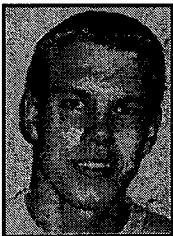


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*Delta Tau Delta: Delta Xi- Spring 2002*



## Delta Xi Gearing up for Spring Philanthropy

**by Brother Mark Larsen**  
*Public Relations Chairman*

The chapter's spring philanthropy this year is the 2nd Annual Deltona Beach Volleyball Tournament. This event will be held on April 19 through April 21 at the shelter's own sand volleyball court. During the tournament, the chapter will also be holding a silent auction, possible only by donations which have been received from many individuals and businesses.

Money raised from these events will help a fellow Greek, Teresa Tostenrud, who is a member of Kappa Alpha Theta sorority at UND. She is terminally ill with Crohn's disease and plans on graduating with a major in Physical Therapy. Teresa underwent a two-part operation in which her large intestine was removed last summer and currently uses a portable device which assists her in digestion. If the disease moves to her

small intestine and that becomes infected, there will be no cure and will be fatal. She currently takes \$600 worth of antibiotics each month. Each team plays with four people and an optional fifth person substitute. Cash prizes of \$500, \$250, and \$125 will be awarded for the top three places respectively, as well as trophies which were donated by Brother Tom Eversons parent's busi-

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**Spring Philanthropy cont...**

-ness. Concessions will also be available and alumni are invited to stop by for a free hamburger and to watch some volleyball. Goals for the event include full participation of 48 teams, as well as exceeding the amount raised by last year's tournament, which was \$7,000. If you wish to donate to this worthy cause, contributions are tax deductible under Internal Revenue Code Section 501(C)3; the exemption number for the Education Foundation is 45-0344199. If you would like more information on this or would like to register a team, feel free to contact me.

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**Guitar donated and signed by the band "Korn" made \$600 in the silent auction last year.**

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**by Brother Dave Thomas  
President Delta Xi Chapter**

**From the Desk of the President**

Greetings, I hope this letter finds you in good health. The past few months have been good for Delta Xi. We currently have 59 active member and 5 pledges. This past February 7-10 our divisional conferences were held in Chicago, Illinois. Delta Xi sent 19 men, the most of any chapter in attendance. The divisional conference provides a great environment to meet with other chapters, share ideas and learn about what works for them and what doesn't. The men who went brought back some great ideas that can be implemented into our chapter. Divisional conferences are also where awards are given to chapters for the previous year. I am proud to say that Delta Xi did well this year. We were recognized for

exceeding our recruitment goals and also for our academic success. Our chapter average GPA exceeded the all mens average and the all fraternity average. This year the chapter was also awarded a Court of Honor. The Court of Honor is awarded to the top twenty percent of all Delta Tau Delta chapters nationwide. For next year the men of Delta Xi have set a goal to achieve a Hugh Shields flag. The Hugh Shields flag is awarded to the top ten chapters nationwide. Also this past February, Delta Xi held a local leadership academy, there was 20 members in attendance at the week-end long academy. The men learned about what it takes to be a leader along with their own personal leadership strengths, weaknesses and styles. This spring the men of Delta Xi are looking forward to activating our five new members, Mike Anderson, Brent Bielec, Dan Gigel, Ryan Lee and Taylor Smith.



## Technology at Delta Xi Blossoms

by **Brother Brian Nordstrom**  
*Technology Chairman*

At Delta Tau Delta this Spring the computer room has seen some changes. First, one thing that has shown up is an Apple Airport Base Station. This will allow members to take their laptops wherever they want in the house and still access the Internet without the constraints of wires. This will provide to be even more useful in the future as more and more members bring laptops and computers into the house. A Mikrotek Scanmaster 4800 scanner is another device that we have recently acquired.

This scanner is something

around here that we have been in need of for a long time. Now members can scan just about anything that they want and use the high quality images for whatever venture they choose. A Canon PC1060 copier was also added this semester. In the past, members had to go to the union to use our limited numbers of copies that they give us or drive across town to Kinko's to make copies. Now, members can make copies easily and continently. Also I'd like to thank the Educational Foundation for their help in purchasing these items. With these and future technology improvements Delta Tau Delta will truly become even more of an asset to our members.

In closing I would like to talk about Delta Xi's website. The technology committee put out the first website in two years during Christmas break. It was a good start with many good ideas and served us well. We have just completed revising the site and are very excited to see what you all think. The alumni page has many new features such as a bulletin board for you to post messages and contact information if you wish to do so.

The URL is [www.unddeltts.org](http://www.unddeltts.org)  
The Alumni area requires a username and password which are:

**username: alumni**  
**password: 1858**

Problems accessing the site? Send an Email email to [corydraeger@hotmail.com](mailto:corydraeger@hotmail.com)



## Education Foundation and Stan Moe Bring in a New Batch of Leaders

by **Brother Ken Kosak**

This past January 25 through the 27th, 19 brothers of the Delta Xi Chapter got an opportunity of a lifetime and a vacation that will never be forgotten. Education Foundation member Bob Feidler teamed up with long time friend Jim Carr and Jim Thomason to enlighten and educate the future leaders of Delta Xi. Jim Carr who is the personnel trainer for employees of the EPA addressed the participants on the significance of the outcome of the Meyers-

Briggs personality tests which were filled out prior to the academy. Jim Thomason and his wife Nancy were the owners of the fine establishment pictured above, the Inn at Maple Crossing. Jim is the retired Department Chair of Philosophy at Georgetown University, and currently spends his time running the Inn and teaching philosophy at the University of Minnesota Crookston. Jim was also responsible for the delicious four course meals that kept the brothers bellies full so there

minds could focus on learning. Alumnus Bob Feidler set up the academy and acted as the liaison between the chapter brothers and the facilitators, making sure everything was set to go.

The curriculum used was very different from the past leadership academies. Prior to this academy, the required reading had been *The Seven Habits of Highly Effective People* by Steven Covey. For this academy, the *Prince* by Machiavelli  
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**Leadership Academy cont...**

and other leadership excerpts were used and brought a new, yet effective way of approaching leadership to the attendees. Members were asked to give their input and to participate openly in all the discussions. The nineteen brothers relaxed after the awe-inspiring sessions in the twelve custom designed 19th century theme rooms ranging from "French Country" to "Almost Heaven." The gym at Erskine High School and Maple Lake provided a place for the brothers to get in a few football workouts during the weekend. The Inn at Maple Crossing is located 45 miles east of Grand Forks on Highway 2, and overlooks Maple Lake.


**by Brother Billy Feidler**  
*Alumni Relations Chairman*

The Delt Education Foundation again gave out over \$16,000 in scholarships at the Spring Formal held on March 23rd. Over thirty Brothers received scholarships ranging from \$100 - \$1000. President Kupchella was most impressed with the activities of the Foundation and the loyalty and spirit of the alumni that make it all possible. We made a point to mention to him that in a typical year - at the Fall and Spring Formals - the Foundation gives out in the vicinity of \$34,000. The men of Delta Tau Delta Xi Chapter wish to

thank the many alumni who have been so generous in supporting the active chapter with their money and enthusiasm.

Additionally, the Delt Education Foundation has been very generous in providing new equipment and upgrades to enhance the chapter's computers, printers, and other electronic equipment. We are now as well equipped as any house on campus, and believe me, the equipment is used 16 hours a day.

We also appreciate the additions to the chapter library provided by the Foundation. Our library has forty new additions on topics ranging from leadership to history to the classics. Most of these new books have already been browsed through by the Chapter members and they represent a most helpful research and learning tool.

The Board of Directors of the Foundation is eager to attract as many alumni as possible to serve the Foundation in some capacity. Please make your interest in serving known to President Neil Fleming at 701 265 8446. Everyone is welcome. On behalf of the active chapter, thank you again for your generosity and willingness to assist us in so many ways.



**The Inn at Maple Crossing**

# Scholarships and Awards

## George A. Allen

### - Most Improved GPA

1. Andrew Bogen - 350
2. Michael Posl - \$250
3. Josh Atkins - \$150

## Carlyle Onsrud Scholarship

### - Highest honors fall pledge

Dan Walsh \$150

## Norman Skalicky

### - New Membership >3.0

### GPA

Brent Bielec - \$150  
 Dan Griegle - \$150  
 Tanner Hewitt - \$200 (sophomore)  
 Taylor Smith - \$150

## Wallace Olson

### - Attendance Scholarship

Andrew Willamsen - \$100  
 Ian Daly - \$100  
 Eric Smoot - \$100  
 Jordan Yeo - \$100  
 Trent Sims - \$100  
 Josh Atkins - \$100  
 Dan Walsh - \$100  
 Craig Smith - \$100  
 Michael Shope - \$100  
 Mark Larsen - \$100  
 Elliot Dewey - \$100  
 Jason Litzinger - \$100

## Ordean Dahl

### -Big/Little Brother GPA

Craig Smith - \$100  
 Brad Juffer - \$100

## Robert Ray

### - Medical Scholarship

Pat Stevens - \$500

## Chad Erickson

### - Aviation Scholarship

Jordan Yeo - \$350

## Leon Jorgenson

### - Music Scholarship

Dan Moe - \$250  
 Jordan Yeo - \$250

## Merlin Dewing Leadership

### Award - For the member who demonstrates what leadership is all about.

Dave Thomas - \$400

## Gjovig Grand Old Delt

### Award

Matt Kuzel - \$300

## Edward X Hallenberg Red

### Key Award - Outstanding pledge of the fall semester

Sergei Kulikov - \$200

## John Treadwell Ritual Award

Thomas Strub - \$150

## Merritt Welch Outstanding

### Chairman Award

Eric Mahowald - \$150

## Robinson Award for Chapter

### Achievement - for service to the community

Kenneth Kosak - \$200

## Ted Kellogg Campus Award

### - Participation in campus activities

Chris Rustemeyer - \$150

## C.A. Cranna - Most valuable member for contributions to the Fraternity system

Ben Orsua - \$200

## Herbert Lundin Memorial

### Scholarship - For entrepreneurial spirit and accomplishments

Ben Orsua - \$400

## Don and Ann Smith

### -Aerospace Scholarship

Ian Daly - \$350

## Kent McGregor

### - Accounting Scholarship

Michael Posl - \$200

## William Tipton Scholarship

### -Outstanding Business major

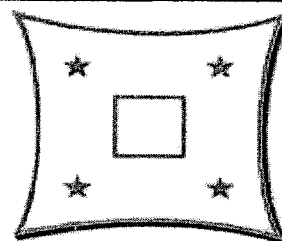
Eric Mahowald - \$150

## Max Allen

### -Education Scholarship

Eric Mahowald - \$200

## These awards total \$12,900!



## Pledges Spring 2001

Michael Anderson- PreLaw  
 Devils Lake, ND

Bent Bielic- Aviation  
 Apple Valley, MN

Ryan Lee- Aviation  
 Watertown, SD

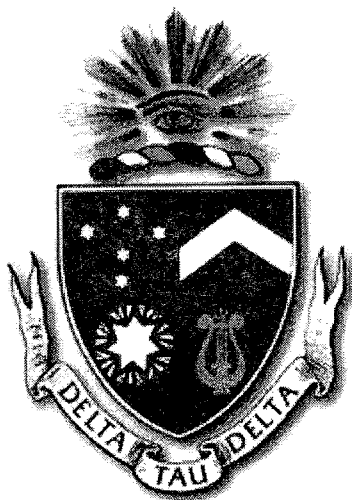
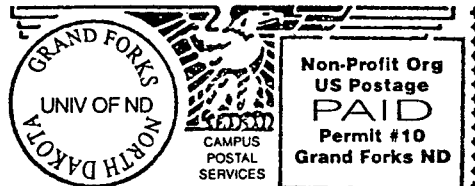
Dan Griegle- Mgmt Info. Sys,  
 Moorehead, MN

Taylor Smith - Electrical Eng.  
 Grand Forks, ND

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**Recruitment**

Rush is the perpetuation of the Fraternity and the success of any rush program is, of course, dependent upon securing as early as possible. You, our alumni, can be of great assistance, as in the past. If you know of someone from your area that is planning to attend UND next fall, or is currently enrolled here, and in your estimation is a man who is prospective Delt material, please send his name, address, and any other relevant information to the chapter in care of the Recruitment Chairman. Your help is greatly appreciated.

Prospect's Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 Graduate of \_\_\_\_\_ High School  
 Expects to enter (college) \_\_\_\_\_ Finances \_\_\_\_\_  
 Scholarship Rating \_\_\_\_\_  
 Fraternity Connections \_\_\_\_\_  
 Activities and Hobbies \_\_\_\_\_

General Comments \_\_\_\_\_  
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