Spring 2019

50 Years of Tradition and Excellence

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House Stats

Number of Members: 42

Number of Associates: 8

Total Number of Initiates: 611

• Fall 2018 GPA: 2.975

• Fall All-IFC GPA: 3.056

• Cumulative Chapter GPA: 3.113

From The "E"

Brothers.

My name is Adam McHenry and I am the newly elected E for Tri-State. I am currently a sophomore Biomedical engineering student minoring in robotics and mathematics. I have recently served as chaplain and made so many deep connections with brothers.

It is my absolute pleasure to serve as E this semester. During such a monumental semester and year there is so much that I can't wait to do for all of you and the brotherhood. During my time as E my major goal is to revitalize our alumni interaction. With this goal I want to help make the Facebook page great again. If want to start promoting more day to day interactions.. This includes birthday wishes and well wishes from brothers instead of just the E. It is my goal to help the active brothers reconnect with those who came before them to gain wisdom and insight on how to make this chapter great.

ITB,

Adam McHenry #590 (317)-691-6938

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Keeping In Touch

If you have any news about brothers, please relay the information to Rich Kruger or the Chapter "E" Adam McHenry

Upcoming Events

Members who have passed:

March 15, 2019

Bowlathon for Jimmy V

March 30, 2019

Mom's Day

April 6, 2019

Initiation Day

April 11-13, 2019:

50th Celebration

Delta Chi:

Robert Petit

Tim Purmort

Craig Laker

Beta Phi Theta:

Ronald Bryan

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From The "A"

Hello, my name is Kevin Voor and I am the current "A" the chapter. I am majoring in mechanical engineering and am on coop with Hendrickson Truck Suspension. Since I joined I have been both House Manager and "B". At convention, we were recognized for having raised over \$10,000 for the Jimmy V Foundation. This put us in the top 10 donors among all Delta Chi chapters. This fall we took over 15 guys to volunteer at Camp Arcadia. This is an annual event that we have being doing for over 20 years no2! This semester we will be hosting our first Bowling Fundraiser as our big fundraiser for the year. So far we have raised over 1400\$. Currently we have 42 active brothers. We initiated 7 brothers last fall and this spring we have 8 associate members. This February, we got to host the Region Leadership Conference for Region V for the first time in 15 years. This April we will be celebrating our 50th year of being Delta Chi here at Tri-State. I look forward to seeing you all there.



"The best memories I have from college are because I joined this brotherhood. I guess it's that old Delta Chi spirit. You know?"

- Justin Stewart

ITB, Kevin Voor #577

College is like Sonic the
Hedgehog, it goes too fast
- David Gaff



Nick Ihrie thinking hard while in an RLC Alumni meeting.

Buying Your Brother a Beer

Dear fellow Delta Chi and Beta Phi Theta Brothers,

The BIG FIVE OH anniversary and mortgage burning

Alumni weekend 2019 is fast approaching April 12,13, and 14 th and we will be celebrating Delta Chi's 50 year anniversary at Tri State College, now know as Trine University, and burning of fully paid off mortgage of our wonderful house. (if you haven't seen it, you will wish you were back in college again)

We are asking for donations to help pay for the Friday night welcoming social event which we have done for the past several years. The Friday night event will include a free bar with beer, wine and soft drinks available and manned by an outside vendor. Mixed drinks will be available for purchase at reasonable prices. This use of an out-

side vendor reduces the house liability for the event. We would like to thank all who have donated in the past so generously and are asking for donations of \$50, or any amount you would be comfortable with. We will have a list of donors at "Sugar Bear's Bar" on Friday night and have recognition for donors of \$50 or more. We will donate all the extra funds to the Delta Chi Building Corp after covering expenses for the catered event, as we have done in past years.

Please send checks to: Raymond Bevan 6523 Pennstone Circle Saline, Mi 48176

Philanthropy

Hello, I am Samuel Byers, the Philanthropy chair for Spring and Fall semesters of 2019. I am a junior, majoring Mechanical Engineering.

We as a chapter had a successful event in Granger Food drop this semester. It was a great opportunity for brothers to come together before and after a philanthropy event. The event was us working with Granger Community Church on their annual food drive. We specifically were loading boxes of food onto the trucks to be moved from the church to other locations and unloading a truck at a food bank. We had a decent turnout of actives and alumni involvement from Josh Wyman.

We are currently planning a joint fundraiser between Delta Chi and engineers without borders in the form of a disk golf tournament. We also have Cedar Point slated for October and we recently had a successful Wings Etc. giveback night. If any alumni would like to get in contact to help out with events, plan events, or desire more information feel free to email me at srbyers16@my.trine.edu.

ITB, Samuel Byers #606



"There were three of them" - Michael Forthofer

Recruitment

Dear Brothers.

My name is Garrett Widman, and I am the current Delta Chi Tri-State Chapter's Recruitment Chairman. I began my term at the start of this year and will hold office for the remainder of 2019. I'm a sophomore Chemical Engineering major and live on campus as an RA at the moment. I also spent the year of 2018 on Co-Op, so coming back this year and taking the position over has helped to introduce me to a number of potential new members I did not previously know. So far this year, we have hosted a number of recruitment events. The most notable one we've had was a bowling event held at Trine's MTI Center towards the end of January. Several brothers and potential new members came to bowl a few frames and hang out with one another. It was a lot of fun and many people appeared to enjoy it. There are some pretty exciting events we have in the works for after spring break as well. Our Associate Members will be creating a mini golf course inside the house for a putt putt event, and there are plans for a recruitment cookout at the end of the spring semester. With this position, aside from planning new and interesting events, I'd like to establish a stronger Delta Chi presence on Trine's campus and put together a newsletter we can share with interested PNM's.

ITB, Garrett Widman #578

Brotherhood

Brothers,

Hello I am Riley Burton. I am studying Mechanical Engineering. I am so honored to be Brotherhood chair. I have some exciting events that are going on, like: weekly euchre night, movies on Saturday, a Komets Hockey game, and Mom's Day. We as a chapter would love to see you and your moms at Mom's Day. As a chapter, we want to promote and strengthen the bond of the brotherhood. We would love to see you all at the 50th.

ITB, Riley Burton #598



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Spring 2019 AM Report

James Purkey

My name is James Purkey and I'm a Junior English Major here at Trine University and I'm expected to graduate in spring 2020. I am the associate member "A". I decided to join Delta Chi because of the current brothers of the house. They made an impression on me that showed how this fraternity is not quite like the others. They have a true bond and have established friendships that will last a lifetime.

Caleb Moore

My name is Caleb Moore. I am a junior from Warsaw, Indiana. I am studying Civil Engineering and I am expecting to graduate in the spring of 2020. I am the "B" of the Associate Member class. The reason why I chose Delta Chi was to not only better myself as a person, but also better the people around me. I am also looking forward to growing my network of friends and associates.







Zac Turner

Hello, I am Zachary R. Turner and I am from Pioneer, Ohio which is about thirty minutes east of Trine. My position is Associate Member Secretary (C). My major is Social Studies Education, like my brother who is an Elementary Education Major at Trine. The reason I chose Delta Chi was because my brother and many of my friends convinced me to join. I enjoy the brotherhood that is shared with the guys in and out of the house as well.

Jerrod Cape

My name is Jerrod Cape. I am a senior majoring in Social Studies Education, with an expected graduation date in the fall of 2020. I am from Edgerton, Ohio, and I am the D of my Associate Member class. I joined Delta Chi because many of the members left a great first impression. Once I got to meet more of them I began to feel like this is a place where I can make so many friends. At first, I did not have intentions of going Greek but once I got to know these guys better, along with finding out what Greek life is all about, I quickly changed my mind.



Delta Chi—Brotherhood of a Lifetime



Payton Johnson

My name is Payton Johnson. I am a freshman majoring in Electrical engineering, and I expect to graduate in the spring of 2022. I am from Fort Wayne, IN, and I am the "E" of my associate member class. I joined Delta Chi because I found the core ideals of the fraternity to be very different from those of a stereotypical college fraternity, and they aligned well with areas of my character that I wanted to develop.

Alec Wallisch

My name is Alec Wallisch, I am the AM "F". I'm a first year Chemical Engineering Major from Lagro, Indiana. I chose Delta Chi because I wanted the opportunity to be a better man and gain leadership skills and networking.







Cole Sullivan

My name is Cole Sullivan I am from Avon, Indiana. I am currently a sophomore that is studying Mechanical Engineering. Within my AM class I am the philanthropy chair. The reason I went with DELTA CHI as the fraternity to pursue is because it was one of the few places in my life that I truly felt safe and that I could be myself.

Garrett Howell

I'm from Oswego Illinois and I am the AM recruitment chair. I am a freshman studying biomedical engineering. I chose Delta Chi because it's going to help me grow as a person and introduce me to a lot of new people. The focus on academics is really important to me. Overall, it's just a great group of guys that I want to go through college with.



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Delta Chi's 1st "Bowlathon" Bowling Tournament for the Jimmy V <u>Foundation</u>





The Tri-State Chapter of the Delta Chi Fraternity is always improving and striving to raise more money for the Jimmy V Foundation. With new installation of the MTI Center on Trine University's campus, a bowling fundraiser in the new bowling alley would be the perfect opportunity to raise money while having fun. The hype for a 5K run began to lose interest within the chapter, so a change in fundraising opportunities was the best option to revitalize brothers' enthusiasm. The First Annual "Bowl For a Cure" fundraiser will roll on March 15th 2019.

The Bowling Fundraiser will consist of teams of four bowlers in six lanes for three hours. Have an engineer do the math, and we project over \$700 gross from entry fees. Generous local companies have agreed to cater food for all competing bowlers including pizza, donuts, cookies, and chips with salsa. A silent auction consisting of 10 bundles of donated goods will begin a few weeks before the event and finally commence at the conclusion of bowling. We currently have 8 sponsors and 12 companies donating silent auction items or catered food. As we continue to close on sponsorships and donations, we would like to thank the Angola community for all the support. With your help, our math major predicts about \$2500 total for direct deposit to the V Foundation!

Our chapter relies on the spring fundraiser every year to generate the majority of our funds donated to the Jimmy V Foundation. 'The V Foundation' is our sole philanthropic organization appointed by International Delta Chi in 2006. The foundation is named for Jim Valvano, who started it himself in 1993. Across the nation, The Delta Chi Fraternity has raised over \$1 million dollars for this cause over the past 12 years. As a chapter, we strive to reach our pledge of \$10,000 every convention year with incentive to achieve Top Ten Donor status at the International Convention. Lastly, donations of all shapes and sizes are graciously accepted. Therefore, if you do not plan on attending the incredible 50th year celebration, you can show your support by donating toward the cure for cancer.

ItB,
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Gold Level Sponsors for the Inaugural Bowlathon



Pizza King is a family-friendly pizza, pasta & sub chain for delivery or eat-in, with beer & wine located at 1206 N Wayne St, Angola, IN 46703.



Northeast Indiana's Premier night spot for Live Music! The Venue offers a variety Live Music on the weekends from Country to Rock-N-Roll. We have a full kitchen that is open daily for lunch and carry out! The Venue is conveniently located at 110 W Maumee St, Angola, IN 46703.



Dr. Melissa McHenry

At ZPD, we are committed to making your child's first dental visit pleasant and comfortable. We understand the importance of establishing a good oral hygiene regimen early in a child's life, and we provide children with the necessary knowledge and treatment to maintain a healthy smile. Zionsville Pediatric Dentistry is located at 55 Brendon Way, Suite 500, Zionsville IN, 46077.

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50th Anniversary Celebration

The countdown is on for a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity as a member in the Tri-State Chapter of the Delta Chi Fraternity! In just under two months we are hosting our 50th Anniversary celebration. We are expecting brothers from all generations and classes to come out to rekindle friendships, relationships, and the brotherhood of a lifetime.

The 11th, 12th and 13th of April 2019 we, the brothers of the Delta Chi Fraternity, will be celebrating the great anniversary of our chartering just 50 years ago. We are the 47th chapter of Delta Chi to reach such a milestone as an active chapter. This is an outstanding accomplishment which calls for celebration and praise.

Our chapter has been through so much over the years. Starting from the 411 Gang and evolving to the Lambda Phi Epsilon chapter, then into the Beta Phi Theta era of professional men. Upon the end of Beta Phi Theta the members, and sole chapter, of Beta Phi Theta left agreed to transition into the men of the Delta Chi Fraternity. On May 24, 1969 we were officially chartered as a Chapter of the great fraternity we are today.

All the events will be starting Friday, April 12th. However, we highly promote coming early to get the most out your trip with old friends and familiar faces.



This is a once in a lifetime opportunity for the chapter and for all the alumni of TriState Delta Chi. This momentous occasion will an epic milestone for our chapter and for Delta Chi's to come.

There will be a variety of collectibles available for brothers and members who attend, along with the great memories created from such an incredible event.

The Men of Tri-State have worked hard at planning this event, striving for everyone to attend. With that, we are able to make this wonderful event FREE for all to attend! We want to see all members of Delta Chi and Beta Phi Theta here to celebrate such a monumental reunion of brotherhood.

Registration, information for hotels and a full schedule of events can be found at

http://tristatedeltachi.org/events/ 50th-anniversary-weekend/

Events of the 50th

Thursday April 11, 2018

- · Check-In
- Beta Phi Theta Dinner
- Campus Tours

Friday April 12, 2019

- Check-In 10AM—Midnight
- Campus Tours Noon-4PM
- Golf Scramble (See Below)
- Hog Roast Dinner 6PM
- Burning the Mortgage 9PM
- Open House 9PM-Midnight

Saturday April 13, 2019

- Check-In 10AM-4PM
- Campus Tours 10AM-Noon
- Guests' Lunch 11AM
- Annual Meeting in Best Hall 2PM
- Delta Chi Celebration 5:30PM
- Group Photo 6:30PM
- Banquet and Silent Auction 7PM
- Live Band Good Night Gracie

For anyone interested in the Golf Scramble contact Mike Haun at mikey219@comcast.net for pricing and additional infor-

Auction Items For Banquet

All proceeds from the silent auction held during the banquet will be used for Jimmy V. These items include but are not limited to the below list. The auction will be held during banquet and cash or card is accepted.

- Autographed picture of Pittsburgh Steelers DE (OSU alumnus) Cameron Heyward
- Chicago Bears flag featuring laser signatures of Cohen, Trubisky, Hicks, Howard, and Floyd
- Tickets to a Cincinnati Reds game in 2019
- Portillo's Restaurant Gift Card
- Shedd Aguarium Tickets
- Qty:2 Single-Day passes to Kings Island Amusement Park
- Dick Vitale Autograph Book: W in Life
- Dick Vitale Autograph Book: It's Awesome Baby
- Dick Vitale Autograph Basketball
- Brian Kelly Autograph Football
- 3 Bottles Bourbon
- Bourbon Book
- Delta Chi Wood Burning
- And More

"From drinking beer on the front porch to hanging out 'til 4 AM at conventions, it truly is a brotherhood of a lifetime."

- Taylor Breidenbach #544



From left to right, Travis Lores, Tom "Tomcat" Carrol, and Taylor Breidenbach

Region V RLC

Region V RLC 2019 was held at Tri-State University. We had a weekend full of great learning events and fun. At RLC there were over 8 chapters present and almost 150 Delta Chi brothers from all over the northern Midwest. On Friday we hosted several of the chapters and served our famous Tri-State wings. We voted to have RLC 2020 with Region VI and have it be hosted in Cincinnati OH. Saturday was a day full of learning and excellence. Tom "Tomcat" Carroll gave a state of the fraternity and how we as Delta Chi can and will become the best fraternity. Tri-State was awarded "Most Innovative Programming" and "Best Campus Involvement." We cannot thank Travis Lores and Taylor Breidenbach. Without them RLC wouldn't have gone so smoothly. We thoroughly enjoyed hosting all these chapters and cannot wait for the next RLC in Cincinnati.

"Delta Chi has given back to me so much more than I ever expected. I have made many close friends that I would've never made otherwise. It has taught me many life lessons and built me up as a person. I am forever grateful for a chance to join the brotherhood of a lifetime."

- Colten Wimmer #539

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Request Address Correction

Interested in coming to visit the new Delta Chi House? Alumni Weekend is April 11-13, 2019

For more information, email Adam McHenry at admchenry 16@my.trine.edu or call at (317) 691-6938.

Registration is available at:

http://tristatedeltachi.org/alumni-weekend/

Feel free to visit anytime. Or Contact Rich or one of the brothers listed on the website at:

www.tristatedeltachi.org