

## UPCOMING EVENTS

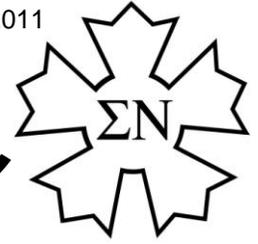
**Alumni Cook-out**  
Saturday, April 16, 2011  
11 AM - 5 PM  
Sigma Nu House

The

EPSILON SIGMA

News

Spring 2011



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**Important Note:** If you have not already done so, please use the Alumni Update form on our website to [update your information](#) so you can continue to receive messages and updates from the Chapter.

## Greetings from the Active Chapter

Brothers,

It is my pleasure to serve as your new Alumni Relations Chairman. Alumni continue to be a key factor in the success of the Chapter and I would like to extend our gratitude to you. The Chapter has paved a new image for Sigma Nu at Rhodes College, and, with your support, the Active Chapter has grown to over 50 members in size, has become the most philanthropic fraternity on campus, and has achieved the highest Fraternity GPA. The Active Chapter is clearly on the rise and we are committed to the Pursuit of Excellence. With growth in numbers, though, it is vital that we strengthen our relations with our alumni brothers, the brothers who made the Chapter into what it is today, so we may sustain the foundation of the Chapter. I would, therefore, love to help the Chapter establish a deeper connection with each of you. I hope you enjoy our newsletter and we look forward to hearing from you!

Fraternally,  
Brian Tchang  
Alumni Relations Chairman

## Recruitment

The Active Chapter is now over 50 members in size.

Please welcome our new initiates and pledges!

### Fall 2010 Initiates

Sebastian Atalla  
David Bergin  
Micheal Crowley  
Quinton Hebda  
Robert Lenzi  
Aaron Nussdorf  
Jacob Powers  
Brian Tchang

Stephen Bailey  
Sam Bridger  
Frankie Dakin  
Phong Lam  
Ryan Lisse  
Ian Preston  
John Raper

### Spring 2011 Pledges

George Ryan Connor  
Kurt Hebert  
Drew Link  
David Moore  
Chip Slawson

Tommy Harless  
Demitri Jerow  
Tyler Mathews  
Rikeen Patel

## Social Events

### Rush Fall 2010



Matt McCullough Selected Mr. Rhodes



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### Pledges Fall 2010



### Happy Holidays from ΣΝ



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## 75th Anniversary Celebration

On Friday and Saturday, April 16 and 17, 2010, the Epsilon Sigma Chapter celebrated the 75th anniversary of its chartering.

The event brought together over 184 actives, alumni, and guests, from Al Wunderlich '39, ES 50, to Derek Pegram '08, ES 1069.

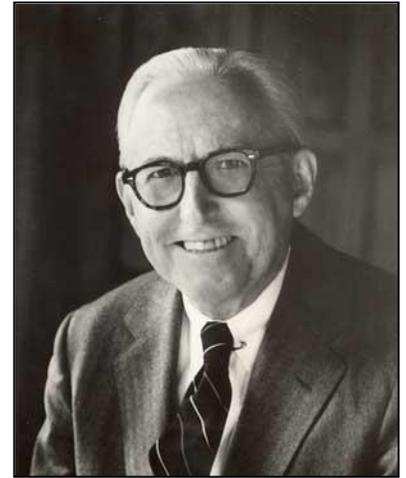
[See the list alumni attendees.](#)

By all accounts, the event was a tremendous success and helped reconnect many brothers who had not seen each other in years.

The event also included a tribute to Goodbar Morgan, because without him we would not be where we are today.

[Watch a recording of the Tribute to Goodbar Morgan.](#)

The Chapter would like to thank all the brothers who attended the 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration and we hope to see you at the 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration in 2014!

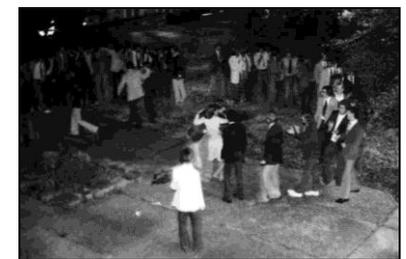


## Sigma Nu Sweethearts

*Sigma Nu girl, you'll always be  
Sigma Nu girl, dearest to me.  
All of my worries and cares depart  
When you wear the White Star on your heart.  
Sigma Nu girl, someday you'll know  
Dreams will come true; I love you so.  
Our star will shine pledge of the time  
When you are mine in Sigma Nu.*

A number of sweethearts accompanied brothers to the 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration. The Chapter will recognize all our sweethearts in the Sigma Nu Revisited video.

If you have information on any of our Sweethearts or are still in touch with them, please email [epsilonsigma.alumni@gmail.com](mailto:epsilonsigma.alumni@gmail.com) or [Contact Us!](#)



## Networking Opportunities

The Alumni Chapter is gathering information about networking opportunities, internships, and job offerings. If you would like to network with fellow alumni and/or know about internships or job offerings for recent grads and young alumni, please email [epsilonsigma.alumni@gmail.com](mailto:epsilonsigma.alumni@gmail.com) or [Contact Us!](#)

You can also connect with the Chapter on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), and [YouTube!](#)

## Message from Our Chapter Advisor

Brothers,

Once again I can proudly report the Epsilon Sigma Chapter has finished a very successful fall semester and is in a position to continue this success in the spring. Simply put, they make my "job" as Chapter Advisor very easy! Here's a few highlights I think you would like to know:

- all financial obligations to Headquarters have been paid
- the Chapter's success with both the fall pledge class and recent officer elections has been recognized and praised by the Headquarters staff
- the Chapter makes an above-average effort to fulfill all the risk reduction requirements
- the Chapter's actions both as a whole and as individuals are respected by other campus organizations and the school staff

This is the natural result of hard work and dedication by the chapter officers and brothers dedicated to the ideals of "govern each act by a high sense of honor." While this is admirable, there is still much to do, and I encourage you to give back to these young men as you can. If you would like to get involved or contribute, please contact Worthy Commander John Gehrig at 312-725-3104 or [epsilonsigma.alumni@gmail.com](mailto:epsilonsigma.alumni@gmail.com).

In summary, I must say again, the spirit of brotherhood is alive and doing well at Epsilon Sigma. These are young men you would enjoy meeting, you would be glad to recommend this chapter to a high school student considering a fraternity at Rhodes, and be proud to call a brother. Please consider each opportunity to visit or each request to support the chapter. You will be glad you did.

Love, Honor, Truth,

Rob McCleary  
Chapter Advisor

## Chapter House Improvements

The Alumni Chapter replaced the back patio doors as part of the Chapter's ongoing House improvement efforts.

[See more 2010 House improvement pictures.](#)

The Chapter would like to thank all alumni who joined the Alumni Chapter in 2010 and made this possible.

[See the list of brothers joined the Alumni Chapter in 2010.](#)

Upcoming house improvements include fixing the windows and installing air conditioning! A House Corporation is being organized to oversee these and other larger projects. If you would like to get involved with the house improvement efforts, please email [epsilonsigma.alumni@gmail.com](mailto:epsilonsigma.alumni@gmail.com) or [Contact Us!](#)

If you would like to join the Alumni Chapter for 2011, a Membership Application form is included with the newsletter.

## Philanthropy

### Meals on Wheels

The Active Chapter volunteered with meals on wheels delivering food to the hungry on Saturday, November 20.

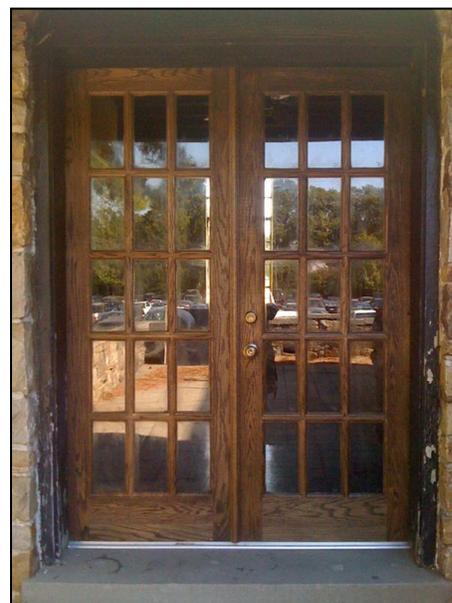
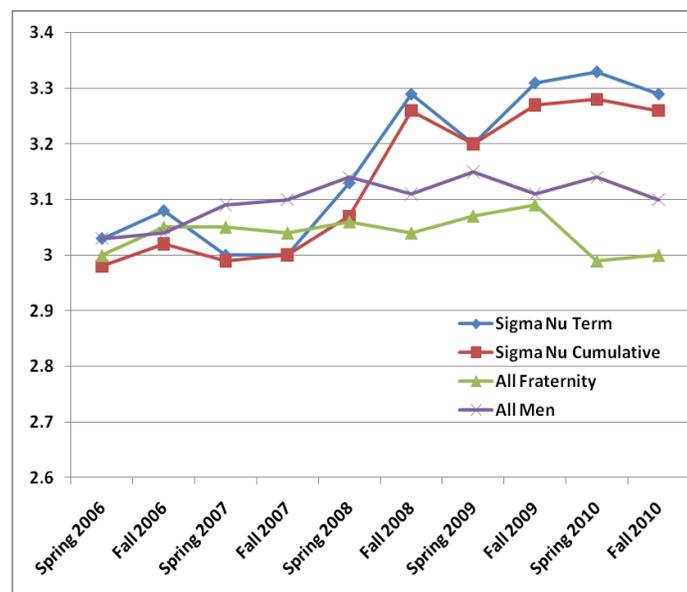
### ΣN Trikes for Tikes

In March 2011 the Active Chapter will hold a philanthropy tricycle relay race to raise money to benefit St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.



## Academics

Sigma Nu has achieved the highest cumulative GPA of all fraternities at Rhodes—five semesters in a row!



## Honoring our Fallen Brothers

The following brothers joined Sigma Nu's Chapter Eternal in 2010. They will be deeply missed.

Charles Cobb, Sr. '44, ΕΣ 81  
Mordeis Commander '48, ΕΣ 129  
Colin Threlkeld '51, ΕΣ 159  
George Gracey '56, ΕΣ 253  
Robert Rose '58, ΕΣ 266  
Kelly Thomas '66, ΕΣ 416  
John Hugon '77, ΕΣ 605



The plaque beneath the White Oak tree dedicated to Epsilon Sigma brothers located across the street from the Sigma Nu House.

## Sigma Nu Revisited

The Active and Alumni Chapters are working together to create a "Sigma Nu Revisited" video to celebrate the Chapter's 75 years of success. Now you will be able to remember your college days with friends and family anytime for many years to come!

The video will feature pictures, music, and alumni interviews that span the past 75 years.

[Watch the Sigma Nu Revisited Teaser on YouTube.](#)

If you have any pictures for the Sigma Nu Revisited video, please email [epsilonsigma.alumni@gmail.com](mailto:epsilonsigma.alumni@gmail.com) or [Contact Us!](#)

We have received submissions from:

Al Wunderlich '39	Charles Cobb, Sr. '44
Art Rollins '81	Bill Byrd '78
Buddy Whiteaker '58	Bill Short '71
Mark Houston '79	Rush Waller '83
Ben Waller '11	Andrew Bell '11
Dot Neale '77	Becky Hatcher '77

Anyone who submits material for the Sigma Nu Revisited video will receive a FREE copy of the video!

# COMING SOON!



**SUBMIT PHOTOS  
FOR INCLUSION IN THE  
VIDEO AND RECIEVE  
A FREE COPY!**

- **DIGITALLY REMASTERED VIDEO OF SIGMA NU (1935 - 2010)**
- **DIGITAL STEREO SOUND**
- **TRIBUTE TO GOODBAR MORGAN**
- **WILL INCLUDE 75TH ANNIVERSARY FOOTAGE**



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