



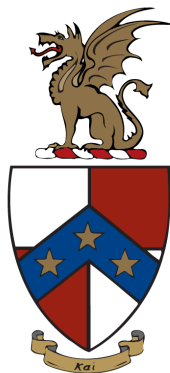
# THETA DELTA DRAGON

Beta Theta Pi at The Ohio State University • Summer 2021

## Your Alumni Association Needs Your Help! Multiple Openings Available

I am writing to all of you asking for your help! We are seeking alumni for our alumni association and house corporation boards. We currently have 11 members and are in need of interested and energetic brothers to help carry out our plans and programs—on behalf of alumni and with the active Chapter.

Our board of directors includes **Scott Saffell '78**, **Alan Veatch '79**, **Todd Stefanini '05**, **Dominic Bagnoli '85**, **John Dilley '67**, **David Hammond '65**, **David Rudy '56**, **David Wright '67**, **Joe Chinnici '64**, **Ralph Talmage '71**, and **Phil White '65**.



Open positions include alumni association secretary, scholarship chairman, social chairman, and at-large members of both our alumni association and house corporation. We are also looking for a local volunteer to help manage the Chapter House with Joe Chinnici. Joe has been doing this very important job since construction began on the house and we would like a local volunteer to learn the responsibilities of the job. If you are interested in working with other alumni and members of the active Chapter to personify Beta's values with our collegians and strengthen their bond with the Fraternity and Theta Delta, please contact Scott Saffell at [scott.w.saffell@gmail.com](mailto:scott.w.saffell@gmail.com)!

## THETA DELTA STAYS STRONG Brothers Maintain Grades and Philanthropy amidst Pandemic



The spring 2021 new member class.

What a great year for the Theta Delta Chapter! We started the semester by adding 28 fantastic men to the Fraternity and went through an amazing new member process. Although the challenges of COVID-19 were still present, we made it a goal to remain great brothers and strive to do the best we can. We ended the year with an awesome philanthropy event for the Free To Smile organization, which performs surgeries on cleft palates for kids in need. We raised over \$4,000 for the organization and enough money for 16 surgeries. We were so glad to help, even in the toughest of times.

Although most of the school year was virtual, we still finished the spring with a solid GPA of 3.38. I couldn't be prouder of these men.

Looking to the fall, we are hopeful that most if not all COVID restrictions are lifted on campus, and that we can gather in person once again. Members have done their part by getting vaccinated, and we hope that by the fall we are all able to have another great year together. We are also excited to welcome back alumni at last!

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# THETA DELTA STAYS STRONG

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Finally, I wanted to give a huge thank-you to the graduating class of 2021. We are so grateful to have had you in the Chapter these last four years, and we look forward to continuing the traditions you brought to this Chapter when it was rechartered; you truly took it to the next level.

Yours in \_kai\_,

**Michael Shcharber '22**

Chapter President

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*David Joseph '22, Charlie Chokenea '22, Michael Shcharber '22, and Matt Cooper '23 at a Cleveland vs. Cincinnati game.*

## CHAPTER OFFICERS

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*John Erbaugh '23 braces himself for our Dunk a Beta philanthropy event!*



*Our brotherhood cleanup of Oletangy River.*



# THANK YOU TO ALL OUR FINAL DONORS

**W**e are eternally grateful to all the generous alumni who made a difference through *A Return to Principles: The Campaign for Theta Delta*. By demonstrating your gratitude for your time in Beta Theta Pi, you have helped preserve our future.

## **New Founder Circle (\$1,000,000 and above)**

David L. Brennan '53

## **Three Stars Circle (\$500,000 to \$999,999)**

Anonymous

Anonymous

## **165 Circle (\$250,000 to \$499,999)**

Ralph W. Talmage '71

## **Wooglin Circle (\$100,000 to \$249,999)**

David W. Wright '67

In honor of the

Class of '67

Larry Abbott '70

Dominic Bagnoli '85

Steve Jeney '85

## **\_kai\_ Society (\$50,000 to \$99,999)**

Nelson French '47

John Dilley '67

## **Dragon Society (\$25,000 to \$49,999)**

Anonymous

Theta Delta

Undergraduate Chapter

James B. Findley '54

David R. Rudy '56

John D. Poffenberger '57

Terry Taylor '62

Joesph A. Chinnici Jr. '64

Robert M. Taylor '64

Roger L. Albrecht '68

In memory of

James W. "Wally" Phillips '44

John D. Beam '68

In memory of

James A. Beam '30

Larry R. Plum '68

Daniel R. Pickett '80

Dan Irwin III '85

Arthur Z. Kovesdy '85

Nonelle Family Gift

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Larry Biederman '59

In memory of

Bob Hartman '57

John D. Jacob, D.D.S. '60

In memory of

Don Hollenback '51 and

John Ramseyer '59

John Stegmiller '68

Rick Schwieterman '72

Alan Veatch '79

Barry J. Duerk '80

Robert S. Leiter '85

Darrin L. Bushong '93

Monte E. Berg '99

Justin A. Reckers '03

## **Beta Spirit Club (\$5,000 to \$9,999)**

Kenneth K. Feintheil '55

Carl F. Weiffenbach '57

Rick von Haam '61

In memory of

Mike Fitzgerald '61

Richard Foster '65

William P. "Phil" White '65

Curtis L. High '66

William Buckham '67

Jon Bennett '69

David K. Grumbach '70

Robert F. Dilley '71

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Geoffrey Presson '73

Ralph Antolino Jr. '77

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Roderick I. Gregory '79

Daniel S. Wigton '79

David F. Klein, M.D. '82

In honor of the

Class of '82

John L. Rindler '85

Bruce E. Borden '86

Jared Friesner '02

Matt Brown '05

As promised, all supporters of the project pledging \$2,500 and above will be recognized on a prominently displayed plaque in our new Chapter House. If there's an error in recording your gift or your name, please advise our campaign coordinator at (785) 843-1661 at your earliest convenience to ensure accuracy. Thank you again for your support!

## **Diamond Club (\$2,500 to \$4,999)**

Anonymous

In memory of

John Kerzman '88

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The Pits Breakfast

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In memory of

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Richard L. Springer, D.V.M. '66

Ronald J. Vojir '68

Richard L. Caner '73

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Steven Cover '74

In honor of

Robert A. Cover

Philip T. Kallile '74

Thomas McKinnell '77

Mark Chupka '84

David Grieshop '85

Christopher S. Jeney '89

## FINAL CAMPAIGN STATS

*As of June 16, 2021*

**Goal: \$4 Million**

**Total Commitments: \$3,813,998**

**Total Donors: 164**

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## Where in the World Are These Theta Delta Brothers?

**H**elp us find the following Theta Delta alumni by providing a physical mailing address to [dbettenhausen@penningtonco.com](mailto:dbettenhausen@penningtonco.com). Email addresses and phone numbers are great as well, but we want to make sure as many brothers are possible receive hard mailings like this one. Thank you for helping keep our database up to date and Theta Delta brothers connected beyond college!

Thomas Lewis '55  
James Wilson '55  
Gilbert Brown '56  
Carl F. Weiffenbach '57  
Max E. Whitmore '58  
Charles Greenidge '59  
Tom Scott '59  
Barth D. Yost '60  
George C. Jacob '61  
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John D. Young '64  
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Michael Wood '04  
Scott Krouse '05  
Wayne Pientka '05  
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Rodrigo Da Silva '08  
Spencer B. Payson '09  
Sean E. Watko '09  
Randall Wire '09  
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Blaise R. Kimmel '17  
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