

IOTA IOTA CHAPTER QUES NEWS

“Keeping Brothers Connected and Informed Since 2005”

Sixth District Keeper of Records & Seal Bro. E. D. Hall Addresses the Brothers



*Bro. E. D. Hall, Sixth District
Keeper of Records & Seal*

Next Chapter Meeting:

J. D. Lewis Bldg,
Garner Road YMCA
Thursday Sep 14, 2006
6:30pm–7pm: Dinner
7pm–8:30pm: Meeting

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I would like to thank the brothers of the Sixth District for the vote of confidence exhibited when I was elected as the District KRS. I look forward to working with, not only the District and chapter officers, but all brothers of the Sixth District as we strive to keep the “Mighty” in the Sixth.

Accomplishing this task is a joint effort and your assistance and support are needed in order to make that happen. We must continue to work together and it is extremely important that information be reported accurately and timely.

The new mailing address is:

**Sixth District Office
P. O. Drawer A
Saratoga, NC 27873**

All postal deliveries for the DKRS should be mailed to that address. The use of electronic

communication is preferred and strongly encouraged. The address for all email correspondence is

6thDistrictKRS@oppf.org.

The financial year for the district began on September 1st. All chapters are asked to submit all required assessments and member dues as soon as possible after that date.

Form 50– List of Chapter Officers and **Form 6DFMD** – List of ALL chapter members should also be submitted along with member dues and assessments.

Form 6DRF, which should be submitted each time funds are remitted to the District Office, has been revised in MS Excel for easier use.

Chapters should also remember to submit dues to the International HQs, along with the Liability Insurance premium and the UNCF/CEF assessment.

Undergraduate chapters are required to pay the \$200 assessment plus dues of \$15 each for any individual brother whose financial card has expired.

New membership cards will be issued by the International HQs at the beginning of the 2006–07 fraternity year and a photo in a coat and tie is required for the card. Brothers who do not have a photo on file at IHQ should submit a passport photo with their name and control number at the time dues are submitted.

Quarterly Reports are to be submitted to the District Representative at least two weeks prior to each District Council Meeting.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation and please let me know if there is anything I can do to assist you.

Bro. E.D. Hall, 6th DKRS

Sixth District Annual Summit Meeting—Planning for Success in 2006-2007

On Saturday August 12, 2006, the Sixth District Summit Meeting was held at the Pi Phi Chapter fraternity complex in Charlotte, NC. The Sixth District executive board along with committee chairs were present to discuss the goals and objectives of the 2006–2007 fiscal year.

District Representative Bro. Charles Worth acknowledged several successes and the recognition that brothers from the Mighty Sixth District enjoyed while at the 74th Grand Conclave in Little Rock, AR.

Among the many discussions, particular em-

phasis was placed on the need to reach out to our undergraduate brothers.

With the sizeable number of undergraduate chapters in the Sixth District, we must do all that we can to ensure their survivability and participation on the district level.

There was some discussion around the possibility of bringing the stepshow competition back to the Sixth District.

We need to hear from the undergraduates and their thoughts about what they wish to see on the district level that will improve their

participation.

Also, the location of the council meetings and annual meeting are as follows:

1st Council Mtg:

Durham, NC 9/15-17;

2nd: Council Mtg:

Columbia, SC 12/1- 3;

3rd Council Mtg:

Greenville, NC TBD

6th District Annual Mtg:

Greensboro, NC

Koury Convention Ctr.

4/26/07–4/29/07

Brothers are encouraged to get involved with the different committees of the district.

- *M. A. Boykin*



(l to r– Bro. E. D. Hall, KRS; Bro. Worth, D.R.; & Bro. Miro 1st V.D.R.)



Administrative Notes from the Iota Iota Chapter Keeper of Records & Seal



Bro. Glenn Thomas, KRS

As the 2005–2006 fiscal year comes to a close, I would like to thank brothers for their timely responses and cooperation.

I would like to ask all brothers to pay your dues as soon as possible. In order to avoid the district and international late fees, your dues must be **received** at the respective office no

later than 12/31.

Your current financial card will expire 10/31/06 and if you do not have an acceptable photo on file, your new card will be delayed.

Brothers should submit a photo (headshot) wearing a coat and tie.

If you have a new address, phone number or

email, please provide that updated information.

Also, if you prefer to receive correspondence via email rather than US mail, please let me know by sending your request and full name to glenn.thomas@pfizer.com.

- Bro. Glenn Thomas, KRS

Iota Iota Chapter Raffle Drawing Scheduled for October 19, 2006

If you haven't hit the Powerball by playing the North Carolina Education Lottery yet, don't worry, you still have time to get lucky with another drawing!

The 2006 Fall Iota Iota Chapter Community Service Fund-raiser is YOUR chance to win big prizes with a very small donation, tickets are \$2 each.

The raffle will consist of three

prizes: **1st place**— a brand new 27" inch color television; **2nd place**—a \$250 gas card; and **3rd place**—\$150 cash! Net proceeds will benefit the Iota Iota Chapter community service projects such as the "Adopt Special Families for Christmas and Thanksgiving," Assault on Illiteracy Program, the Boys and Girls Club and a host of other programs designed to uplift the condition of our community.

Additional tickets may be purchased from the Ways and Means Chair, Bro. Gary Bussey, by contacting him at 919-423-6230 or by email at gwbusssey@aol.com.

The drawing will be held at the Oct. 19th chapter meeting. Ticket purchasers do not have to be present to win. The winning ticket holders will be contacted immediately after the drawing.

"Answering the Call" - Bro. Derrick Hicks Conducts Initial Sermon

Friends, family, brothers and co-workers were on hand Sunday August 13, 2006 to support and witness one of our very own brothers answer God's call to the ministry.

Bro. Derrick Hicks (4-

11-2006) preached his initial sermon at Eagle Rock Christian Church, Wendell, NC.

Bro. Hicks is a member of the Raleigh Police Department and former collegiate basketball player.

Brother Hicks' wife, son, and daughter received special acknowledgement from the church leadership and fellow ministers.

Congratulations to Bro. Minister Derrick Hicks!



Bro. Minister Derrick Hicks

2007 Entertainment Coupon Books Now Available

With rising cost on almost everything we do, from renting videos, eating out for breakfast, lunch or dinner, to going to the movies, isn't it about time YOU save a few dollars every chance you get? Well, here's your opportunity to get something back for the dollars you spend. The 2007 Entertainment coupon books

are available **now** for – Raleigh/Durham, Greensboro, Charlotte and Fayetteville, NC. The regular retail price is \$32, but the price has been reduced to \$25 as a special incentive. In addition to being able to save significantly, the net proceeds will go toward the creation of an endowed scholarship. Coupon books for differ-

ent states are available as well. These books make great gifts for family, friends and co-workers!

Contact Michael Boykin at mboykin@iotaiota.com or 919-607-4998 to place your order of one or several, no order is too small or too large. Visit www.entertainment.com for more information.



Iota Iota Chapter Fact:

From 1942 –45, expansion of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. was deeply affected by World War II.

Due to the support of brothers from the Beta Phi Chapter in Durham, NC, the groundwork for Iota Iota was started partly due to travel constraints and the growing number of brothers in the Raleigh area.

Under the leadership of Grand Basileus Z. Alexander Looby, the Iota Iota Chapter was one of only two chapters chartered in 1944.

—39th & 41st

Amenities

Please keep the following brothers and their families in your thoughts and prayers due to the loss of a loved one or illness:

- Bro. Ray Chance's daughter passed away.
- Bro. Winfred Tillery's mother-in-law passed away.
- Bro. Larry Keith-(illness)
- Bro. LeMonte Mitchell-(illness of daughter)
- Bro. J. D. Lewis-(illness)
- Bro. George Ford-(hospitalized)



Announcements

Ω -Congratulations to the following brothers on receiving their fraternity service award:

- Bro. Harold Webb– 60 yrs
- Bro. Lionell Randolph—40 yrs
- Bro. Butch Williams—40 yrs

Ω -Congratulations to Bro. Leslie “Turk” Wright on induction into the NC A&T SU Athletic Hall of Fame.

Ω -Congratulations to Bro. Vic Bruinton on his election as National President of the Winston-Salem State University Alumni Association.

“Around the Omega Community– Iota Iota, Beta Phi & Zeta Alpha Chapters”

Saturday August 19, 2006 proved to be a busy day for Omega men in Raleigh, Durham and Henderson, NC!

Iota Iota Chapter started the day at 9am with the chapter's annual August retreat. The brothers came together to map out the 2006-2007 fraternity year.



In Durham, Beta Phi celebrated their annual family day picnic at 1pm. Bro. Scott Watson, who has relocated to New York, received a token of appreciation for his dedication and service to the Beta Phi Chapter.

At 4pm, Zeta Alpha held its annual picnic and the brothers gathered for a group photo. Bro. D. R. Worth worked hard to keep the brothers enjoying the good food at the picnic!

“How good and how pleasant it is for brothers to dwell in unity . . !”



Bro. Scott Watson receives plaque from Bro. Bas. Allen Little.



D. R. Charles Worth serving the brothers!