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It's a great Day to be a Theta Delt!
October 2021 #2

Celebrate Founders' Day: Renew in Union Our Social Joys

October 31st



This year our theme for Founders' Day is Hope and Fidelity.
Let everyone know how great it is to be a Theta Delt.

1. Join Theta Delt from around the world by renewing our oath to Hope and Fidelity. As in years past we will assemble, via Zoom at 18:47 military time in your local time zone. The Zoom links are below:
 - o [6:47pm Eastern Time](#)
 - o [6:47pm Central Time](#)
 - o [6:47pm Mountain Time](#)

- o [6:47pm Pacific Time](#)
2. Commit to doing a service or philanthropy project that day to honor the, "Old Lady" (Don't forget to post pictures on our Instagram and Facebook pages.)
 3. As a Charge, take a few moments to reflect on the Preamble of the organization
 4. Consider making a donation or ask your loved ones to give to the Educational Foundation during their Founders' Day of Giving. A donation to the Educational Foundation helps to fund scholarships, grants to Charges, Preamble Institute, Charge level programs, Bros. UniteD, and the Minerva Sessions at Convention. Click [here](#) to make a tax-deductible, Founders' Day of Giving donation.

Theta Delta Chi Almost Never Existed



In 1804, Eliphalet Nott, became President of Union College until his death in 1866. When he became President, the College was in dire financial straits and he worked successfully to place it on solid financial footings. In the 1830's, after the establishment of the Union Triad fraternities, President Nott called for the dissolution of all fraternities. Had it not been for the persuasive intervention of a Delta Phi, John Jay Hyde, the birth of Theta Delta Chi might not have happened. President Nott is remembered today with the Nott Memorial building which is an elaborate 16 sided stone building which is both the architectural and physical centerpiece of Union College.

DEI Survey

Please Compete the Survey

Don't let the opportunity for your Charge to win a NEW FLAG go by because you failed to fill out the DEI survey. All Charges that have 80% or more participation in completing the survey will be sent a new TDX flag to proudly fly outside at their Charge. More importantly the information collected in this survey will help us with our endeavors to improve and reform in regards to our diversity, equity, and inclusion practices. Help Theta Delta Chi lead the greater community.

If you have not taken the opportunity to complete the survey, click [here](#) and do so now.

MyTDX.org User Guide

Make the Most Out of MyTDX

CFO staff have created a [MyTDX.org User Guide](#). This guide will help you learn to:

- Create and send invoices to all of your Charge
- Create and send Newsletters to your Alumni members
- Manage Charge documents (Minutes, ByLaws, Transition Manuals)
- Track service, philanthropy and study hours
- Manage numerous budget operations (Create Budget, track expenses, track Charge dues)

Delegation Year

Your delegation year is four years AFTER you start college. So . . . if you entered your college in 2019, your delegation year would be 2023. This is regardless of when you joined the organization. Please go into your profile on MyTDX.org and make sure your delegation year is correct. While you are there – please make sure your email address is accurate.

Delegation:

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New to the Newsletter

This NEW feature is created to highlight the achievements and leadership positions of current undergraduate brothers as well as the Charge. Please contact Rick Wood, Educational Consultant at rwood@tdx.org with news about Charge or brother successes and we will let the entire Fraternity know. Here are some great examples:

- **Charlie Dern, Sigma Deuteron '23** – Charge President and Sports Editor for The Badger Herald – Univ. Wisconsin
- **Cade Johnson, Psi Tetraton '22** – IFC VP Risk Management– University of Arizona
- Alpha Charge – 5 of 8 IFC Exec Positions – Union College
 - **Owen Foley, Alpha '22** - IFC VP
 - **Zach Dubinsky, Alpha '23** – IFC Treasurer
 - **Jack Brockway, Alpha '23** – IFC Recruitment Chair
 - **Tommy MacNeil, Alpha '22** - IFC Philanthropy Chair
 - **Phil Facey, Alpha '22** – IFC Chief Information Officer
- **Timothy Driscoll, Alpha '22** – Captain Union Football Team Union College
- **Ben Weiss, Alpha '23** – Captain Union Rowing Team Union College
- **David Krewson, Xi '22** – Starting Quarterback Hobart College Football
- **Liam McClean, Sigma Deuteron '22** – IFC President Univ. Wisconsin
- **Carson Fisher, Beta Deuteron '23** – IFC VP of Recruitment Iowa State
- **Cameron Bible, Beta Deuteron '22** – IFC VP of Judicial Affairs Iowa State
- **Cody McCreedy, Beta Deuteron '22** – Senator in Iowa State Student Government representing fraternities
- **David Keen, Rho Proteron '23** – IFC VP of Administration

Exceptional Brothers Doing Exceptional Thing

Bill Favorite, Gamma Deuteron '20

William “Bill” P. Favorite, Gamma Deuteron 1920, is remembered by all Gamma Tritons as the father and founder of the Gamma Triton Charge. As an esteemed and successful businessman, scientist and graduate of the University of Michigan, in 1964 established the Gamma Triton Charge (Michigan State University). He not only provided the financial resources for the Charge to become established, he also secured the financing for Gamma Triton’s first Charge house. This Founders’ Day we not only celebrate our six original founders, we need to pause, reflect and give thanks for the men who assisted and are responsible for the founding of many of our Charges.



Current editions of the Undergraduate Newsletter are hosted on mytdx.org (GreekTrack) for all members of the Fraternity.

If you would like to submit ideas for articles, comment on current articles or submit an article for publication in this newsletter, please contact Dr. Richard "Rick" Wood, Educational Consultant for Theta Delta Chi at rwood@tdx.org.

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