



# Psidelights



Penn State Skull House

Est. 1890

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February 2016

## —IN MEMORIAM—

Since the last *Psidelights*, we have learned of the following deaths:

- Hjalmar Breit '35**
- Henry Keller '43**
- Eugene Graebner '48**
- James Leslie '55**
- James Bissett '57**
- Richard Schweiker '50**

Psi Chapter mourns the loss of our Brothers and extends our sympathy to their family and friends.

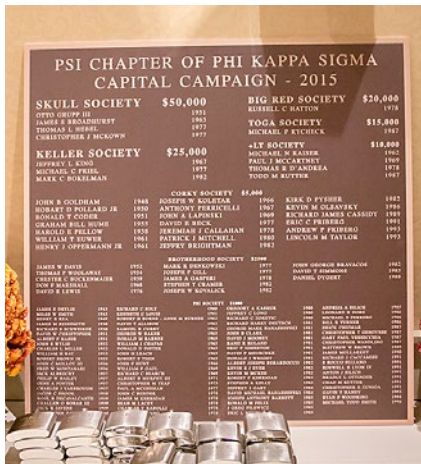
## ATTENTION: AUCTION WINNERS!

If you won an item at the reunion and haven't paid yet, please mail a check made payable to Phi Kappa Sigma, with a note that it is for an auction item, and send to:

Affinity Connection  
 PO Box 296  
 State College, Pa. 16804

## —CAPITAL CAMPAIGN—

If you've contributed to Psi Chapters capital campaign, thank you! A list of contributors who donated over \$1000 is on Page 5. We'll be recognizing donors with the plaque below!



## —ON THE WEB—

### Happy 2016 from Psi Chapter!

Wishing all Skull Brothers and their Families a Healthy and Prosperous year ahead!!



November 2015

## 125<sup>th</sup> Reunion Photos

Check out the photos from our 125<sup>th</sup> Reunion and our beautiful House at:

[www.store.amesphotos.com/phi-kappa-sigma-125](http://www.store.amesphotos.com/phi-kappa-sigma-125)

where you can download photos or purchase them directly from the site.

SkullHouse is the password.





*Anniversary*



# Thanks Are In Order for 133 Phi Kaps Who Have Contributed

By Otto Grupp '51

A HUGE THANK YOU to the 133 Psi Chapter Alumni who contributed to the CAPITAL FUND CAMPAIGN that we started in 2008. The following list includes Brothers who contributed \$1,000 or more. These names will be on a Large Plaque that is being prepared and will be permanently displayed in the House foyer.

**Make sure your name is correctly spelled and your contribution is in the correct amount.**

**If you want to make any changes to how your name is displayed, or want to increase your giving level, please e-mail Otto Grupp at [ohgeeeiii@aol.com](mailto:ohgeeeiii@aol.com) or Michael Rycheck at [mrycheck@aol.com](mailto:mrycheck@aol.com).**

All Brothers who have donated will also be recognized in an upcoming Psidelights.

Per the campaign, our 2008 Campaign Goal was \$ 750,000. Our total pledges to date have only reached \$551,000. We

anticipated 35 percent of our Brothers would contribute. We researched the Capital Fund Campaigns of other PSU Fraternities and that was the average percentage they achieved. We are still short of that percentage.

If your name isn't on the following list, PLEASE immediately consider making a contribution at this time. If you were in the House for one, two or three years it's time to give back to the House where you lived, dined, partied and made lasting memories. Please notify Michael or me of your pledge and send your check to Affinity Connection made out to PKS Capital Fund Campaign. Others who contributed may want to increase their giving to the next level.

Remember our Stately Tudor House was built in 1927 and was rented to another Fraternity from 2000 to 2007. The following is a partial list of the major

improvements completed in the past five years:

**First Floor:** New Pella windows, drapes and rugs; Club room furniture; Dining room tables and chairs; New and repaired flooring; new paint; new lighting; kitchen equipment; 100 gallon commercial hot water heater; fireplaces restored; parking lot paved; major outside landscaping.

**Second and Third Floors:** Floors repaired or replaced; new bathroom fixtures and tile restored; 32 sleeping room repairs and painted; hallways repaired and painted.

Again, if you would like to make a new pledge to the Capital Campaign, or increase your current pledge – please contact Otto Grupp at [ohgeeeiii@aol.com](mailto:ohgeeeiii@aol.com) or Michael Rycheck at [mrycheck@aol.com](mailto:mrycheck@aol.com) or 718 625 6436.

**Skull Society \$50,000**

Otto Grupp III 1951  
James S Broadhurst 1965  
Thomas L Hebel 1977  
Christopher J McKown 1977

**Keller Society \$25,000**

Jeffrey L King 1967  
Michael C Friel 1977  
Mark C Bokelman 1982

**Big Red Society \$20,000**

Russell C Hatton 1978

**Toga Society \$15,000**

Michael P Rycheck 1987

**+LT Society \$10,000**

Michael N Raiser 1962  
Paul J McCartney 1969  
Thomas R D'Andrea 1978  
Todd M Rutter 1987

**Corky Society \$5,000**

John B Goldham 1948  
Hobart D Pollard Jr 1950  
Ronald T Coder 1951  
Graham Bill Hume 1955  
Harold E Pellow 1958  
William T Euwer 1961  
Henry J Oppermann Jr 1961  
Joseph W Koletar 1966  
Anthony Perricelli 1967  
John A Lapinski 1969  
David E Beck 1977  
Jeremiah J Callahan 1978  
Patrick J Mitchell 1980  
Jeffry Brightman 1982  
Kirk D Pysher 1982

**Brotherhood Society \$2500**

Kevin M Olsavsky 1986  
Richard James Cassidy 1989  
Eric C Friberg 1991  
Andrew P Friberg 1993  
Lincoln M Taylor 1993  
James W Davis 1952  
Thomas P Woolaway 1954  
Nicholas S Molly 1959  
Chester C Buckenmaier 1959  
Don F Marshall 1968  
David R Lewis 1976  
Mark R Denkowski 1977  
Joseph F Gill 1977  
James A Gasperi 1978  
Stephen T Cramer 1982  
Joseph W Kovalick 1982  
John George Bravacos 1982  
David T Simmons 1983  
Daniel Dygert 1988

**Psi Society \$1000**

James E Drylie 1943  
Miles W Smith 1943  
Henry E Rea 1949  
James M Reinsmith 1950  
Richard S Schweiker 1950  
David W Christopher 1951  
Albert F Haser 1951  
John S Wylie 1952  
Charles L Miller 1953  
William H Ray 1953  
Robert Brown Jr 1955  
John C Molloy III 1956  
Fred W Montanari 1956  
Jack Albrecht 1957  
Philip W Bailey 1957

Gene A Foster 1957  
Charles J Yarbrough 1957  
Jacob C Shook 1958  
Noel B DeCavalcante 1959  
Challen O Bonar III 1959  
Jack R Javens 1959  
Alan John Davidson 1960  
Richard C Solt 1960  
Kenneth C Louis 1961  
Robert H Burns - Anne M Burnes 1962  
David T Allison 1962  
Samuel B Curry 1962  
George W Baker 1965  
Donald M Barnes 1965  
William J Chapas 1965  
Donald D Dieter 1965  
John H Leach 1965  
Robert F Then 1965  
John F Hunt 1966  
William F Gaul 1969  
Richard C Search 1969  
Albert B Murphy III 1971  
Christopher M Teaf 1975  
Paul A McGeehan 1977  
John C Bender 1978  
James M Kerrigan 1978  
Sean M Lacey 1978  
Charles V Rabolli 1978  
Michael A Lang 1978  
Gregory A Kashur 1980  
Jeffrey C Long 1980  
Richard C Zoretic 1980  
Richard Harry Deutsch 1981  
George Mark Banashefski 1981  
John B Clark 1981  
David J Mooney 1981  
Rand R Ruland 1981  
Eric P Johnston 1981  
David P Meuschke 1981  
Donald J Wright 1981  
Albert Joseph Berardocco 1982  
Kevin S J Eyer 1982  
Kevin M McKee 1982  
Robert P Kerrigan 1983  
Stephen A Kelly 1983  
Jeffrey J Gary 1984  
David Michael Banashefski 1984  
Joseph Anthony Barrett 1985  
Ronald M Felix 1985  
J Greg Pilewicz 1985  
Eric L Meuschke 1985  
Andrija A Silich 1985  
Leonard N Dore 1986  
Michael S Ferrero 1986  
Bill R Turner 1986  
Erick Chizmar 1987  
Christopher T Genovese 1987  
Gary Paul Vessecchia 1987  
Christopher Wandling 1987  
Matthew W Brown 1989  
James Mullarkey 1990  
Richard J Caccamise 1991  
S Rocco Fizzano 1991  
Roswell H Lyon IV 1991  
Anton J Silich 1991  
Bradly L Ottinger 1991  
Chad M Rutter 1991  
Christopher E Zuniga 1991  
Gavin T Haney 1993  
Ryan P Woodring 1994  
Michael Todd Smith 1996