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November 2, 2012 - Homecoming II Edition

**Georgia Southern University** 

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**Chapter Eternal Ceremony** 

At Homecoming 2012, during the Saturday morning alumni meeting, we will honor all of the members of Theta Kappa's Chapter Eternal. This will be the first time we have done this since the early years – it is time to "catch up" and instill an annual tradition to honor our brothers. Chapter Eternal is Sigma Nu's reference to those brothers who have passed to the afterlife. They are:

<u>Initiate #</u>	<u>Theta Kappa Honorees</u>
ThK 0007	Mr. Francis M. Brady
ThK 0014	Mr. Duane W. Nunnally
ThK 0017	Mr. Brooks L. Paulk
ThK 0031	Mr. Dewey F. Holland, Jr.
ThK 0041	Mr. Joseph P. Barnard
ThK 0046	Mr. David I. Sammons, Jr.
ThK 0047	Mr. Darwin G. Williams
ThK 0052	Mr. Richard L. Anderson
ThK 0059	Mr. Wade B. Dixon, Jr.
ThK 0068	Mr. James A. Fountain, III
ThK 0081	Mr. Harold E. Harvey, Jr.
ThK 0090	Mr. Carl D. Murray
ThK 0111	Mr. Morris H. Taylor, Jr.
ThK 0177	Mr. Mark R. Mountan
ThK 0181	Mr. James D. Woth
ThK 0214	Mr. Charles E. Van Houten
ThK 0261	Mr. Melvin S. Puckett
ThK 0262	Mr. Ferrell L. Penland
ThK 0300	Mr. William P. Drew, III
ThK 0436	Mr. Joseph E. Leeb
ThK 0489	Mr. Sean E. Boyce
ThK 0583	Mr. Daniel L. Funk
Xi 0420	Mr. F. Everett Williams

This will be a facet of all future annual alumni meetings at Homecoming. We will be honoring and remembering all 23 brothers who have passed to Chapter Eternal since our founding, initiating a permanent space on our website, and we will start a new annual tradition. The ceremony will be at 10:45am at the end of the alumni meeting and just before lunch, so friends and family may join.

We need assistance in gathering photos, bios and information on each alumnus, so please help! For more go to: sigmanugsu.com/chapter-eternal

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There is a link to detailed instructions on our home page on how to register, login, and update your records of go to:

sigmanugsu.com/register

### We need your help ...

We need your help with the Chapter Eternal members to your left – we need bios, stories, background information, obituaries, Chapter & GSU offices held, honors, other achievements, service to the community, and scanned or digital pictures for these honored brothers.

Please send whatever you can or have to <u>alumni@SigmaNuGSU.com</u> or go to: <u>sigmanugsu.com/chapter-eternal</u>

Search for the Facebook Group or click on: Sigma Nu - Georgia Southern - Theta Kappa – Join the Group & Website!

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# Benefit Concert a Success!

The Chapter's recent " $\Sigma$ ND MS Benefit Concert" was a great success with over \$6200 raised for the National Multiple Sclerosis Society to further research.

Congratulations to our Chapter and to Brian Griffin, ThK 759, our Chaplain & the Project Chairman! For more info: sigmanugsu.com/ms-benefit-concert

# Fall Rush 2012-22 Men!

Fall Rush was a great success with 22 men giving their pledge! Go to: sigmanugsu.com/newcandidates

# Hotels, Hotels, Hotels!

We do not have a block of rooms, but rooms are available. For a list go to: sigmanugsu.com/hotels



# **Homecoming Team**

The Chapter <u>Homecoming Chairman</u> is Tyler Ridgeway at 678-850-5235 (m) or email: <u>tro2206@georgiasouthern.edu</u>.

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Fall Rush for 2012 was a great success with 22 men giving their pledge as a candidate in Sigma Nu.

Congratulations to the Chapter, the Rush Committee, but especially to Zach Dyer, ThK 739, Recruitment Officer for a job well done! For more information on the Fall Candidate Class go to:

sigmanugsu.com/newcandidates

### Homecoming Info & Hotels!

Due to challenges in past years, we do not have a block of hotel rooms, so hotels are on your own.

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# Get updated on what's up?

The two locations to hear what is going on are on the website and Facebook:

www.sigmanugsu.com

www.sigmanugsu.com/homecoming

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### Fall 2011 Bid Day for Theta Kappa Chapter of Sigma Nu Fraternity



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# Hotels located in Statesboro, Georgia (GSU)

Marriott Springhill Suites – Statesboro University (On US 301 Bypass at Fair Rd (Hwy 67) near stadium) 105 Springhill Drive Statesboro, GA 30458 912-489-0000 www.marriott.com

#### **Comfort Inn & Suites**

(Off Hwy 67 at 301 Bypass; near Springhill Suites) 17870 Hwy 67 Statesboro, GA, US, 30458 912-681-2400 www.comfortinn.com

Holiday Inn – Statesboro & University Area (Near Statesboro Mall on US 80) 455 Commerce Drive Statesboro, GA 30458 912-489-4545 www.holidayinn.com

La Quinta Inn-Statesboro (Old Fairfield Inn – near Stadium at 301 Bypass) 225 Lanier Drive Statesboro, GA 30458 912-871-2525 www.lq.com

Baymont Inn & Suites (Former Holiday Inn Express near RJ's Steakery) 425 South Main Street Statesboro, GA 30458 912-489-7368 www.baymontinns.com

Days Inn Statesboro (was a Hampton Inn - Fair Rd behind Sea Island Bank) 616 Fair Rd. Statesboro, Georgia, USA, 30458 912-681-7700 www.daysinn.com

Quality Inn & Suites, Statesboro (Old Holiday Inn on Main Street, but Renovated) 230 S. Main Street Statesboro, GA 30459 912-489-3995 www.qualityinnstatesboro.com

Hampton Inn (under construction) Open next year Best Western University Inn (Old Jameson Inn) 1 Jameson Avenue

Statesboro, GA 30458 912-681-7900 www.bestwestern.com

### **Howard Johnson Inn**

316 South Main Street Statesboro, GA 30458 912-489-2626 www.hojo.com

#### **Knights Inn-Statesboro**

461 South Main Street Statesboro, GA 30458-4900 912-764-5666 www.knightsinn.com

#### Statesboro Inn & Restaurant

106 South Main Statesboro, GA 30458 912-489-8628 www.statesboroinn.com

#### Georgia's Bed & Breakfast

123 S Zetterower Ave Statesboro, GA 30458 912-489-6330 www.ga-bnb-review.com

Hometown Inn 126 Rushing Drive Statesboro, GA 30458 912-681-4663 www.hometowninnstatesboro.com

Scottish Inns & Suites Statesboro/Metter 2875 U.S. 301 Register, GA 30452 912-852-5200

Trellis Garden Inn (not sure it is open) 107 South Main Street Statesboro, GA 30458 912-489-8781 www.trellisgardeninn.com

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