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CONSTRUCTION BEGINS ON NEW CHAPTER HOUSE

Construction of the new Chapter House began full scale in January of this year. Adams Construction of Murray, Kentucky, was chosen as the contractor by the Alumni Association Board of Directors after the project had been put out for bid by the Construction Sub-committee in the fall of 1992. Under the terms of the contract with Adams Construction, the projected completion date is August 15, 1993, barring any unforeseen delays for weather or other related problems.

At the time of printing of this newsletter, construction is on schedule. The walls are now up and installation of the trusses and roof are in their initial stages (see pictures below). The House should be under roof by the end of April and should be ready for occupancy by the Chapter for the fall semester of 1993.

The new House will be dedicated at Homecoming on October 8-9, 1993. More information on Homecoming is provided in this newsletter.





These are the East and West views of the house. More photos and information in the summer newsletter.

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CHAPTER ETERNAL

Terry R. Prater, was a pharmacist at Rite Aid Pharmacy, an active member of Ridgewood Baptist Church, where he was minister of music, youth director and Sunday school teacher. He graduated from Murray State University in 1983 and the University of Kentucky School of Pharmacy in 1988. Survivors include his wife, Kathy Stateler Prater, and two sons, Matthew and Aaron Prater.

The Alumni Association expresses its deepest sympathy to the family of Terry R. Prater a 1980 initiate, who passed away in Owensboro, Kentucky in March of 1993.

David A. Moffitt, a 1974 initiate and past President of the Alumni Association, passed away on December 28, 1992. David succumbed to a lengthy battle with Lou Gehrig's disease.

David was President of the Association from 1987-90 and spearheaded a rejuvenation of the Alumni Association. He was instrumental in raising funds to pay off the mortgage indebtedness on the old Chapter House and was active in the planning phase for the new House.

In October of 1990, David was awarded the Alumni Association's Distinguished Service Award, which was named in his honor. Be is the only recipient of the award to date.

David, a Benton, Kentucky native, is survived by his wife, Amy.

TREASURER'S NOTE

As the Zeta Lambda Chapter of the Alpha Tau Omega Fraternity approaches a new era, many exciting events are taking place all the time. I am most grateful to be serving as the Chapter's Treasurer during this time of prosperity and progress. There are many things in addition to the construction of the new chapter house that we can all be excited to be part of. The Zeta Lambda Chapter once again took the largest pledge class on Murray State's campus. Let me assure you, not only do we have the largest pledge class, but we recruited the BEST of the BEST at Murray State University. Alpha Tau Omega is enjoying the pleasure of being the fraternity to which everyone is looking for the future.

It is no secret that our chapter has seen some hard times in the past couple of years. I am proud to be able to tell you that our chapter has overcome these difficulties. The active chapter is establishing a system which will hopefully eliminate the possibility of seeing the hard times which we have worked so hard to overcome. With the cooperation and hard work of all involved, we have rebounded

nicely and are on our way to a bright and secure future. With the chapter's enrollment up, our overall financial situation is sound. The active chapter is excited and ready to make the transformation from 101 North 16th Street to 1511 Main Street. When we begin a new era in August, it won't be easy to leave our chapter house which has been a part of Murray State University for so long. It is very moving to look out of the window at our house on North 16th street, filled with so many memories and stories, and be able to see the construction of a new house, where the site will be quite different, but where the meaning of Alpha Tau Omega will remain the same. I thank you for your generosity in making this historical moment for our chapter possible. Through your generosity, I am reminded that Alpha Tau Omega is not a commitment limited to my time at Murray State, but a life changing experience which I will treasure forever!

Love and respect, Mark Miller Treasurer

CAPITAL CONSTRUCTION FUND DRIVE CONTINUES... WE NEED YOUR HELP!

The ATO Capital Construction Fund Driver initiated by the Alumni and Housing Association at its Annual Meeting in October of 1990, is continuing to raise funds to complete construction of the new House. To date, the Alumni Association has received in pledges and/or contributions, approximately \$140,000.00. \$60,000.00 still must be raised in 1993 to meet the Association's goal of \$200,000.00. Some 115 Brothers have become Lifetime Members of the Alumni Association by making contributions of \$1,000.00 or more to the Drive. More than 100 other Alumni Brothers have contributed amounts less than \$1,000.00. The total number of contributors represents only approximately 25% of the total alumni of the Chapter.

With construction well under way and scheduled to be completed by August, the Alumni Association needs your help now more than ever. Any alumnus who wishes to contribute to the Capital Construction Fund Drive who has not contributed to date may do so by calling collect, Jeff S. Taylor at (502) 686-8084, Loman Brown at (216) 659-3518 or Mike Sanford at (619) 566-3843. Direct contributions

can also be made by forwarding your contribution to the ATO Capital Construction Fund Account at Bank of Murray, P.O. Box 1080, Murray, Kentucky 42071, ATTENTION: Dave Hornback. A listing of Brothers who have contributed to date is set forth below. The Alumni Association encourages all alumni to participate in the Fund-raising Drive and the construction of the new House by making their contribution now. Pledges will be accepted for payment through 1993 or longer, subject to approval by the fund-raising Committee. Those donors who become Lifetime Members by contributing \$1,000.00 will receive special permanent recognition in the new House in honor of their contribution. Those who contribute more than \$2,000.00 will have a room named in the new House in their honor.

The dream of our fraternity is about to become a reality in the construction of the new House. The House is a tribute to all alumni in this Chapter and will stand as a permanent memorial to the proud heritage of Zeta Lambda Chapter. Make your contribution now and plan on attending Homecoming in October to celebrate the construction of the new house.

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1993-1994 OFFICERS ELECTED

In our recent elections the following were voted into their respected positions.

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President: · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · Chad Angle A senior Business Administration major from Evansville, IN. and a member of the Beta Xi pledge class.	House Manager: · · · · · · · · · · · · Scott Reid A junior Manufacturing Engineering major from Wingo, KY. and a member of the Beta Rho pledge class.
Vice President: · · · · · · · · · · · · Trent Bates A senior Biology major from Santa Claus, IN. and a member of Beta Xi pledge class. Chaplain: · · · · · · · · · · · · Shawn Byrum	Scholarship Chairman: · · · · · · Jeff Smithers A sophomore Printing Management major from Owensboro, KY. and a member of the Beta Sigma pledge class.
A junior Environmental Engineering major from Boonville, IN. and a member of the Beta Rho pledge class.	Public Relations: · · · · · · · · Doug Payne A sophomore Pre-Med major from Murray, KY. and a member of the Beta Sigma pledge class.
Treasurer: · · · · · · · · · · · · Mark Miller · · · · A sophomore Biology/Pre-Opt. major fromCalvert City, KY. and a member of the BetaSigma pledge class.	Pledge Trainer: Brian Thomas A senior Occ. Safety and Health major from Taylorsville, KY. and a member of the Beta Xi
Secretary: Jarrod Smith A junior History major from Beechmont, KY. and a member of the Beta Sigma pledge class. Historian: Jason Chuppe	pledge class. Sports Chairman: · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Louisville, KY. and a member of the Beta Pi pledge class.	the Beta Sigma pledge class. Social Service: · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
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Doorkeeper/ Social Chairman: ·····Will Jay Bennett Ajunior Criminal Justice major from Mayfield, KY. and a member of the Beta Rho pledge class.	Fund Raiser: Richmond Knopp A senior Printing Management major from Taylorsville, KY. and a member of the Beta Omicron pledge class.

Homecoming October 8th & 9th

Many events are being planned for what is sure to be the largest gathering of Murray ATO Alumni and Actives.

Make plans for the whole weekend as we will have the usual Friday night reception but also many events on Saturday including new house dedication and dance that night.

All the details in future newsletters but make reservations now!

Holiday Inn753-5986
Murray Plaza Motel753-2682
Shoney's Inn753-5353
Day's Inn753-6706
Ken-Lake State Park474-2211

All Sports/Grades

In other news, at the last All Greek Assembly ATO ranked second out of eleven fraternities in Active GPA. We have also won The Intramural All-Sports Trophy for the last three years and are in a close race for first this year. As you can see we have a Very good balance between grades and extracurricular activities. We as ATOs take great pride in this and will strive to maintain our stature as the best on campus.

Sincerely,

Shawn C. Byrum, Chaplain

Looking for lost brothers

Please send any current information that you might have on ATO-Zeta Lambda members that have moved recently.

We currently utilize a mailing list supplied by ATO national and try to cross check this list with one from Murray State to confirm the most current addresses and phone numbers. Keeping track of 'younger Alumni' is especially difficult due to frequent career changes and relocations. We have also discovered through our phone-a-thon efforts that many of our addresses and phone numbers are to parents of our members.

Obviously if you are reading this and you received it in the mail we have a current address, but please take a few minutes to send the address and phone number of a Brother that is not receiving our newsletters and information.

The opportunity to contact a 'Lost' Brother and renew his interest in our chapter is very important to the Active Chapter in Murray and the Alumni Association.

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