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PHI BETA SIGMA ARRIVES IN PWC



On November 1, 2009 the Omicron Zeta Sigma Chapter of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. received it's charter from the International Headquarters. Omicron Zeta Sigma's jurisdiction is Prince William County, VA . Charter members are Sean McDonald, Moultrie Glover, Charles Stewart, Kevin Davis, Michael Stuart, Donald Jemison, Stevenson Reed, Kevin Smith, Anthony Rush, Kirk Scott, Lawrence Wiley, Ronald Wilkes, Christopher Aston, Tyree Anderson, Eric Banks, Ronald Booker, Jimmy Braddy, G. Warren Brathwhite, Darryl Brock, Christopher Butler, James Butts, Arthur Carter, Dion Coward, Cassius Ellis, David Fagan, Keith Johnson, Stanley Jones, Keith Martin, Derrick Melton, Curtis Nelson, Constantine Owens, Rodney Spruill, Shawn Thomas, Kermit Burks, Joseph Ladner, and Michael Wooten.

OMICRON ZETA SIGMA LEADERSHIP

President-Sean McDon-	Ronald Wilkes, Corre-
ald, 1st Vice President -	sponding Secretary- Kirk
Moultrie Glover, 2nd	Scott, Dir. Social Action -
Vice President-Charles	Anthony Rush, Dir. Bigger
Stewart, Treasurer-	and Better Business-Larry
Donald Jemison, Financial	Wiley, Dir. Education-
Secretary- Kevin Davis,	Kevin Smith and Sigma
Chaplain-Stevenson Reed,	Beta Club -Eric Banks.
Recording Secretary-	



VISION STATEMENT

Omicron Zeta Sigma chapter of Phi Beta Sigma will strengthen and proactively serve the brotherhood as a supportive resource that positively impacts the community, personally and professionally develops its members, and assists the overall Fraternity's growth and financial solvency.

MISSION STATEMENT

Omicron Zeta Sigma chapter of Phi Beta Sigma must become a community service focused organization implementing effective strategies to provide a positive impact on our community within Prince William County, Virginia.

FROM THE PRESIDENT

Throughout the first quarter of 2010 (January - March), the Brothers of Omicron Zeta Sigma have been extremely busy getting the chapter up and running. We have accomplished the "ideal" of chartering the chapter, now we are in the throws of sustaining the chapter; for all intent and purposes, into perpetuity. As the President of the Chapter, I must submit to you Brothers that I am pleased and proud of the work we have set our minds to accomplish and have accomplished thus far. As we make our way through the third quarter of 2010 (July - September), we must complete the services and tasks which we have committed ourselves to complete, which include our Dale City Neighborhood Pride Week clean-up 6/26; Manassas African American Heritage Festival (MAAHF) 8/7 http://manassasafricanamericanheritagefestival.com/images/Community_Organization_Application.pdf, which is a Bigger and Better Business event. We will be launching our Sigma Beta Club (June – October, 2010); and completing our other educational initiatives. We will distribute our newsletter "The Blueprint" to each OZS Brother, ER, and General Board members. While our primary goal of the Blue & White Ball was to raise funds for the Chapter's programs and initiatives; the goals, objectives; and possible outcomes will be further reaching than we initially imagined. This inaugural Blue & White Sigma Ball ushered us into the minds, the homes, and the hearts of all who attended and all who were told about our "impressive" commitment to service. I believe we are more prepared to answer the call to serve. This report should serve as an address and a call to action; aligned with our International President, Hon. Bro. Jimmy Hammock's, vision and mission "Changing Lives Through Service" and our Eastern Region Director, Hon. Bro. Darryl T. Williams' mandate to be the best region in the fraternity. So it is that my vision for the Omicron Zeta Sigma Chapter is modeled in Ephesians 2:10.

"Brothers Active in Sigma to do the Courageous, Intellectual, and Empathetic work of serving others".

Thus, our mission is:

"Staying on the Blue and White road where Our Cause to Serve Speeds on its Way".

I pray we ease on down, ease on down...for generations to come.

AFTERNOON WITH THE CAT IN THE HAT

In celebration of Read Across America, 10 brothers of the Omicron Zeta Sigma chapter of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity Inc. entertained 78 children and their parents at Potomac Library located in Prince William County, Virginia by reading Dr. Seuss books. On March 13, 2010 several brothers of the newly established chapter in Prince William County, Virginia donated two hours of their time to epitomize a love of children's literature and learning. The



goal and purpose of the this program was to instill the belief that books are an effective tool for teaching young children the basic skills they

need to be successful. When cele-

brating reading, we sent a clear message to children that reading is fun and important. The brothers, each wearing their royal blue-and-white

colors and letters associated with our esteemed organization, read to children ranging from pre-kindergarten to second grade. While some of the books read were from the library, several brothers brought their own copies from home to share with the children. Read Across America Day is celebrated annually in honor of Dr. Seuss on his birthday, March 2. The National Education Association sponsors events throughout schools and communities on this day to inspire reading in children.

MARCH FOR BABIES 2010



It was a cool and blustery day in Manassas, VA on April 18, 2010 but brothers of the mighty Omicron Zeta Sigma Chapter banded together in support of the March of Dimes "March for Babies" event. The brothers walked 5 miles and represented the blue and white in great fashion. OZS raised \$980 for March for Babies and will participate again next year.



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CANCER RELAY FOR LIFE 2010

On June 12, 2010, led by our Social Action “Master of the Universe” - Anthony Rush, 23 brothers logged over 100 miles during the course of 14 hours. Omicron Zeta Sigma contributed \$2,315, which is the second highest nation-wide for a Phi Beta Sigma chapter. Of particular note is the outstanding effort of Troy LaRue who raised \$550. Way to go brothers of OZS! Next year we take 1st place! During the relay we had the pleasure of receiving two special guests who made a grand entrance. “Nupe Sigma” and “Unknown Sigma” we know who you are! As protocol was established, brothers who ar-

rived in colors other than blue and white were obligated to execute 5-10 push-ups for each violation of the dress code. All in all it was a great event as brothers fellowshiped and bonded while supporting an initiative of Phi Beta Sigma’s National Programs.



BLUE AND WHITE BALL 2010



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IN SEARCH OF 100 WE BEGIN WITH ONE



OZS meets the 3rd Saturday of each month from 4:00 - 6:00pm at the James J. McCoart Administration Building at 1 County Complex Ct, Woodbridge, VA 22192.

VIA Interstate 95 (North or South):

Take the Prince William County Parkway Exit #158B. Follow the Prince William Parkway approximately 4.4 miles to the Prince William Parkway/Old Bridge Road intersection. Take a left to remain on Prince William Parkway. Proceed one mile to the James J. McCoart Government Center entrance on the right. At the stop sign, turn left, and the James J. McCoart Administration Building will be on your right.

MARCH ON OMICRON ZETA SIGMA

