



City of Festivals *newsletter*

Alumni Member Spotlight

STARRING: Eric Krueger

For the past nine years this member has been an extremely active and supportive member, not only of the executive board, but of our chapter. He is generally the epitome of a great brother and alumni. This quarters Member Spotlight, Eric Krueger!

Eric has been an invaluable asset to our executive board for 9 years, serving as President, Vice President, and Treasurer. Eric has always invited and welcomed new faces in the chapter as well as on the board, most predominantly in last months elections as he welcomed Matt Boudro as the new face of Treasurer for the City of Festivals Eboard. We thank Eric for all the hard work he has put forth, not only to the board, but the entire chapter over the years.

Just in case you haven't had the pleasure of meeting Eric, let me shine the spotlight on him for a brief moment. Eric is a senior financial analyst at Tekra Corporation, headquartered in New Berlin, Wisconsin.

He is an Alumnus of UW- Milwaukee where he earned his degree in accounting. Despite being a fantastic accountant (and treasurer) all the 'tests' predicted Eric to be best suited for the field of architecture. But if he could pick, aside from accounting, he would be a teacher.

A few of Eric's favorites include seafood, pasta, and Italian cuisine, basically anything that goes with wine. His favorite spot in Milwaukee is the lakefront, he can't picture himself in an area not build near the water. This summer Eric hopes to attend Summerfest to listen to a few of his favorite artists: Goo Goo Dolls, Third Eye Blind, O.A.R., and Kid Rock. Again, a huge thank you goes out to Eric from the whole City of Festivals chapter. Thank you for all the time, effort and commitment you continue to dedicate to this organization. We are blessed to have you as a brother.



Quarter in Review

The COF chapter pushed right on through the spring as well as quarter two. In the first half of the year we rang in the New Year, initiated new members to the student chapter, graduated brothers and welcomed new brothers as alumni. Congratulations to all of the graduates of the Delta Phi Spring 2011 class, job well done and we look forward to seeing you at COF Chapter meetings!

The Best Damn Pub Tour also had a great quarter; we added three more pub stops to our list this quarter hosting the Best Damn Pub Tour at Karma for trivia night in April, Flannery's on Cathedral Square in May and wrapping up the quarter at BelAir Cantina this past June.

The alumni also welcomed students, family and friends to a new fundraising event held in May. A group headed over to Comedy Sportz to enjoy a hilarious show of improv comedy. A great comedic relief at the end of the week proved to be an event that will surely occur again.

As we look towards the summer months we hope to see everyone at the coming events!



Election Results

Annual elections were held this past June for the City of Festivals executive board. First, a huge thank you to the 2010-2011 Eboard, congratulations on a great term filled with much success and many accomplishments. We thank you for all the time and effort you have put into the chapter.

Now, to present the executive board for 2011-2012:

President – Dan Fregoso
Vice President of Operations – Heather Fortney
Vice President of Membership – Anna Cox
Treasurer – Matt Boudro
Secretary – Katie Bohn
Historian – Hilary Rasmussen

Congratulations and good luck to the new board. We are excited to see what the coming year will bring!

For more information on any of these events or how to join our chapter contact
execs@cityoffestivalsalumni.org

Foundation Focus

Our Foundation is the ever-present force and drive behind both the alumni and students. I would like to introduce you to the faces behind that force, your 2011-12 City of Festivals

Foundation Board:

President-John Graham

Vice President-Jeff Scanlon

Treasurer-Sean Walker

Secretary-Heather Fortney

Members at Large- Tim Osowski, Todd Strehlow, Sal Strehlow, Dan Fregoso

This past initiation the Foundation showed their continuous support by presenting the Kurt Klumb Memorial Scholarship and the Pledge Scholarship. Both recipients were extremely deserving and are promising brothers and potential alumni. Congrats to April Hyler, Kurt Klumb recipient, and Katie Kimes, last semesters Pledge President and Pledge scholarship winner.

The Foundation is also starting a match program for donations. Each new monetary contribution made to the City of Festivals

Foundation through June of 2012 will be matched up to \$1000.00. Not only is this your opportunity to become a member of the Sapphire Club and earn your exclusive membership pin but this is your doorway to give back to the organization. If you've been waiting for the right time to donate, this is it.

Contact foundation_execs@cityoffestivalsalumni.org for further details or questions.

In the coming months the Foundation continues to make a presence within the chapter. Stay tuned for details on a 'Night Out' with the Sapphire Club to be held in July. On Friday August 5th you'll need to get your whites ready as the COF Foundation will bring us lawn bowling at Lake Park (6pm-8:30pm). The fall promises events such as mini golf so keep reading for details!



COF North Woods

This past June marked another successful edition of the Annual COF Camping Trip. Roughly 20 alumni and one mascot named Bill made the trek to Wild Rose, Wisconsin. The weekend brought lots of less than quality beer, good weather, great food, games and even a pirate or two.

The weekend began with a Friday fish fry at the Red Fox. Good food followed by great entertainment with a surprise live performance by Jeff Scanlon! After Jeff stole the show it was time for \$#!t% beer night. Although the steep competition of Natty Ice, Beast, and Mad Dog brought a lot to the table none was worse than the contribution of Mountain Creek Classic Lager 'Damn Good Beer'. And with that the title of S#!t% beer went to Jeff Scanlon.

On Saturday everyone enjoyed games of Apples to Apples, hand & foot and circle of death. A fantastic lunch of spider meat was provided by the chapter and prepared by the wonderful Kenlee Brill. Lunch was followed by another great dinner generously cooked by the amazing Steph Walker. Thanks to you both, the meals and your time were greatly appreciated by all.

Come nightfall we busted out the track jackets, leggings and mullets for the first ever themed party, 80's night. With festive cloths and music we rocked the night away in style.

All in all a great weekend was had by all. A huge shout out to Lisa Quarford for all of her hard work, thank you for all of the effort and organization put forth in coordinating another awesome camping weekend!



?? COF Trivia ??

The first person to respond correctly to each trivia question will receive a FREE beverage at the next Best Damn Pub Tour happy hour.

When did the first meeting of the City of Festivals alumni chapter of AKPsi occur? (Month, date, year must all be correct)

Please submit your answers to the executive board via email only execs@cityoffestivalsalumni.org

Upcoming Events

July

- 7/8: Peddle Tavern (Third Ward) 1:30-4pm Meet at O'Lydia's Irish Pub, 338 s. 1st St.

Contact Eboard to reserve your ticket ASAP

- 7/21: Best Damn Pub Tour @ Barnacle Bud's (1955 S. Hilbert St)
- 7/27-30 National Convention: Phoenix, AZ - Arizona Biltmore Resort & Spa

August

- 8/4: COF Alumni Meeting - UWM Union 7pm
- 8/5: Foundation Lawn Bowling 6pm - Lake Park
- 8/13: Brewers Tailgate - Brewers vs. Pirates Tailgate 3pm, Game time 6:10pm

Tickets \$15- Contact Eboard to reserve or purchase your tickets on our website

- 8/18-Best Damn Pub Tour @ Bradford Beach Bonfire Series - Bradford Beach