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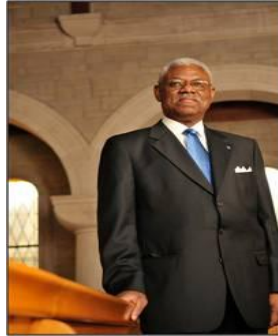
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JIMMY HAMMOCK REELECTED INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT



At the 2011 Conclave in Atlanta, Georgia, the Conclave body reelected Hon. Bro. Jimmy Hammock as International President. The Conclave's overwhelming vote was reflective of Bro. Hammock's diligent and tireless leadership during his first administration. Under Bro. Hammock's leadership, the Fraternity withstood various risk management issues to continue its push toward the Centennial Celebration in 2014.

Bro. Hammock is a proud member of the Phi Sigma chapter in Knoxville, Tennessee. We are fortunate to have Bro. Hammock represent the Southeastern Region, and look forward to supporting his presidency the next two years as we continue to 'Change Lives Through Service'.

Southeastern Region On The Verge of Reaching 1,000 Financial Members

The September 2011 International Membership Report shows the Southeastern Region having 902 financial members. The Regional Board anticipates that—through the hard work of our chapters in the areas of recruitment, retention, and reactivation—the regional membership should surpass the 1,000 milestone by the end of the year.

The International Reactivation Month Campaign will be conducted during the month of November. During this time, alumni members who were inactive three years or more can reactivate for 2012 at a rate of \$170. Also, 2009 and 2010 graduates can transfer into an alumni chapter at a rate of \$90. Both rates cover international and regional dues for 2012. Finally, military brothers who are currently in combat zones can renew their membership at no cost.

To learn more about the International Reactivation program, please contact your Alumni Chapter President or the fraternity website at www.pbs1914.org.

SAVE THE DATES!!!!

**2012 SOUTHEASTERN
REGIONAL CONFERENCE
MARCH 22-25, 2012
MARRIOTT GRAND
DUNES RESORT
MYRTLE BEACH, SC**

**2011 SOUTH CAROLINA
STATE CONFERENCE
NOVEMBER 5-6, 2011
COUNTRY INN & SUITES
SUMTER, SC**

**2011 NORTH CAROLINA
STATE CONFERENCE
OCTOBER 28-29, 2011
BROWNSTONE INN
RALEIGH, NC**

**2011 EAST TENNESSEE
STATE CONFERENCE
NOVEMBER 18-19, 2011
KNOXVILLE, TN**

**WINTER 2011
SOUTHEASTERN
REGIONAL BOARD
MEETING
DECEMBER 10, 2011
Via Webinar**



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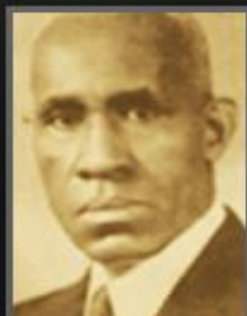
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Centennial Two-Year Countdown

Celebration Memphis 2012

This 2012 National Founders Day event honoring the life and legacy of our esteemed Founder, **The HONORABLE BRO. ABRAM LANGSTON TAYLOR**, will be held in Memphis, TN.



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This is a Perfect Time to experience Memphis, a Prime Destination for Sigma Brothers, Wives, Family, Zeta Sisters and Friends. Walk & Hear The Sounds of Beal Street where Honorable Founder Taylor hatched the Bold Sigma Idea; See firsthand Sigma History, and Memphis Cultural History; Sample the famed BBQ; visit the Lorraine Motel Museum remembrance to Rev. Dr. ML King; try games of chance next door in Tunica, MS



Not Your Traditional Regional Conference

Mark your calendars! The 2012 Southeastern Regional Conference is less than six months away. We believe that every fraternal event should be an experience full of memories and excitement. That is why this conference will be more than just meetings and workshops. It's an opportunity to get away for an extended weekend, connect with your regional brothers, learn valuable fraternity information and experience the oceanfront of one of the world's most popular beaches. The Southeastern Regional Conference will be held in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina the weekend of March 22-25, 2012, at the beautiful Myrtle Beach Marriott Resort & Spa at Grande Dunes. I encourage all brothers to [visit the resort website](#) to review the great services and amenities

Book your room using the conference group code by February 21, 2012, to receive the special conference rate of \$109 and complimentary self-parking.

How To Book Your Room:

1. By Phone:

Call (800) 228-9290 and reference PHI BETA SIGMA

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[Click here](#) to visit the hotel online

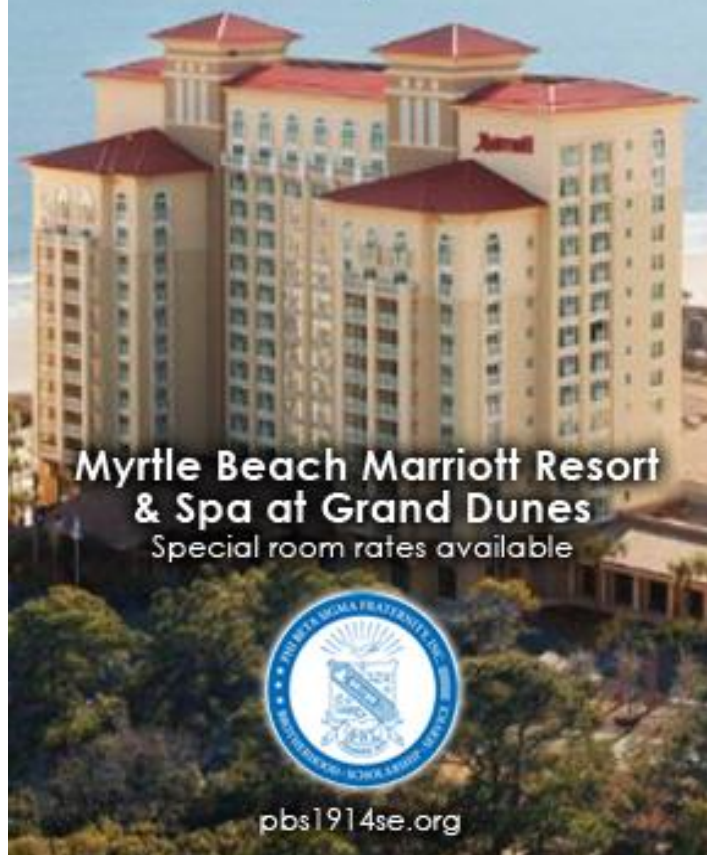
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Additional conference information, including registration materials, will be available in the upcoming weeks. We look forward to seeing you at the beach in March 2012!

SAVE THE DATE

PHI BETA SIGMA FRATERNITY, INC.
SOUTHEASTERN REGIONAL CONFERENCE
MARCH 22-25, 2012 | MYRTLE BEACH, SC





The James T. Floyd Hall of Fame

Presents A Salute Honoring

Reverend Dr. William J. Walker
"Celebrating A Servant Leader"

The brothers of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity Inc is pleased to invite you to a special celebration honoring Reverend Dr. William J. Walker as the James T. Floyd Hall of Fame 2012 honoree. Join us Saturday, February 18, 2012 at 5:00pm

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PARLAMENTARIAN'S CORNER

Let's Debate the Issue

By Bro. Wilbert Morris, Southeastern Regional Parliamentarian

In the world of parliamentary procedures, debate is a critical part of the decision making process. Such a conversation should focus on the discussion of the merits of the question before the body. Properly executed debate will leave members of the body with a clear indication as to whether the issue on the floor should or should not be agreed to by the members present. The amount of debate typically allowed on any given motion depends on such things as the importance of the issue and the level of contention the issue is causing. Inherent in the debate process is always the right of every person in attendance to be heard on every single motion before it is acted upon. Efforts to limit debate on motions are not allowed except where permitted by parliamentary rule or through a two-thirds vote of the body. In the absence of a rule governing the length of speeches, a member who has gained the floor may speak no longer than ten minutes without the consent of the assembly, or by way of a *Motion to Extend Debate*, which also requires a two-thirds vote. When a speaker's time has been used, the chair is within his rights to interrupt him if he fails to relinquish the floor after an appropriate signal noting the exhaustion of his given time. However, if he is in the process of concluding his statements, the chair can afford him another minute to finish his statement.

Except the organization has a special rule to the contrary, speakers are not permitted to yield unused time to another member, nor is he allowed to hold any unused time in reserve to be used later in the debate. Any time a speaker yields the floor prior to the completion of his allotted time; the unused time is considered to have been waived. Likewise, if during the debate the speaker yields the floor to another member for the purpose of asking a question, that portion of time consumed by the question is deducted from the speaker's allotted time. Established parliamentary procedures require that each member is only allowed to speak no more than twice to the same issue on the same day, except when the issue is an appeal. During an appeal only the chair is allowed to speak twice, while all other members are limited to speaking only once.

The rules which govern debate limits may be modified so as to suit the needs of the body in the following ways:

- Adoption of a special rule to make the two ten-minute speeches per member rule can be increased or reduced for all future meetings. The special rule adoption requires a two-third vote of the body subsequent to notice of the impending change.
- Making a change in the limits for a single meeting of the body. Such a change can be made at any session by way of a main motion that is adopted by two-thirds of the body, and the change does not require prior notice of the vote.

Limits may be established which can reduce or increase the number and length of time that members may speak to pending questions only. The change may be affected only by two-thirds vote on a subsidiary motion to *Limit or Extend Limits of Debate*. Such a motion may also be used to end debate at a specific time in the future, or to end debate immediately through the call for *Previous Question* provided the vote is passed by a two-thirds margin.

Charlotte Alumni Chapter Announces New President



The Beta Rho Sigma chapter in Charlotte, NC has a new administration in place ready to lead the challenge of brotherhood, scholarship, and service in the Mecklenburg County area. The new administration is led by Bro. Patricke Ward. During his time in Sigma, Bro. Ward has served in various roles. His most previous role has been chapter vice-president. He has also been a collegiate chapter advisor and served as a facilitator at this year's Conclave Collegiate Advisors University.

Bro. Ward has a Bachelors of Science in Business Administration from Central Michigan University and a Masters of Business Administration from Gardner-Webb University. Bro. Ward looks forward to the next 2 years of Sigma work with energy, effort, and excitement. As we prepare for our centennial, his administration will focus on increasing chapter membership to 100 brothers, making an impact for Sigma in the Charlotte area, maintaining status as a flagship chapter for the Southeastern Region, and land acquisition for a local fraternal facility. Please visit the chapter website at www.sigmasofcharlotte.com for the most up to date information on the brotherhood in the area.

Charlotte Blue & White Weekend Draws Sigmas, Zetas From Around the Country



In only its second year, Blue & White Weekend Charlotte saw amazing growth. Hosted by the Beta Rho Sigma chapter of Phi Beta Sigma and Delta Zeta chapter of Zeta Phi Beta, the weekend was full of events for more mature crowds. Sigmas and Zetas from North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Virginia, D.C., Michigan and New York attended the three-day event.

Blue & White Weekend kicked off on Thursday, August 18 with Pure Elevation, a benefit reception for each chapter's non-profit organizations. Thanks to donations by frat, sorors and guests, along with a silent auction, the event raised over \$3,000 for the Youth Educational Society (YES) and Zetas of Charlotte Benevolent Foundation. Friday's festivities started with Blueprint 1, a meet and greet with nearly 200 Sigmas and Zetas, along with a few guests. Blueprint 2 served as the afterparty with South Carolina's DJ Flava.

More than any other event, Saturday's Grill-n-Chill showed the true potential of Blue & White Weekend. Over 300 Sigmas and Zetas enjoyed food donated by Tyson Foods and Hormel, music, Greek vendors and stroll competition. The weekend closed out with two parties. Younger members of the blue and white went hard at the Sunset Club with music provided by DJ Dexter Dynamite. DJ Flava returned to set the soundtrack for Casino Royale, a casino night and old school party at beautiful Kalu Restaurant.

2012 planning is already underway with tentative dates set for the first weekend in August. If this summer is any indication of what's to come, Blue & White Weekend will one day fulfill Bro. Edison McCrea's vision of becoming the premiere Sigma/Zeta event on the east coast. More details available at blueandwhiteweekendNC.com.

Blue and White Weekend Highlights



Quentin Goodwin with Bro. Paul Jones and wife at the Blue and White Cookout.



Bro. Goodwin with Bro. Eric Ericson and guest at the Blue and White Cookout



Doing the Wobble at the Casino Royale



Blue and White Weekend Planning Committee at the Blue and White Cookout



Lovely ladies of Zeta Phi Beta at the Inception Blue and White Weekend Event



Friendly game of Blackjack at the Casino Royale

Blue and White Weekend Highlights



Bros. Walter Hall, Jason Lampton, and Sayeed Ullah at the Blue and White Weekend Friday Night Mixer



Ladies of Zeta Phi Beta at the Inception event at Blue and White Weekend



Bros. Darryl Prince, Emmitt Terry, and Duane Lewis fellowship at the Blue and White Cookout



Ladies of Zeta Phi Beta at the Blue and White Weekend



Enjoying a friendly game of Blackjack at the Casino Royale



Bros. George Vital and Larry Payne managing the grill at the Blue and White Cookout

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**Greenville Alumni Chapter, Alpha Lambda Sigma,
Bro Rev Dr. John H Corbitt, retired from Springfield Baptist Church after 37years
of service.**

GREENVILLE, S.C. -- Dr. John H. Corbitt, civil rights leader and pastor of Springfield Baptist Church for 37 years, retired Sunday.

His church held a special service at 4 p.m. to recognize his ministry.

"Well, I hope it means that I did a fairly good job over 37 years and had some impact on somebody," Corbitt said.

Friends and members of his church were effusive in their praise of his leadership over the years.

"Without him, we couldn't have continued the legacy of Springfield Baptist Church," said Xanthe Norris, a Greenville County councilmember.

The church was founded in 1897 by former slaves, and became the first largely African American church in Greenville.

It became a headquarters for the civil rights movement in Greenville during the 1960s, and was the place where the Greenville branch of the NAACP and the Greenville Urban League were founded.

In 1972, the original church building burned down. Corbitt took over as pastor in 1974. "When we came to Greenville, we were having church over at Beck Middle School," he said.

Corbitt oversaw the building of a new building on East McBee Ave. in 1976.

At his retirement service, many local pastors came to talk about Corbitt's leadership.

"Not only did he encourage people to stand up for their rights, he was a leader in that he participated himself in those type of movements," said Windell Rodgers, pastor of Greater Mount Calvary Baptist Church. "(He) set himself out as a a young student, a young seminarian, and a young pastor, encouraging others that God has granted us all the same rights and freedom of life."

"When you're talking about spiritual impact as well as social and moral (impact), he's been a giant among men in serving in the capacity that he has," said Carlton Austin of the Greenville Baptist Ministers Fellowship.

Corbett said he did not have any plans for what he would do during retirement, but said "maybe God will give me another assignment

Brotherhood Profile



Bro. William Evans
Delta Zeta Sigma Chapter
(profile from the UNC-Chapel Hill's Graduate School fall 2011 newsletter)

William Evans' paternal grandmother taught elementary school for 36 years, and nine of her 10 siblings went into education.

Even though that impressed him, a career within education was not his first thought when considering college.

"Chemistry was my favorite subject in high school. Originally, my plan was to go to pharmacy school," Evans says. "I was looking for universities that had that program. UNC was my first choice already because of the size of the University and the opportunities and diversity on campus. I was awarded the Pogue Scholarship, decided to attend UNC and never looked back."

In his first year at Carolina, Evans became involved with the Minority Student Recruitment Committee and found that he enjoyed recruiting students to attend the University and, more specifically, that he enjoyed working with young people. Going into his sophomore year, he changed his major to secondary education. He performed his student teaching at Jordan High School in Durham and loved the experience but found the most fulfillment in helping students with the college application process.

"That led me to want to be a counselor," Evans says. "It was rewarding because I was helping students determine their futures. With teaching, you are helping them learn material – which is certainly excellent and important. Being a counselor is helping them recognize their individual goals and plan for their futures. That process of putting together that puzzle was something I enjoyed doing."

Evans entered the School of Education's school counseling master's program right after his graduation. As a part of the program, he served an internship at East Chapel Hill High School, which led to a full-time counseling position after he received his master of arts degree.

He remained at East Chapel Hill for 10 years and pursued his school administration licensure from North Carolina Central University. An internship at Durham Technical Community College's Middle College High School led to his current position as dean of students at the high school, where students have the opportunity to complete their high school diplomas and take college classes at Durham Technical Community College at the same time. He credits several factors – including his mother, who raised him, and his graduate education at Carolina – for enabling him to be in a position where he can introduce young people to opportunities they may not have thought possible for them. "My graduate degree from UNC has enabled me to inspire and protect hundreds, if not thousands, of teenagers," he says. "As a high school counselor/dean, I have been in a position to encourage and usher students toward a college education who otherwise did not believe in themselves or think that it was possible. ... Without my graduate degree from UNC, I would not be in a position to do these things."

Brian Goings Selected into Golden Key Honour Society



Bro. Brian Goings, Gamma Beta Sigma chapter, Greensboro, North Carolina, has accepted the invitation to be inducted online as a member of Ashford University's chapter of the Golden Key International Honour Society. This invitation to join Golden Key comes in recognition of Brian's excellent academic record at Ashford University.

The purpose of the Golden Key International Honour Society is to recognize "outstanding academic achievement and connect high-achieving individuals locally, regionally, and globally with lifetime opportunity, reward, and success." As a member of the Golden Key International Honour Society, Brian will be part of an elite affiliate of an internationally recognized honor society.

To be eligible for membership as a Master's degree-seeking student at Ashford University, a student must be recognized by the university as a top-performing graduate student based on cumulative GPA by January 1 or July 31.

The Ashford University Golden Key International Honour Society was established on May 19, 2010. Charter members include Ashford University Online Student Affairs Specialist Vanessa Schoenherr, Ashford University Assistant Professor Dr. William Woods, Ashford University President Dr. Elizabeth Tice, and Ashford University Director of Student Success Waunita Sullivan.

Bro. Goings currently serves as Director of Education for the Greensboro Alumni chapter. Congratulations, Brian, and keep up the great work!

Eta Sigma Supports Annual Prostate Screening



Standing left to right: Brothers Wilbert Morris, William Foster, Thomas Wardrick, Mose Dorsey, John Milner, Shelton Faircloth, Mike Sawyer, and W.L. Rose. Present but not pictured: Brothers Leroy Darkes, Dallas Foster, William Dudley, David Prince, and Chris Hinton.

On a still dark and rainy Saturday morning before most of the City of Raleigh had rustled awake, the men of the Eta Sigma Alumni Chapter of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Incorporated, were gathering at the Rex Senior Healthcare Center at 512 East Davie Street to assist with the annual Prostate Screening. The brothers of Eta Sigma have been involved with the annual event since its inception and they always look forward to being an integral part of the event's volunteer corps. Even though community service is expected of every good Sigma man, the annual Prostate Screening event is a cause that resonates with every member because of their recognition that African-American men are at the greatest risk of developing prostate cancer. Prostate cancer is the most common cancer found in African American Men and is the second leading cause of cancer related death in African American men.

It is because of the history of this disease that President Mose Dorsey and the Executive Committee ensured that the September 24th volunteer effort was enthusiastically recommended to the membership as a cause to support for the 2011-2012 program year. Without the need for further prompting the brotherhood immediately endorsed and committed to being volunteers and advocates for this annual event. By the end of the morning, the preliminary numbers indicated that 137 men were screened.

The local men of Sigma have readily embraced the importance of screening, early detection and treatment of prostate cancer in order to impact the devastating effects of this disease. The annual prostate screening is consistent with the Fraternity's International Living Well Brother-to-Brother initiative that is designed to educate and inform the community about key health issues facing men of color.

Brotherhood Profile

Bro. Tyquan Ward, Gamma Gamma Chapter

By Imani Person, *The Brand Newz* Internet News Site



"Helping someone out is how I extend my services; to help mankind. True community service requires a genuine heart. It may be small to you, but major to the person receiving. Small things add up, and I like helping people, and this my friend is why I am blessed." - Tyquan Ward

Sometimes you must be the one to spark the change you want to see in the world; you could see the sparks of Ward. Facing many trials and tribulations, North Carolina Central University's Tyquan Ward has exceeded all odds. Receiving good fortune, diverse in great quantity, in the eyes of many Ward has become the quintessential ideal student and person. By the age of 20, Ward has achieved becoming a Chancellor and Centennial Scholar, is an active member of NCCU's Gamma Gamma Chapter of Phi Beta Sigma Incorporation, President of SAAB (Student African American Brotherhood), and is expected to graduate with a degree in History May of 2013. Anything you can think of, "Ward did it."

After all of the applause and recognition, Ward does not end his day indulging in his achievements, but in his testimony of his journey, and the man it has made him to be. Destined to provide "Truth and service," Ward was born on April 25, 1991 in Brooklyn, New York, growing up in Brownsville Brooklyn, later moving to South Jamaica, Queens. Acknowledging the harsh realities that were faced growing up in an inner-city community, Ward imagined better days. Spending most of his time in Brownsville, Ward was immersed in crime, poverty and destruction, which inspired his migration to the south to receive a better education. Upon his arrival to NCCU, he pursued a Physics degree which soon became suppressed, developing thoughts of becoming a Gym teacher. Remembering his past, Ward could not visualize his impact. On the break of financial hardships, Ward was almost forced to sit out of school but with the help of family and educators, he received an epiphany and a second chance. Taking an intro history course, Ward was quickly enlightened through his professor Dr. Carlton Wilson, and the remembrance of watching the History channel as a kid. It was not until then Ward realized his passion for history and his dreams of pursuing a law degree with a concentration on Juvenile justice.

During the summer of 2011, rewarded a trip to Ghana, Africa, Ward provided community service and further his education studying aboard. Leaving no room for rest, he returned to his humble beginnings of the streets of New York, raising money for the "Feed the Children" foundation. Standing in the weltering hot sun, five days a week, eight hours a day, Ward faced the challenge of pursuing people for donations. While many assisted, Ward faced comments such as "Let them die," lighting fuel to his fire to become a better person. Apart from "Feed the Children," walking for the "March of Dimes" and the Bone Marrow drive, Ward continues to extend his face in helping others with taking part in "Make a difference day" at NCCU, with his line brothers and the university on September 17th, 2011. This event will also which will also consist of community service events.

"The only time one should look down on someone else is when they are helping someone up." Ward is a firm believer in change and the positive that this generation will make a change. After college Ward's future goals consist of teaching high school history before Law school, helping students to fill in the missing pieces of their past, providing hope and success for their future. "If you begin discipline in the high chair, you will not have to do it in the eclectic chair" said Ward. "Culture and service is what I abide by."

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Delta Alpha Chapter Celebrates 15 Years of Sleep-Out For The Homeless Service Project in Winston-Salem



2011 marks the fifteenth anniversary of the Sleep-Out For The Homeless Campaign for the Delta Alpha chapter, Winston-Salem, NC. On Friday, November 22, 1996, the chapter introduced this significant program as part of its Social Action program

Since its reintroduction, the Sleep-Out has raised approximately \$2,000 cash and collected approximately 4,400 pounds of non-perishable food items and 205 boxes of clothing for the Winston-Salem community.

More than a one-night event, the Sleep-Out now is conducted in conjunction with the National Student Campaign against Hunger and Homelessness and the National Coalition for the Homeless. During the week, events are geared toward awareness and service culminating with the Annual Sleep-Out event. Each week before Thanksgiving, Phi Beta Sigma sponsors their version of the National Hunger and Homeless Week. This is a national event promoting education, action and awareness about hunger and homelessness.

This year, to commemorate the 15th anniversary, the chapter members have committed to raising \$1,500 for the Samaritan Ministries Annual Penny Campaign and collecting 1,500 pounds of food for the Second Harvest Food Bank of Northwest North Carolina. The brothers request that the chapters and brothers in the Southeastern Region support this outstanding effort by donating \$15.00 for this year's commemorative Sleep-Out.

You may send your financial support to Phi Beta Sigma, Delta Alpha Chapter, P.O. Box 19337, Winston-Salem, NC 27110. Checks should be made payable to Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity.

Michael Woods serves as President of the Delta Alpha Chapter, while Calvin Holloway serves as the chapter Advisor.

Beta Chi Sigma “Read Men Read” Program



Beta Chi Sigma, Columbia SC along with the Beta Mu Chapter, Benedict College, has partnered with The Center for Learning, which is a privately owned learning center in Columbia. The Center for Learning cares for and educates children from the tender age of newborns up until the third grade. The "Real Men Read" project consists of brothers from the Beta Chi Sigma and Beta Mu, chapters respectively. These men read to children from Pre kindergarten to 3rd grades. This year we conducted the “Real Men Read” project on March 23rd and September 21, 2011. The main purpose of this program is to assist in the education of our children while allowing them to see black men fulfilling positive roles.



Nu Omicron Sigma To Honor Outstanding Women At Its Women of Excellence Awards Banquet



Women of Excellence



The Nu Omicron Sigma chapter, Cayce/West Columbia, SC, will host its inaugural Women of Excellence Awards Banquet on Saturday, December 3, 2011 at Brookland Baptist Church Banquet and Conference Center, West Columbia, SC.

This year's honorees are: Sister Olivia Ashford-Williams (Ministry), Sister Michelle Greenlee-Harris (Media), Sister Delois Daniels (Healthcare/Medicine), and Sister Tameika Isaac-Devine (Politics).

Also, the chapter will present three National Program awards to: Mrs. Patricia L. Swinton, Teacher of the Year at A.C. Flora High School; Sister Barbara C. Moore, 22nd International Grand Basileus of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.; and Mrs. Wendy Brawley, President and CEO of IMARA Magazine.

The Legacy award will be presented to Sister Donella Brown Wilson, a lifelong supporter of Zeta Phi Beta, Phi Beta Sigma, and the Waverly Community.

For additional information, including sponsorship opportunities, please contact Bro. Clifton Mintz, Chapter President, at 803-429-9859.



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For additional information contact :

Bro. Cliff Mintz - President, 803-429-9859

Beta Chi Sigma Chapter Scholarship Golf Tournament



The Beta Chi Sigma Chapter, Columbia SC, conducted their first annual Scholarship Golf Tournament, on Friday September 30th. The tournament was played at Indian River Golf Club in West Columbia. Nearly 50 golfers participated in the four person Captain Choice Tournament played on a gorgeous day for golf. The highlight of the tournament was the hole-in-one scored by Brother Scottie Benjamin. The ace helped Bro Benjamin's team win the tournament posting a score of 58 on the par 70 course. Many of the golfers are already looking forward to the tournament next year.



State of North Carolina Launches New Website



www.pbs1914nc.org

CHECK OUT the new North Carolina PBS website. Brothers can now register online, Buy tickets to the 70s Party Friday night of the conference and fill out an online application for the NC SIGMA License Plate. Please pass this email on to your lists and to your chapter members.

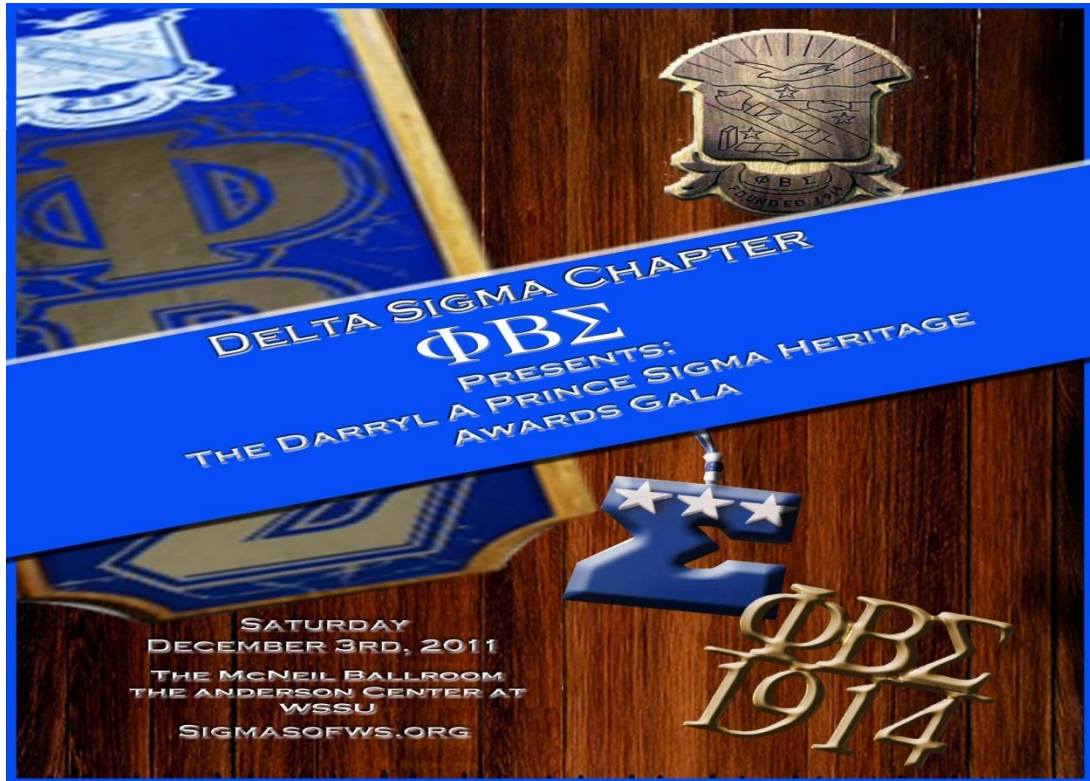
State of North Carolina PBS License Plate Campaign Brothers, It's time to *Step Up to the Plate!*



The brothers in the state of North Carolina are stepping up their effort to secure a Phi Beta Sigma License tag for the state of North Carolina. If the state of North Carolina secures the license tag, the Southeastern Region will be the only region that has each state having a state license plate.

License tag applications are available on the North Carolina State website www.pbs1914nc.org. Brothers on Facebook may also join the NC Sigma Plate Campaign group to receive periodic updates on the applications status.

Sigmas of Winston-Salem Hosts The Darryl A. Prince Sigma Heritage Awards Gala



The Delta Sigma chapter, Winston-Salem, will host its Darryl A. Prince Sigma Heritage Awards Gala on Saturday, December 3, 2011, at Winston-Salem State University.

The Heritage Award was established to pay tribute to brothers of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity in honor of their outstanding service. The award also acknowledges the leaders of the Winston-Salem community who have exemplified high standards in leadership and community service.

This year, the chapter will honor as one of its recipients Quentin Goodwin, Southeastern Regional Director.

Tickets for the event are \$25.00 per person. You may visit the chapter website at www.sigmasofws.org for more information.

Bro. Reginald McCaskill serves as Delta Sigma's chapter President

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