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ongratulations to our new Alumni Brothers,

It is with great pleasure that we congratulate the class of 2003 as they enter a new phase of their professional careers. It is our sincere hope that as recent graduates they consider becoming members of our chapter's Alumni Association and maintain a close bond to our Collegiate Chapter. Hopefully, the Alumni Chapter can serve as the bridge between their scholastic and professional challenges

Alpha Sigma 2003 Graduates

Lj Alere	Sheila Allen	Ginnette Cruz	Darla Downs
Helen Feinstein	Patty Gutierrez	Karen King	Chasitie Levesque
Jacqueline Mathison	Megan Mikeworth	EJ Nwazue	Rajendra Patel
Dan Patuszynski	Makeda Peters	Tony Phan	Lydia Shenouda
Irina Shostak	Jane Tataralis	Laura Velasquez	Matthew Wagner
Douglas Warda			

Memorial Scholarship: *(a fond remembrance by Ray Traficante)*

The Alumni Chapter has finally attained the \$10,000 goal that was set 6 years ago. This means that we can now start awarding our Memorial Scholarship. The Alumni Chapter's scholarship committee will soon formulate the criteria for this award. It seems like only yesterday, when an eager and energetic P4 student, by the name of Marco Villa and I were sitting at an alumni meeting at Morretti's on Jackson Blvd. We were discussing the plans to establish an Alumni Association. In what way could the alumni chapter help to support our collegiate members? Many ideas were discussed and evaluated, but the one that Marco proposed had the most merit. Why not develop a scholarship. Who knew then that in only a few short months Brother Marco Villa would succumb to a fatal heart condition. His idea lives on and now it has become a reality. I hope that the chapter will continue to fund this and other scholarship funds in the future.

Annual Baseball Outing: As mentioned in the last newsletter, our Alumni Association has obtained a block of tickets for the White Sox vs Cubs game on Sunday, June 29th. The game will be at Comisky park (I refuse to use the new name) We are planning to have another tailgate party before the game. (Those that are attending will be given directions and information regarding this pre-game party) The demand for this game was great and unfortunately all of the 42 tickets that we acquired were sold. Watch for photos in the next issue of the "post-Script".

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Next Meeting: Sunday, **June 1st** at 4:30PM, we will again meet at Palmer Place located at 56 S. La Grange Rd. in La Grange, IL. We hope to see many members in attendance. If you plan to attend please let Amy Lodolce know that you are coming. 708-387-1898 aelo@uic.edu

Scholarship award requirements will be a main topic of discussion.

(Parking lots located both behind the building and directly across the street)
(708) 482-7127

Kno-Biggie Party & Picnic:

This year's "Kno-Biggie Party & Picnic" will be held on July 19th. This is always a great time for Alumni and Collegiate members to spend an enjoyable afternoon and evening together at Ray Traficante's home. This year there will be games for children and adults, and the volleyball court will be located on grass, a much softer surface than Ray's street. Try to make this annual event. FRIENDS and FAMILY ARE WELCOME.

(For more information please view the enclosed flyer)

Annual Dues for Membership: If you have not yet paid, the association would greatly appreciate your donation. Your membership dues are being used to publish and mail this newsletter, defer travel expenses of Collegiate members going to Grand Council, and funding of the Memorial Scholarship. Please review your current status, and use the form below to renew. **We appreciate all of the support our membership has given to the Alumni Association. Our success depends upon this support. Thank YOU !!!**

Alpha Sigma Alumni Association Membership Form 2003 - 2004

Name of Alumni Brother _____

Chapter and Year of Graduation _____

Address: _____

City, State, ZIP _____

Phone _____ e-mail address _____

Voluntary donation to the Memorial Scholarship Fund (enter amount) _____

Yearly dues are \$20 per alum (**June 1st thru May 31st**)
Please make checks payable to: Phi Delta Chi Alumni Association
We look forward to your membership!

Mail to:
Amy Lodolce
9035 W. 27th
Brookfield, IL 60513
708-387-1898 aelo@uic.edu

Grand Council 2003:

Here is some information regarding registration for Grand Council, courtesy of our Midwest Regional Director Of Collegiate Affairs (MRDCA) , and Alpha Sigma Alumni, Alan Mohring.

The following is a link which will allow you to register for Grand Council on line:
www.walkermgt.com/PDC/grand_council.htm

The Grand Council meeting will be held in Minneapolis, MN on August, 13-16, 2003. LD-101, hosted by PLEI, will be taking place the day prior on Tuesday, August 12th. LD-501 will be held on Sat. the 16th. Arrivals should occur, if not attending LD-101, on the 12th at any time with an opening reception that evening. The registration booth should be open most of the day on the 12th for early arrivers. The ending banquet and awards will be on Sat. evening the 16th with departures on the 17th. We also have a planned group trip to the Mall of America on one of the free afternoons (most likely Thursday or Friday). We will have an "air-band" lip-sync contest for our attendee's to participate in as one of the evening events. We will be discussing the possibility of having a financial prize for the winner, although this has not been set in stone as of today.

The hotel is the Sheraton Minneapolis West, 12201 Ridgedale Dr., Minnetonka, MN. (just a few miles from downtown Minneapolis). Hotel reservations will be made for all national and regional officers by Walker Management Co. The registration fees for collegiate brothers will be \$150 (\$10 less than our last Grand Council in Boston, MA in 2001) if sent in by July 11th and \$170 after that date or onsite. This will include the cost of the banquet, all printed materials and handouts, and a group lunch on Wednesday afternoon (the first day) as well as a continental breakfast on several (not all) days and the desert reception held during the chapter poster display on Friday evening. Alumni registration fees are \$180 prior to July 11th and \$210 after that date or on site and cover the same items as for the collegiate brothers listed above. For alumni just coming for the banquet the fee will be \$50. The fee for LD-101 (set by our PLEI organization and its officers) will be \$75 (again, held on the 12th). **The fee for the LD-501 program (a.k.a. the Alumni Getaway weekend; not the full registration for all days) is \$150 and includes the Friday reception, Saturday CE hours, Saturday lunch and the awards banquet on Sat. night.**

I hope this helps. This will be the information provided by the flyers handed out at the booth during APhA and hopefully, if our webmaster is still in the states and available, will also be posted on our website soon.

Let me know if you desire any additional information. I will tell you that for the first time EVER in PDC's history, we will be allowing all collegiate and alumni members to register for the 2003 Grand Council via a web-based registration form being created, hosted and managed by Walker Management Co., and it should be available within the next couple of weeks for brothers to start using and registering for the meeting (prior to end of semester departures).

Fraternally,
Alan Mohring, R.Ph., Pharm.D.
Phi Delta Chi
Midwestern Regional Director for Collegiate Affairs

KNO-BIGGIE PARTY & PICNIC

SATURDAY JULY 19TH (RAIN OR SHINE)

4:00PM TILL ???

RAY'S HOUSE (3101 SHELLEY CT.- WOODRIDGE)

**BRING YOUR OWN FOOD TO COOK
GRILLS & CHARCOAL PROVIDED**

**REFRESHMENTS OF ALL KINDS WILL BE IN ABUNDANCE !!
(PLEASE BRING A BAG OF ICE)**

PLAY VOLLEYBALL ON A CHAMPIONSHIP COURT

(WELL MAYBE NOT A CHAMPIONSHIP COURT)

DRINK BEER FROM DENTED KEGS

(MGD)

ENJOY MUSIC PERFORMED BY "The Cruisers"

**FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT RAY TRAFICANTE
(630) 964-2278 OR (312) 996-1390
rtrafica@uic.edu**

DIRECTIONS TO RAY'S HOUSE : 3101 SHELLEY CT. WOODRIDGE, IL.

FOLLOW THE INSTRUCTIONS BELOW

FROM I-55:

- **EXIT ROUTE 53 (NORTH)**
- CONTINUE TO DRIVE NORTH TO 83RD ST. (MARKED SIDE ROAD WITH A LIGHT)
- TURN RIGHT ON 83RD ST. AND PROCEED TO CAROLWOOD
(THIS IS THE FIRST RESIDENTIAL STREET - ONE BLOCK EAST OF RT. 53)
- GO LEFT ON CAROLWOOD (NORTH) ONE BLOCK TO SHELLEY CT. (3101)

FROM I-88:

- **EXIT ROUTE 53 (SOUTH)**
- CONTINUE TO DRIVE SOUTH TO 83RD ST. (MARKED SIDE ROAD WITH A LIGHT)
- TURN LEFT ON 83RD ST. AND PROCEED TO CAROLWOOD
(THIS IS THE FIRST RESIDENTIAL STREET - ONE BLOCK EAST OF ROUTE 53)
- GO LEFT ON CAROLWOOD (NORTH) ONE BLOCK TO SHELLEY CT. (3101)

FROM I-355: FOR THOSE COMING FROM NORTH-WEST SUBURBS

- **EXIT I-355 AT 75TH ST. (WEST)**
- PROCEED WEST TO ROUTE 53
- TURN LEFT (SOUTH) ONTO ROUTE 53
- GO TO THE NEXT STOP LIGHT (83RD ST. AND TURN LEFT - EAST)
- PROCEED EAST TO CAROLWOOD (FIRST RESIDENTIAL STREET EAST OF ROUTE 53)
- GO LEFT ON CAROLWOOD (NORTH) ONE BLOCK TO SHELLEY CT. (3101)