



## FSU Pikes Delta Lambda Newsletter - November, 2016



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The next Alumni/Undergraduate **monthly luncheon is *Wednesday, December 7th*** at the University Center Club. Come and meet new Delta Lambda **SMC Kevin Stokes**.

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### **Pikes Recognized for Exceptional Individual Leadership!**

**Kyle Hill '16** and **Omar Pimentel '15** were awarded scholarships and plaques by FSU Student Government on November 1st. Pimentel was named "Freshman Senator of the Year", and Kyle Hill won the "Russell Hellein Award" given to the Senator who best represents his constituents. **Matthew Posai '15** (center) was elected to represent the student body on the Campus Rec Board.

[Right] Outgoing IFC President **Clark Rahman '12** congratulates his younger brother **Curtis Rahman '15** who was presented with the IFCs Emerging Leader Award on November 15th, given annually to one deserving sophomore.



The Brothers (left) and their dates took off for New Orleans in for their annual Fall Formal weekend. Meanwhile, the pledge class (right) journeyed to Orlando on a community service mission. The 60-man Alpha Kappa class was initiated into the Bonds on November 16th.



Alpha Delta pledge class (2013) senior class at the New Orleans Formal, 2016: Reid Nelson, Sean Kuchta, Logan Hayes, Bob MacCarthee, Ryan Cary, Sean David, Michael McCoy, Kevin Stokes, Logan Clements and Matthew Kaplan.

**Monthly Luncheon - University Center Club**



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**Next Alumni Luncheon: Wednesday, December 7th, 2016 @ 12:00 noon.**

Pike alumni gather for lunch and fellowship on the first Wednesday of every month at the University Center Club at noon. Special guests include the Undergraduate Delta Lambda Chapter officers, who will report the latest on Chapter operations and achievements. All alumni are welcome and encouraged to attend. **Luncheon begins at noon and will conclude by 1 pm.**

## Chapter & Alumni Calendar

- **December 7th Monthly Alumni Luncheon**
- **January 4th Monthly Alumni Luncheon**
- January 9th Classes begin
- **February 1st Monthly Alumni Luncheon**
- **March 1st Monthly Alumni Luncheon / Founders' Day**
- March 13-17 Spring Break
- **April 5th Monthly Alumni Luncheon**
- April 28th Last day of classes

## Delta Lambda Alumni



**Delta Lambda Spring, 1981 Pledge Class**

Little Sis Dee Dee Hicks and a half dozen Brothers weighed in with names. There was a lot of guessing.

Joe Feheley says he was in the class but is not in the photo. Some insist that Jim Finch, Gene D'Amico and Austin Hardeman are all in the photo. Here is our best guess.

Front row (6 men): Revill McGregor, Jimmy Casanova, [unidentified], Desmond Harrington, Bill Comiskey, Mike Guilford.

Middle Row (4 men): Mark Hickey, Mike Lariscy, Charlie Benoit, Bill Counts.

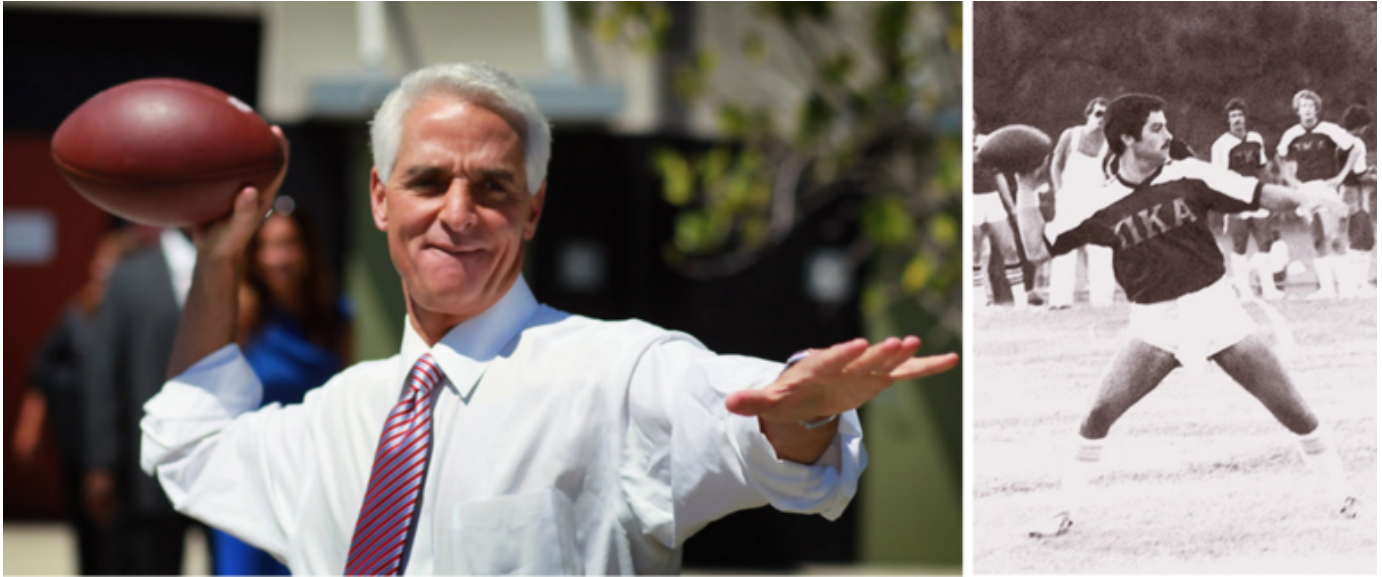
Back Row (10 men): Bill Lickson, Jim Parsons, Mark Mazis, Brian Mann, Bob Cornley, [unidentified], Craig Chown, Guy Davis, Mark Yancey (?), [unidentified]



Michael Kurzweil, Adam Kurzweil '81, Glenn Grant '81, Joe Feheley '81, Jim Finch '81, Ray Marchant '81, Dan Akre '83, celebrating the Seminole win over Miami.



Michael Miller '84, Bill Shults '73, Brian Summe '85, Michael Ian, Rich Lord '84 and Clarke Morris '83 at Andrew's Capital Grill & Bar, downtown Tallahassee on FSU vs. Florida weekend.



Congratulations to Delta Lambda alum and former Florida Governor **Charlie Crist '76**, just elected to the United States Congress from Florida's 13th District on November 8th. Charlie quarterbacked Pike intramural teams in the late 1970s, was IMC of Delta Lambda and Vice President of the FSU Student Body. He was also FSU Homecoming Chief in 1978.



[LEFT] Mike Tebo '76 and Jerry Sexton '74. (message from Jerry): "So yesterday in between robo calls to get out and vote, my old Pike house roommate Mike Tebo calls saying he is driving into Denver and wants to know if I'm free for breakfast. So I blew off half the day from work and had a great time. Seems like only yesterday (1977) we were stationed in Ohio as Air Force 2nd Lieutenants and we drove down to Knoxville, TN stopping only to check and see if anyone had the FSU/UF game on TV. Checked into a hotel when we saw it scheduled and got a bottle of bourbon and saw Bowden's first win against UF. Partied in Knoxville afterwards. Good times. GO NOLES!!!"

[RIGHT] Griff Siegel '78, Mickey Fernandez '77, Don Kyle '77. (message from Griff):

"A call from Atlanta-based brother Don 'Dukie-Moto' Kyle led to a spontaneous BroFest with brother Mickey Fernandez (father of **Michael Fernandez '10**), and yours truly. Don and Mickey were pledge brothers back in Fall '76, (along with John Leavitt, Craig Brakeman, Ferd Iznaga, Alan Winslette, Mickey Work, Ted Moses and the Laffitte brothers, to name a few."





Golf in Aspen in the spring. Lifelong pals from chapter days: **Harry Sargeant '78, Mickey Fernandez '77, Brent Sembler '78, Tom Wheeler '78**. Brotherhood carries across generations. All four alumni also have sons who are Delta Lambda alumni.

## Over \$65,000 in Repairs and Enhancements to the House this Fall

Through the generosity of the **Legends of Delta Lambda and Chairman Brent Sembler '78** and under the watchful supervision of **Jimmy Keen '73** (Legends Oversight and Chairman of House Management) more than \$53,000 worth of work was done on the house this fall. Repairs and improvements range from massive new magnetic-lock doors across the courtyard entrance to new HD security cameras covering vulnerable areas of the house.

Jimmy Keen provided an overview of the most significant items: "Our courtyard Astro Turf foundation was realigned and leveled and the surface was deep cleaned. In addition, the grounds within the courtyard were weeded, renovated and deep cleaned."



Here are exterior and interior views of the new magnetic-lock back gate entry into the courtyard.



View of the new gates from inside the courtyard.



New heavy-duty railings on the balconies.

“New heavy duty steel railings were installed on the interior balconies,” Keen said. He also addressed the issue of the new back gate where the mesh screening did not provide adequate privacy for the chapter. Solid steel plate, powder-coated black, was placed over the mesh, Keen said, “at an additional cost far beyond the estimate. There are few first-rate powder-coating companies and the process is expensive and time consuming for our contractor.”

The front doors to the chapter house were completely refurbished, re-stained, and re-hinged. “The doors appear better now than when new,” he says.

Regarding security, Keen says, “We have replaced six faulty cameras and installed two additional cameras: a new indoor/outdoor bullet camera and an indoor/outdoor ball camera at a cost of \$2,500.” The 8 channel receiver is HD and all new HD cameras will be rearranged and installed in areas where we have had the most incidents.



**Jimmy Keen** is not only involved with the physical property. He and **Don Pumphrey '06** deliver lengthy instructions to every new pledge class covering issues of law, law enforcement, hazing and general expectations of behavior.

## 2016 Chapter Executive Council

- SMC (President): Kevin Stokes
- Internal Vice President: Ben White
- External Vice President: Connor Riley
- Excellence Officer: Omar Pimentel
- Secretary: Brendan Langley
- Pledge Educator: Trey Ville
- Rush Chairman: Steven McFall
- Treasurer: Griffin Wilcox
- House Manager: Rob Hicks
- Risk Management: Connor Mackenzie
- Title IX Chairman: Austin McLeod
- Member At Large: Joey Myers
- Sergeant At Arms (Judicial Officer): Eric Abbott
- IFC Representative: Dylan Jones
- Intramural Sports Chairman: Austin Labban
- Social Chairman: to be determined
- Alumni Liaison: Peter Singhal [Assistant, Chandler Stutler)
- Political Officer: Hunter Anger
- Legal Liaison: to be determined
- Pikes Illustrated Editor 2016: Eric Natelson
- Ritualist: Dalton Council

## Alumni Advisory Board

- Chapter Advisor: Joe Feheley '81
- Legends of Delta Lambda: Brent Sembler '78, Chairman
- Legends Oversight and Chairman of House Management: Jimmy Keen '73
- Rush Advisors: Doug Russell '79 and Charlie Barnes '65
- Pikes Illustrated Editor 2016: (undergraduate Eric Natelson)
- Faculty Advisors: Andy Miller '70, Doug Tatum '77
- Finance Advisors to the Secretary and Treasurer: Eli Nortelus '01 and Doug Russell '79
- Risk Management: Jimmy Keen '73, Chairman; Don Pumphrey, Jr. '06, Clint Wallace '01, Matt Liebenhaut '01, Carlos Lindo '05.
- Pledge Education Advisor: Dustin Daniels '10
- Technology Advisor & Webmaster: Chris Dietz '87
- Gene Strickland '81, engineering consultant
- Alumni Association Co-Chairman: Gary Prescott '72 and Mark Smith '78.
- Alumni Association Committee: Eric Carr '01, President; Gary Prescott '72, Mark Smith '78, Bob Hall '49 (Charter Member), Phil Doumar '09, Jarrod Germano '07
- Newsletter Editor: Charlie Barnes '65
- Newsletter Publisher: Chris Dietz '87
- Education/Scholarship Advisor: Scottie Howell '06 ('88 Fireman)
- Ambassador: Bob Hall '49
- Chaplaincy Advisor: Rev. Rick Blythe '72
- Political Advisors: Bob McKnight '62 (Fla. Southern College); Scottie Howell '06 ('88)
- Mentoring Advisors: Jimmy Keen '73; Doug Tatum '77; Eric Carr '01

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