

THE MERCURY

The Newsletter for Fraternity & Sorority Life @ Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis

Welcome Back to the Spring 2011 Semester!

As we begin a new semester, Thomas and I hope that the break provided opportunities of rest, fellowship and rejuvenation. While IUPUI Fraternity & Sorority Life recognizes that the spring semester is not the start of a new academic year, and technically still winter in Indiana, we hope that you will take the start of a new semester as an opportunity to begin anew... bringing a new mindset regarding your academic pursuits and campus involvement. Thomas and I challenge you to refocus, reconnect and recommit to your brothers and sisters as well as to the ideals and purposes espoused by the Founders and Rituals of your respective Fraternal Organizations. Before you get wrapped up in all that the semester involves, be sure to take a moment to plan your time and to reflect on the impact you are going to make on the Fraternity & Sorority, IUPUI and larger Indianapolis communities. I hope you have an amazing spring semester!



Interfraternally,

Derrick L. Tillman-Kelly
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Fraternity & Sorority Life's Council Update

As the Spring 2011 Semester begins, the governing councils of IUPUI Fraternity & Sorority Life will see much change, including changes to elected leadership, advisors and membership. Below is the list of officers. Thomas is the primary advisor for NPHC and Panhellenic Council. Derrick is the primary advisor for IFC and Order of Omega.

IUPUI Panhellenic Council (PHC)

Meetings: Thursdays, 6:45p, typically CE Boardroom (4th floor)

President: Ally Booth (ΑΣΑ)

Vice President of Administration: Sarah Molter (ΦΜ)

Vice President of Recruitment: Aimee Giesler (ΦΜ)

Vice President of Operations: Ashley Bennett (ΑΣΑ)

Vice President of Public Relations: Mary Higgins (ΖΤΑ)

Extension Coordinator: Nicole Mize (ΑΣΑ)

IUPUI National Pan-Hellenic Council (NPHC):

Meetings: Fridays, 2:00p, Campus Center

President: Geordan Coleman (ΚΑΨ)

Vice President: Brittnee Dumas (ΔΣΘ)

Treasurer: Jeremy Robinson (ΚΑΨ)

Secretary: OPEN

Parliamentarian: Jalissa Roberts (ΣΓΡ)

Historian: OPEN

National Pan-Hellenic Council

IUPUI Interfraternity Council (IFC)

Meetings: Tuesdays, 6:00p, Campus Center

President: Ethan Montoya (ΣΑΕ)

Vice President: Garrett Walton (ΦΚΨ)

Vice President of Education & Scholarship: Nick Shepherd (ΦΚΨ)

Vice President of Recruitment: Jeff Laski (ΦΚΨ)

Vice President of Service: Trevor Ciboch (ΣΑΕ)

Vice President of Public Relations: OPEN

Expansion Coordinator: Nick Estrada (ΦΚΨ)

January Filled with Founders Days

On Wednesday, January 5th, the men of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc. celebrated their 100th year of Achievement. Congratulations to Kappa for reaching such a historic milestone. One centennial celebration was held at its Alpha Chapter at Indiana University Bloomington and included IU President McRobbie. Continue to strive for Achievement in every field of human endeavor gentlemen.



The Men of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. celebrated their 97th Founders Day on Sunday, January 9th. Phi Beta Sigma was founded at Howard University in Washington, DC on January 9, 1914. FSL hopes the men of the Alpha Epsilon Alpha Chapter had a great day!



Tau Kappa Epsilon Fraternity, Inc. celebrates its 112th Founders Day on Monday, January 10th. Tau Kappa Epsilon was founded at Illinois Wesleyan University in Bloomington, IL on January 10, 1899. Be sure to wish the men of the Upsilon Iota Chapter a Happy Founders Day!



Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. celebrates its 98th Founders Day on Thursday, January 13th. Delta Sigma Theta was founded at Howard University in Washington, DC on January 13, 1913. Be sure to wish the Ladies of the Chi City-wide Chapter a Happy Founders Day!



Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. celebrates its 103rd Founders Days on Saturday, January 15th. Alpha Kappa Alpha was founded at Howard University in Washington, DC on January 15, 1908. Be sure to wish the Ladies of the Kappa Chapter a Happy Founders Day!



Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. celebrates its 91st Founders Day on Sunday, January 16th. Zeta Phi Beta was founded at Howard University in Washington, DC on January 16, 1920. Be sure to wish the Ladies of the Omicron Pi Chapter a Happy Founders Day!



Happy Founders Day to All Organizations!

IUPUI Fraternity & Sorority Life Upcoming Events | Mark Your Calendars

~ Paperwork Due Dates ~

Intent for Membership Intake/Recruitment Form
DUE: Friday, January 28th | 5:00p | CE 370

~ Semester Dates ~

FSL Council of Presidents' Meeting

Thursday, January 13th | CE 310 | 5:00p
Thursday, February 3rd | CE 310 | 5:00p
Thursday, March 3rd | CE 310 | 5:00p
Thursday, April 7th | CE 310 | 5:00p

Fraternity & Sorority Life Advisory Board Meeting

Tuesday, February 8th | 10:00a | CE Boardroom
Tuesday, April 12th | 10:00a | CE Boardroom

AFLV Central & NBGLC

Thursday, February 10th—Sunday, February 13th |
St. Louis, MO

FSL Affiliated Faculty & Staff Luncheon

Tuesday, March 1st | 12:10p-1:00p | CE 405

FSL Spring Alternative Break Trip

Sunday, March 13th—Saturday, March 19th | Camp
Restore | New Orleans, LA

FSL New Member Orientation

Saturday, April 2nd | 9:00a-1:00p | CE 409

FSL End of Year Awards Reception

Saturday, April 16th | 6:00p | CE 450A&B



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