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Lon Simmons to speak at banquet

Lon Simmons, Iota Theta No. 186, will be the featured speaker for the Arkansas State University chapter's 55th annual Founders Day Banquet on Saturday, April 5. The event will begin at 6:30 p.m. in Centennial Hall of the ASU Student Union-Reng Center.

The banquet will also feature an electronic message from Iota Theta No. 1A, George Spasyk, longtime executive vice president of the Lambda Chi Alpha national organization. Brother George has frequently been Iota Theta's featured speaker at "five" banquets, but his health no longer allows him to travel.

Iota Theta's weekend celebration will begin Friday night with a poker tournament for alumni and actives and conclude Sunday with chapter church.

Returning after a year's hiatus will be the chapter's golf tournament, which will begin with a shotgun start at 8 a.m. Saturday. Alumni, actives and associates will compete in the 2-man scramble.

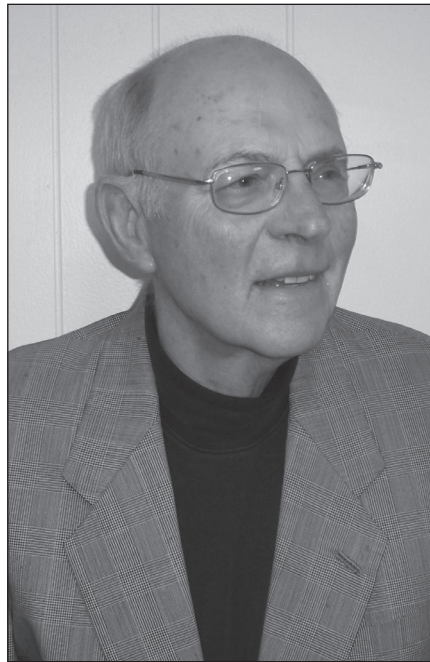
The house corporation-alumni association, Lambda Chi Alpha at ASU Inc., will have its annual meeting at 3 p.m. Saturday at the house.

Included in corporation business will be the election of six directors. Board members whose terms expire this year are Roy Ockert, Wayne Wiggins, Delane Hogan, Jeff Simmons, Jeff Clayton and Steve Whitmire.

Serving the second year of their terms are Jim Stearns, David Merrell, Barry Forrest, Brent Davis, Pete Murphy and Chris West. The High Pi, High Alpha and High Tau are automatically members — Rian Snell, Nathan Tripod and Zach Draper, respectively.

Prior to the banquet, alumni, actives, associates and their guests will gather for a 6 p.m. reception outside the meeting hall.

The banquet will also feature chapter awards.



Lon Simmons

Brother Simmons has been an educator, construction company owner, developer, consultant and real estate agent. Currently he owns Lon Simmons Realty LLC in St. Louis.

After graduating with an English degree from Arkansas State in 1966, he taught for seven years. He also earned a master's degree from Webster University in 1971.

He founded his own construction company, specializing in hauling, excavation and utility installation, then sold that company and founded Simmons & Sun Inc., an earth-sheltered housing development company that became known nationwide as a pioneer in the field.

Later he owned a consulting firm, Solar Earth Consultants Inc., with offices in 15 states.

His companies completed projects in more than 30 states, and his work and ideas have been featured in numerous magazines, including Better Homes

Schedule

Friday, April 4

7 p.m. — Texas Hold 'em Tournament for alumni and actives, LXA House

Saturday, April 5

8 a.m. — Golf Tournament, shotgun start, Sage Meadows Country Club

3 p.m. — LXA at ASU Inc. annual meeting, House, Alumni Room

6-6:30 p.m. — Reception for alumni, Student Union (outside meeting hall).

6:30 p.m. — Banquet, Centennial Hall, ASU Student Union

- Special message from George Spasyk
- Introduction of featured speaker — Roy Ockert

- Speaker — Lon Simmons, Iota Theta 186

- House Corp. report — Jim Stearns

- High Alpha report, chapter awards — Nathan Tripod

After banquet — Reception for alumni, Hilton Gardens

Sunday, April 6

11 a.m. — Chapter church — to be announced

and Gardens, New Shelter, Earth Shelter Digest and Energy Report, as well as newspaper articles and trade journals. For years he spoke frequently to college, industry and trade groups on passive solar applications and alternative energy development.

In the 1980s he joined the first RE/MAX franchise in St. Louis. During his 17 years with the agency he often ranked among the top 1 percent of all U.S. real estate agents, and he was selected to the RE/MAX Hall of Fame.

One of his most well-known projects involved the development of what is now the Fox Run Golf Club, ranked by Golf Digest as the fourth best golf course in Missouri. He served as a dual agent in the process, then as general manager in charge of bringing the project to construction.

Officers of High Zeta for 2013-14

BY CARTER LEE
IOTA THETA NO. 1396

Every officer has met and exceeded the grade average and institutional hour requirements necessary to hold office. The officers' average GPA in the fall of 2013 was a 3.55.

High Alpha: Nathan Tripod, Iota Theta 1379, is a junior and was initiated in the fall semester of 2011. He is a double major in biology and chemistry. Nathan is from Paragould and was previously the High Sigma and High Beta. When he graduates, he aspires to go to medical school. Nathan enjoys spending time shadowing physicians and volunteering at patient clinics.

High Beta: Dylan Bateman, Iota Theta 1355, is a 21-year-old junior history major from Paragould. Initiated in the fall of 2011, he previously served as the High Gamma and High Kappa as well as the Greek Week committee co-chairman for ASU. He is the IFC president and Greek Team co-chairman for Up Till Dawn. He enjoys working out and playing golf, volleyball and basketball. When he graduates, he plans on teaching history and coaching.

High Theta: Caleb Garrett, Iota Theta 1388, was initiated in the fall of 2012. From Bryant, Caleb previously served as High Epsilon. He is a physical education major, a member of the PE Majors club and volunteers for the Special Olympics. In his spare time he enjoys playing intramural sports and working out. He is 21 years old and plans to teach and coach at a high school level.

High Gamma: Jesse Wolf, Iota Theta 1407, is a junior marketing major from Bryant. Initiated in the spring of 2013, he also serves on the Bylaws Committee. Jesse enjoys working out and spending time with his brothers. When he graduates, he plans on going into business, hoping to get a job involving graphic design.

High Tau: Zack Draper, Iota Theta 1360, was initiated in the fall of 2011. This is his fifth consecutive semester as the High Tau and serves as the chap-

ter's IFC delegate. Zack is a junior civil engineering major from Malvern and is in the American Society of Civil Engineers. After he gets his degree, he hopes to work for either the Highway Department or the Army Corps of Engineers. In his spare time he plays soccer and tutors underclassmen who are engineering majors.

High Iota: Gunner Fultz, Iota Theta 1416, is a 19-year-old sophomore from Paragould, and he was initiated in the fall of 2013. Gunner is a psychology major with a minor in criminology. He trains police dogs for the Jonesboro Police Department and also works with other departments nationwide. He specializes in the canine units that deal with narcotics and criminal apprehension. After college he hopes to become a federal or state law enforcement officer.

High Epsilon: Skyler McKissock, Iota Theta 1426, is in his first year at ASU and is studying to get a degree in biology. Skyler is a 19-year-old from Bryant, and he is a member of the Honors College. He enjoys intramural sports, working out and studying to keep his grades high. When he graduates, Skyler plans on attending medical school and becoming a physician.

High Phi: Peter Hasik, Iota Theta 1366, is from Corpus Christi, Texas. He is a junior wildlife management and ecology major and was initiated in the fall of 2011. Peter formerly served as the High Rho. He enjoys running, working out and reading. After he graduates, Peter wants to work in conservation in Oregon, Washington or Colorado. He also may further his degree and work with mapping out the oceanic floors or unexplored regions of the world.

High Delta: Jacob Tucker, Iota Theta 1402, was initiated in the fall of 2012. From Paragould, he is a double major in biology and chemistry. Jacob likes being outdoors or just hanging out with his brothers. After getting his degree, Jacob wants to go to medical school and eventually become a physician.

High Kappa: John Robinson, Iota

Theta 1376, is from Newport. He was initiated in the fall of 2011 and previously served as an at-large member on the chapter's Executive Board. He was formerly a member of the student physical therapy association. John is about to graduate, then will study for two months to take his board exam and finally become a physical therapist assistant. In his free time he likes to just hang out with his brothers.

High Rho: Carter Lee, Iota Theta 1396, is a 20-year-old junior and a pre-professional biology major from Sherwood. He was initiated in the fall of 2012 and serves as the IFC vice president of recruitment. Carter enjoys being at the house and hanging out with his brothers any time he can. He plans to graduate, go to professional school and become a physician.

High Sigma: Earl Morris, Iota Theta 1431, is a junior from Jacksonville with a double major in biology and chemistry. Earl was initiated in the fall of 2013. He is the Pre-Professional Club treasurer, does undergrad research involving the overexpression of vitamin C in tobacco, is a member of the Honors College for which he serves as the secretary, and is also a recipient of the STATE scholarship, the highest ASU offers. Earl plans on going to pharmacy school. He enjoys volunteering at Arkansas State and in the surrounding community.

High Pi: Rian Snell, Iota Theta 1190, was initiated in the fall of 2004 and graduated from ASU with a B.S. in chemistry in 2008. He earned a Doctor of Pharmacy degree from University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences in 2012. That August Ryan and his wife had their first child, a son, Siler. He is now pharmacist-in-charge at Hilltop Market Pharmacy in Jonesboro. He became the High Pi in December of 2012. As an active member of Lambda Chi, he served as T-shirt chairman, High Theta, High Beta and High Alpha. Shortly before Ryan was initiated, the chapter was reduced to 18 members. When he graduated from ASU, the chapter was at nearly 100 active members.

High Alpha's report

BY NATHAN TRIPOD
IOTA THETA NO. 1379

Growth is the best word I can give to sum up our brotherhood here at Arkansas State University.

To begin with, there is growth of the individual. In my time as a brother, I have grown into a different man than I was before. I have been able to acquire many new skills in communication, management and most importantly leadership, but all the while, I have enjoyed a strong brotherly push in the right direction and a wonderful group of brothers that I can lean on to keep me on the right path. That is the core of Lambda Chi Alpha here at Arkansas State.

Every day I wake up with pride knowing that I share an unbelievable brotherly bond with 87 other men, all constantly pushing each another to be the best possible men they can be. That is how the word growth is applicable to the group of men as a whole. We constantly grow together through our true brotherhood and are constantly improving that brotherhood with better members and true brotherly love.

My time as president thus far has been both a great deal of hard work and very rewarding. We began last fall with an

amazing work ethic, which translated to an equally as amazing recruitment. When all was said and done with our associate member process, we initiated 32 great new members into our bond. We prided ourselves during our recruitment time because all of the young men who were extended a bid into our organization all had a 3.0 GPA or above.

To continue with our scholarly endeavors, our chapter held a 3.15 cumulative GPA this semester, which was second of all fraternities at Arkansas State University. We also had seven members (myself included) who maintained 4.0 GPAs this semester, which shows how much we stress the importance of good grades and once again being the best possible man that anyone can be.

Our other accomplishments this year included winning the "Best Men On Campus" award for the seventh year straight! Last semester we also had three brothers get voted onto the IFC board for Arkansas State. These brothers are Howard Watts, Carter Lee and IFC president Dylan Bateman. Our chapter currently has more members on the IFC board than any other chapter.

This semester we were also able to raise upwards of \$7,000 in philanthropy! The majority was donated to Jones-

boro's CASA program, and the rest will be donated at the end of the year to St. Jude Children's Hospital after our spring fund-raising.

There were also some new and exciting things that we accomplished this past semester. For the first time since they were set, our chapter was able to meet all 12 standards of operation that our headquarters sets for us, which in turn translated to an amazing Educational Leader Consultant report, thus putting us in the light nationally and opening doors for us to begin new national programs that will turn us into an upper tier chapter on the national level.

Also this year we were able to raise enough money to have a White Rose formal for the first time in four years. It was held in Kansas City, Mo., and we had a beautiful banquet at the Westin Hotel at Crown Center.

As we go into this new semester, I know I will continue to be proud of brothers and the work they are constantly putting into the betterment of our bond as well as many other aspects of our fraternity. I definitely see more good news and accomplishment on the way, and most importantly, more growth and a stronger brotherhood tomorrow than even today.

House corps president's report

BY JIM STEARNS
PRESIDENT, LXAAT ASU INC.

It has been an honor to serve on the House Corporation board the past few years. It has been a pleasure to work with a great team of brothers for the common betterment of our fraternity house. The dedication of our brotherhood has impressed me for many years.

Many years ago during rush, the brothers of Lambda Chi kept telling me the two things that separated Lambda Chi from other fraternities were: Our associate member program that treated every man as he should be

treated and that Lambda Chi Alpha was for life. I have witnessed many times over older brothers say, "I am a Lambda Chi!"

Your board has worked tirelessly to improve the house over that past years. The High Five Campaign has raised and continues to raise money to fund these projects, and the brothers and alumni have worked together to make a plan to meet all the house needs.

Together we have remodeled all the living quarters and restrooms. We have redone the Alumni Room and purchased a meeting table and chairs.

We have replaced HVAC systems and improved the public kitchen. We have replaced the old windows in the multi-purpose room and redone the deck.

We added additional insulation to the entire house and repaired the roof (again!). We remodeled the entry way and vestibule area, replaced and repaired all exterior doors and installed a keyless entry system. We also purchased a digital video security system for all public areas of the house.

Our work is not done by any means; we have much more to do. We need to

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32 initiated into Iota Theta

**BY CARTER LEE
HIGH RHO**

On Jan. 18, 2014, thirty-two new brothers were initiated into the bond of Lambda Chi Alpha at Iota Theta Zeta. These students all met and exceeded the grade and institutional hour requirements necessary for membership.

Each member of the Fall 2013 class exemplifies the core values upon which our fraternity is based. This class won "Best Men on Campus" for the seventh straight year, completed multiple associate class community service projects and achieved an overall 3.3 grade average last semester.

Those things, however, are only a small portion of the positive impact this class had on our chapter. Through their demeanor, leadership and service, the Fall 2013 class was able to shed a great light on Lambda Chi Alpha and show Arkansas State University what true brotherhood is all about. Following is a brief summary of each new member and his impact on campus.

Tristan Adkins, Iota Theta 1408, is from Brookland. He is an 18-year-old freshman who is pursuing a degree in business management and marketing in hopes of one day owning his own business. Tristan is also starting the Lambda Chi calendar committee to make our chapter as organized as possible.

Ammar Ahmad, Iota Theta 1409, is in his junior year as a biology and chemistry double major. Ammar is 20 years old and from Pine Bluff. Campus activities include: Volunteer ASU, the Pre-Professional club, National Society of Collegiate Scholars, the McNair Program and the Patient Ambassador Program. Also, Ammar is a Global Student Leader, a Chancellor's Ambassador, and he does research under an immunologist.

Stoney Burk, Iota Theta 1410, is an 18-year-old from Cabot. He is a freshman, and his major is nursing and health.

Gabriel Collins, Iota Theta 1411, is a freshman at ASU and is from Hot Springs. "Gabe" is 19 years old and is

seeking a degree in marketing with an emphasis on management. He also frequently takes part in the Department of World Languages conversation table.

Ryan Craig, Iota Theta 1412, is in his first year of college and is majoring in biology. Ryan is from Sherwood and is 18 years old. He also participates in the College Republicans program on campus.

Kolton Crawford, Iota Theta 1413, is from Searcy. His major is clinical laboratory science, and he calls Searcy his hometown. Kolton is an 18-year-old freshman and is a member of Arkansas State's Honors College.

Jared Dietz, Iota Theta 1414, is a biology and chemistry double major in his freshman year. Dietz is 19 years old and is also from Searcy. Not only is he a member of the Honors College, he is also studying abroad in Spain this semester under the program.

Cody Evans, Iota Theta 1415, is 19 years old and is an ASU freshman. Cody eventually wants a degree in marketing and management. He is from Cabot and is a member of the Red Wolf cheerleading squad.

Gunner Fultz, Iota Theta 1416, is from Paragould and is majoring in psychology and minoring in criminology. Gunner is a 19-year-old sophomore and was recently elected as our chapter's new High Iota. He also trains police dogs for the Jonesboro Police Department and other departments around the country.

Matthew Griffin, Iota Theta 1417, is an 18-year-old freshman from Cabot. He is pursuing a degree in kinesiology and hopes to one day become a physician's assistant.

Tyler Hestand, Iota Theta 1418, is in his first year at ASU and is seeking a degree in educational biology with a minor in coaching. He is an 18-year-old from Paragould, and he plays football for the Red Wolves.

Charles "Cade" Howard, Iota Theta 1419, is a 19-year-old from Bryant. He is a freshman this year and is majoring in economics with a pre-law emphasis. Ca-

de participated in Run Crazy for CASA, and he now works for Arkansas State's Alumni Center.

Reece Huffty, Iota Theta 1420, is from Pine Bluff. He is a sophomore, and his major is undecided. Reece is 19 years old and was a participant in Arkansas State's Up Till Dawn event benefiting St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

Davis Hunnicutt, Iota Theta 1421, is a freshman and plans on getting a degree in business. He is 18 years old and is from Bryant.

Alex Klatt, Iota Theta 1422, is a 19 years old, and his major is graphic design. Alex is a freshman from Hot Springs. He is using his skills to better our chapter by designing T-shirts and helping with the maintenance and design of our Web site.

Chris Luna, Iota Theta 1423, is a nursing major from Cabot. He is a 19-year-old freshman, and he has participated in many intramural sports for our chapter.

Jared May, Iota Theta 1424, is a 19-year-old-freshman from Batesville. He is majoring in biology with a pre-professional emphasis. Jared frequently attends the "The Rising" campus worship programs.

Conner McClellan, Iota Theta 1425, is from Searcy. He is an 18-year-old freshman, and he is studying to get a degree in biology. Conner participated in Arkansas State's Up Till Dawn event benefiting St. Jude.

Skyler McKissock, Iota Theta 1426, is in his first year at ASU and is studying biology in hopes of going to medical school. Skyler, 19, is from Bryant, and he is a member of the Honors College. He was recently voted into office as our chapter's new High Epsilon.

Cody McPherson, Iota Theta 1427, is an exercise science major from Bryant. Cody is 18 years old and a sophomore in school. He has been a participant in many intramural sports for our chapter.

Dylan Milligan, Iota Theta 1428, is 18 years old and is undecided in his major. He is a freshman from Batesville, and he

New class brings overall 3.3 GPA

also participates in the chapter's intramural sports.

Zachary Mobley, Iota Theta 1429, is in his sophomore year and is 20 years old. From Bono, Zach is majoring in history and education. He participates in the College Republicans program as well as the Wolf Life College Ministries program.

Kyle Moore, Iota Theta 1430, is from Cabot. He is a 19-year-old freshman and is pursuing a degree in physical education. Kyle participates in many intramural sports and is also a member of the Honors College.

Earl Morris, Iota Theta 1431, is a 20-year-old junior from Jacksonville. Earl is a double major in pre-professional biology and chemistry. He is the treasurer of the Pre-Professional club, the Honors College Association secretary, an undergraduate researcher for Dr. Argelia Lorence, associate professor in metabolic

engineering, and a recipient of the Arkansas State Scholar Award, which is the highest scholarship ASU offers. Earl was also recently voted in as the chapter's High Sigma.

Logan Murray, Iota Theta 1432, is a physical education major in his first year at ASU. He is an 18-year-old from Piggott. Logan also is active in the Campus Outreach program.

Stone Pannell, Iota Theta 1433, is a 19-year-old from the West Memphis. Stone is a sophomore with a major in communication studies and participates in the school's Volunteer ASU program.

Hunter Polsgrove, Iota Theta 1434, is a freshman majoring in marketing and management. He is 18 years old and is from Bryant. Hunter participates in the Campus Outreach program.

Micah Prock, Iota Theta 1435, is from Russellville. He is a 19-year-old freshman and is a broadcast journalism major.

Micah serves the university as an orientation leader as well as an ambassador for the broadcasting department.

Jesse Rayburn, Iota Theta 1436, is a freshman from Cooter, Mo. Jesse is 19 years old and is undecided in his major. He is a part of the Campus Outreach program at A-State.

Spencer Shannon, Iota Theta 1437, is 19 years old and in his first year at ASU. He is from Tuckerman and is majoring in exercise science. Spencer is also active in the Campus Outreach program.

Bradley Toler, Iota Theta 1438, is a freshman with a major in mechanical engineering. He is from Bryant and is 19 years old. He also is a member of the ASU Honors College.

Jed Yarnell, Iota Theta 1439, is 20 years old and came here from Salem. He is a junior majoring in mid-level math and science. Jed hopes to teach at the middle school level when he graduates.

Ockert becomes 7th Lambda Chi to receive alumni award

Roy Ockert Jr., Iota Theta No. 203, was one of three Distinguished Alumni of Arkansas State University to be honored at Homecoming in October.

Brother Ockert, Darrel Cunningham of Fort Smith and Danny Ford of Paragould were recognized at a special A-State Alumni Association and during half-time of the Homecoming game.

Of the 90 Distinguished Alumni honored since the program began in 1984, seven are alumni of Iota Theta Zeta.

Nominated for the award by Brother Joel Gambill, Iota Theta 175 and one of the previous recipients, Brother Roy retired in 2012 as editor of The Jonesboro Sun. He continues to write a weekly column for a the Stephens Media Group, which distributes it to about 15 newspapers, including The Sun.

He was honored by the Arkansas Press Association in 2011 for more than 50 years' service to the newspaper industry.

He has served as treasurer of the house corporation, LXA at ASU Inc., since 2004.

Other Iota Theta recipients include: Russ Harrington in 1987, William H. Wyatt (posthumously) in 1990, Harry Truman Moore in 1997, Bill Phillips in 2005, Jimbo Callaway in 2007 and Gambill in 2010.



Roy Ockert (right) receives a Distinguished Alumnus Award from Rich Carvell Jr., also a Lambda Chi and president of the ASU Alumni Association.

High Pi's report

BY RIAN SNELL
IOTA THETA NO. 1190

In December 2012 Barry Forrest informed me that the chapter did not have a High Pi, or adviser. Barry did not suggest anything to me with that. However, I think he knew it would spark an action on my part. I immediately told Barry that I would be interested in the position without hesitation.

I did not know the state of the chapter other than what Barry had described. However, I did know that without a chapter adviser, my four active years in Iota Theta Zeta would have been a lot less productive.

I thought back to Dr. Stan McPike and his fatherly advice that was always on point. I remembered Shawn Smee's leadership training he provided our chapter officers each year. These men were key in guiding the chapter to where it is today. They taught me many lessons, either through sound advice or by simply showing me the way. I only hope that I can bring to the chapter what was provided to me. I know that we all need a little direction from time to time. My goal is to provide that guidance when it is needed.

Over the last year I have gotten to know the chapter very well. Without a High Pi they were doing great. The officer corps was very responsible and took a lot of

initiative. Since I took the position, I have done my best to give them confidence in their abilities as not just officers but active members as well.

The chapter knows what it takes to be the best fraternity on campus and has been doing it well for quite some time. This past fall the chapter was voted "Best Men on Campus" by their peers for the seventh year in a row. They are men who care not only about their chapter, but also about the community in which they are a part of. They give back to the best of their abilities and seek to replace themselves with men that are even better. They are setting higher goals each year. They seek new members who share their common goals and teach them what it really means to be a Lambda Chi Alpha.

The active chapter holds key leadership roles across the campus. Iota Theta holds very successful fund-raisers that benefit great charities. They don't do this because someone told them they had to; they do it because they want to. The state of the chapter is better than ever. I'm simply here to provide assistance when needed and hopefully provide some motivation and guidance to help them reach their goals.

The chapter has changed significantly from my time as an active until today. When I was initiated, there were roughly 20 active brothers. Today they are hover-

ing near 100. Chapter elections in my day were easy. There were usually only one or two people who wanted each specific office. Today that's not the case. It's not unusual to have six or eight brothers running for a chapter office now.

Every brother strives to meet his obligations to the chapter and fraternity because he wants to. A wise brother once told me, "The key to having a good chapter is to just replace yourself with new members that are better than you." I know that we tried to do this when I was an active, but the chapter actually does it now.

When you continue to bring in hungry hearts and individuals with great character, you can expect the chapter to endure the future. The chapter is healthy and thriving. It will continue to build great men for many years to come if the chapter keeps setting its standards and goals higher every year.

The last year has been great year for Lambda Chi Alpha Iota Theta Zeta at Arkansas State University. It has been an honor to get to know these men and also get to help them in their endeavors.

We plan to work together to continue the chapter excellence. I hope to spread the word to the alumni on the good things happening in the chapter, and I challenge other alumni to come get to know them as well.

Iota Theta alumnus gets promotion

Russ Goad, Iota Theta No. 341, was promoted last year to the deputy site manager for the Field Office at Fort Hood, PM Distributed Common Ground System-Army (DCGS-A). The Fort Hood site for DCGS-A is responsible for fielding, training and maintaining all the Army's Military Intelligence systems throughout the world.

"As the deputy site manager, I have direct responsibility for the Information Technology (IT), Security, Facilities and Motor Pool Sections," Brother Goad reported.

The facility is spread out on a 12-acre

site with buildings totaling 78,000 square feet. The IT section maintains network connections as well as telephone service for 178 personnel. The security section oversees the secure working area as well as the clearances for all personnel and visitors. Finally the motor pool personnel maintain more than 100 pieces of various types of military vehicles.

"I have been with the organization since 1988 in various roles testing, issuing and training equipment to soldiers throughout the free world," he said. "Over 4 million-plus air miles later, they finally put me in a chair.

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redo the floor in the multipurpose room and continue some basic maintenance.

Now is the time and opportunity for many of you to get involved. We are always looking for alumni to get involved either with the active chapter or with the alumni board.

Also, if your business allows and you have a service that we can use during our house plans, please get in touch with anyone on the board. We would love to keep all house remodeling in the inner circle, if possible.

Zeta number _____

Name _____

Address _____

City, state, ZIP _____

Phone(s) _____

E-mail _____

Initiation semester/year _____ Years at ASU _____

Enclosed:

Alumni dues for 2014: \$50 _____ (due and payable Jan. 1, 2014)

If a graduate in 2008 or later: \$25 _____

Note: Annual dues are waived for anyone pledging \$100 a year for five years or making a one-time contribution of at least \$500 to the High Five campaign.

High Five for Lambda Chi capital campaign:

This is a payment on my pledge: _____
(or)

This is a one-time contribution: Enclosed ____ (or) To be paid on this date _____
(or)

I am making a pledge to be paid: Monthly ____ Quarterly ____ Semi-annually ____ Annually ____
over ____ years.

Retire the Mortgage Fund (goes directly to principal): \$ _____

I will be attending Founders Day April 5:

Banquet tickets: \$30 per person _____ Golf tournament fee, \$75 per player _____

(Make checks payable to LXA at ASU Inc.)

Signed by _____

Mail to:

Roy Ockert, Treasurer
LXA House Corp.
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Jonesboro, Ark. 72404
royo@suddenlink.net

We also need news items about alumni for The Leader. Please use the back of this form to tell us what's new about you and your family.

Lambda Chi Alpha at ASU Inc.
c/o Roy Ockert
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Jonesboro, Ark. 72404

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Stay in touch

Lambda Chi Alpha at ASU is maintaining a Web site which serves both the active chapter and alumni. It includes a means by which alumni can update their contact information and find other brothers, but we need your help. We can only include brothers for whom we have a valid e-mail address. At present we have about 650.

Please go to the Web site (www.asulxa.com) and see if you're listed. If so, you should register and update your contact information. If not, contact me at the e-mail address below, and you will be added. Once you're registered, please look for other missing brothers for whom you may have helpful information, and forward to me.

The Web site has the capability to form groups within the full data base, such as a certain pledge or associate class or just the alumni who live in a certain area.

Meanwhile, our old alumni Web site, created in connection with the 50th annual Founders Day celebration, remains active: <http://sites.google.com/site/iotatheta50>.

You can also find us on Facebook. Just look for Lambda Chi Alpha at Arkansas State University. If you're already in Facebook, just send a request to join to one of the brothers listed as administrators.

Meanwhile, use the dues form to update us on address changes.

Roy Ockert #203
royo@suddenlink.net

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Brothers we lost last year:

- Stephen "Steve" Robert Grilletta, 62, of Jonesboro, Zeta No. 303 — Jan. 17, 2013.
- Jerry Duck, 53, of Osceola, Zeta No. 539 — Feb. 9, 2013.
- Edmond Joseph "Eddie Joe" Hurst, 57, of Piggott — Zeta No. 435 — March 3, 2013.
- Robert Arnold Clark, 69, of Monroe, Wash., Zeta No. 208 — March 4, 2013.
- Ron Carmack, 71, of Heber Springs, Zeta No. 113 — March 9, 2013.
- Sam Thomas Spencer, 69, of Ozark, Mo., Zeta No. 141 — April 13, 2013.
- Albert Hayden Robbins, 75, of Bellevue, Wash., Zeta No. 73 — June 4, 2013.
- William "Bill" Douglas Walker, 70, of Mount Pleasant, S.C., Zeta No. 183 — June 8, 2013.
- Dr. Donald Konold, 89, of Jonesboro, Zeta No. 131 — Sept. 20, 2013.