one form or another. To be listed as missing means that the Executive Office does not have your mailing address and/or phone number and/or e-mail address.

The next two pages show the list of Delta-Beta Chapter alumni who are listed as missing. You can resolve your status by logging in to mySigmaPi.com or contacting Joe Palazzolo at joseph.v.palazzolo@gmail.com.

Missing Alumni Information



- Mikael Aras
- Domenic Vincent Aversa
- Richard Bruce Barbour
- Brian Scott Bell
- Steven Jared Bell
- Joel Bender
- Adam Tyler Biglin
- Patrick John Bocchino
- Michael Edward Bodine
- Phillip John Botsolas
- James Clifford Brierley Jr
- James Frank Brignola
- Stephen Lawrence Brim
- Manuel Thomas Cadima
- Brian Caro
- John Walter Chandler
- Nicholas Edward Cherone
- Ryan Eric Christensen
- Jeffrey Martin Collins
- Gregory Compa
- Anthony Joseph Constantinople
- Gary Vincent Cupo
- Todd Matthew Dacus
- Evan Lawrence Danzinger
- Peter Joseph DeBiase
- Steven Anthony DeCaesar
- Randy Frank DeFilippis
- Dante Ralph Del Forno
- Eric Wayne Ducorsky
- Michael Wayne Fajardo
- Vincent Anthony Falcicchio
- Joseph Patrick Fazekas
- Eliot Jennings Feldman
- Lawrence Robert Foppiano II
- Edward Cal Freda
- Paul John Frost
- William Barth Gail
- Dennis Paul Gallo
- Bradley Edward Galofaro
- John Geoffrey Giunta
- Justin Michael Grau
- Andrew David Grossman
- John Lawrence Guyer IV
- Ryan John Hall I
- Terry Lee Hall
- Matthew Nicholas Healing
- John Edward Henderson
- David William Hughes
- Joseph Christopher Iacovetti
- Mark Andrew Infante
- Scott Randall Jankowski
- Todd E. Kaczor
- William Robert Kaiser III
- Matthew Hale Kantor
- Douglas Robert Kearns
- Shane Patrick Kelly
- Mark Keith Kilhaney
- Christopher Thomas Kimmins
- Stanley Kirchheimer
- Paul Douglass Kroll
- James R. Laird III
- Christopher Lee LaRusso
- Samuel J. Levy

Missing Alumni Information



- Richard Walter Majdanski
- Robert Anthony Marrone
- Robert James Masacchia
- Brandon A. Maslan
- Gary Michael Massa
- Bryan Carl McAllister
- Mike Howard McKenna
- Marc Anthony Merlo
- Raymond Thomas Meyers
- Justin William Miller
- William Joseph Miners II
- Michael Gavin Molognaro
- Thomas Francis Murphy
- Julian Theodore Muscio
- Patrick John Muskivitch
- Kevin James O'Donnell
- John Patrick O'Brien
- Omer Yalcin Oktay
- Michael Carl Parisi
- Jeffrey Michael Paszkiewicz
- David Patrick Pelosi
- Joseph Antonio Pirone
- Richard Alan Pote
- Anthony Joseph Puleio
- Walter Ramos, Jr
- Alan Paul Rinaldi
- Richard Michael Rodriguez
- Bernd Rosellen
- Brian Robert Roth
- Carmine Rubinaccio
- Scott Anthony Schultz
- Mark Paul Seybert Jr
- Joseph Thomas Simone
- John N. Sivertson Jr
- Stanly John Sokolowski
- Matthew Burton Spector
- Glenn John Spina
- Ralph Nicola Sqrignoli
- Gary Paul Taylor
- Brant Adam Thompson
- Jeffrey Brian Weisberg
- James Alden Wells
- Michael Christopher West
- Shahid Raza Zaidi
- David Marc Ziev



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