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HOME COMING ANNOUNCEMENT

Hello Alumni. It's fall and time for another exciting Michigan football season. Things are looking exceptional for the Wolverines this year, and we here at 1601 are looking forward to some exhilarating football afternoons as we cheer on our Maize and Blue warriors. As I'm sure you can remember, the excitement of fall at the University of Michigan is second to none. Moving into the Lambda Chi house, getting ready for a new set of classes, and catching up with those you lost touch with over the summer are things that make fall at 1601 a very memorable time. Being a sophomore, I will be living in the Lambda Chi house for the first time this fall, and I am looking forward to one of the best times of my life. I can remember last year when I was an associate coming over to the house on football Saturdays, and just being amazed at the feeling of excitement in the air. If I had had the opportunity, I probably would have moved in right then. I know this fall that same excitement and enthusiasm will be there, and hopefully not just for football Saturdays either. That is the kind of feeling that I, and I'm sure all the other fellas, would like to see last the entire year.

With all this in mind, we would like to cordially invite all Alumni to our traditional pre-game and post-game party for the **October 19th Homecoming** game against Indiana. The scheduled game time is 1:00 pm, so plan on arriving at the house at 11:00 am. If the kickoff time is changed at all, just plan on arriving about two hours before kickoff. We have a nice pre-game brunch planned and will have the house in top condition with Lambda Chi history decorating the chapter room and picture albums packed with Alumni in action. The big screen T.V. will be fired up for those who like to see the pre-game show and for any who wish to stay behind and catch the game at the house. (there are always some that do!) After the game, more food and conversation will await you at the house. We hope to see you all there to cheer the Wolverines on to yet another victory! **Remember: October 19th, two hours before kickoff (probably 11:00 am) at 1601.** See you then.

Scott Miner
and all the brothers of Lambda Chi Alpha

CHAPTER HOUSE RENOVATION UPDATE

A committee of local alumni working with the House Corporation is continuing progress on renovation plans for the Sigma chapter house. In addition to renovation, serious consideration is being given to building an all new house at 1601 Washtenaw. Consensus among those involved is that any new structure must meet the needs of 21st century students, but maintain the flavor and charm of the current house. A final decision on design direction is expected by year's end.

The fundraising campaign is proceeding through its advance stages. Sigma alumni involved in the early planning have pledged their financial support, with a significant number making \$25,000 and \$50,000 pledges.

Sigma alumni will continue to be kept informed as construction and fundraising plans proceed. Any questions and/or suggestions can be directed to Jack Withrow (313) 647-1073 or George Friess (313) 476-7069.

MESSAGE FROM HIGH ALPHA

Another school year is beginning and we, at Sigma, are looking forward to another great year.

The new House Construction Committee is meeting frequently, and many of the younger members are looking forward to the possibility of living in a new Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity House.

Since this upcoming year is my last as an active member of Sigma, I have often thought of what my college life has been about as a member of AXA. Sometimes I think of how my college life would have been without AXA, and it reveals to me a lot of the reasons I joined this Fraternity.

Without AXA, I would have probably lived in the dorms for a couple of years, and attached myself to a couple of other guys, and we would have rented an apartment for our final years. At AXA, I have fifty or sixty real good brothers with whom I feel comfortable and can tell them everything that is going on in my life. We are a part of a tradition which extends back to 1913 at Sigma. Our Chapter has had its ups and downs, just like any other Chapter, but we are definitely on the rise again.

We welcome you to visit us this year, whether it's for a football game, or Homecoming, which we hope all of you will attend.

Please stop in to see the old house before the new house is built.

We, at Sigma, are proud of our tradition and our alumni, and we are definitely optimistic about the future. We look forward to seeing you at Homecoming 1991.

Joseph A. Schulz
President

LAMBDA CHI ALPHA—TRIVIA QUIZ II

- 1.) Who was Sigma #1?
- 2.) What was Clydie May's Husband's name?
(Hint: It was not Buster.)
- 3.) When was the addition to the Chapter House completed?
- 4.) What famous rock 'n' roll song from the 70's makes reference to the AXA ritual?
- 5.) Who was called "Rent-A-Hog" at the Chapter House in the late 70's because so many women wanted to date him?
- 6.) Who was the Sigma who starred in the 80's prime time soap "Falcon Crest," as Morgan Fairchild's brother?
- 7.) What famous Ypsilanti restaurant was owned by a Sigma alum?
- 8.) What famous quote was inscribed on the pledge formal closet wall?
- 9.) During the '77 flood inside the Chapter House, whose room was totally submerged?
- 10.) What famous TV detective in the 80's is a Lambda Chi, and what was his trademark car?
- 11.) In the 60's, which year did Lambda Chi win the Homecoming float contest and what was the theme?
- 12.) Who was the Hi Pi during the 60's?
- 13.) Who was the University Enforcement Officer monitoring parties at the Chapter House?
- 14.) What Sigma was featured in Buick Motor Division's 1980 print, billboard and TV ads?

ANSWERS:

- (1) Perry Lockwood (2) Hyman (3) 1971 (4) Magic Carpet
- (5) Ride by Steppenwolf (6) Mark Marinaich (7) Woody Brown
- (8) Haabs Restaurant owned by Otto Haab (8) "I respect
- virginity." (9) Dave Tiernan's room was tollay submerged (10)
- Robert Ulrich as "Spenser for Hire" drove a dark green 1965
- Mustang Fastback (11) 1969 with the theme "We will never go
- to war again." (12) Dr. Bree (13) Harold Swoberein (14)
- Clarence "Rocky" Pozza

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1930's

Retired and living in Naples, Florida, **Chester Shelly '37**, would like to announce brother **Larry McKay's '38** 50th wedding anniversary and say hello to **Rogers Bradley '38**. (Shelly - 4001 Golf Shore Blv., N. Naples, Florida 33940; McKay - 1487 Forrester, Frankfort, Michigan 49635; Bradley - 2717 Martin St., Sarasota, Florida 33577) **Hanley Staley '38** is semi-retired from his outdoor pool business and is interested in what **Wally Truce '38**, **Chet Shelly**, **Rogers Bradley**, and the rest of the boys from '37, '38, and '39 are up to. Give him a call. (Staley - 220 Bryant Ave., Ithaca, New York 14850; Truce - P.O. Box 1367, San Carlos, California 94070)

1940's

Francis Nutto '45 is enjoying life four years into retirement and keeps up part time at his law firm doing mostly probate. His son is currently attending Cypress University and is in the Navy Reserve doing anti-submarine work. He recently finished an addition to his home at 621 Jambola St., Anaheim, California 92806. Retired and running an outside Christmas Tree business, **Donald Snider '46** enjoys sailing and flying his plane. He resides at 5311 Croton, Zephyrhills, Florida 33541.

1950's

Stanley Attwood '50 enjoys bowling, golf, and bridge at 25845 S. Drifter Dr., Sun Lakes, Arizona 85248. Retired and spending his free time golfing, reading, and traveling, **John P. Waite '50**, resides at 417 Dutch Mill Dr., Flushing, Michigan 48433. **James Coleman '50** is an independent insurance agent whose hobbies include hunting, golfing, and singing. He resides at 109 W. State Rd., Hastings, Michigan 49058. **James Fish '51** is an orthopedic surgeon and has four children; John (34), Cynthia (32), Daniel (30), and Steven (27). His address is 1205 Ives St., Watertown, New York 13601. **Charles Rymes '51**, and his wife Peggy, an Alpha Delta Gamma of Michigan, are living in California and are proud parents of five. (17110 Pomard Ct., Poway, California 92064.) Working as the Departmental Chairman of Anesthesiology at the University of Michigan, **George Chatas '53** and wife Patricia live at 2984 Hickory Lane, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48104. **Edward Ellison '57** is the Director of four privately held companies, a member of the Reserve

Officers Association and American Legion, and enjoys playing golf and collecting violins. (103-107 Bedell Rd., Poughkeepsie, New York 12603.) **Carl Walker '57** is a Consulting Engineer and lives with wife Dorothy at 2429 Highpointe Drive, Kalamazoo, Michigan 49008. A member of the honorary education fraternity, Pi Lambda Theta, **Neil Taylor '58** enjoys life as a professional student and is working on his secondary teaching certificate. (8993 Gettysburg, Twinsburg, Ohio 44087.)

1960's

Bill Wahl '65 is a lawyer who spends his free time golfing and being the president of the Moon Valley Country Club. He is the father of Charlie (19), Mickey (12), and Danny (11). (525 W. Moon Valley Dr., Phoenix, Arizona 85023.) **Jon Fast (Speedo) '62** is the president of Andrew Mack and Son Brush Co. and has "lots" of interests and hobbies. His family includes wife Betty, daughters Michelle and Laura, and son Chris. (910 Maumee Rd., P.O. Box 157, Jonesville, Michigan 49250.) **Curtis Harrison '65** enjoys golf at the Flushing Valley Country Club and tennis at the Flint Swim and Racquet Club. He is a Metallurgist at the Central Foundry Division of GM. (6324 Covered Wagon Tr., Flint, Michigan 48504.) President of McCullouch Enterprises Inc., **Robert McCullouch's '66** hobbies include travel, exotic cars, and boating. (6965 Giralda Circle, Boca Raton, Florida 33433.) **Gary Gillespie '65** is a family physician and lives in Williamston, Michigan with wife Elaine and children Angela, Brian, and Julie. His address is 4701 Jadestone Dr., Williamston, Michigan 48895.

1970's

Paul Johnson '77 is a Senior Editor with Diesel & Gas News in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. P.J. and wife Gloria recently had a son, Mathew Stephen. Paul enjoys restoring his Austin-Healy sports car and living in the Dairy state. **Steve Carnevale '78** is a former UAC President and is now President of a diving supply firm he purchased in Philadelphia one year ago. Steve commutes to see wife Kelly in San Francisco where she is pursuing a career in acting. Steve is still active with affairs at the Chapter House. **Scott Timmer '77** and wife Tamara recently had a baby daughter and are in the process of restoring a Tudor home on Muskegon Lake. Scott loves the heated three-car garage because, yes, he is still a car fanatic. He is cur-

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rently finishing up restoration on a 1966 Ford Mustang convertible. Scott helps out on the legal side of the chapter fund-raising campaign. Former House Treasurer and self-described sex symbol **Mark Sellnau '77** only recently settled down with wife Laura in Bloomfield Hills. Mark is the Lead Engineer at General Motors Engine Research Division analyzing why yuppies buy Jap cars. Laura is a nurse at Beaumont Hospital. Mark is still very active as a sailor, and holds patents on sail design. **Jim Klaserner '79** is a Vice President with Expo Group based in Cincinnati, Ohio. Jim's wife is the former Nancy Fox of Alpha Phi fame. They are the rightfully proud parents of Sarah and Jimmy. Jim is active with the local rotary club and keeps in touch with Lambda Chi's in the Midwest. This former Groves High track record holder still maintains a less than 10% body fat ratio. Jim helps out on The Sigman with questions for the Trivia Quiz. Call Jim at (513) 528-1550 to say hello. Former high school track star, **Jeff Paulson '77**, has settled down to a lucrative career as an attorney with the House of Seagram in Windsor, Ontario. International Jeff commutes from his home in West Bloomfield, Michigan each day. Wife Karen practices law from home while watching their little children. Jeff is still an avid sportsman and misses his cat "Fraidy" who passed away recently. **Big John Schultes '77** is fresh back from 4 weeks in Australia and is resuming work as a lawyer in Detroit. He resides with wife Karen in Grosse Pointe with their two daughters. John enjoys repairing his apartment building investments in Detroit and removing engines in his back yard from his collection of vintage Mercedes. Call the Big Man if you need legal service while in Detroit. **Brian Henry '78** and wife Beth recently moved into their home in Bloomfield Township, a farmhouse built in 1890. Daughter Molly and son Brian are also excited. Brian practices law in Birmingham and is active with Brother Rice Alumni activities. **Richard Hrivnak '78** and wife Diane recently had their third child, a son. This young Hrivnak joins two older sisters. Rick is the Director of Auditing for AAA Motor Club in Dearborn, Michigan. Rick and family recently purchased a new home in Livonia, Michigan and are currently working on the finishing touches. Rick enjoys all sports, especially running after the kids and pole vaulting. **Jim Collins '78** and wife Theresa recently had a daughter Carolyn. Jim resides in Farmington Hills and is a Chassis Engineer with General Motors in Milford, Michigan. Jim enjoys volleyball, basketball, and bock beer research. **John Sheahan '78** is now a dentist in Royal

Oak with Rainbow Dental Centers. John and wife Susan recently had their second child, a son Jonathan. Daughter Jessica is nearly three years old. John, a former all world speed chugger, now enjoys skiing and sailboarding. Please call John if you have a dental emergency.

1980's

Rudolph Tanasijevich '86 keeps up with **Dan Sheridan '86** and **Andy Fishing '85** while he finishes law school at Indiana. He is marrying Shannon Docherty, currently working on a PhD at U of I, on September 21st and is then heading to Europe for a nice vacation/honeymoon. (Tanasijevich - 52 172nd Place, Hammond, Indiana 46234; Fishing - 300 Cranbrook Rd., Bloomfield Hills, Michigan 48013; Sheridan - 19945 Norton Ct., Grosse Pointe Woods, Michigan 48236.) **Daron Yarjanian '81** is married to Kathleen Baltz and is an Endodontist. His address is 7170 Nottingham Court, West Bloomfield, Michigan 48322. Father of 21 month old Meredith, **Joe Langlois '84**, is a lawyer practicing in the Detroit area. On his time off from work and family, he likes to play hockey and water ski. (17965 Breezeway, Fraser, Michigan 48026.) **Doug (Fresh) Smith '89** is the Project Manager of Michigan National Bank and is married to Kelley, an alumni of Delta Delta Delta at UofM. (506 Townsend, Birmingham, Michigan 48009.) **Jeffrey (the Hippie) McMillen '89** would like to say that contrary to popular belief, he has not fallen off the face of the earth, but is enjoying life and starting law school at Washington University in St. Louis. His address there is, at this point, still unknown.

To all Alumni,

Hello from 1601. We hope this information has been useful in keeping you up to date on your college associates. Please send in the update sheets included in the letter to help us and your fellow alumni keep up with you. And don't forget about homecoming: **October 19th, two hours before kickoff**. See you there!

Sincerely,

All the brothers of Sigma

BROTHERS!! BE SURE
TO LET US KNOW...

WHAT ARE YOU DOING?

Name in full _____ Class _____

Occupation _____ Firm _____

Residence _____ New

Years in school _____ Degree(s) _____

Date of marriage _____ Wife's maiden name _____

Children _____

What civic or elective offices have you held? _____

Other interests _____

Remarks _____

Articles you would like to see _____

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