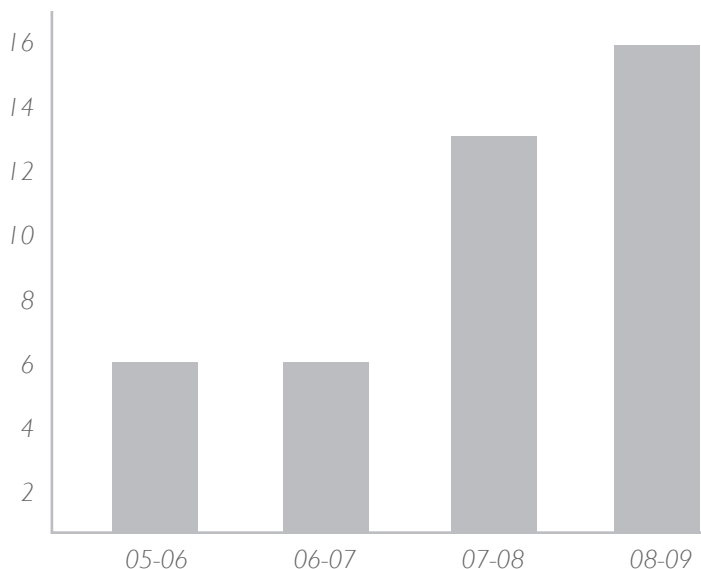


# Locust Street Journal

## CHAPTER RECRUITMENT GAINS SHOW RESILIENCE

Increasingly successful recruitments show that chapter continues to strengthen year after year. The chapter hopes to average at a minimum of 15 men a year pledges classes which will more than satisfy our budgetary requirements for maintenance of the chapter. The chapter is in an excellent position to exceed this goal as we are only graduating two seniors and are looking forward to recruiting in the fall from one of DePauw's largest incoming classes ever. This year's 16 man class was drawn from one of the smallest incoming first-years classes in memory showing that recruitment gains are a result of increasing desirability of the chapter and not increasing available men.



## BARTLETT REFLECTION CENTER IN THE DEPAUW NATURE CENTER DEDICATED

April 24, 2009— "This sort of tapestry that's the DePauw University experience -- it consists of many things," James R. Bartlett '76 said this afternoon at the dedication of the Bartlett Reflection Center in the DePauw Nature Park. He told the alumni, students and staff gathered that the experiences -- small and large -- can range from "somebody making a career decision sitting out on the screened porch or a professor mentoring a student ... Our hope is that as this place goes forward there are going to be a lot of memories made here and throughout this University."

Earlier this month, the Reflection Center received LEED® (Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design) Green Building Rating System Gold certification from the U.S. Green Building Council. The building, which will be dedicated next Friday afternoon, joins the Janet Prindle Institute for Ethics, which became the state's first LEED-New Construction Gold building last spring. ■



*The Reflection Center*



*The Bartletts*

## BROADCASTERS ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA HONORS BUD WALTERS '63

May 11, 2009 — Bayard H. "Bud" Walters, president and owner of The Cromwell Group Inc. and 1963 graduate of DePauw University, is a 2009 recipient of the Broadcasters Foundation of America's Ward L. Quaal Pioneer Award. Walters was honored at the National Association of Broadcasters convention in Las Vegas. The Journal Gazette of Mattoon, Illinois, notes, "Walters founded the Cromwell Group in 1972 and he remains the president and driving force within his group of 22 radio stations (six AM and 16 FM) in five markets: Decatur (4), Effingham (3), Mattoon (3), Vandalia (2), Owensboro/Tell City (7), and Nashville (3), in four states (Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Tennessee)." ■ (DePauw.edu)



## ALUMNI INBRIEFS

Dale Espich '51 has been honored with a Donald J. Trap Human Service Award during the Shiawassee County Children's Service Provider's seventh annual conference. Espich established the Girls On The Run program in Shiawassee County. He has also formed Get Fit! Shiawassee as well as the Train the Trainer Nutrition program.

Tom Stevens, '52, and his wife, Nancy, hosted a mini-reunion of Delta Chis at their home in Naples, FL. Guests attending the luncheon were: George Weikert, '51, Joe Lullo, '51 and his wife, Ginny, and Lee Lahr, '52 and his wife, Nancy.

Stephen M. Winning '68, and his wife, Deborah Smith Winning, now reside at 93 Ambrose, Newport Coast, CA 92657. Telephone # 949-706-9882.

Tom Schuck '72 remains a lawyer with Taft, Stettinius & Hollister in Cincinnati. He is currently serving as chairman of the Scottish Rite Foundation of Cincinnati and as a trustee of the Ohio Foundation of Independent Colleges.

Wallace J. Nichols, '89 has joined the board of directors of Save Our Shores, a non-profit marine conservation organization in Santa Cruz, California.

Rob Harrell '91 's artwork was mentioned in the Indianapolis Star as hanging in the luxury home of the owners of St. Elmo's steakhouse.

Jason Kamler's '97 wealth management team, FORM Financial Group of Wachovia Securities (now Wells Fargo) was ranked in the top 1000 advisers in the US by Barron's and #8 in the state of Wisconsin. The three advisor team operates 2 offices in Elkhorn and Janesville WI and has clients in 32 states including Indiana. He can be reached at Jason.kamler@wellsfargoadvisors.com or by phone at 608-758-8751.

Aaron Ellis '99 recently married Kelli Anthony of Bolingbrook, IL (Illinois State Class of '05). The wedding took place in Plainfield, IN on March 28, 2009. Aaron would like to thank all the Delta Chis who attended the wedding.

Tim Tharp '03 spoke at DePauw in March about his scientific research at the University of Wisconsin.

Steve Robinson '04 will be pursuing a full-time MBA degree at Kellogg School of Management (Northwestern University) in Evanston, Illinois. He is expecting to graduate in May 2011.

## GEOFFREY PICKENS '90 SHARES ON HIS TIME IN DELTA CHI

Thank you for the latest Locust Street Journal...it always stirs my heart. After mulling on it for 20 years, letting those lessons from the Ranch percolate, it finally stirred my pen.

First of all congratulations on the Rush catch! I am really proud. Maybe that sounds strange, how could a guy we don't even know, 7000 miles away be proud of us? Hence the first learning:

1. You are my brothers, for together our spiritual bond holds Delta Chi together and binds us. You give a lot of leeway to someone you hold a spiritual bond with. And living with 70 guys with no adult overseer definitely requires a lot of leeway and mutual respect for differences. I will always remember my classmate Jeff Rawlins forgiving me for breaking his fingers in that 2nd door on the far right of the upstairs long hallway (he was trying headbutt me.) We gave each other leeway...because we are brothers. So as you move forward in life, the first lesson from the Ranch is "give leeway to those you have a spiritual bond with." Like your girlfriend, or your parents, and your work colleagues.

2. Ownership - this means the power to leave a legacy. I suspect for a lot of people the fraternity is their first taste of ownership. We realize that our house is only as strong as we make it - and we have the power to make it what we want...because we own it. We won the Little 500 two years in a row when I was at DePauw: that's because that team (Tim, Phil, Steve, Casey) had such blinding ownership. Most companies and institutions you will join (or create) are just like that; they cry for employees to dem-

onstrate their ownership. You know you can own your destiny - you did with two great rushes (ownership feels good doesn't it!) So the second lesson I offer from the Ranch is "ownership" - because it is usually an opportunity just waiting for you to grab.

3. Gaman: This is a Japanese word that roughly translates as "bonding through endurance." I live in Japan...nobody "gamans" as well as the Japanese do. But I did not learn to gaman in Japan - I learned to gaman at the Ranch. Gaman works this way: you and I have forged a bond because we struggled/suffered together. Whether that common suffering was last weekend's party when the Theta's stood us up. Or maybe it's the pride we swept aside to give it all to win the Spirit week "synchronized swimming competition" dressed up as supermen with tutus (yeah Tony Jost and I did that... I gammaned through that.) It's that time we all got in trouble with the administration. It's that gut wrenching, nail biting last night of Rush as we wait to see if anybody will accept your bid. So the third lesson from the Villa Lante is recognizing the positive outcome of gaman. It's that hand that you put on that shoulder when a milestone is reached.

I was at the house as the Ranch era came to a conclusion...well at least the sign came down. There were a lot of emotions with that change. I joined the Ranch, I graduated from the Villa Lante. A name means nothing though - it is what it stands for; it is what those halls cultivate that stay with you.

In the bond,  
Geoffrey Pickens  
Class of '90

Addictive Stranger has released its first CD entitled "I Slept through Supernovas." Addictive Stranger is the result of a process in which Brother Seth Tsui '11, a trombone performance major, composed, recorded, mixed, engineered and designed



his very own CD. Tsui did all the vocal work on the album and the entire instrumental accompaniment except one drum track

that Brother Chris Granger '11 performed and a cello solo that a DePauw professor performed. After the CD was produced, a band was formed which includes Tsui, Granger and Brother Tony Gourley '12. Addictive Stranger held its first public debut Saturday April 11 in the Theta Gardens on DePauw's campus. The following week, The DePauw featured Addictive Stranger in a lengthy article. People that are interested can listen to tracks on the bands website at [www.addictivestranger.com](http://www.addictivestranger.com) or download a

## JOHN TEDSTROM '84 NEW PRESIDENT OF GLOBAL BUSINESS COALITION ON HIV/AIDS, TUBERCULOSIS AND MALARIA

January 27, 2009, John E. Tedstrom is the new president and chief executive officer of the Global Business Coalition on HIV/AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria (GBC).

"John is determined that 2009 be a year of strong success for GBC despite continuing economic challenges," says Sir Mark Moody-Stuart, chairman of the GBC board of directors. "Since arriving at GBC over two years ago, John has led the organization to new heights and has worked effectively with the board, our members, and our partners. Our relationships with the Global Fund and other important international organizations have grown. Our new programs create high-impact, cost-effective opportunities for business to do good."

Just the first two weeks of Tedstrom's tenure included:

+ At a private ceremony in Washington,

John chatted with President Barack Obama. The Coalition's membership roster and what the Coalition does were the main topics of conversation. President Obama offered his support for GBC.

+ At Davos, John and GBC Senior Vice President Joelle Tanguy co-hosted Bill Gates at an event to rally support for the Malaria Capital Campaign that the Coalition is working on along with partner Malaria No More.

+ In Geneva, John had a private discussion with World Health Organization Secretary-General Margaret Chan to brief her on current initiatives by the Coalition and its members, and a meeting with new UNAIDS executive director, Michel Sidibe, to check in on the Coalition's close relationship with UNAIDS and to map out future opportunities. ■

## ATTIG '58 MAKING EFFORT FOR PEACE

by: Andy Reed '09

Brother John Attig, class of 1958, wants to make sure no one forgets our great American Heroes—but not the ones you're probably thinking of.

Instead of Abraham Lincoln, Betsy Ross, or even Delta Chi's own Alex Vraciu, Attig wants us to remember the United States' 23 Nobel Peace Laureates.

The culmination of his efforts, part of the Nobel Peace Laureates Project, has led to the development of a Peace Park in Eugene, Oregon. Attig recently told the

"Eugene Magazine" he hopes the "'unique in the world' " park will make Americans celebrate our peacemakers with more than "'slap[ing] some plaques on the wall.'" The 2-acre park will include walking paths, an area for meditation, stone pillars in honor of the laureates, and an information kiosk where visitors can learn about the peacemakers.

For more information on the park, and the Nobel Peace Laureates Project, visit the project website at

<http://www.nobelpeacealaureates.org/>

## THANK YOU TO OUR DONORS

The chapter is extremely grateful to the following brothers who donated to support the scholarship efforts of the Fraternity.

C. Bruce Hardy - '40  
Charles E. Racine - '59  
Charles W. McConnell - '61  
Dale E. Espich - '51  
David E. Winton - '56  
David J. Morehead - '53  
David L. Harlor - '78  
David M. Dickens - '87  
David R. Dent - '63  
Donald H. Driemeier - '60  
Edward G. Schussler - '65  
Edward M. Roob - '59  
Gregory D. Taylor, TTEE - '86

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Paul W. Deppert - '47  
Roger K. McAlister - '75  
T. Lyle Harlor - '48  
W. Craig Chamberlin - '48  
William White PhD - '53

## INBRIEFS

Andrew Reed '09 is interning with the Anheuser-Busch Company. Reed is developing video training material for the company's mobile inventory, sales, and delivery systems. In the fall, Reed will be continuing his education at Lindenwood University in St. Charles, MO.

Eamonn Mc Caffrey '09 will be graduating with a BSc Geography Degree from Queens University Belfast. MCCaffrey spent the 2006-2007 school year as an exchange student to DePauw University where he became a brother in the Delta Chi Fraternity.

Ryan Johnson '09 has been accepted to Indiana University. He will be deferring his admission to teach English in China for a year.

Jarrod Johnson '09 will be attending Purdue University in the fall to study clinical psychology, a Ph.D. program.

Adam M. Gilbert '10 was named to the Pi Kappa Lambda Music Honorary society.

Jeremy Eberhard '10 is a second time winner of the DePauw Concerto Competition. Jeremy also received the John and Esther Browning Memorial Prize this year.

Eric Hawley '11 was named to the Southern Collegiate Athletic Conference (SCAC) Spring/Fall 2007 Student-Athlete Honor Roll. Eric runs cross country and track for DePauw. Hawley serves as the chapter philanthropy chair.

Yavor S. Kovachev '11 received a Mathematical Association of America Award. Yavor served the last year as the chapter "D".

Morgan Burke '11 will be interning with Congressman Ken Calvert (R-CA) in D.C. this summer. He will be returning in the fall as chapter "A." Burke also was a recipient of the Gertrude and G. D. Crain Foundation Award for his utilization of the media resources on campus.

Alika Seu '11 has an internship with Sound-ing Joy Music Therapy in Hawaii this summer. Alika will return in the fall as chapter "B."

Jeremy Wong '12 received first-place honors at the National Association of Teachers of Singing (NATS) regional competition on March 7th for first/second year men vocalists.

Anthony Navarrete '12 has an internship with Senator Bill Stouffer (R-MO-21) in Jefferson City, MO this summer. Anthony will return in the fall as chapter "E."

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## CHAPTER WINS SEVERAL HONORABLE MENTIONS AT THE DEPAUW GREEK AWARDS

Chapter of the Year, Honorable Mention +

House Director of the Year - Jeanne and Ralph Anderson,  
Honorable Mention +

Individual Community Service Award - Matt Norton,  
Honorable Mention +

New Member Program, Honorable Mention +

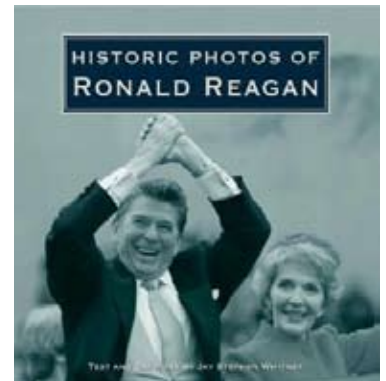
Rising Greek Leader of the Year - Alika Seu, Honorable Mention +

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## ALUMNI REUNION WEEKEND 2009

see pictures at:  
[dxdepauw.org](http://dxdepauw.org)

Brother Jay Whitney'77 has graciously offered to donate the royalties of signed copies of his new book, *Historic Photos of Ronald Reagan*, to the chapter in support of our new building campaign. If you would be interested in purchasing his book, please email [deltachi@dxdepauw.org](mailto:deltachi@dxdepauw.org). The book costs \$39.95 and half the proceeds will go to the chapter.



*Cover of Whitney's Book*

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## NEW MEMBERS

The DePauw chapter welcomes the following new pledges since our last newsletter:

Jeremy Wong '12

Justin Sambueno '11

Robert Protzman '12

Jose Gonzalez '12