

The Lion's Roar

WITH A CERTAIN DEVOTION CAMPAIGN UPDATE

BETA OF DKE AT UNC • FEBRUARY 2001

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2000 ... WRAPPING UP A GREAT YEAR

By Rick Hopkins '91, Alumni Corporation President

This was certainly a year to remember for Beta DKEs! We have, together, built a wonderful new house, initiated a solid new pledge class and are experiencing a very successful capital campaign still in progress, that currently has participation from over fifty percent of our alumni.

The DKE Grand Reopening Weekend was an extraordinary event by any standard of measurement. As you can see in the many pictures throughout the newsletter, sixty years of Dekes participated in the fun, from the '40s to the current undergraduates. Mike Hoyt '66, Camp Jenkins '91, Robert Poitras '94, Chris Rice '94 and Chris Harris '95 made up the organizing committee and did an outstanding job creating a memorable event. Over 500 people attended the cocktail party on Friday night and the dinner on Saturday, when everyone danced late into the evening to The Voltage Brothers.

A breakfast was served around 11 p.m. on Saturday, giving many people the needed fuel to keep them going past their normal bedtimes. Several undergraduates commented about the "old-timers" putting them to bed.

Even Berny Gray '72 stayed up past his reported 9 p.m. bedtime and was seen tossing cigarettes out of his room at The Carolina Inn to the Poitras clan down below. Tee Baur '68 was seen giving his son Carson Baur '94 important new advice on the intricacies of life around 2 a.m. David Ward '57 and Zeb Weaver '57 were seen advising Yates Palmer '60 on the finer points of table etiquette and the proper use of purloined silverware. Bordon Hanes '67 and Donnie Cobb '64 were still going strong when I went to bed Sunday morning at 2:30 a.m.

A few folks commented that Tim Burnett '62 and Phil Phillips '62 have more moves on the dance floor now than when they were in the house. There were reported sightings of several individuals—Jerry Horner '88, Jeff

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DKE GRAND REOPENING WEEKEND IS A TREMENDOUS SUCCESS

By Robert Poitras '94, an event organizer for the weekend

On a rainy Thursday, September 21, 2000, a small group of Beta DKE board members and campaign leaders gathered at the Carolina Club for an evening of reminiscing, acknowledgement and planning for the Grand Reopening Weekend that was now upon them. Excitement and nervousness ran high as the expected turnout had more than doubled within the period of two weeks. Would it continue to rain? Would hundreds of unregistered alumni try to show up? And more importantly, would there be enough food, beer and liquor? The answers to these questions would not be known until the 48 hours of the weekend transpired.

On Friday, September 22, we awoke to cloudy skies and a near 100 percent chance of rain expected for the weekend, thanks to a tropical storm coming our way from the Gulf of Mexico. Tensions ran high, as there were areas of the house grounds that were not yet covered by tents and the thought of 500+ people crammed inside the house with muddy feet would not be helpful in finishing the capital campaign.

Chris Rice '94 and I arrived at the house early Friday morning and met Rick Hopkins '91, Tee Baur '68 and Morris McDonald '68, who were arranging old photos and ensuring that the final details of the house renovation would be complete before the cocktail party that evening. Emergency calls were made to the tent company for more coverage, and the caterer was told to be ready for anything. Soon a small army from the catering company arrived and began



*See more photos from the
House Dedication Weekend
on Pages 6-7!*

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GRAND REOPENING WEEKEND

By David Ward '57, an honorary cochair of the Certain Devotion Campaign

After years of seemingly never-ending crises and emergencies at the DKE house — which were calmly handled by Surry Roberts '62, Mike Hoyt '66 and a band of other loyal Dekes, who from time to time consulted with me — the appointed weekend of September 22-23, 2000, and the reopening of the totally rehabilitated house was upon us.

Surry, who never gave up hope and never lost sight of his goal of a major rebuild, had recruited a new band of loyalists led by Tee Baur '68, Morris McDonald '68 and the always working Rick Hopkins '91. As with others, I had been interviewed in the pre-campaign feasibility study and believed, at that point, that it was impossible to raise the money necessary to restore the DKE house to its glory days and to rebuild the stairway.

But I certainly underestimated the commitment of many Dekes to the house and to seeing that stairway back in place.

The missing stairway was a great sales tool, and so far, it has worked miracles for us.

But the team also had foreseen the concern of many alumni, who wondered how long the house would last this time. That issue was addressed and a very workable and enforceable solution was found. A local “inspector” will check the house regularly, and the undergraduate chapter members are committed to playing by the rules. Deposits are being required to back up the individual commitments.

So there we were, on Friday afternoon, September 22. We had just driven into Chapel Hill from New Bern. A trip through campus seemed appropriate. The Scuttlebutt had been gone for a number of years, so the view of the DKE house was even better. And there it was — the DKE house, bright and shiny with white tents covering the front yard.

We checked in at the hotel quickly and immediately went to the house. The stairway is OUTSTANDING. I

felt as if I were back home where I spent four of the most wonderful years of my life.

Zeb Weaver '57 had led the charge in soliciting the alumni of the 1950s era, and Bill “Dubba” Clark '55 and I had helped him with that group. I wasn't at the DKE house long before Zeb appeared, and shortly thereafter, George Raines appeared, another 1957 classmate. Members of many classes in the '50s, '60s, '70s, '80s and '90s came through the rain to what was a marvelous celebration.

The tents were an inspiration. Rain was our uninvited guest, but rain could never dampen a DKE party. The food for the night was outstanding. The libation was plentiful and topped off with Eddie Caldwell's famous DKE punch.

The festivities continued on Saturday with many additional alumni showing up to enjoy Saturday night's sitdown dinner. Tents covered the whole parking lot in the back corner and up toward Cameron Street. This was an amazing feat, which went off like clockwork. The presentations by alumni and undergraduates were appropriate and well done.

As the current colloquialism would lead to the end of this story, “at the end of the day,” Beta Chapter of DKE and our wonderful house stood proud, brave, prepared for the future, and in good hands. My commendations to all who were involved in this magnificent campaign, the restoration, and the wonderful celebration.

If you weren't able to join with us and you have not visited the house since its restoration, I entreat you — wherever you are and whatever your circumstances — to come back home, where life may have had occasional troubles, but little did we know. Your return visit will, I hope, revive memories of happy days with good friends.

UNDERGRADS SPEND SEMESTER IN RENOVATED HOUSE

By H. Royer Culp Jr. '01, Acting Chapter President, Fall 2000

Greetings from Chapel Hill after an exciting semester living in the newly renovated house. As many of you may know, the remodeling from Phase One is, with a few minor exceptions, complete, and the Resolute Building Company maintains that all work on their punch list will close shortly. The DKE house continues to be the subject of conversation and admiration of faculty and students alike. Accordingly, the undergraduate chapter thanks all those who contributed either time or funds and for your continued support. The Grand Reopening Weekend of September 22-23, 2000, was a huge success. The weekend provided alumni as well as undergraduates the opportunity to convene and express our sincere gratitude to those individuals who worked so diligently to see the project to its end.

In early September, we welcomed 13 pledges and two affiliate bids after a largely successful and highly competitive fall rush led by Chris Wren '02, Richard Moore '02, Robert McCall '03 and me. Many of you will be interested to know that our class of distinguished men was the third-largest of all fraternities last fall. We would also like to encourage any of you who might know of potential DKE rushees currently enrolled at UNC to forward their names as we are seriously considering conducting a small-scale rush this spring.

In October, the chapter raised a noteworthy donation for Perry Harrison Elementary School located in Chatham County, N.C. The money was used to purchase a new piano for the school's music department, and we've

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WHAT A TRANSFORMATION!

By Timothy McCoy Jr. '91

Wow! What a transformation from the DKE house I grew to love. As Rick Hopkins '91 commented during the rededication ceremonies in September, our class could only imagine what "new and improved" might look like. Thanks to every pledge class's collective time and energy, our decade-old dream has become a reality. The house looks fantastic and by all accounts, the current undergraduates and those for years to come will undoubtedly keep it that way.

DKE COMMEMORATIVE EDITION SHOTGUN UPDATE

We have received a number of calls from interested Dekes about buying a DKE Commemorative Edition Ruger shotgun like the one that was raffled off at the dinner on September 23, 2000. We have contacted the Ruger representatives, and we may be able to buy a limited number of them. The buyer can have his choice of either a 12-gauge or a 20-gauge shotgun. These shotguns will be made to order and they will be engraved and consecutively numbered, starting with #2. If they become available, they will be offered on a first-come, first-served basis for \$3,000 each. The entire purchase price must be received at the time the order is made. If you have an interest, please contact Morris McDonald at 303.297.7584.

More important than the physical revival, however, was the reconnection we all had with each other. Alumni from more than six decades were able to gather together for the grand occasion. I heard the same familiar jokes and stories from my days as a student, and I heard my father's crowd (class of 1962) digging deep in the memory bank as well.

Finally, I think dekes from every pledge class should take deep pride in what we have all accomplished together ... after all, WE are what the DKE house is all about.



Carson Baur '94 and Cole Durrill '94 display the DKE Commemorative Shotgun #1.

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Buckalew '88, Johnny Krawcheck '88, Jay Dunn '88 and Mark Hoffman '88 were all spotted at the house. Supposedly Krawcheck and Hoffman had Tim McCoy '91, Johnny Black '91 and John Chapman '91 in the basement reciting their pledge class.

The undergraduates did a terrific job over the weekend assisting with the event, photography, the Ruger shotgun raffle, registration check-in, etc. The pledge class this year was extremely good and 13 new members have been initiated. There are also two new affiliates — young men who transferred from other schools where they already have an affiliation with either DKE or another fraternity, preventing them from pledging the DKE house. Please forward any potential rushees to the rush chairman or any of the officers as the number of young men going through rush is not as large as in years past, and the competition is fierce on the campus.

I am pleased to announce that Howard Brubaker (Kappa, Miami [Ohio], '56) has accepted the new position of house director (see page 4 for article). Howard currently serves on the DKE House Board and has been in charge of the Student Activities Fund Office for the past

13 years. The Student Activities Fund Office assists the Greek community on campus with their financial matters. Howard's importance to the DKE house over the past 10 years is incalculable, and we are honored that he has agreed to work with the undergraduates and oversee the management of the house.

The campaign for the DKE house is in its last phase. We can be proud of all our efforts and the wide support of the campaign, but without one last push the famous Grinch will win the day. We are still short of our goal and need broader participation from our alumni to secure the DKE legacy. We can either look forward to having to do this again in twenty years, or we can have enough money to create a trust to keep the house in mint condition and put the problem to rest on our watch.

We have come such a long way, and the goal is in sight, but we need your help now to finish the job. While our rate of participation is around fifty percent, there are still over 450 DKEs who have not yet participated. For those of you who have participated, we cannot thank you enough. For those of you considering a pledge, your gift is more important than ever. Now is the time.

HOWARD BRUBAKER TO ASSUME ROLE OF HOUSE DIRECTOR

Howard J. Brubaker is currently the director of the Student Activities Fund Office (SAFO) at the University of North Carolina. He has a planned retirement date of February 2001 after nearly fourteen years in the position. After this time, he will be assuming the role of House Director for Beta DKE.

Howard was born in Ashland, Ohio, attended high school in Lucas, Ohio, and is a graduate of Miami University (of Ohio) with a bachelor of science degree in business management. While at Miami, he was initiated into the brotherhood of Kappa Chapter of Delta Kappa Epsilon and remains a loyal supporter of that chapter.

Following his commissioning as a second lieutenant, Howard entered active duty with the U.S. Air Force in 1958 and retired as a colonel in February 1984. His military career included assignments in 10 different states, Iceland, England and Germany, primarily with strategic nuclear weapons. His final assignment was to the Joint Strategic Target Planning Staff at Offutt A.F.B., Nebraska where he was chief of combat plans.

Howard is a graduate of the Air War College, Armed Forces Staff College and holds an MBA in industrial management.

Following his retirement from the Air Force, Howard worked for three years as a research analyst with Boeing Aerospace Company in Seattle, Wash. In 1987 Howard and his wife, Pat, moved to Chapel Hill, N.C., and now reside in Fearington Village.

Over the past several years, he has again picked up the bonds of DKE with the Beta Chapter, primarily providing assistance in the financial matters of the chapter.

"I look forward to the many challenges presented in maintaining the high standards we all expect of the finest chapter house at UNC. Certainly the prestigious history of 'Old Beta' and UNC is on display and is well-represented in the renovated DKE house. This renovation could not have been possible except by the hard work and generous contributions of the Beta Deke alumni and current actives. I most heartily solicit their continued help and support in my current efforts and hope to meet all of you in the near future."

*Special Notice: Directories were sent to all members in April 2000. If you know of an address that was listed incorrectly or of members who have a different address, please share that information with us to help us make the most of our database. List the name, class year, old address and updated address for each person. This information applies to employment updates as well. Updates and changes can be sent to **Delta Kappa Epsilon Fraternity, Alumni Records Office, P.O. Box 3367, Chapel Hill, NC 27515-3367.** Be sure to include your e-mail address when you write!*

GRAND REOPENING WEEKEND

By Ben Gambel '01, who served as chapter vice president

The weekend of September 23, 2000 marked a monumental moment in the history of the Beta chapter of DKE for all generations of brothers. The two-day party was probably the best that Chapel Hill has ever seen, and it only represented the culmination of an ongoing fund-raising effort that has been even more remarkable. As the current undergraduate members of the DKE house, the weekend gave us a chance to thank the brothers from all generations who have had a huge impact on the quality of our college experiences.

From our standpoint, one weekend was not enough for us to show our gratitude. The improvements to the house are appreciated on a daily basis. The new common rooms provide a great place for brothers to socialize, which we did not have in the old house. The new bedrooms with high-speed Internet access and the many other new amenities also make the house an extremely attractive place to live.

The two-day reunion weekend allowed us not only to show our gratitude but also to reestablish the

connection between our alumni and our current undergraduates. We enjoyed hearing how the experiences of brothers from all ages seemed strikingly similar to our own. Stories about the DKE Immortals and Eddie Caldwell also allowed us to hear firsthand about events that have since become legend. Witnessing the warm reunions of alumni who had not seen each other in decades also illustrated for us the significance of this event and the lifelong bonds that are developed at the DKE house.

The success of this weekend was the result of the tremendous efforts of a multitude of alumni and a dedicated leadership. Rick Hopkins '91 and Howard Brubaker (Kappa, Miami [Ohio], '56), current adviser to the house, have been involved with us on a daily basis, tirelessly working to ensure our satisfaction with the effort. Tee Baur '68, Morris McDonald '68, and Camp Jenkins '91 have also been in close contact with members of the undergraduate chapter. We in the undergraduate chapter thank all these people as well as the multitude of others who have put so much energy into improving the house.

As the fund-raising effort continues, we feel that DKE's preeminence on the University of North Carolina campus has been preserved for years to come. The tradition and opportunities offered to the current undergraduates are unparalleled by any other house on campus. We want to thank all of our alumni for making our college experience so enjoyable. We hope you will return again and again to the house to forge a bond between the undergraduates and alumni that will be strong forever.



Royer Culp '01 and Ben Gambel '01 at the Grand Reopening Weekend.

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transforming the front and side yards of the house into an elegant lounge and dining room setting. The audiovisual crew showed up next and began setting up the large “video cube” and the televisions to be used to watch the UNC/Marshall game and Saturday night’s program.

Many alumni arrived during this setup period and were soon mesmerized by the return of the “grand old staircase.” When I was in the DKE house in 1990-94, there was nothing but an ugly and dull concrete stairwell that miraculously got repainted every few weeks by the pledges. To see the return of the staircase is truly amazing, and something every Deke alumnus should make a point to see.

Friday afternoon segued rather quickly into Friday evening’s cocktail party on the front lawn. By 7 p.m., there were about 150 Dekes in attendance, and by 8 p.m., there were more than double. Everywhere you turned there were old friends from various classes: Phil Phillips ’62, Brooke Williams ’68, Joe Pitt ’92, Stuart Lindley ’90, and Scott Christopher ’00 were a memorable sampling of who attended. By 9 p.m., the cocktail party wound down as pledge classes made their way to area restaurants for dinner, but by 11 p.m., the front yard “lounge area” was open and busy due to the desire of many people to have a late night at the house. The caterer had certainly not planned on this, but we reminded him to “be ready for anything with this group.” Subsequently, the bars stayed open well into the evening.

Saturday began with rain and a lot more of it predicted. This caused stress on, among other people, the planning committee for this weekend’s party: Chris Rice ’94, Mike Hoyt ’66, and Chris Harris ’95 and me. Would people leave town? Would the ground turn muddy and get tracked through the house? Was the caterer again ready for anything?

The first event of the day Saturday was a continental breakfast, complete with Bloody Marys, screwdrivers and of course DKE punch. Early turnout was light due to the extended cocktail party from the night before. As the caterer began bringing out the lunch of barbecue, fried chicken, hush puppies and peach cobbler, people really started showing up. By 2 p.m., there were over 400 people at the house again. The gigantic video cube in the front yard showed football games from around the country as people caught up with old friends and anticipated the night’s dinner and program.

As the afternoon progressed, the weather miraculously cooperated, the rain stopped and the skies began to clear. So much for a 100 percent chance of rain all day! With the home football game occurring during the same time as our dinner, and now the improved weather, security was tightened around the house and a name badge became the only access to the property.

As Dekes arrived at the house Saturday night for the main event, they were greeted with an elegant dining room setting arranged by the catering crew. Candlelight tables with colorful tablecloths and matching flowers adorned the 500+ seats scattered under tents around the house. This evening’s cocktail party filled up quickly and featured

elegant passed appetizers of shrimp crostinis, marinated shiitake mushrooms and artichoke skewers, and lamb curry in mini croustades. Dinner was served buffet style, but seating was by groups of classes. Entrees were sautéed shrimp with mushrooms and herbs over cheese grit cake and marinated pork tenderloin with merdionale sauce. They were both excellent as was the banana blondie dessert with Gentleman Jack ice cream.

As the last dinners were served at around 9 p.m., the evening’s program began. Rick Hopkins took the stage first and was greeted with a well-deserved warm round of applause for his service as president of Beta DKE. Next was Tee Baur ’68 who, with Rick, spent tireless hours overseeing the capital campaign and the renovation construction at the house. He, too, was given a well-deserved warm round of applause for his accomplishments. Several others took the stage during the near one-hour-long program that was shown via television to all seating areas around the house. Morris McDonald ’68 raffled off a gold-plated commemorative Ruger rifle, the officers of the undergraduate chapter gave their thanks for the renovation and then Brooke Williams ’68 offered, as only he can, a lighter moment. The program came to a close as champagne was served to all tables and Mike Hoyt ’66 took the stage. He cued the televisions to start the video of the late, great Eddie Caldwell who led us all together in the familiar DKE toast, “If such things should ever be ...” This was truly a touching moment for everyone who attended and one that will never be forgotten.

The party after dinner lasted well into the evening with music from The Voltage Brothers in the basement. A midnight breakfast of assorted *Time Out* biscuits was served and quickly consumed. And as people slowly disappeared after midnight, they left with a renewed pride in feeling they were part of the best fraternity at the best university in the country.

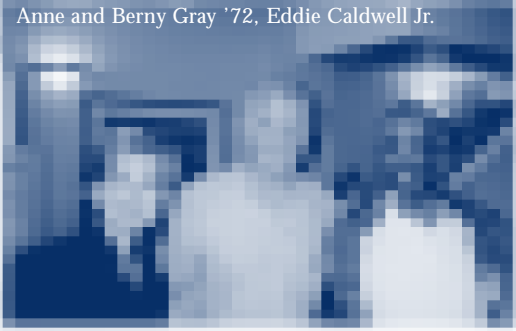
A big thanks to everyone for making this event possible. It was truly unbelievable! For those of you who were unable to attend, you should make an effort to visit the renovated house soon. I hope to see you all at the corner of Cameron and Columbia streets again soon!

Thank you for contributing to the Certain Devotion Capital Campaign, but we still need your help with our alumni relations program! *The Lion’s Roar* is published for the members and friends of Beta Chapter of the Delta Kappa Epsilon Fraternity at the University of North Carolina. Address changes, news items, photographs and contributions may be sent in the enclosed envelope or mailed to **Delta Kappa Epsilon Fraternity, Alumni Records Office, P.O. Box 3367, Chapel Hill, NC 27515-3367**. When you write, be sure to include your e-mail address so we can build our e-mail database!

If you would still like to make a pledge to the Certain Devotion Capital Campaign, or want to increase your pledge, call our Campaign Coordinators at 888-298-7110.

Grand Reopening Weekend

Anne and Berny Gray '72, Eddie Caldwell Jr.



Bill Schmidt '66, Charlie ('64) and Harriet Shaffer



Bill Bass '49, Mary Rhea and Burton Jones '50



Chris Rice '94, Holly Rice, Taylor Transue, Robert Poitras '94, Robert Owen, Chris McCoy, Laura Massey

Top: Walter Hussman '68, Tee Baur '68; Middle: Doug Evans '67, Bronson Van Wyck '67, Smoky Swenson '68; Bottom: Robert Poitras Sr. '64 and Morris McDonald '68



Paul ('68), Beth Woodson and Bill Espy '69

Janalee McDonald, Penny Royall, Harris Swenson, Ben Hussman, Walter Hussman and Lindsley Swenson





Josh Davis '99, Ralph Brabham '99, Alex Burnett '99, Lee Winters and Peter Martin '99



Max Chapman '60, Surry Roberts '62 and Mike Hoyt '66



Zeb Weaver '57, George Raines, Libby Ward, Diane Weaver, David Ward '57 and Sheila Raines



Morris McDonald '68 and his daughter, Lane



Rick Hopkins '91, Surry Roberts '62, Tee Baur '68 and David Ward '57

With a Certain Devotion Contributors

Mystic Circle (*\$100,000+*)

Anonymous
Edward T. Baur '68
Walter E. Hussman Jr. '68
Bernard Gray '72

Eddie Caldwell Society (*\$50,000—\$99,999*)

Anonymous
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Lucius E. Burch III '63
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Nelson Schwab III '67
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William W. Espy '69
John W. Harris '69
John L. Townsend '77

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William G. Clark III '55
George N. Raines Jr. '57
Surry P. Roberts '62
Robert A. ('65), Andrew ('94)
and Tyler ('99) McMillan
Henry W. Morgan '65
Max C. Chapman '66
Peter T. Grauer '68
Brooke N. Williams '68
William J. Tyne Jr. '70
Eric C. Fast '71

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Anonymous
Esley O. Anderson Jr. '35
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Robert E. IV ('81) Mason
Charles Owen Jr. '57
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Brenton L. Smith '86
William R. Ziglar '86
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Frederick E. Hopkins III '91
Ben Richard Rudisill III '91
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Carson Baur '93

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Thomas H. Shores '56
George R. Ragsdale '58
William Lea Palmer '59
Bennett W.C. Roberts '59
Harley F. Shuford Jr. '59
John C. Whitaker '59
Yates S. Palmer Jr. '60
Mack B. Pearsall '61
James B. Wessinger '61
A. Pope Shuford '62
W. Gaston Caperton III '63
Shade Murray Jr. '63
F. Raine Remsburg '63
Donnell B. Cobb Jr. '64
Gardiner W. Garrard Jr. '64
Richard L. M. Hoyt '66
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A. Alexander Shuford '66
John M. Rivers Jr. '67
William A. Whitaker '67
Phillip Riker III '68
Bruce M. Swenson '68
Joseph O. Taylor Jr. '68
Robert H. Kluttz '70
Allen D. Lassiter '70
Donald O. Ross '70
David E. Byrne '71
Craig C. Perry '71
E. Vernon F. Glenn '72
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William S. Brenizer '74
Henry G. Hagan '75
Albert L. Butler III '80
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Byron A. Stratas '81
Patrick M. M. Roddy '84
W. Henry Toler III '84
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Ernest A. Anderson '88
B. Bragg Comer Jr. '88
Martin M. Boney '89
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Campbell O. Jenkins III '91
Timothy C. McCoy Jr. '91
Steven L. Purdy '91
Joseph C. Frierson III '92
Frank H. Edwards '92
Chris Harris '95
Jay Wells '96

Columbia Society (*\$2,500—\$4,999*)

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Stephen C. Owen Jr. '56

Zebulon Weaver III '57
Willis A. Wilson Jr. '61
Frederick P. Wood Jr. '61
James Dennis Rash '62
Thomas J. White III '63
William D. King '64
Charles M. Shaffer Jr. '64
Jack G. Prevost '65
Thomas A. Roberts Jr. '66
Hunter W. Spruill '66
Neilson Brown '67
Robert H. Poitras '67
W. Winburne King III '68
Paul B. Woodson Jr. '68
John K. Hollan '70
James Norfleet Pruden III '70
Robert D. Vann '71
O. Beech Watson III '71
Hugh H. DuBose Jr. '74
Bernard M. Hodges '77
Benjamin C. Adams Jr. '78
Douglas W. DuPont '78
James A. Hardison III '79
David G. Townsend '79
* Andrew C. Spencer '80
Hugh L. McColl III '82
Thomas M. Benjamin '83
C. Bolton Boney '83
Alexander P. Thorpe IV '83
Linwood P. Britton III '84
G. Hadley Callaway '84
Alfred M. Randolph Jr. '84
John R. Wickham '84
Moyer G. Smith Jr. '85
William Augustus Bowen Jr. '86
George F. O'Brien III '86
Michael A. Paschall '86
Brooks W. Binder III '87
T. Charles Cox '87
W. Martin Hull III '87
Caldwell D. Lowrance Jr. '87
Stephen C. Mitchell '87
Charles P. Shook IV '87
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Gordon R. Watt III '87
Robert Ferrel '89
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Alexander K. Turner '89
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Scott Howard '93
Thomas J. Jordak '93
William A. Stanly III '93
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Thomas I. Lyon '95
Stephen C. Ryan '95

James R. Worrell Jr. '95
Macon Rudisill '99
Robert D. McCall '03

Beta Society (*\$1,000-\$2,499*)

Frank F. Duff '38
John B. Saunders '43
Sion A. Boney '44
Frank C. Williams Jr. '47
Richard P. Badham '48
William M. Bass '49
J. Allison Davant Jr. '50
Burton H. Jones '50
David W. Allen '52
E. Bretney Smith Jr. '52
Frank A. Daniels Jr. '53
William L. Hill II '53
James G. Lindley '53
Jack E. Brinson '54
Vardaman M. Buckalew, Jr. '54
Thomas M. Stokes Jr. '54
Ben C. Mayo II '55
N. Perkison Hayes Jr. '57
Bailey Patrick Jr. '57
Cecil H. Rand '57
James P. Raugh Jr. '57
Stanley D. Leggett '58
David T. Watson '58
Robert H. Borden '59
Robert G. Walker Jr. '59
John C. Jester III '60
F. Walker Lockett Jr. '60
H.E. "Bud" Ellerbee '61
Benjamin A. Brinson '62
Peter S. Gilchrist III '62
James T. McGregor Jr. '62
Allen J. Simpson '62
Loy D. Thompson III '62
Peter C. Buchly '63
Edward E. Murrey III '63
William A. Bennett '65
Carl M. Stewart '66
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SECOND ANNUAL DKE STAG DINNER HELD AT THE BROOK

The Second Annual DKE Stag dinner was held December 4, 2000, at The Brook in New York, where approximately 20 Dekes attended. Guest speaker Guy Coheleach spent the evening discussing his paintings, travels and forthcoming book on man-eating lions. Coheleach is world renown for his animal paintings, having received the Society of Animal Artists Award of Excellence an unprecedented seven times. This most prestigious honor is awarded by the curators and professors of fine art from museums and universities across America. Coheleach's work can be seen on his Web site, www.guysart.com.



Kirk Parker '90, Rick Hopkins '91, Tee Baur '68, Guy Coheleach, Brooks Carey '68, Steve Ryan and Morris McDonald at the DKE Stag Dinner.



Guy Coheleach signs books for (L-R) Will Zigler '86, Charlie Anderson, Jeff Buckalew '88, Kirk Parker '90 and Tee Baur '68.

Below: Brothers in this '40s era photo are: (L-R) Si Boney '44, Francis Parker '45, Bob Kemp '43, Gus Zollicoffer '47, John Pewder, Tom Dill '43, Charlie Gregory '45, Dick Allison '47, Bill Webb '44 and Jim McMullan '45.



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received many thank you notes from both the school and the community. Additionally, our members continue to be innovators in philanthropic activities such as Habitat for Humanity, peer tutoring, and the Police Ride-Along Program. Deke undergraduates continue to maintain DKE's image on campus by participating in extracurricular activities. We have made contributions in the local arts as well as UNC varsity football and golf teams. Specifically, we would all like to congratulate Jonathan Wellborn '03 in his thrilling performance of the starring role in the widely hailed local production of "Happy Birthday, Wanda June," a short drama by Kurt Vonnegut Jr.

In November we stayed busy with the initiation of our new pledge class and the election of new officers. I am pleased to pass on the presidency on behalf of Jake Beesley '01 to Erik Johnson '02, a very deserving brother from Jacksonville, Fla. Other new officers who will assist Erik — Harris Swenson '02 of Dallas, Texas, as vice president and Chris Wren '02 of McLean, Va., as treasurer.



Alumni News

Since retiring from the practice of medicine, **Joseph F. Patterson Jr. '38** (3 Carolina Mdws., Apt. 306, Chapel Hill, NC 27514) has pursued his interest in writing poetry and self-published five books.

Joseph T. Miller II '47 (914 Springdale Ln., Gastonia, NC 28052) receives updates on Beta of DKE from Eddie Caldwell Jr. "The pictures he sent me of the house make it look wonderful, as I remember it from 1940-49. Keep up your efforts."

Thomas H. Shores '56 (P.O. Box 2404, Hickory, NC 28603) is chairman of the board of Classic Leather Inc., a furniture manufacturing company. He was on the board of trustees of Asheville School from 1983-2000 and is serving on the executive committee of the board of directors of the UNC Education Foundation.

In the last few years, **James P. Raugh Jr. '57** (1444 Sixth Street Circle Ct. N.W., Hickory, NC 28601; mraugh10@aol.com) welcomed the arrival of two granddaughters. He serves on the EMS board at Catawaba Valley Community Hospital and is a pitching coach for youth baseball. He often sees fellow Hickory residents **Bob Walker '59**, **Tom Shores '56** and **Buck Shuford '59**.

Attorney **William L. Pender '58** (P.O. Box 1695, Davidson, NC 28036) is self-employed as a professional mediator and arbitrator. He's the founder of the Davidson Civil War Round Table, a local history club designed to bring about closure on divisive issues such as displaying the Confederate battle flag, states' rights and federalism.

"Carolina and the Dekes made a profound impression in the late 1950s on this 17-year-old Yankee who had traveled little," writes **James B. Wessinger '61** (4624 Nakoma, Okemos, MI 48864). "I loved it and have always maintained a soft spot in my heart for the South. Great school, great group and sublime setting. Thanks, Carolina." James is a physician specializing in orthopaedic surgery. His daughter, Megan, is also a UNC graduate.

Albert L. Roper II '63 (351 Botetourt St., Norfolk, VA 23510; nbr351@aol.com) retired as a surgeon with Ear, Nose and Throat Ltd. in December 1999. He spent February 2000 in southern Chile and is enjoying every minute of his new status. "I wake each morning with a smile!"

In May 2000, **Walter E. Hussman Jr. '68** (P.O. Box 2221, Little Rock, AR 72203) was elected to the board of directors of the Associated Press.

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Jack G. Prevost '65 (1129 Country Ln., Orlando, FL 32804; jprevos@bellsouth.net) is a senior vice president at SunTrust Bank. In February 2000, he attended a 35th reunion for the Deke Class of 1965 in Sea Island, Ga. The gathering was the sixth such event hosted by **John Stembler '65** for his classmates and their wives. Attending were: Snow and **Henry Morgan**, Page and **Bryan Simpson**, **Tom Crudup**, Carol and **Clay Moore**, Jacqueline and **Bill Bennett**, Brother Stembler, Susan and **John Seago**, Brenda Eskridge and Sydney Prevost, Jack, **Bill Eskridge**, Lawa Crudup and Brother Stembler's friend, Debbie.

Alumni News



Brooke N. Williams '68 (2555 White Horse Rd., Berwyn, PA 19312; brooke.williams@marshinc.com) is associated with Marsh Inc. His son, Jordan, is working for the advertising firm of Foote, Cone & Belding and enjoying surfing, fishing and travel while in Sydney, Australia, for a year.

After 24 years' absence, **James A. Gray III '70** (108 Laurel Hill Cir., Chapel Hill, NC 27514; gstonehill@aol.com) is back in the Tar Heel State. He is associate dean of Duke's Fuqua School of Business and has purchased a house that belonged to the late **Billy Carmichael '49**. Billy was the Deke academic adviser when Jim attended UNC. "A small world, indeed!" Jim notes. "I'm watching the progress of the DKE House renovation with pride!"

When he wrote last spring, **Charles Nelson III '72** (2704 Tyne Blvd., Nashville, TN 37215) had just returned from a trip to the British Virgin Islands with several of his contemporaries, including **Dick Ludington '69** and **Tom Hines '70**.

Duncan M. Anderson '73 (100 Ravenhollow Ct., Cary, NC 27511; andersond@globalknowledge.com), CEO of Global Knowledge Network Inc., has returned to the Tar Heel State for business reasons and welcomes Deke classmates. He sees **John Dooley** in Nantucket, Mass., from time to time and would like to hear from other brothers.

Douglas W. Dupont '78 (1685 Owensville Rd., Charlottesville, VA 22901) is now the full-time teaching professional at the University of Virginia golf course. He also coaches two of his daughters in soccer. Douglas and his wife have four children. They see **Andrew Murray '78** and **A. C. George '78** at U.Va./UNC football and basketball games.

Kristen and **Alfred M. Randolph Jr. '84** (1125 Abingdon Rd., Virginia Beach, VA 23451; amrandol@kaufcan.com) are the parents of two boys. Their youngest son, Christian, is 1.

In a new job, **Geoffrey R. Allen '87** (2917 Sunset Blvd., Houston, TX 77005; geoffrey_allen@enron.net) is director of Enron Broadband Services, a new division of Enron Corp. He reports that **Chad Hoskins '90** and his wife have moved to Houston and are living nearby. Chad is working for Merrill Lynch.

Brooks W. Binder III '87 (1796 Meadowdale Ave., Atlanta, GA 30306) is a lawyer with Morris, Manning & Martin. He and Carolin welcomed their third child, Thomas, in March 2000.

You can write to **James A. Dunn Jr. '88** at a new address: 6031 Woodmont Rd., Alexandria, VA 22307; jaydunn@mail.com. He is president of Backwire.com Inc. Jay announces the birth of his son, Ashton, in January 2000.

In March 2000, Jakie and **Peter H. Bowles '92** (6424 Roselawn Rd., Richmond, VA 23226; jakieb@mediaone.net) welcomed the arrival of a daughter, Jennifer.

Orthodontist **T. Gordon Handy Jr. '92** (124 Plymouth Ave., Winston-Salem, NC 27104; ghandy@mindspring.com) wrote to us in August. He was enjoying his first year in practice with his father and looking forward to the upcoming football and basketball seasons. "I can't wait to see the renovated DKE House. I'm proud that the tradition continues and the legend grows ever stronger."

When we heard from him in July, **D. Cole Durrill '93** (6725 Stuart Ave., Richmond, VA 23226) informed us that he and Jenifer were expecting a child.

Christopher D. McCoy '94 (6410 Stuart Ave., Richmond, VA 23226; cmccoy2@richmond.edu) is a law student at the University of Richmond. He and his wife, Mary, became parents in March 2000 with the birth of their first child, Richard. They hope one day their son will become a third-generation Beta Deke, joining his father, grandfather **Timothy '62** and uncle **Timothy Jr. '91** in the fraternity.

Miller Warren '96 (209 Northgate Rd., Lynch Station, VA 24571; millerwarren@mindspring.com) and his brother, David, have purchased Altavista Motors, a new car dealership in Altavista, Va. Last spring, they were selling Ford, Mercury, Chrysler, Plymouth and Dodge in their new business and planning to add a Jeep franchise. The dealership is located on Route 29, 15 minutes south of Lynchburg.

We regret to inform you of the death of **Lewis S. Morris '36**. Delta Kappa Epsilon mourns his passing and extends condolences to his family and friends.