



**Sigma Nu Fraternity • Theta Kappa Chapter • Georgia Southern University
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Sigma Nu Alumni & Parents,

This year our chapter has made a strong commitment to service in philanthropy at Georgia Southern University (GSU) and in the greater Statesboro community as well as delivered on that commitment! This past year, we put on an event entitled END MS. It was a benefit concert to benefit the Georgia Chapter of the Multiple Sclerosis Society and we raised close to \$5,000. This event is going to become an annual tradition for our chapter.

On April 12 we are participating in the very first American Cancer Society Relay for Life to be held on the campus of GSU. We were one of the very first organizations, and certainly the first fraternity, to sign up to support and participate in this event. We were the 9th team to commit and since then, 28 other organizations have followed our lead and become a part of this worthy cause.

Unfortunately, we all know someone either fighting cancer or who has fought cancer, and even more unfortunate, we all know someone who has lost that battle to cancer. Just two years out of college, our Service Advisor Clint Murphy was diagnosed with testicular cancer, the most common form of cancer for men 18-35. Many of you may not know, but one of our active brothers, Dan Bennison, recently had to move back home to New York because he is fighting cancer. We are participating for Dan. It's not lost on us the alumni that we have lost to this disease. We are participating in this event in honor of the memory of Ferrell Penland, Duane Nunnally, Dan Murray, Mike Brady and others. We, the collegiate members, are all young and cannot relate to being parents yet, but we've all certainly kept brother Zach Grabill and his son Aiden in our hearts and prayers as his son has to fight this disease at only 3 years old. We are doing this for Zach and his son.

As the brothers in Sigma Nu, we proudly ask for you to please support our efforts by making a donation towards this worthy cause. With so many alumni, if each individual gives \$25, \$50, or more towards this event, together we can make a significant impact in raising funds for more research to fight this disease. Your support will help us to be seen as a leader on campus, an organization that can be counted on, and one that is a contributing force to the betterment of the University and Statesboro community.

The Relay for Life event for Georgia Southern is being held on Friday, April 12. As a chapter, we will be out there, walking the track, lighting luminaries in memory of our various brothers, alumni, family, and friends who have had to face this disease. We want you there in spirit through your contribution and your support. If you're nearby, come out and join us for a lap or two.

You can safely make your contribution online by visiting <http://sigmanugsu.celect.org/relay-for-life> (our website). At our website you will see options that will allow you to contribute to the Sigma Nu Relay for Life Team and check if your company has matching gifts. Your contribution is fully tax deductible and you will be provided a receipt for your records. Please consider making a gift today!

Thank you in advance for your support of our Chapter and in the fight against cancer.

Faternally,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jimmy Rabb".

Jimmy Rabb, ØK 760
Relay for Life Coordinator