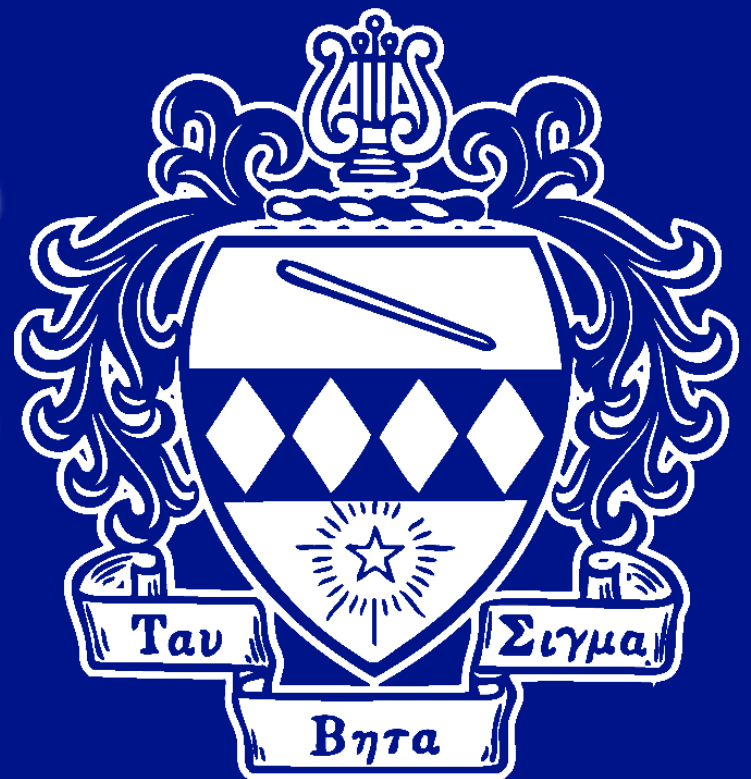


# KAPPA KAPPA PSI TAU BETA SIGMA



**2016 NORTHEAST DISTRICT CONVENTION  
MARCH 18-19, 2016**

**MARIST**

# MARIST

March 2016

To All Brothers and Sisters of the Northeast District:

On behalf of the Department of Music and College Bands at Marist College, I enthusiastically welcome you to the 2016 Northeast District Convention at Marist College here in the beautiful Hudson River Valley.

As founding sponsor of the Kappa Upsilon chapter of Kappa Kappa Psi, I have full confidence that our chapters will host an outstanding convention. The “can do” attitude that our students exhibit on a daily basis is certain to be an integral element in the success of this event.

Our chapters have an excellent history of service to the Marist College bands to include marching band, basketball pep band, symphonic band and wind symphony. In fact, the Marist College Band organization could not exist without the day in–day out, night in–night out work of these two organizations. Beyond the service to our bands, our Brothers and Sisters have also initiated many service projects campus wide that have become annual events.

I became a Brother of Nu chapter of Kappa Kappa Psi, a “life changing” event, on April 5, 1969. During my active membership, I served in the offices of Vice President and President of the Nu chapter. As President, I had the wonderful experience to both plan and then supervise the hosting process of the 1971 National Convention at the University of Michigan. I know the planning details that were required then, I know the planning details that are required now. The Brothers and Sisters of our Marist College chapters are more than ready and committed to articulate a professional, successful, and enjoyable convention. They are up to the task.

Indeed, it has been my honor to serve as founding sponsor of these chapters as well to serve as Director of Bands here at Marist College. The “Brothers” and “Sisters” of Iota Alpha chapter and Kappa Upsilon chapter are indeed my “Sons” and “Daughters” –of whom, I am very proud. Again, please enjoy your stay at Marist College for the 2016 Northeast District Convention of Kappa Kappa Psi and Tau Beta Sigma.

Sincerely,



Sergeant Major (Retired) Arthur B. Himmelberger, US Army, “The West Point Band”  
Director of the Music Department and Director of Bands, Marist College  
Life Member and Past President –Nu chapter, Kappa Kappa Psi  
Honorary and Founding Sponsor –Kappa Upsilon chapter, Kappa Kappa Psi  
Honorary –Iota Alpha chapter, Tau Beta Sigma  
Immediate Past President, Association of Concert Bands

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## COMMITTEE MEETING ROOMS

During the assigned committee meeting times, committees will report to the following rooms:

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## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

**MARKETPLACE HOURS: 9:00am—6:00pm (unless otherwise noted) STUDENT CENTER HALLWAY**

### **FRIDAY, MARCH 18, 2016**

**7:00am—6:00pm**

REGISTRATION

STUDENT ACTIVITIES OFFICE  
STUDENT CENTER 3115

**8:00—9:00am**

MARKETPLACE SETUP FOR REGISTERED GROUPS

STUDENT CENTER HALLWAY

**9:00—9:50am**

OPENING JOINT SESSION

McCANN ARENA

**10:00—10:50am**

KKΨ SEPARATE SESSION

TBΣ SEPARATE SESSION

McCANN ARENA  
NELLY GOLETTI THEATRE

**11:00—11:50am**

TBΣ COMMITTEE MEETINGS

### WORKSHOP BLOCK:

*KKΨ ONLY*

Lessons of the Ritual—*Eric Morson*

FUSCO RECITAL HALL

### *OPEN WORKSHOPS*

Setting Goals and Strategic Planning in Committees,

as Officers, and as a Chapter—*Marco Krcatovich II*

Connecting and Engaging Chapter Alumni—*Alison Beidler*

Think Before You Click—*Adam Cantley*

Grant & Award Writing—*Chris Pratt*

Being an Effective Alumnus—*Justin Brady, Sarah Fitzgerald,  
and Mike Napolitano*

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STUDENT CENTER CABARET

**12:00—1:00pm**

LUNCH BREAK

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## 1:00—2:50pm

KKΨ & TBΣ COMMITTEE MEETINGS

## 1:00—1:50pm

OPEN WORKSHOPS

Resume Writing & the Organizations – *Ed Savoy*

Treasurers Have the Power – *Danny George*

Making the Move from Active to Alumni Status – *Alison Beidler*

Healthy Living – *Andrew Eden*

From Start to Finish: Brainstorming, Planning, and

Executing Successful Service Projects – *Andy Melvin*

The Power of Media – *Robert Bratcher*

HANCOCK 1021

HANCOCK 2005

HANCOCK 2017

HANCOCK 2019

HANCOCK 2020

HANCOCK 2023

## 2:00—2:50pm

OPEN WORKSHOPS

Creating Successful Fundraisers – *Marco Krcatovich II*

Sponsors Don't Know it All – *Mike Napolitano*

Digital Identity: How Your Online Profiles and

Actions Can Affect You – *Daniel Miller*

Implementing Music in Your Chapter – *Chris Young*

Observations on Being Stupid – *Marie Burleigh*

HANCOCK 2005

HANCOCK 2019

HANCOCK 2020

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RIVER ROOMS (STUDENT CENTER 3102-3105)

## 3:00—5:00pm

(MARKETPLACE CLOSED—NO COMMITTEE MEETINGS)

READING BAND

AUXILIARY CLINIC

SYMPHONIC HALL

McCANN CENTER AUXILIARY GYM

## 5:00—5:50pm

WORKSHOP BLOCK

TBΣ ONLY

Performing a Better Ritual—*Sue Robash Carr*

Lessons on Communication and Leadership:

What Harry Potter Taught Us – *Dawn Farmer*

NELLY GOLETTI THEATRE

LOWELL THOMAS 017

OPEN WORKSHOPS

Secrets of an Effective Committee – *Andy Melvin*

Managing Chapter Finances – *Tyra Yiare*

OMRS Office Hours – *Chris Young*

Creating Interfraternal Bonds – *Terri White*

Furthering Your Education Beyond Undergrad – *Dollie O'Neill*

Grant & Award Writing – *Chris Pratt*

The Tough Stuff - *Sarah Fitzgerald & Jasmine Johnson*

HANCOCK 2017

HANCOCK 2005

DYSON CENTER 303 (COMPUTER LAB)

HANCOCK 2019

LOWELL THOMAS 020

LOWELL THOMAS 021

LOWELL THOMAS 027

## 6:00—7:00pm

DINNER BREAK

## 7:00-7:50pm

JOINT SESSION

McCANN ARENA

## 8:00-10:20pm

KKΨ SEPARATE SESSION

TBΣ SEPARATE SESSION

McCANN ARENA

NELLY GOLETTI THEATRE

## 10:30pm—MIDNIGHT

TALENT SHOWCASE

NELLY GOLETTI THEATRE

# 2016 NORTHEAST DISTRICT CONVENTION

## SATURDAY, MARCH 19, 2016

**7:30am—12:00pm**

REGISTRATION

STUDENT ACTIVITIES OFFICE  
STUDENT CENTER 3115

**8:00—9:00am**

MARKETPLACE SETUP FOR REGISTERED GROUPS

STUDENT CENTER HALLWAY

**9:00—9:50am**

KKΨ SEPARATE SESSION

TBΣ RITUAL

McCANN ARENA  
STUDENT CENTER CABARET

**10:00—10:50am**

INTERACTIVE PSI/HISTORIC DISPLAY

TBΣ SEPARATE SESSION

STUDENT CENTER 3101  
NELLY GOLETTI THEATRE

**11:00—11:50am**

KKΨ RITUAL

KKΨ MEMBERSHIP CANDIDATE/COLONIST WORKSHOP

RIVER ROOMS (STUDENT CENTER 3102-3105)  
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TBΣ COMMITTEE MEETINGS

*TBΣ WORKSHOPS*

Intrinsic Motivation: Ignite That Inner Spark—*Emily Anstey*

Working Outside Your Major—*Jasmine Johnson*

HANCOCK 2017  
HANCOCK 2005

**12:00—1:00pm**

LUNCH BREAK

NEDAA GRADUATING SENIOR LUNCHEON

STUDENT CENTER CABARET

**1:00—2:50pm**

TBΣ SEPARATE SESSION

NELLY GOLETTI THEATRE

**1:00—1:50pm**

WORKSHOP BLOCK

*KKΨ ONLY*

Page 50 of the Ritual (Closed) - *Marie Burleigh*

So You Think You Can't K? - *Robert Bratcher*

Pass the Torch, Don't Burn Down the House—*Danny George*

Kid President & Leadership—*Adam Cantley*

RIVER ROOMS (STUDENT CENTER 3102-3105)  
DANCE STUDIO (STUDENT CENTER 1205)  
HANCOCK 2005  
HANCOCK 2023

**2:00—3:50pm**

KKΨ SEPARATE SESSION (INCLUDES NATIONAL TOWN HALL)

McCANN ARENA

**3:00—3:50pm**

*OPEN WORKSHOPS*

Conflict Resolution Within Your Chapter—*Ted McCadden*

Gaining Perspective by Traveling—*Erika Pope*

Mental Qualities of an Attractive Nature—*Carolyn McCambridge*

Motivating the Middle—*Trudy Adler*

Conducting Basics—*Amy Bovin Dauphinais*

LOWELL THOMAS 020  
LOWELL THOMAS 006  
LOWELL THOMAS 129  
LOWELL THOMAS 017  
DANCE STUDIO (STUDENT CENTER 1205)

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## 3:00—3:50pm

### TBΣ WORKSHOPS

CMEP Construction—*Jonathan Markowski*

Sorority Policies—*Dr. Kathryn Kelly*

Event Planning 101: How to Implement

National Programs at the Chapter Level—*Adrienne Rall*

LOWELL THOMAS 021

LOWELL THOMAS 027

LOWELL THOMAS 013

## 4:00—4:50pm

### JOINT SESSION

McCANN CENTER ARENA

## 5:00pm

TBΣ SEPARATE SESSION

KKΨ SEPARATE SESSION

NELLY GOLETTI THEATRE

RIVER ROOMS (STUDENT CENTER 3102-3015)

## 6:30—7:30pm

### BANQUET PREP

## 7:30pm

### CONVENTION BANQUET

MARIST DINING HALL (STUDENT CENTER 2nd FLOOR)

## 2015-2016 KAPPA KAPPA PSI NORTHEAST DISTRICT COUNCIL

**President:** Alex Thompson, Mu Nu

**Vice President:** Emily Quinlisk, Alpha Omega

**Secretary Treasurer:** Victoria Kraft, Mu Epsilon

**Member at Large:** Shanon Rubin, Theta Beta

**Historian & Alumni Liaison:** Alex Finkel, Alpha Omega

**Governor:** Marie Burleigh, Omicron

**Governor:** John Leonard, Nu Theta (Sponsor)

## 2015-2016 TAU BETA SIGMA NORTHEAST DISTRICT COUNCIL

**President:** Christopher Lukasik, Delta Delta

**Vice President of Special Projects:** Shannon Mackey, Delta Delta

**Secretary:** Shelby Coleman, Delta Omega

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**Alumni Secretary & Historian:** Erin Kreeger, Beta Eta

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**Counselor:** Allison Leemann, Eta Gamma



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## **2016 NORTHEAST DISTRICT CONVENTION WOMEN IN MUSIC SPEAKER**

### **Professor Beth Bronk, Texas Lutheran University National Vice President for Professional Relations**

Beth Bronk, Associate Professor, is in her tenth year as Director of Bands at Texas Lutheran University, where she teaches conducting, instrumental music education courses, and directs the TLU Bands. Professor Bronk earned her Bachelors degree, Performance Certificate, and teaching certification at the University of Texas at Austin, and Masters degree in Trumpet Performance from the University of North Texas. She is nearing completion of her doctoral work at Teachers College, Columbia University. Her dissertation is titled "Director Expertise in Teaching Intonation." Before joining the faculty at TLU, she completed eighteen years of public school teaching and administration, primarily in the New Braunfels Independent School District. She continues to serve the Texas Music Educators Association as the president of Region 12 and is currently the Vice-President for Professional Relations on the National Council of Tau Beta Sigma. Her in-service presentations and clinics focus on continuing professional growth and education for band directors at all levels of experience. In December, Prof. Bronk was given TLU's 2015-2016 Distinguished Faculty Award for Service and Leadership. Ms. Bronk is an active clinician, adjudicator, and performer

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## KKΨ WORKSHOP TRACKS

Not sure which workshops to go to? The District Council is here to help! Below is a list of pre-arranged "tracks" to follow during Convention this year. Are you interested in running for chapter office? How about becoming an Alumni? Whatever you are looking for, the Council has arranged a workshop path for you to follow! You certainly don't have to go to everything and these tracks DO NOT include all of the workshops being offered but hopefully these can help you find what you are most interested in so that you can have the best Convention experience possible! See you in the next workshop!

So you are interested in...

### **Running for Chapter President OR a more Leadership-themed Convention:**

Goals and Strategic Planning, Marco Krcatovich II  
Sponsors Don't Know it All, Mike Napolitano  
Kid President and Leadership, Adam Cantley

Power of the Media, Robert Bratcher  
OMRS Office Hours, Chris Young

### **Running for Service Head OR a more Service-themed Convention:**

Goals and Strategic Planning, Marco Krcatovich II  
Sponsors Don't Know it All, Mike Napolitano

Planning and Executing Service Projects, Andy Melvin  
Secrets of an Effective Committee, Andy Melvin

### **Running for Music Head OR a more Music-themed Convention:**

Goals and Strategic Planning, Marco Krcatovich II  
Implementing Music in your Chapter, Chris Young  
So You Think You Can't K?, Robert Bratcher

Planning and Executing Service Projects, Andy Melvin  
Secrets of an Effective Committee, Andy Melvin

### **Running for Treasurer OR a more Fundraising-themed Convention:**

Goals and Strategic Planning, Marco Krcatovich II  
Creating Successful Fundraisers, Marco Krcatovich II

Treasures Have the Power, Danny George  
Managing Chapter Finances, Tyra Yiare

### **Running for Membership Head OR a more Membership-themed Convention:**

Lessons of the Ritual, Eric Morson  
Observations on Being Stupid, Marie Burleigh

From Active to Alumni Status, Alison Beidler  
Secrets of an Effective Committee, Andy Melvin

### **Being a Webmaster OR a more Web-themed Convention:**

Think Before You Click, Adam Cantley  
Digital Identity, Daniel Miller

Power of Media, Robert Bratcher

### **Becoming and Alumni OR a more Alumni-themed Convention:**

From Active to Alumni Status, Alison Beidler  
Pass the Torch, Don't Burn Down the House, Danny George  
Being an Effective Alumnus, Justin Brady, Sarah Fitzgerald, Mike Napolitano

Observations on Being Stupid, Marie Burleigh

### **Being a Ritual Head OR a more Ritual-themed Convnetion:**

Lessons of the Ritual, Eric Morson

Page 50 of the Ritual, Marie Burleigh

### **Applying the Fraternity beyond school:**

Grant/Scholarship Writing, Chris Pratt  
Digital Identity, Daniel Miller  
Pass the Torch, Don't Burn Down the House, Danny George

Resume Writing & the Organizations, Ed Savoy  
Furthering Your Education Beyond Undergrad, Dollie O'Neill

Still didn't find something you were looking for? Talk to the District Council! They are more than happy to guide you in the proper direction! Hope you enjoy Convention!



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## WORKSHOP DESCRIPTIONS

### **Lessons of the Ritual**

*Eric Morson, Kappa Kappa Psi Board of Trustees*

*Friday, March 18, 2016—11:00am*

*Fusco Recital Hall*

Our ritual offers valuable lessons—lessons that can be applied to our lives, both within and outside the fraternity. This program identifies and discusses those lessons and the key to unlocking them for our members.

This workshop is for initiated brothers only.

### **Setting Goals and Strategic Planning in Committees, as Officers, and as a Chapter**

*Marco Krcatovich II, Kappa Kappa Psi National Vice President for Programs*

*Friday, March 18, 2016—11:00am*

*Hancock Center 2005*

Part of being a leader in our organizations means thinking beyond today and planning for the future. This means making a plan based on a set of values and setting the goals and benchmarks to get there. This workshop covers the steps needed to create a plan, execute it, evaluate your success, and base all of your work on your chapter's mission.

### **Connecting and Engaging Chapter Alumni**

*Alison Beidler*

*Vice-Chair/Membership Director, Kappa Kappa Psi Alumni Association Board of Directors*

*Friday, March 18, 2016—11:00am*

*Hancock Center 2017*

Your chapter might be nearing 96 years of existence, or it might be newly installed. Regardless, reaching out and staying connected to alumni of all ages is vital to each and every chapter. We'll discuss the basics – who are your alumni, where are they located, and how to ultimately get them back to campus to share in KKPsi events with the active chapters.

### **Think Before You Click**

*Adam Cantley*

*Vice-Chair, Kappa Kappa Psi Board of Trustees*

*Friday, March 18, 2016—11:00am*

*Hancock Center 2023*

What type of digital footprint is your chapter leaving out there for other to see? Are you doing your best to control the message? This workshop will explore these topics and more. We will navigate practices that chapters are employing to use social media in a positive way. We will also talk about some common mistakes that chapters and individuals can make.

### **Grant & Award Writing**

*Chris Pratt*

*NEDAA Treasurer*

*Friday, March 18, 2016—11:00am & 5:00pm*

*Hancock Center 2019 (11:00am) & Lowell Thomas 021 (5:00pm)*

NEDAA has many things to offer our district and as students and future music professionals, we will be faced with situations where grant writing is necessary. This workshop will give you the tips and hints on submitting high-quality grant scholarship applications both inside and outside the fraternity and sorority.

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## **Being an Effective Alumnus**

*Mike Napolitano, National Chairperson—Kappa Kappa Psi Alumni Association Board of Directors*

*Justin Brady, National Chairperson—Tau Beta Sigma Alumni Association Executive Council*

*Sarah Fitzgerald, NEDAA President*

*Friday, March 18, 2016—11:00am*

*Student Center Cabaret*

This workshop is geared towards to graduating seniors and will expose everyone to the benefits of getting involved with the TBSAA, KKPsiAA, and affiliate organizations. This will show that service does not end at graduation and brings many benefits, personal and professional, to alumni.

## **Resume Writing and the Organizations**

*Ed Savoy*

*Past KKΨ Northeast District President*

*Friday, March 18, 2016—1:00pm*

*Hancock Center 1021*

This workshop will teach students how to incorporate the Fraternity and Sorority into their resume, and effectively use it to their advantage to best market themselves as a hopeful employee.

## **Treasurers Have the Power**

*Danny George*

*Kappa Kappa Psi Board of Trustees*

*Friday, March 18, 2016—1:00pm*

*Hancock Center 2005*

This session discusses the fiduciary responsibility that Chapter Treasurers have in collecting disbursing, and accounting for chapter funds. It encourages them to help their chapters use their money wisely.

## **Making the Move From Active to Alumni Status**

*Alison Beidler*

*Vice-Chair, Kappa Kappa Psi Alumni Association Board of Directors*

*Friday, March 18, 2016—1:00pm*

*Hancock Center 2017*

You're going to be an alumni brother quite a bit longer than you were an active brother. Though membership statuses change and the boundaries for participation are different, it does not mean that you can't still be an active alumni. Knowing how to stay connected to your chapter, and what activities you can be involved in are the first steps to keeping KKPsi in your life after college. Also to be discussed are the local alumni associations, and the KKPsiAA.

## **Healthy Living**

*Andrew Eden*

*NEDAA Vice-President for Kappa Kappa Psi*

*Friday, March 18, 2016—1:00pm*

*Hancock Center 2019*

This workshop will teach you how to live a healthy lifestyle, both mentally and physically. We will touch on topics such as exercising, sleeping, eating disorders, time management, and how all of this can affect your ability to serve Kappa Kappa Psi and Tau Beta Sigma in both negative and positive ways.

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## **From Start to Finish: Brainstorming, Planning, and Executing Successful Service Projects**

*Andy Melvin*

*Kappa Kappa Psi National Chapter Field Representative*

*Friday, March 18, 2016—1:00pm*

*Hancock Center 2020*

Chapter issues related to service often come in a variety of forms. Does your chapter struggle to come up with new service ideas? Does your chapter do a good job coming up with potential projects or events and have trouble seeing them through to completion? In this workshop brothers will explore new ways to come up with projects, learn how to plan in an efficient and productive manner, and see a project or event through to completion. Small group discussion during the workshop will enhance this as well as allow for a high level of idea sharing between chapters.

## **The Power of Media**

*Robert Bratcher*

*Kappa Kappa Psi/Tau Beta Sigma National Publications Manager and Multimedia Designer*

*Friday, March 18, 2016—1:00pm*

*Hancock Center 2023*

Media of all types are integrated in every context of our society. How you use media (social, digital, and print) can aid in recruitment and getting the word out about events, programs, fundraising campaigns, etc. This session will provide tips on how to use social media and increase your chapter's reach and visibility through the power of visual and written communication.

## **Creating Successful Fundraisers**

*Marco A. Kractovich II*

*Kappa Kappa Psi National Vice-President for Programs*

*Friday, March 18, 2016—2:00pm*

*Hancock Center 2005*

Every chapter could use a few more dollars to better serve their band program, bring more brothers to district and national events, and provide more resources for fellow musicians. We will look at the steps toward designing and planning a fundraiser, evaluating your work, and making regular, informed improvements.

## **Sponsors Don't Know It All**

*Mike Napolitano*

*National Chair, Kappa Kappa Psi Alumni Association Board of Directors*

*Friday, March 18, 2016—2:00pm*

*Hancock Center 2019*

At times, Sponsors are honorary members of the fraternity or sorority that have had no affiliation with the organization prior to accepting the role as Chapter Sponsor. They may not be familiar with the national or local policy, or chapter history. This can create a great deal of distance between the chapter and the Sponsor. This workshop will discuss understanding the Chapter Sponsor's role in the chapter and in chapter operations, how the sponsor fits into the chapter culture, what the chapter's expectations of the Sponsor are and vice versa, and how to strengthen the communication between the chapter, Director of Bands, and Chapter Sponsor.

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## **Digital Identity: How Your Online Profiles and Actions Can Affect You**

*Daniel Miller*

*Kappa Kappa Psi Alumni Association Board of Directors*

*Friday, March 18, 2016—2:00pm*

*Hancock 2020*

Sir Francis Bacon wrote, “ipsa scientia potestas est,” meaning knowledge itself is power. As we work, live, and play in today’s world, each of us leaves traces of knowledge regarding ourselves in various digital forms. Because we share so much information about ourselves during the course of so many different types of activities and transactions, we can become forget the importance of maintaining some control over the presentation and uses of this information. This workshop will focus on issues and trade-offs to consider when developing online profiles within our control, such as our social media presences. We will also discuss how our online profiles can be used by others as potential avenues to harm us, our organizations, and our employers. Finally, we will talk about how to address serious forms of cyber-abuse, including doxing, revenge porn, and other forms of harassment.

The workshop will begin by establishing the ground rules for our discussion and ensuring that all participants feel safe and comfortable with the discussion of these topics. The workshop will highlight ways to prevent and address particular forms of harassment, and it will not seek participant input regarding personal experiences that could prompt feelings of vulnerability or exposure.

## **Implementing Music in Your Chapter**

*Chris Young*

*Kappa Kappa Psi National Chapter Field Representative*

*Friday, March 18, 2016—2:00pm*

*Hancock Center 2023*

With focuses on leadership and service, many times musicianship can be left out by chapters wishing to focus on their role in their band program. In this workshop, we will discuss easy, effective ways to implement musicianship activities in your chapter. Activities can range from live music in the ritual, to short pieces performed in a chapter meeting or recital.

## **Observations on Being Stupid**

*Marie Burleigh*

*Kappa Kappa Psi Northeast District Governor*

*Friday, March 18, 2016—2:00pm*

*River Rooms (Student Center 3102-3105)*

For this workshop, we use Miriam-Webster’s #3 definition of stupid: marked by or resulting from unreasoned thinking or acting: senseless <as stupid decision>. Let’s face it: we’ve all been there—some of us more consistently than others! This session talks about mistakes made, lessons learned, and strategies for minimizing the damage.

## **Performing a Better Ritual (TBΣ Closed)**

*Sue Robash Carr*

*Friday, March 18, 2016—5:00pm*

*Nelly Goletti Theatre*

In the past, we have held workshops on the history of our ritual and its importance for our organization. The next step is how to perform it well. In a station based workshop, attendees will learn different key elements, essential to enhancing the ritual experience.

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## **Secrets of an Effective Committee**

*Andy Melvin*

*Kappa Kappa Psi National Chapter Field Representative*

*Friday, March 18, 2016—5:00pm*

*Hancock Center 2017*

Many chapters within the fraternity have, or at least have attempted to have, implemented a committee system into their chapter. This workshop will give brothers the tools they need to keep their committees active and successful throughout the year, which will, in turn, allow more members the opportunity to do valuable work and gain leadership experience. This workshop will explore time management, advance planning, how to get more brothers involved in all areas of the chapter, and how to keep motivation high—even during the busiest or most inconvenient times.

## **Managing Chapter Finances**

*Tyra Yiare*

*Finance Chair, Tau Beta Sigma Alumni Association Executive Council*

*Friday, March 18, 2016—5:00pm*

*Hancock Center 2005*

What is good financial planning? What happens when you start out with nothing, or close to nothing in your chapter account? How do you build on your already safe financial setting? All of these questions will be answered and discussed in depth in this financial based workshop.

## **Creating Interfraternal Bonds**

*Terri White*

*Tau Beta Sigma Northeast District Chapter Visitation Assistant*

*Friday, March 18, 2016—5:00pm*

*Hancock Center 2019*

This workshop will teach students how to create bonds beyond the ones that Tau Beta Sigma and Kappa Kappa Psi share. This workshop will encourage interaction and cooperation between social and recognition fraternities and sororities, and show even the most different organizations can work together.

## **Lessons on Communication and Leadership: What Harry Potter Taught Us (TBS Only)**

*Dawn Farmer*

*Tau Beta Sigma Board of Trustees*

*Friday, March 18, 2016—5:00pm*

*Lowell Thomas 017*

Harry Potter taught us all something different, and in this workshop, attendees will extract specific lessons that will help us connect to the 5&8 better and help us become better members in the Sorority.

## **Furthering Your Education Beyond Undergrad**

*Dollie O'Neill*

*Chair, Tau Beta Sigma Board of Trustees*

*Friday, March 18, 2016—5:00pm*

*Lowell Thomas 020*

This workshop is geared toward students looking to continue their education either on the graduate level or through a second bachelors program. This will teach how what we learn in Tau Beta Sigma and Kappa Kappa Psi will help us succeed in the future.



# 2016 NORTHEAST DISTRICT CONVENTION

## **The Tough Stuff**

*Sarah Fitzgerald, NEDAA President*

*Jasmine Johnson, NEDAA Vice-President for Tau Beta Sigma*

*Friday, March 18, 2016—5:00pm*

*Lowell Thomas 027*

Over the course of the past year, the United States has faced serious issues and these issues have affected how we operate our chapters. In this workshop, attendees will learn how to effectively “start the conversation” on social issues we face and how these conversations will only help us serve our bands better.

## **Intrinsic Motivation: Ignite That Inner Spark**

*Emily Anstey*

*NEDAA Secretary*

*Saturday, March 19, 2016—11:00am*

*Hancock 2017*

In this workshop we will explore the internal motivations that keep us engaged and happy in the work that we choose to pursue. Through discussion and activities, we will all be able to find out what our intrinsic motivations are and why capitalizing on them allows us to do even better and more fulfilling work in the organizations.

## **Working Outside Your Major**

*Jasmine Johnson*

*NEDAA Vice-President for Tau Beta Sigma*

*Saturday, March 19, 2016—11:00am*

*Hancock 2005*

This interactive and discussion-based workshop will give Sisters and Brothers strategies on how to explore job opportunities outside of those dictated by their major. We will explore ways to apply your major to other fields, ways to get use any job to build your resume, and ways to get to the job you want.

## **Page 50 of the Ritual (KKΨ Closed)**

*Marie Burleigh*

*Kappa Kappa Psi Northeast District Governor*

*Saturday, March 19, 2016—1:00pm*

*River Rooms (Student Center 3102-3105)*

This workshop is for initiated brothers only and looks at the charge in the 3rd Degree. This single page in the ritual book very clearly defines how we are to conduct ourselves as brothers and rarely gets much attention. Whether you are new to the brotherhood, or have been around for years, you have important things to share in this workshop and will take things away with you in return.

## **So You Think You Can't K?**

*Robert Bratcher*

*Kappa Kappa Psi/Tau Beta Sigma National Publications Manager and Multimedia Designer*

*Saturday, March 19, 2016—1:00pm*

*Student Center Dance Studio (Student Center 1205)*

Let's take a stroll in this session as we all practice the popular traditions of “throwing K's” and “strolling”! Stepping and strolling has long since been a way brothers across the nation have showcased fraternal pride and personality! It doesn't matter what chapter you are from! Come out and have fun learning and/or helping others learn. The goal is to have every attendee learn one stroll they can take to their chapter.

# 2016 NORTHEAST DISTRICT CONVENTION

## **Pass The Torch, Don't Burn Down the House**

*Danny George*

*Kappa Kappa Psi Board of Trustees*

*Saturday, March 19, 2016—1:00pm*

*Hancock Center 2005*

This is a session for senior chapter members and recent alumni to encourage and give positive ideas on helping the chapter to continue in the future. The workshop recognizes members' contributions and helps them to find constructive ways to pass their knowledge to the active membership.

## **Kid President & Leadership**

*Adam Cantley*

*Vice-Chair, Kappa Kappa Psi Board of Trustees*

*Saturday, March 19, 2016—1:00pm*

*Hancock Center 2023*

Robby and Brad began making Kid President videos as a way to have fun. However that all changed when one of his motivational videos went viral. Kid President teaches us lessons on civility and activating your passion. Using the work of Barry Posner and James Kouzes and the Student Leadership Challenge, we will explore lessons of leadership that Kid President highlights. Essentially, we will just watch some fun YouTube videos and talk about how to be awesome!

## **Conflict Resolution Within Your Chapter**

*Dr. Ted McCadden*

*Tau Beta Sigma Northeast District Chapter Visitation Assistant*

*Saturday, March 19, 2016—3:00pm*

*Lowell Thomas 020*

This workshop examines how communication can contribute to, avoid, or resolve conflict. We will also address ways to use assertive communication as a means to advocate for your perspective within and between chapters. We will focus on participation in the sorority and fraternity. These communication skills will be helpful for public speaking, job interviews and professional interactions.

## **Gaining Perspective by Traveling**

*Erika Pope*

*Tau Beta Sigma National Vice-President for Communication & Recognition*

*Saturday, March 19, 2016—3:00pm*

*Lowell Thomas 006*

Whenever you travel to another chapter, a convention, or a precinct meeting, you gain a perspective that helps shape your TBΣ experience in a different way, that you can't get by your home chapter. This workshop will teach the different types of perspective you gain by traveling and why traveling is one of the best things you can do to better serve your bands.

## **Mental Qualities of an Attractive Nature**

*Carolyn McCambridge*

*Tau Beta Sigma Board of Trustees*

*Saturday, March 19, 2016—3:00pm*

*Lowell Thomas 129*

In recent years, experts have started to consider mental health as a crisis and an epidemic. These issues exist on all college campuses and within all of our chapters. This workshop will address mental health and how to create a culture of caring within your chapter to ensure your health and well-being of your sisters.

# 2016 NORTHEAST DISTRICT CONVENTION

## **Motivating the Middle**

*Trudy Adler*

*Tau Beta Sigma North Central District Counselor*

*Saturday, March 19, 2016—3:00pm*

*Lowell Thomas 017*

All organizations can be divided into thirds: the top third (members in the leadership positions), the bottom third (unmotivated members), and the middle third (members that want to get involved more but don't know how). This workshop will discuss techniques on how to identify the middle third, and give tips on how to motivate them.

## **Conducting Basics**

*Amy Bovin Dauphinais*

*Past TBΣ Northeast District President*

*Saturday, March 19, 2016—3:00pm*

*Student Center Dance Studio (Student Center 1205)*

This workshop will allow members to gain conducting experience by doing beginner and intermediate exercises. Attendees will understand what goes into conducting and reading a score when in front of an ensemble.

## **CMEP Construction (TBΣ Only)**

*Jonathan Markowski*

*Tau Beta Sigma National Vice-President for Colonization and Membership*

*Saturday, March 19, 2016—3:00pm*

*Lowell Thomas 021*

This workshop will be geared toward current and future VPMs. Participants will discuss and document effective continuing membership education activities and have the opportunity to earn right lyre piece for Focus on 5.

## **Sorority Policies (TBΣ Only)**

*Dr. Kathryn Kelly, MD*

*Tau Beta Sigma National President*

*Saturday, March 19, 2016—3:00pm*

*Lowell Thomas 027*

This workshop will cover the always growing sorority policies—specifically those on hazing and off-campus events. This workshop will allow members to ask any and all questions regarding these policies and also gain a better understanding on how their chapter can abide by these policies.

## **Event Planning 101: How to Implement National Programs at the Chapter Level**

*Adrienne Rall*

*Tau Beta Sigma National Vice-President for Special Projects*

*Saturday, March 19, 2016—3:00pm*

*Lowell Thomas 013*

This workshop will teach attendees on how to take the necessary steps to accurately implement the Sorority's National Programs. This workshop will cover how a chapter of six and a chapter of 46 can implement these programs to allow all chapters to benefit from them.

# 2016 NORTHEAST DISTRICT CONVENTION

## LOCAL DINING

### WITHIN WALKING DISTANCE FROM MARIST (ALL IN POUGHKEEPSIE)

**Applebee's**  
3434 North Road  
(845) 486-0052

**K&D Deli**  
256 North Road  
(845) 471-1607

**Pad Mango**  
11 Marist Drive  
(845) 486-9200

**Quizno's Subs**  
3434 North Road  
(845) 843-7849

**Yolo Bistro**  
260 North Road  
(845) 345-9230

**Campus Deli**  
**10% OFF WITH**  
**CONVENTION ID**  
11 Marist Drive  
(845) 486-4504

**Lola's Cafe**  
131 Washington  
Street  
(845) 471-8555

**Palace Diner**  
194 Washington  
Street  
(845) 452-5550

**Red Fox Eatery**  
**10% DONATED**  
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11 Marist Drive  
(845) 473-3369

**Cosimo's**  
Delafield St. & Rt. 9  
(845) 485-7172

**McDonald's**  
3470 North Road  
(845) 473-4618

**P-Ridge Pizzeria**  
**10% OFF and**  
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**CONVENTION ID**  
264 North Road  
(845) 483-1400

**Starbucks Coffee**  
3434 North Road  
(845) 575-6736

**Giacomo's Pizza**  
3434 North Road  
(845) 452-5550

**Molé Molé**  
260 North Road  
(845) 452-2840

**Yeung Ho II**  
264 North Road  
(845) 473-2336

### NORTH OF MARIST (ALL IN HYDE PARK)

**Apple Pie Bakery Café at the  
Culinary Institute of America**  
1946 Campus Drive  
(845) 905-4500

**Coppola's**  
4167 Albany Post Road  
(845) 229-9113

**Ristorante Caterina de'Medici at the  
Culinary Institute of America**  
1946 Campus Drive  
(845) 905-4500

**American Bounty Restaurant at the  
Culinary Institute of America**  
1946 Campus Drive  
(845) 905-4500

**Darby O'Gills**  
3969 Albany Post Road  
(845) 229-6662

**Subway**  
3969 Albany Post Road  
(845) 229-9999

**Antonella's**  
4246 Albany Post Road  
(845) 229-1200

**Dunkin' Donuts**  
3979 Albany Post Road  
(845) 229-4146

**Bocuse Restaurant at the Culinary  
Institute of America**  
1946 Campus Drive  
(845) 905-4500

**Eveready Diner**  
4184 Albany Post Road  
(845) 229-8100

**China Wok**  
3999 Albany Post Road  
(845) 229-0888

**Hyde Park Brewing Company**  
4076 Albany Post Road  
(845) 229-8277

**Pangea Restaurant at the Culinary  
Institute of America**  
1946 Campus Drive  
(845) 905-4500

# 2016 NORTHEAST DISTRICT CONVENTION

## LOCAL DINING

### **SOUTH OF MARIST (ALL IN POUGHKEEPSIE)**

**Akari**

35 Main Street  
(845) 471-1773

**Amici's**

35 Main Street  
(845) 452-4700

**Bonefish Grill**

2185 South Road  
(845) 432-7507

**Chili's**

2016 South Road  
(845) 296-1375

**Cibo**

2265 South Road  
(845) 462-3663

**Coppola's on 9**

2519 South Road  
(845) 462-4545

**Coyote Grill**

2629 South Road  
(845) 471-0600

**Crew Restaurant**

2290 South Road  
(845) 462-8900

**Dunkin' Donuts**

2265 South Road  
(845) 462-0606

**Dunkin' Donuts**

2580 South Road  
(845) 454-3430

**Five Guys**

2507 South Road  
(845) 462-0388

**Giacomo's Pizza**

1 Spackenkill Road  
(845) 462-5555

**Ginger Chinese**

2494 South Road  
(845) 462-1020

**Hardee's**

2275 South Road  
(845) 840-1208

**hoopla! Frozen Yogurt**

2521 South Road  
(845) 436-3330

**IHOP**

2550 South Road  
(845) 462-1792

**Kido Asia Buffet**

2600 South Road  
(845) 485-7800

**Kobe Hibachi**

2585 South Road  
(845) 454-9888

**La Luna Pizza**

2507 South Road  
(845) 462-7000

**Mahoney's**

35 Main Street  
(845) 471-7026

**Olive Garden**

2044 South Road  
(845) 297-1787

**O'Sho (Japanese)**

1998 South Road  
(845) 297-0540

**Panera Bread**

2020 South Road  
(845) 297-3549

**Pizza Hut**

2585 South Road  
(845) 473-2900

**Poughkeepsie****Ice House on the Hudson**

1 Main Street  
(845) 232-5783

**Red Lobster**

2255 South Road  
(845) 462-4301

**Red Robin**

2511 South Road  
(845) 463-3610

**River Station**

1 North Water Street  
(845) 452-9207

**Rossi's Deli****10% OFF WITH  
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45 South Clover Street  
(845) 471-0654

**Ruby Tuesday's**

2521 South Road  
(845) 462-5244

**Salsa Restaurant**

2585 South Road  
(845) 463-3477

**Shadows on the Hudson**

176 Rinaldi Boulevard  
(845) 486-9500

**Southside Café**

2585 South Road  
(845) 454-0379

**Starbucks**

2519 South Road  
(845) 462-5480

**Subway**

1955 South Road  
(845) 297-2644

**Subway**

2507 South Road  
(845) 463-0977

**Table Talk Diner**

2519 South Road  
(845) 849-2839

**T.G.I. Friday's**

2495 South Road  
(845) 483-1280

**Umberto's Pizzeria**

2245 South Road  
(845) 462-5117

**Wendy's**

2596 South Road  
(845) 454-2906

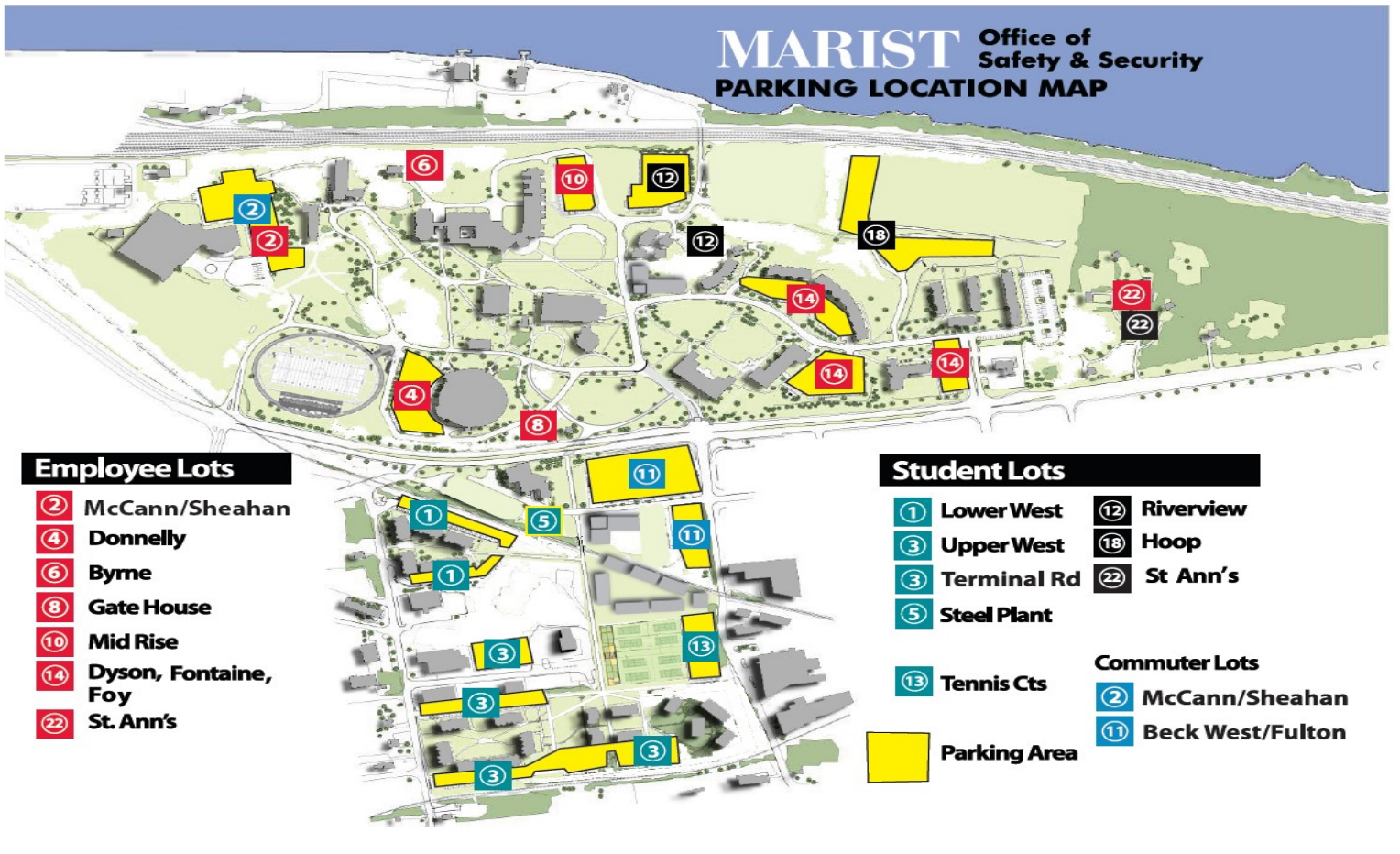


# 2016 NORTHEAST DISTRICT CONVENTION



The following buildings will be utilized for Northeast District Convention:

- 7. Margaret M. and Charles H. Dyson Center
- 16. Hancock Center
- 21. Lowell Thomas Communications Center
- 24. James J. McCann Recreational Center
- 30. Student Center/Rotunda/Music Building



# NEDAA

Northeast District Alumni Association  
Kappa Kappa Psi and Tau Beta Sigma



The Northeast District Alumni Association is an organization that prides itself on serving both the Active and Alumni Brothers and Sisters of the Northeast District. This year, we are proud to offer a variety of programming that we hope will reach a large percentage of the Northeast District. Please feel free to contact us at anytime at [nedaakkpsitbs@gmail.com](mailto:nedaakkpsitbs@gmail.com) or visit our website at [nedaa.org](http://nedaa.org).

## **ARE YOU A GRADUATING SENIOR??**

Come to our Graduating Senior Luncheon on Saturday at NOON in the Student Center Cabaret! We will feed you and you get to learn more about the alumni organizations and the transition from Active to Alumni.

## **WORKSHOPS**

The NEDAA will be offering a large variety of workshops at NED Convention this year. Please refer to the schedule for more details.

## **AWARDS**

The NEDAA currently offers five awards at each Northeast District Convention, one Keynote Speaker, two Ritual Scholarships and two Alumni Communication Awards. We cannot wait to announce the winners of these awards at convention.

## **FUNDRAISERS AT CONVENTION**

Flowers for Banquet:

Carnations and Roses available for purchase  
1 for \$3 or 2 for \$5

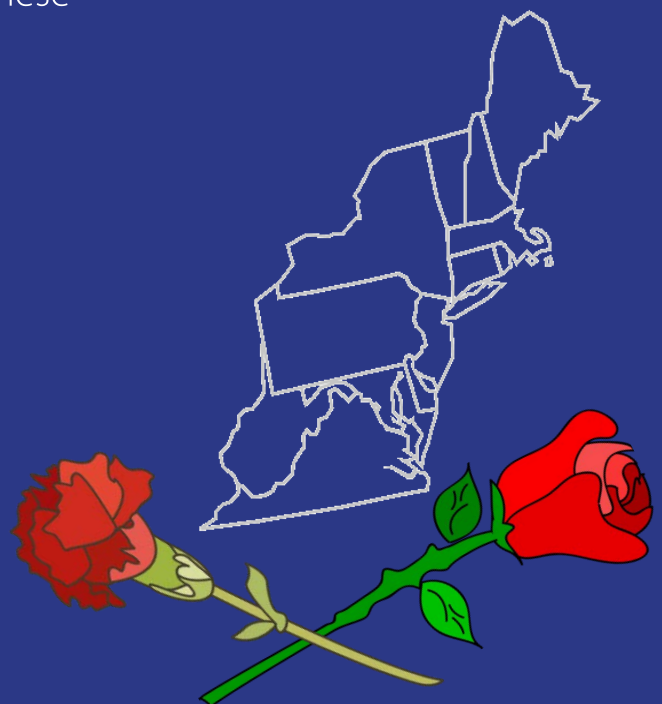
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# 13 DAYS OF TBS



## WHEN

March 14-26, 2016

## WHAT

13 Days...5 Qualities...8 Essential Factors...1 Big Celebration, all "For Greater Bands!"

FEATURING • #WorkoutWithWava • #IQITB • #4Gr8rAwareness • #TBSisterhood • #WavaOn • #ToBeSuccessful • #Loyal2TBS • #TruthfulBetterSisters • #TBSmiles • #TBSongs • #TBSGives • #TAUlerance • #TBSFoundersDay

3/14: Quality 1  
"Workout With Wava"

3/15: Quality 2  
"Tau Beta Study"

3/16: Quality 3  
"Take a Stand for TBS"

3/17: Quality 4  
"The Spirit of Sisterhood"

3/18: Quality 5  
"Keep Calm & Wava On"

3/19: Essential Factor 1  
"TBS Dress for Success"

3/20: Essential Factor 2  
"TBS Loyalty"

3/21: Essential Factor 3  
"Build a Bond"

3/22: Essential Factor 4  
"For Greater Cheerfulness"

3/23: Essential Factor 5  
"Music Our Common Tie"

3/24: Essential Factor 6  
"TBS Gives Back"

3/25: Essential Factor 7  
"For the Love of Band"

3/26: Essential Factor 8  
"TBS Founder's Day"

#13DAYSOFTBS



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Questions? Contact the KKΨAA at [alumni@kkpsi.org](mailto:alumni@kkpsi.org) or (405) 372-2333

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honoring our past  supporting our future

The Alumni Giving Program (AGP) is a donation program designed for alumni Brothers who find **monthly contributions** to KKPsi more manageable than an annual donation.

AGP donations support our National KKPsi Alumni Association, the Trust and General Funds, and by extension the active membership.

All monthly recurring donations are billed to your credit/debit card or to your checking account. It's easy to manage, and easy to budget.

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