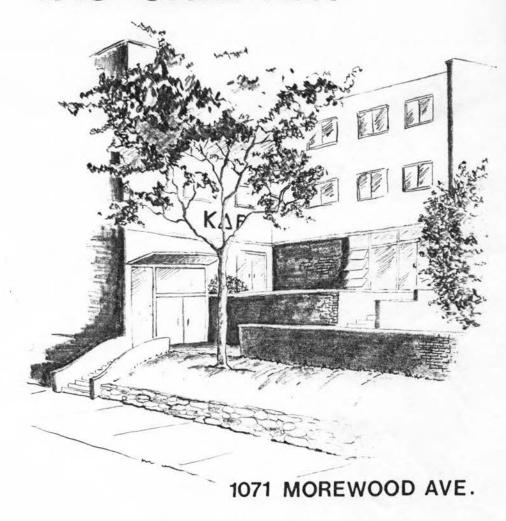
THE HOME OF THE FUTURE RE-CHARTERED

# TAU CHAPTER



Petition
for the
Re-installation
of
Tau Chapter
of **Kappa Delta Rho**at
Carnegie Mellon University

We, the undersigned members of the Carnegie Mellon University Provisional Chapter of Kappa Delta Kho, established in 1983, do hereby most respectfully and very earnestly petition the Kappa Delta Kho Fraternity for a charter, under which we may re-establish at Carnegie Mellon University the Tau chapter of Kappa Delta Kho.

We believe that the organization of the Carnegie Mellon Provisional Chapter will be able to uphold faithfully, fully, and properly the traditions and ideals of Kappa Delta Rho as they have been expressed to us. To this end, if our petition be granted, we do solemnly pledge ourselves and our organization......

John M. Frost

Daniel P. Dunkach

David J. Kurkpatrick Brian LA Hogy

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# A Short History of Carnegie Mellon University:

In 1900, steel industrialist Andrew Carnegie announced his desire to establish a school of technology in Pittsburgh. The Carnegie Technical School quickly evolved into an engineering college, and in 1911 the College of Fine Arts was established. As its reputation grew, Carnegie "Tech" added programs to meet the needs of professionally educated people in other fields. New programs were chosen in areas where the potential existed to achieve excellence, thus establishing the Carnegie tradition of high quality which continues today.

Several years later, Andrew W. Mellon and R.B. Mellon endowed a sister institution, the Mellon Institute of Industrial Research. The Mellon Institute became responsible for initiating several of our nation's major corporate research and development divisions.

Carnegie Institute of Technology and Mellon Institute merged in 1967 to form Carnegie Mellon University. Built upon the strong educational ideals of its founders, the university has grown into an institution of academic prominence.

# History of the Provisional Chapter:

The history of Kappa Delta Rho began in the late 1920's. We started as a local fraternity, Delta Mu, and then, after a few years as independents, became associated with the national fraternity, Kappa Delta Rho. On May 16, 1930, Arthur Ottman installed the Tau Chapter at Carnegie Institute of Technology. We quickly rose to prominence on campus, winning the first, unofficial, Buggy Sweepstakes held at Carnegie. However, in 1939, due to insurance reasons, the Tau chapter was forced to temporarily vacate its housing on campus. World War II prevented the chapter from re-establishing itself.

In 1982, a group of architects, headed by William Aigner, was approached by Kappa Delta Rho concerning the reactivation of Tau chapter at Carnegie – Mellon University. The group expanded slowly, and in the spring of 1983, approached Student Senate. Student Senate tabled their proposal for recognition due to lack of housing. The group diminished in the next two years due to graduation among its members. Then, in February of 1985, the group held its most successful rush to date, raising the total number of members to 35. We participated in numerous events at this time, including the WQED telethon and the CMU Alumni drive, for which we were honored for our contributions. We also held a joint party with Theta Xi, the proceeds of which were donated to MS. We were narrowly defeated in the finals of intramural basketball, soccer, and softball, receiving second place in all three sports.

During this time, 1071 Morewood became available. Kappa Delta Rho was one of three groups that applied for the house. The issue was not resolved until the spring of 1986, during which time we pledged ten more members. On March 7, 1986, Kappa Delta Rho was awarded residency in 1071 Morewood, and on June 7 we moved in. The summer was spent renovating the house, preparing for the 1986–1987 academic year.

# Founders:

William Aigner
Theodore Anderer
Arnold Buza
Michael Hoff
Vince Lynn
Thomas Thompson
William Yankovich

# Current Officers of CMU Provisional Chapter:

Consul:

Daniel Payord

Senior Tribune:

John Frost

Junior Tribune:

Daniel Dunbrack

Praetor:

David Kirkpatrick

Quaestor:

Brian Hogue

Centurion:

Stuart Vernon

Pontifex:

Marc Phillips

# Members of Kappa Delta Rho:

Ron Comstock 1987 Electrical Engineering

Hometown: Schenectady, New York

Ty Corbett 1987 Computer Science

Hometown: Chicora, Pennsylvania

Nick Davignon 1987. Chemical Engineering

Hometown: Berkeley Heights, New Jersey

Dan Dunbrack 1987. Electrical Engineering

Hometown: North Wales, Pennsylvania

John Frost 1988. Mechanical Engineering

Hometown: Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania Jon Goldick 1988. Physics

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Hometown: Manchester, Connecticut

lan Gourlay 1988. Industrial Management

Hometown: Houston, Texas

David Hetzler 1989 Electrical & Computer Engineering

Hometown: Livonia, New York

Brian Hogue 1987 Industrial Management

Hometown: Portersville, Pennsylvania

David Kirkpatrick 1987 Molecular Biology/Genetics

Hometown: Willow Grove, Pennsylvania

Steve Lee 1989 Mechanical Engineering

Hometown: Miami, Florida

Craig Lessler 1989 Industrial Management

Hometown: East Brunswick, New Jersey
Darin Mar 1987 Civil Engineering

Hometown: Honolulu, Hawaii

Kimon Michaels 1987 Electrical Engineering

Hometown: Vandergrift, Pennsylvania

Andrew Mill 1989 Metallurgical Engineering/MaterialScience

Hometown: Belmont, Massachusetts

Ken Nash 1988 Computer Science

Hometown: Allentown, Pennsylvania

Anton Ogno 1989 Chemical Engineering

Hometown: New Milford, Connecticut

Andy Park 1989 Physics

Hometown: La Verne, California

Dan Pavord 1987 Physics Hometown: Owensboro, Kentucky

Marc Phillips 1988 Mechanical Engineering

Hometown: Newtown, Connecticut

Tim Roberts 1988 Metallurgical Engineering/Material Science

Hometown: Indiana, Pennsylvania

Bryan Roessler 1988 Chemical Engineering

Hometown: Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Harvey Shaw 1988 Electrical Engineering

Hometown: Landenberg, Pennsylvania

Alex Smith 1987 Mechanical Engineering

Hometown: Roanoke, Virginia

Scott Spriggs 1987 Mechanical Engineering

Hometown: Johnstown, Pennsylvania

Andy Tepper 1989 Computer Science

Hometown: Rutland, Vermont

Stuart Vernon 1988 Computer Science Hometown: Bainbridge Island, Washington

#### Activities of the Members:

Ronald Comstock: Class Club, Rugby, Intramurals

Ty Corbett: Rugby, Intramurals

Nick Davignon: Kiltie Band, Student Dorm Council
Daniel Dunbrack: Rugby, Lambda Sigma, Intramurals
John Frost: Intramurals, Basketball, Football

John Goldick: Intramurals, Volleyball, Caber Club

Ian Gourlay: AIESEC, Intramurals

David Hetzler: Intramurals

Brian Hogue: Student Dorm Council, Inter-Christian

Varsity Fellowship

David Kirkpatrick: Yearbook, Beta Beta, Intramurals

Stephen Lee: Intramurals
Craig Lessler: Intramurals
Darin Mar: Intramurals

Kimon Michaels: Intramurals

Andrew Mill: Chess, Intramurals
Ken Nash: Intramural Football

Anton Ogno: Intramurals

Andrew Park: Student Dorm Council

Daniel Pavord: Lambda Sigma, Intramurals

Marc Phillips: Resident Assistant, Jazz Ensemble

Tim Roberts: Intramurals

Bryan Roessler: Varsity Football, Intramurals Harvey Shaw: Alpha Phi Omega, Intramurals

Alex Smith: Lambda Sigma, ASME Scott Spriggs: Phi Mu Alpha, Tau Beta Pi

Andrew Tepper: Intramurals

Stuart Vernon: Phi Mu Alpha, Jazz Band

# The Greek System at Carnegie Mellon University:

Name:	Founded in:	Membership:
Alpha Tau Omega	1923	40
Beta Theta Pi	1920	37
Delta Tau Delta	1923	45
Delta Upsilon	1917	54
Kappa Sigma	1921	45
Phi Kappa Theta	1925	40
Pi Kappa Alpha	1921	40
Pi Lambda Phi	1922	40
Sigma Alpha Epsilon	1919	65
Sigma Nu	1916	40
Theta Xi	1912	56
Chi Omega	1944	25
Delta Delta Delta	1944	45
Delta Gamma	1944	35
Kappa Alpha Theta	1944	45
Kappa Kappa Gamma	1944	30

# Pledge Program Format:

#### Week 1

- Introduction of Junior Tribune and assistants (year, major, hometown, interests, etc. )
- Introduction of Pledges (same information)
- Get Class Schedules, Box Numbers, Room Numbers, and Phone Numbers of all Pledges for files
- Discuss Big Brother program what it is and how it is run. Pledges are to begin thinking of three brothers who they would like as a Big Brother
- Discuss Pledge officers and begin thinking about possible candidates
- Distribute the Pathfinder and assign pages 1-13 to be read by next meeting
- Discuss Campus Involvement and necessity therein
- Discuss House Food Plan and waitering assignments
- Question and answer session

#### Week 2

- Introduction of all Brothers to pledges (similar format to first week)
- Collect Big Brother lists from the pledges
- Take nominations for pledge officers
- Begin discussion of possible pledge project and party
- Discuss pages 1-13. Field questions.
- Assign Greek History(in general) and Greek Alphabet (pages 14-18) for Week 3. Quiz to be held during Week 3.
- Assign the task of filling a Brothers Book a small, pocketsize notebook with all Brothers' names, years, majors, and offices held. Due during Week 5
- Pledge Class will meet with Greek Advisor

- sometime within next two weeks, for the purpose of getting to know the administration. Specifics will be arranged by Junior Tribune and assistants.
- House Manager in attendance to discuss House Work Sessions. Sessions are always to be run with a pledge and brother paired as a team. Sessions begin this week.
- Consul is in attendance and discusses his duties and responsibilities

#### Week 3

- Assign, for week 4, the K∆P National History (pages 19-28), quiz during week 4.
- Discuss Greek History and field questions.
- Give Quiz 1
- Give assignments of Big Brothers
- Elect Pledge Officers
- Discuss and possibly decide upon pledge project
- Discuss pledge party
- Check on Brothers Book progress
- Inform pledges that they are to attend this week's Chapter meeting
- Senior Tribune is in attendance to discuss his duties and responsibilities

#### Week 4

- Assign KAP Heraldry and structure to be known for week 5 with a quiz on the material.(pgs 29-32)
- Discuss KΔP National History and field questions.
- Give Quiz 2
- Announce Big Brother/Little Brother event night –
   BB/LB are a team in a series of games such as pool, darts, ping pong, and cards
- Continue progress discussion of pledge project, party
- Discuss and review Chapter meeting

- Remind pledges that this is last week for Brothers books
- Junior Tribune discusses his duties and responsibilities

#### Week 5

- Teach Tau chapter history. 1930 to Present. Quiz in week 6.
- Discuss K∆P National History and field questions
- Give Quiz 3
- Collect pledges' Brothers books
- Discuss progress of pledge project and party
- Finalize Big Brother/Little Brother Event night
- Set Date for National Exam to be during week 7
- Discuss fees for initiation
- Treasurer is in attendance and discusses his duties and responsibilities

#### Week 6

- Discuss and review K∆P Gentleman
- Give Quiz 4 Local House History
- Discuss Big Brother/Little Brother event and award prizes
- Evaluate pledge project and party
- Finalize National Exams
- Collect Initiation Fees
- Final Speakers are present and discuss their duties and responsibilities. These speakers are:

Praetor

Propraetor

Pontifex

Centurion

#### Week 7

- National Exam
- Final Bull session to review, evaluate, and criticize the current pledge program in order to improve the program

#### Social Calendar:

MIXERS DATE

Pledge Night Friday, September 26

Post-Rush Mixer Saturday, September 27

Homecoming/Installation Friday, October 17

Saturday, October 18

Halloween Bash Friday, October 31

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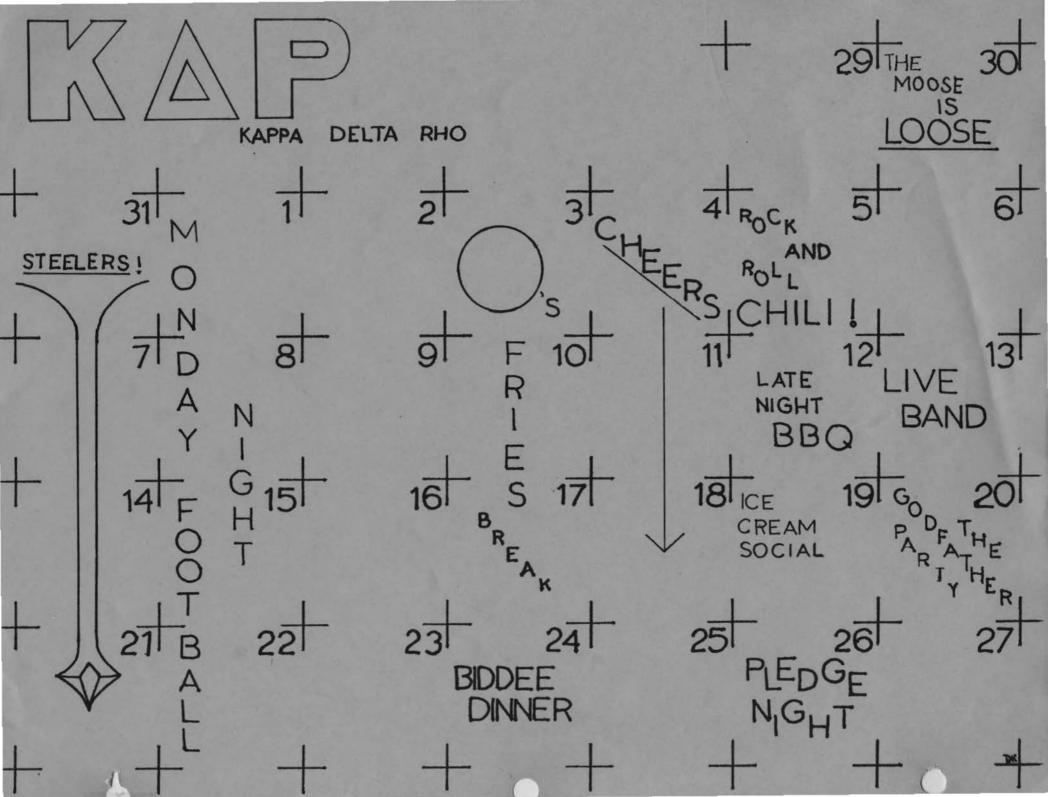
ΣK (Westminster College)

Fraternities - KAP (Carnegie Mellon)

KΔP (Robert Morris College)

Mixer Friday, November 14

Christmas Mixer Friday, December 5



#### Short Term Goals:

- 1) Increase chapter membership above fifty members
- 2) Receive charter
- Win championship in intramural soccer, basketball and softball
- 4) Enter a buggy in the 1987 Sweepstakes
- 5) Win a trophy in the upcoming annual Greek Sing
- Become more active in CMU administrative decision-making processes

## Long Term Goals:

- 1) Maintain a stable Alumni Corporation
- 2) Become financially sound
- 3) Establish strong chapter traditions
- 4) Ensure the upkeep of the chapter house
- Become active in policy decisions concerning Greek life and its future on campus

# By-Laws of the Carnegie Mellon University Provisional Chapter of Rappa Delta Rho:

#### Article I: Name

The Name of this Fraternity will be Carnegie Mellon Provisional Chapter of Kappa Delta Rho.

# Article II: Purposes

The primary purpose of the Fraternity shall be the promotion of good fellowship among its members and the advancement of truth, justice and the American Way.

The Fraternity shall provide a source of identity, and if responsibly led, a source of dignity for every member. The Fraternity will be a significant force in preparing its members for the challenges of the complex life they must face. The Fraternity clearly recognizes the need for scholastic achievement, intellectual honesty, community service, and personal and group fiscal responsibility.

Carnegie Mellon University Provisional Chapter accepts the responsibility of contributing to the general education of its members.

#### Article III: Membership

Section 1: The membership of this Fraternity shall consist of honorary members, alumni, actives, and pledges.

Section 2: Honorary members shall consist of outstanding faculty members or other men of good repute elected by the

active chapter, and approved by the National.

Section 3: Alumni shall consist of those actives of the Fraternity who shall have completed their work at Carnegie Mellon University or those who, due to personal reasons, terminated their career prior to graduation.

Section 4: Actives shall consist of undergraduates, fully initiated upon completion of all requirements set by the Fraternity and University.

Section 5: Pledges shall consist of members awaiting completion of the requirements for initiation.

#### Article IV: Officers

Section 1: Consul

-presiding officer of the Chapter

-presides at all meetings

-enforces the laws

-serves in the capacity of general administrator

 -makes all appointments to all committees with the approval of the Executive Council

Section 2: Senior Tribune

-Rush Chairman

-substitutes for Consul in case of his absence or incapacity

-will replace Consul if Consul is unable to complete his term in office

Section 3: Junior Tribune

- -full responsibility for all pledges and their training
- -serves as Senior Tribune in his absence or incapacity

#### Section 4: Praetor

- -recording secretary
- -conducts all correspondence with National
- -records the minutes of the meetings
- -maintains all initiation forms and the Bylaws

#### Section 5: Quaestor

- -treasurer
- -collects all fees and pays all bills
- keeps accurate records of all money received and disbursed
- -prepares an annual budget for approval by Executive Council

#### Section 6: Centurion

- -doorkeeper of all meetings
- -maintains all ritual equipment

#### Section 7: Pontifex

- -chaplain of the Fraternity
- -has charge of all devotional exercises
- -responsible for the Invocation before Formal Meetings

#### Section 8: House Manager

-responsible for care, upkeep, and cleanliness of the Chapter House

# Section 9: Inter-Fraternity Council Representative -official representative of the Chapter at all Inter-Fraternity Council meetings

#### Section 10: Corresponding Secretary

- -maintains relations with alumni
- -maintains chapter newsletter
- -in charge of communications with outside agencies

#### Section 11: Executive Committee

- consists of Consul, Junior and Senior Tribune, Praetor, and Quaestor
- -prepares meeting agendas
- -deals with any special problems as they arise
- -assists Consul in appointments of committees and their chairmen
- -appoints other committees as necessary

#### Article V: Elections

Elections will be made at the beginning of the Spring semester. Nominations will be made during the Fraternity meeting prior to the elections, and all nominations will remain open until the elections. All members nominated must be in good financial standing with the Fraternity, as determined by the Quaestor. Upon completion of elections, the Consul and Executive Committee will meet to make appointments.

#### Article VI: Membership Requirements

Section 1: Pledges - To become a pledge, each upperclassman must have a 2.0 grade point average. Freshman requirements will follow those set by the IFC. All rushees must be approved by a vote of the actives. One more than half of the actives present at the meeting must approve, and not more than two

negative votes. If the rushee receives three or more negative votes, his name may be considered one more time, whereupon, if he still does not receive less than three negative votes, he may not be considered again.

Section 2: Actives – To become initiated as a full member of the Fraternity, each pledge must complete all requirements set by the National Fraternity, the Chapter, and the IFC; have completed all financial requirements, and received no more than two negative votes from the active membership prior to intiation.

#### Article VII: Finances

Section 1: All financial requirements set by the Fraternity upon its membership shall be purposed by the Executive Committee and approved by vote of the active membership

Section 2: The treasurer will prepare a budget of income and expenses which must be approved by vote of the active membership

## Article VIII: Meetings

Section 1: Regular meetings of the active Fraternity shall be held every Sunday beginning at 8:00 PM. Special meetings may be called at any time by the Consul subject to the approval of the Executive Committee

Section 2: If the Monday following a meeting is to be a school holiday such that there will be no classes, the meeting will be held on Monday night instead, at the regular time

Section 3: At all regular meetings a quorum will be required to

#### conduct any business

Section 3: Permission may be obtained from the Consul to be absent if adequate excuse is given

Section 4: Any member being absent from a meeting without permission shall be fined \$5.00

Section 5: The praetor will call roll upon the opening of the meeting by the Consul

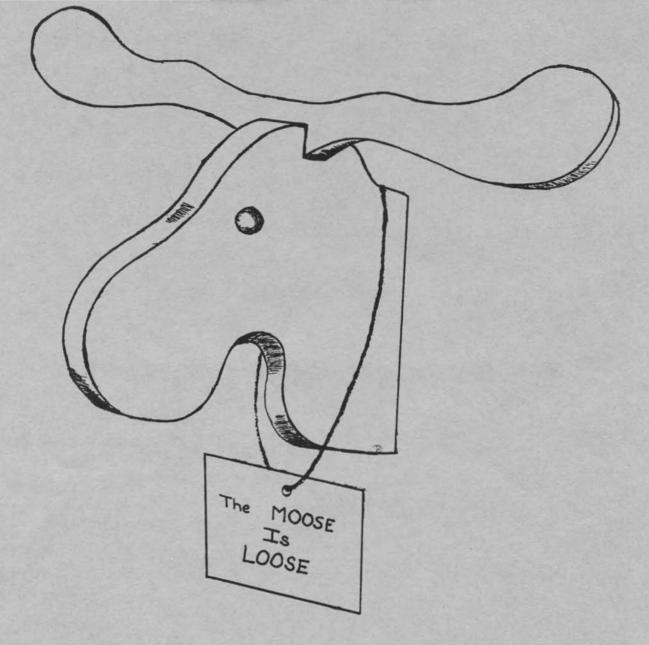
Section 6: If three meetings are missed in one semester without valid excuse, the matter may be brought before the Executive Committee for a ruling

## Article IX: Rushing

Because of the importance of all rushing functions, all members are required to attend. This includes both actives and pledges. Those not present will be fined \$5.00

### Article X: Amendments

The bylaws may be amended by a two-thirds majority of the active membership, during Chapter meetings



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Saturday, August 30 From Nine O'Clock Until We Drop







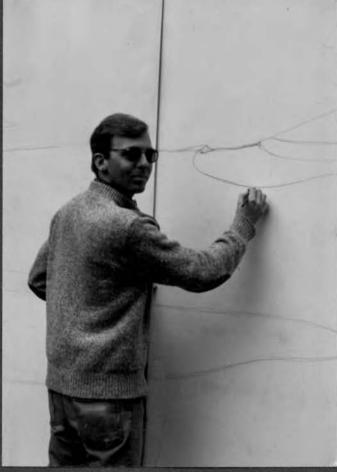


















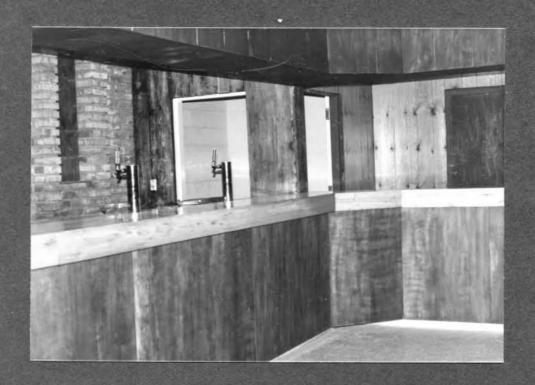












Note:

The following is a copy of the document presented to the committee that was to determine who would receive the vacant fraternity house last year. This was perhaps our most important meeting with administration, and this document played a crucial role in the decision to award the house to Kappa Delta Rho.

# **K**△**P**PROPOSAL FOR 1986 - 1987

# Compiled and Edited by:

Ty Corbett Daniel Dunbrack David Kirkpatrick Scott Spriggs

February 28, 1986

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### Introduction

The purpose of this booklet is to provide an in-depth view of our long range plans. The establishment of a set of long range goals and of a set of plans to achieve them is an important factor in the stability of an organization. With the information enclosed, we hope to show that our group is fully aware of the aspects of the operation of a fraternal organization and the maintenance of a fraternity house.

The catalysts for the successful realization of these goals and plans are the establishment of a well-run executive council, officers, and committees. With this in mind, the format of this booklet will be that of reports from all of our elected officers (both the present officers and officers-elect for 86-87) outlining what they have accomplished this year, their goals for the next year and their plans to achieve them. Committee reports will appear within the President's report since it is his duty, with the help of the executive council, to establish and appoint the chairmen of these committees.

# Executive Council, Past & Present

Position	1985 -1986	1986 -1987
President	Daniel Pavord	Daniel Pavord
First Vice-President	John Frost	John Frost
Second Vice-President	Daniel Dunbrack	Daniel Dunbrack
Treasurer	Ronald Comstock	Brian Hogue
Recording Secretary	Alex Smith	David Kirkpatrick
Corresponding Sec.	Kevin Murtha	Ronald Comstock
IFC Representative	Bryan Roessler	Bryan Roessler
House Manager		Scott Spriggs
Steward		Alex Smith

# **Current Members of Kappa Delta Rho**

- Aigner, William. Senior Design Major Activities: Intramurals
- Anderer, Theodore. Senior Industrial Management Major Activities: Student Dorm Council, Resident Assistant, Varsity Soccer.
- Buza, Arnold. Senior Electrical & Computer Engineering Activities: Resident Assistant, Intramurals
- Comstock, Ronald. Junior Electrical Engineering
  Activities: Class Club, Rugby, Intramurals, Forbes Ave.
  Busboy Band
- Corbett, Ty. Junior Math & Computer Science
  Activities: Rugby, Intramurals, Forbes Ave. Busboy Band
- Davignon, Nick. Junior Chemical Engineering
  Activities: Kiltie Band, Student Dorm Council
- Dunbrack, Daniel. Junior Electrical Engineering Activities: Rugby, Intramurals, Lambda Sigma
- Frost, John. Sophomore Mechanical Engineering
  Activities: Intramurals, Basketball, Football
- Goldick, John. Sophomore Physics & Computer Science Activities: Intramural Backgammon, Volleyball
- Gourlay, Ian. Sophomore Industrial Management Activities: AIESEC, Intramurals

- Hoff, Michael. Senior Professional/Creative Writing
  Activities: Tartan, Intramurals, Forbes Ave. Busboy Band
- Hogue, Brian. Junior Industrial Management
  Activities: Student Dorm Council, Inter-Christian Varsity
  Fellowship
- Kirkpatrick, David Junior Molecular Biology/Genetics Activities: Yearbook, Beta Beta Beta, Intramurals
- Lee, Stephen. Freshman Mechanical Engineering Activities: Intramurals
- Leung, William. Junior Electrical Engineering
  Activities: Chinese Student Organization, Intramurals
- Lynn, Vince. Senior Physics Activities: Carnegie Involvement Association
- Mar, Darin. Junior Civil Engineering Activities: Intramurals
- Michaels, Kimon. Junior Electrical Engineering Activities: Intramurals
- Murtha, Kevin. Sophomore Chemistry
  Activities: Carnegie Care Unit, Intramurals
- Nash, Ken. Sophomore Math & Computer Science Activities: Intramural Football
- Park, Andrew. Freshman Physics Activities: Student Dorm Council

- Pavord, Daniel. Junior Physics
  Activities: Lambda Sigma, Intramurals, Forbes Ave. Busboy
  Band
- Phillips, Marc. Sophomore Mechanical/Biomedical Engineering
  Activities: Resident Assistant, Jazz Ensemble, Intramurals
- Roessler, Bryan. Sophomore Chemical Engineering Activities: Football, Intramurals
- Smith, Alex. Junior Mechanical Engineering
  Activities: Lambda Sigma, Intramurals, ASME
- Spriggs, Scott. Junior Mechanical Engineering
  Activities: Phi Mu Alpha, Intramurals, Tau Beta Pi
- Tepper, Andrew. Freshman Math & Computer Science Activities: Intramurals
- Thompson, Tom. Senior Math
  Activities: Carnegie Involvement Association, Intramurals
- Vernon, Stuart. Sophomore Math & Computer Science Activities: Phi Mu Alpha, Intramurals, Jazz Band
- Yankovich, William. Senior Chemical/Biomedical Engineering Activities: Baseball, Carnegie Involvement Association

# President's Report

My main duty and goal for the next year is to ensure the stability and growth of the provisional chapter so that it may attain its charter. A fraternity is a unique brotherhood that must be successful academically, socially, and financially. Strong organization is the key to all three. Therefore, I plan to see that the executive council - consisting of myself, first vice-president, second vice-president, treasurer, and secretary - provides leadership and directs the group towards achieving our desired goals. In order to accomplish this, we will continue to have our weekly executive council meetings, with other meetings called as needed. In addition to these meetings, a tradition of an officers' retreat, held at the beginning of each semester, will be established so that an in-depth plan may be set for the coming semester. Also, a transitional retreat will be held so that the present officers can instruct and advise their successors. This will give the incoming officers a chance to become more familiar with their positions and to attain valuable experience in working together.

The following committees have been established to aid in our organization and operation:

Scholarship - This committee is strongly recommended by National as they place emphasis on the balance between social life and academics. As of Fall semester 1985, our Fraternity had a QPA of 3.1 - the highest among the Fraternities. In an attempt to maintain this level, the following goals and awards have been established by this committee:

A goal of a minimum house QPA of 2.75. Should the house average fall below 2.75, the committee will make recommendations for taking actions to remedy this deficiency. An action that would probably be seriously considered would be the reduction of the social activities of the house and an increase in academic ones. We would, in effect, be placing ourselves on probation.

An award for the highest QPA and the most improved QPA have been established.

Plans have been made to reserve common areas in the house for studying.

Under consideration is an idea to organize study teams with an award going to the team with the highest QPA.

Social Service - We realize that working for the benefit of the community is a major goal of the Greek system. Last fall, we co-sponsored an MS fundraising mixer with Theta Xi. We are now in the process of making this an annual event. We plan to make our assistance with the WQED Great TV Auction and the CMU Fund Phon-a-thon annual committments also. We are in the planning stages of a 3-on-3 basketball tournament with all proceeds going to MS (see

attached page). In addition, we fully support any event that is to benefit charity. While this support may be little more than attending a charity event, we strongly encourage our members to attend.

Alumni - Maintaining contact with our alumni is important, both for the alumni and the chapter. Alumni are a great source of support. We presently have contacted all alumni from the original KDR Tau Chapter at Carnegie Tech and have received assistance from our alumni advisor, Mr. Ronald Edgett, as well as other Tau alumni. An alumni homecoming banquet is planned for next fall. In order to solidify the support of these alumni, as well as our new alumni, an alumni corporation is being established. Papers will be filed in Harrisburg this spring to found the corporation.

Social - This committee will mainly be responsible for the planning of events with the other Greek houses. This year we have had dual mixers with both Theta Xi and Beta Theta Pi, and have scheduled mixers with Delta Upsilon and Pi Lambda Phi. Next fall, prior to the start of school, we plan to have an all-Greek open house to establish a good rapport with the previously established houses. We also hope to co-sponsor events throughout the year. In addition, this committee will be responsible for the planning of Parent Weekend which is to be held in conjunction with Homecoming, and our Rose Formal which is to be held in the spring with our elected Sweetheart being the guest of honor.

Intramural - After finishing second in the Intermediate Soccer playoffs, we hope to win the championship next fall. In addition to soccer, we now sponsor teams in football, basketball, indoor soccer, 3-man volleyball, and softball. Next fall we hope to expand upon this base and seek the championship in every sport in which we participate.

Booth - We have entered this year's booth competition with the theme of "Caddyshack". We feel that booth is important because it projects an image of ourselves, the Greek system, and the CMU Community to the people of Pittsburgh and others who visit during Spring Carnival. In the future, we plan to continue to strive to win the booth competition.

**Buggy** - Because of a lack of funds, we did not enter this year's buggy competition. However, we have begun designing a buggy, and plan to begin construction over the summer so that we may compete next spring.

Greek Sing - A committee to ensure our competition in this yearly event will be established.

Miss America - We are currently planning a local Miss America Scholarship pageant. Kappa Delta Rho National, in conjunction with Miss America Inc., currently sponsors pageants at several chapters. We will have representatives attending the Clarion University pageant and seminar from March 21st to the 23rd. The

seminar will be a gathering of representatives of KDR chapters throughout the nation who presently sponsor, or are planning to sponsor, pageants. It will cover such topics as corporate sponsorship, publicity, and the organization necessary to have a successful pageant. The winner will receive a scholarship and continue on toward the Miss America pageant in Atlantic City, NJ.

Respectfully Submitted,

Daniel Pavord President The pledges of Kappa Delta Rho, in conjunction with the Office of Annual Giving, are sponsoring the First Annual 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament. This tournament will be held from Friday, April 4th through Sunday, April 6th, and all proceeds from entrance fees will go towards the campus-wide fight against Multiple Sclerosis. There will be three divisions, Major, Intermediate, and Minor. On the form below, indicate which division you wish to play in, the names and phone numbers of the members of your team, and the address of a team captain, who will receive a set of rules and the date, place, and time of your first game. Please send the 12 dollar entrance fee, along with the completed form below to:

3 on 3 Tournament Box 1651 Morewood Gardens

Make all checks payabl	e to Kappa Delta Rho			
All forms and money m	oust be received by Monday, Mar	ch 10		
NOTE*** Only one past	or present CMU varsity basket	pall plaų	jer per	team
Name		Phone Number		
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<u>Téam Captain</u>	Division ( circle one )	LAM	INT	MIN
	Team Name			

# First Vice-President's Report

As First Vice-President, it is my responsibility to plan and organize the fall and spring rushes for the Kappa Delta Rho Fraternity. In order for a Fraternity to increase its membership, it is important to sell the prospective biddees on the Greek system in general, and, far more importantly, on the specific Fraternity itself. Therefore, it is necessary to plan a rush that not only allows the rushing student, henceforth known as the rushee, to enjoy himself, but that also demonstrates to this same student what benefits our Fraternity has to offer him. In other words, while the parties are certainly an important part of rush, we feel that the quieter periods are even more important, since they allow us to become better acquainted with the rushee and visa-versa. A large portion of the rush process is the making of new friends and we hope to have our rushes embody this belief.

During the past year we have held two rushing periods and are planning to hold a third prior to the end of the year. During the fall semester, we decided that it was best to compete directly with the other eleven previously established houses. We felt that this would best indicate our desire to become integrated into the Greek life here at CMU. However, as a result of the lack of a house, we were forced to rush from the individual rooms of the group members. Despite this handicap, we still managed to plan, and successfully conduct, a full

calendar of rush events. A copy of our Fall Rush Calendar is enclosed. As can be seen on the calendar, we sponsored a variety of rush activities that allowed us to establish a personal contact with many of the rushees. This was accomplished by severely limiting the amount of alcohol that was provided at the parties. We felt that we could successfully sell our Fraternity without a large amount of alcohol present. This belief was also in harmony with the Inter-Fraternity Council's desire for a half-wet, half-dry rush.

As a result of the fall rush, we added five members to our group and also made ourselves more visible to the other members of the campus community. We also gained experience in rushing techniques that we utilized during our spring rush and will continue to use throughout next year's rushes.

As is true with most of the Fraternities here at CMU, our spring rush was quieter and more personal. We did not "Dorm Storm" as we had in the fall, but rather we rushed the people whom we had come in contact with since last fall's rush. Since this rush is on a smaller scale, it became even more important to be able to sell our Fraternity on its merits. Our pledge night is on Friday, February 28, and we expect to add another six members to our growing group. However, even though pledge night signifies the end of our spring rush period, we are by no means content to quit rushing until next fall. We plan to continue an active recruitment of new members throughout the rest of the semester and hope to be able to have another pledge night before

the end of the semester.

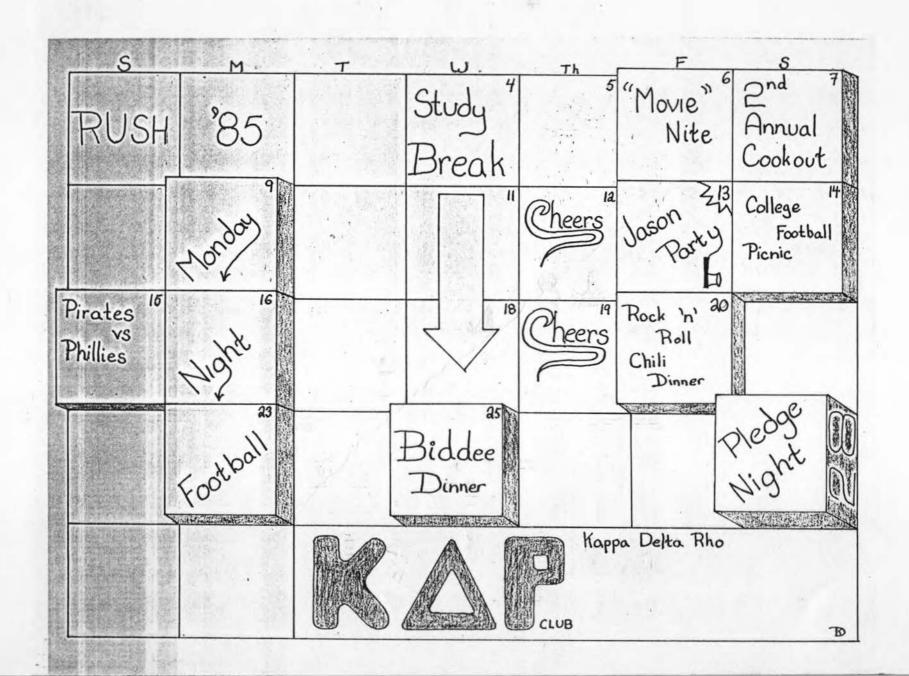
Realizing the need for a well-organized and well-orchestrated rush, we have already scheduled our calendar of events for the 1986 fall rush. As can be seen on the enclosed list, we are planning an even more extensive calendar than last fall, while at the same time attempting to use our imagination to distinguish ourselves from the other Fraternities. Many of these events have been repeated from last year's rush calendar (i.e. Rock & Roll Chili) and we expect that these will become annual occurrances for which Kappa Delta Rho will become known. We also hope to use these events to show our support for the other campus organizations; an example of this is the College Football Picnic. We expect to have an informal lunch, followed by the attendance of a CMU Football game, a barbecue dinner, and culminating with a mixer in the evening. It is this type of extensive and diverse rush events that we hope will build the basis for a solid fall rush and, consequently, will allow us to achieve our goal of a fall pledge class of 25 or more members.

Finally, these events have also been planned such that they may be either wet or dry without any difficulty, in that the emphasis has been, and will be, placed on the themes rather than the alcohol. This design allows us a large amount of flexibility for rush regardless of what the alcohol policy is determined to be. In other words, these events will be held with or without alcohol present. In short, for the past two semesters we have had to rely on our abilities to attract new

members as a result of our strengths and we do not forsee any difficulty in dealing with the possibility of a completely dry rush next fall.

Respectfully Submitted,

John Frost First Vice-President



# Rush Schedule for September 1986

## Weeknight Events:

Sundays (7,14,21) - Steeler Football

Mondays (1,8,15,22) - Monday Night Football

Tuesday (16) - Cookout on the Porch

Wednesdays (3,10,17,24) - O's Fries Study Breaks

Thursdays (4,11,18,25) - Cheers Nights

### Weekend Events:

Friday (5) - Rock 'N' Roll Chili

Saturday (6) - Caddyshack Party

Friday (12) - Miami Vice Party

Saturday (13) - Dress Cool Party

Friday (19) - This Man Will Not Be Here Party

Saturday (20) - The Godfather Party

Saturday (6 or 13) - College Football Picnic

### Biddee Dinner:

Wednesday, September 24

## Pledge Night:

Saturday, September 27

# Second Vice-President's Report

As Second Vice-President, it has been, is, and will be my responsibility to establish and implement a practical, stable and comprehensive pledge-training program. The primary goal of a mature pledge program is the development of KDR Brothers who recognize the value of the Fraternity experience and thus desire to give of themselves continually to strengthen the Fraternity and the Greek system in general. In order to accomplish this objective, an eight-to-ten week program has been designed wherein the KDR pledge will be instructed in many areas, Fraternal and non-Fraternal alike.

Currently, the members of our group are pledges of Kappa Delta Rho, pending installment as a full chapter sometime next fall, and are undergoing the same training in which all future pledges will be expected to participate. The reasoning behind this is that we feel that no pledge should be subjected to treatment that we would not put ourselves through. Along these same lines, an Anti-Hazing policy has been established by ourselves, by Carnegie Mellon University, and by Kappa Delta Rho National; Hazing has been defined as "... anything physically, morally, or socially objectionable."

The pledge-training program has been divided into modules so that the material is presented in a logical and orderly fashion, thereby helping to create a smoother transition towards brotherhood. These modules cover such topics as: Fraternity History (General, National, and Chapter), Fraternity Structure (National, Chapter, and Alumni), Rush - a Brother's responsibility, and Chapter proceedings. While being trained in the Fraternal aspects of the group, the pledge, via his Big Brother, would also be instructed in the expectations of the Fraternity regarding academics, proper social behavior, and campus involvement.

One of the main goals for next year will be to instill in our future pledges the sense of pride and responsibility towards the Tau Chapter of Kappa Delta Rho that we, ourselves, currently have. Our organization is a cohesive group of students who have academics as their first priority, but who also realize the benefits of a strong and diverse social life. We strongly believe that these ideals need to be preserved and hope to accomplish this through our pledge training program. Our ultimate goal is to insure that, when we return to CMU as alumni, the Tau chapter will still embody the same ideals as it did when it was rechartered.

Respectfully Submitted,

Daniel Dunbrack Second Vice-President

# 86-87 Budget - Kappa Delta Rho

	Fall '86	Spring '87
Rent	22,750	22,750
Rush	5,000	500
Buggy	2,000	
Booth		750
Start-Up	6,150	₹.
Renovation	2,200	-
Social	2,000	3,500
Kitchen	1,000	194
Rose Formal	-	1,500
Electricity	3,200	3,500
House Maint.	600	600
Carnival	4	500
Administration	300	300
Supplies	200	12
Greek Sing	,=	350
Insurance	260	
Convention	±:	400
IFC	350	
Totals	46,010	34,650

# Recording Secretary's Report

As recording secretary for the provisional chapter of Kappa Delta Rho, we are responsible for the maintenance of internal records and the daily relationship with KDR National. In conjunction with an appointed Historian, we also have chronicled the history of Kappa Delta Rho at Carnegie Mellon University. A few words about that history seem appropriate at this time. On May 16, 1930, Arthur Ottman installed the Tau chapter of Kappa Delta Rho at Carnegie Institute of Technology. We quickly rose to prominence on campus, winning the very first Sweepstakes at Carnegie. In 1939, due to legal complications, the Tau chapter was inactivated.

In 1982, William Aigner approached Kappa Delta Rho National concerning the reactivation of Tau chapter at Carnegie Mellon University. In less than four years, we have fulfilled the requirements set forth by National necessary to becoming a provisional chapter. These requirements included establishing by-laws, a budget, a dues-paying system, social service projects, and the establishment of formal relations with the Inter-Fraternity Council. We are now seeking full chapter status, and the recording secretary is an integral part of this process. It is vital at this time that close communications be maintained with National, and so this year will be

especially busy for the recording secretary.

Goals for the upcoming year include the maintenance and expansion of the weekly meeting records, increased contact with National, and, in conjunction with the Historian, a detailed compilation of Tau chapter history. This will be distributed to all Tau alumni and the closer alumni clubs, to increase awareness of Tau chapter as a group. Although this year promises to be the year of greatest expansion yet, and thus the busiest for the recording secretary, we feel confident that it will also be our most successful to date.

Respectfully submitted,

Alex Smith
Recording Secretary 85 - 86

David Kirkpatrick Recording Secretary 86 - 87

# **Corresponding Secretary's Report**

The duties that fall under the jurisdiction of the corresponding secretary are public relations between our Provisional Chapter and our alumni, the university, and also the community.

Plans are underway to create an alumni corporation for past and future Kappa Delta Rho alumni of the Tau chapter here at Carnegie Mellon. The alumni corporation is the backbone of a solid brotherhood. It will insure our chapter's stability and continuity. The major role of the corporation will be to hold all leases and mortgages, employ the cook and any other necessary personnel, and to guide our chapter in all matters of operation, particularly those in the financial area. The alumni corporation also chooses an alumni advisor and a faculty advisor for our house.

Also aiding our chapter will be the Kappa Delta Rho Alumni Clubs. These clubs are comprised of alumni from all chapters who live in the same geographic area. In the past, these clubs have been of great assistance in helping chapters and colonies in their particular regions. Since over 1000 KDR alumni live in the Pittsburgh area, their wisdom and experience will be a valuable asset to our Provisional Chapter.

So that we may keep in contact with both the alumni corporations and the alumni clubs, we plan to begin publishing a

semi-annual newsletter, as recommended by National. It will be sent to all Tau alumni, every other KDR chapter, and to local alumni clubs. The newsletter will contain our latest accomplishments, problems, and general information.

The last of the corresponding secretary's responsibilities is to submit articles to <u>The Quill and Scroll</u>, the National magazine of Kappa Delta Rho. The magazine is sent quarterly to all Kappa Delta Rho actives and alumni. Through it, we can update all KDR's of our latest activities and achievements.

Respectfully Submitted,

Kevin Murtha

Corresponding Secretary 85-86

Ronald Comstock

Corresponding Secretary 86-87

Carnegie Mellon.

Our goals for the next year include aquiring full status as a voting member of the IFC. We plan to hold an open house at the start of the fall semester in order to promote Greek spirit and to establish stronger ties with the brothers and sisters of the existing houses.

In closing, we feel that it is very important to become involved in the IFC, as it is the governing body of the Fraternities and Sororities, and as dues paying members, we will work with the IFC to achieve its goals and ideals.

Respectfully Submitted,

Bryan Roessler IFC Representative

## House Manager's Report

The following pages contain the plans and estimated costs for the renovation and maintenance of 1071 Morewood Avenue for the 1986-87 school year. The house renovation proposals are for the house common areas: the basement, the main floor, and the upper level hallways and bathrooms. Because the individual rooms are currently up to dormitory standards, any improvements in the rooms will be left up to the occupants of each room. The maintenance proposal entails general expenditures and a weekly work session schedule.

The plan presented here is a preliminary draft - it is to be used to allow us to estimate the time and cost that will be involved in the renovation of the house. The repair estimations have been based upon the expectation that the residence has been maintained at a dormitory standard of living.

Renovation is expected to begin in Mid-April with the taking of the measurements of the common areas. With these measurements, a final set of plans will be drafted. At this point, it is expected thatwe will discover that some of the previously planned repairs will not be necessary; however, it is also expected that some unplanned repairs will become apparent.

The restoration will be completed by the KDR members who live in the Pittsburgh area and also by those that are remaining on

campus for the summer. The completeion date is currently set for the weekend prior to the arrival of the freshman class - August 15, 16, 17. With the intention of improving our relations with the Greek community, we plan to hold a Greek Open House on Wednesday, August 20.

The subsequent house maintenance will be conducted via weekly work sessions. These work sessions will be completed by current KDR brothers and pledges and the sessions will be on a rotation schedule so as to fairly divide the work load. Regular maintenance will include such duties as cleaning the common areas and making any necessary repairs. Finally, the money allocated in the budget for the 'house' will be used for miscellaneous items such as toilet paper and lightbulbs.

Respectfully Submitted,

Scott Spriggs House Manager

# Steward's Report

The duty of the steward is to insure the smooth operation of the kitchen. This includes the ordering of food and supplies, the organizating of dinner crews, and the maintaining of kitchen facilities. In preparing for these new responsibilities we will incur next fall, we have met with the steward of Beta Theta Pi so that we can begin to contact the necessary area business. The following is a tentative list of the different companies we plan to patronize to fulfill our needs in the fall:

### Produce:

D. J. Lamantia, Inc.

2626 Penn Ave.

Pittsburgh, PA 15222

566-2700 or 566-2701

### Meat:

Weiss Meats

219 Route 51

Clairton, PA 15025

384-4040 or 461-1411

# Dairy:

**Turner Dairy** 

1049 Jefferson Road

Pittsburgh, PA 15235

242-1700 or 372-2211

## Bakery Goods:

Rimini Bakery

522 Larimer Ave.

793-7143 or 661-2308

Juices & Drinks:

Flavoripe Co.

2839 Liberty Ave.

Pittsburgh, PA 15222

471-3183 or 471-3110

### Produce:

**Behrhorst** 

3115 Washington Pike

Bridgeville, PA 15017-1497

343-9060

In addition, it will be necessary to hire a cook. This will be handled by our alumni corporation. Applicants will be interviewed during the summer recess. To avoid a financial mishap, all funds used for cook's wages and food costs will be handled in an account separate from that of other house expenses. It will be funded by an assessment of \$500 per semester per brother for a food plan of 10 meals each week.

Respectfully Submitted,

Alexander Smith

Steward

### Conclusion

Upon receiving the full support of the IFC and the establishment of our group of intent as a provisional chapter of Kappa Delta Rho, we have achieved the initial goals set by our members in the fall of '85. We have now set new goals which include full University recognition, the establishment of a strong house in the Fraternity quadrangle, and the receiving of full Chapter status granted by Kappa Delta Rho National. Along with these goals, we would like to see our membership remain above 50 brothers following next fall's rush.

We hope that our past record and these future plans will demonstrate the strength and stability of our organization. This strength and stability, in conjunction with the ability of a group to gain new members, are the key factors in the growth of a Fraternity. We feel that our Provisional Chapter of Kappa Delta Rho National Fraternity has exhibited these qualities and, with your recognition, we hope to expand our membership, to receive our National Charter, and to continue contributing to the Greek system and the Carnegie Mellon community.

Drawn up, compiled, and edited by:

David T. Kirkpatrick Praetor 9-26-86