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SCHOLARSHIP UPDATE

Brothers, Happy New Year!

We thought you would appreciate an update on the undergrad chapter as well as the scholarship list.

As you know, we are in a “rebuilding” mode. We ended fall 2019 semester with 21 members. For the first time in 12 years, we were not the highest gpa of all fraternities although that was not a specific goal this past semester. We ranked 3rd with a 3.49 gpa. Pi Lambda Phi was first with a 3.56 and the Delts were second at 3.52. Still a great gpa but the men were focused on recruitment and member development.

Spring of each year is when fraternities are allowed to recruit freshmen and we had an active Balanced Man Scholarship program.

For January, we added 8 new members. The goal for the rest of the semester is to add 2 more new members each month. That would bring us to 14. Filling the Chapter house is also a big goal this year and we felt at least 20 would be necessary at a minimum. To their credit, all 10 men who will be returning in fall of 2020 signed up to live in the house. So with the addition of perhaps 14 new members, the house should be financially feasible next fall, with scholarship support.

The list of named scholarships for Fall of 2019 is shown below. If you donated more than \$250 toward a scholarship and don't see your name, that is because we had more donors than undergrads...a happy problem! This year we also plan to provide scholarships based on Spring 2020 results. So if you did not see your name this time, rest assured you will see it in a fall newsletter!

This year the Jim Allshouse MOY and the Mike Lockwood Leadership scholarships were both awarded to Logan Kohl. Logan was our past undergrad President during the beginning of our rebuilding program and stood out as a leader during this time while exhibiting all the values of a Balanced Man.

Thanks again to all our alumni who are so generous to provide scholarship donations!

Scholarship Recipient	GPA	Award	Alumni Donor(s)
Hussam Alkhalailah	4.00	\$1,000	Robert Warren Jr
Pranav Kamra	4.00	\$1,000	Richard Bangs
Parker Robson	4.00	\$1,000	Robert Love
Anmol Takiar	4.00	\$1,000	James Crossley
Simon Turner	3.92	\$500	Christopher Maskevich
Jacob Earhart	3.89	\$500	Mitchell Dorn
Hunter Sanborn	3.87	\$500	William Spitler
Robert Milner	3.80	\$500	Brian Birkmeyer
Matthew Schmenk	3.77	\$500	Kenneth Misener
Quinn Hanley	3.73	\$500	Eric Gibson
Jack Allbright	3.69	\$500	Wade Guzdanski
Matthew Welage	3.69	\$500	Mark Mudarth / James Griesen
Michael Von Der Vellen	3.67	\$500	Hunter Bloecher / David Cessna
Andrew Miller	3.48	\$250	Bryan McIntyre
Kritagya Arora	3.45	\$250	Robert Barnett
Adam Smolka	3.42	\$250	William Conkle
William Hanegan	3.39	\$250	Edward Spellacy