

Phi Mu Alpha~Sinfonia, Province 19

NEWSLETTER

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Membership Pins Update



March 31, 2009

The first shipment of new pins arrived at the National Headquarters this morning. This shipment, which contained 88 pins, is expected to be followed by a second shipment containing over 500 pins within the next few days. The remainder of the pins are expected within a couple of weeks.

Backorders will be filled chronologically; those who have been waiting the longest will be filled first. We expect that all new brothers missing their pins will have them by the end of the current academic term.

The National Headquarters staff is very pleased with the quality of the new pins. The construction is solid, the materials are high in quality, and the new die more closely matches the historic die currently used by Herff Jones, the jeweler that manufactures the "upgrade" pins. Overall, we believe the membership will be very satisfied with the new product and will recognize the significant increase in quality from the previous version.

Again, we apologize for the lengthy delay and the difficulties experienced as a result. Of course, we will continue to keep everyone apprised of further

Brothers of Province 19,

I have had a blast visiting many chapters in the province over the past couple of weeks. I continue to be amazed by the level of professionalism and the care that all of you put into your respective chapters. It is so nice to sit back and watch Province 19 at work!

I have included a section about citations in this edition of the newsletter. Citations are due May 1st and PM Documentation is due June 1st. The Presidents, Vice-Presidents, and Province Officers will be having a conference call to set the date for province workshop. I will be sure to get this out to all of you as soon as possible.

Lastly, if you could check with the brothers in your chapter and make sure that everyone is receiving this e-newsletter, that would be great. I am still missing many email addresses in the province and I need your help in obtaining these. Any help would be great, including alumni also!

I wish you all a great April and a good end to the current semester. I will be attending the Road Trip stop in K.C. next week, along with visiting Pi Zeta, Epsilon Gamma, Iota Rho, and Zeta. Hope to see you soon!

Fraternally,

John M. Israel
 Governor, Province 19
 Phi Mu Alpha ~Sinfonia

2009 Chapter Citations

All chapter citations are due postmarked on or before May 1st to the Province Governor.

John M. Israel
631 Oregon Trail Ct.
St. Charles, MO 63304

In completing each of the seven citations, please keep these things in mind.

- Make sure that someone (President) reviews all the forms and documentation for your chapter's citations before they are sent to the PG.
- Make sure that all signatures are completed.
- The citations must be postmarked on or before May 1st.

developments, including the arrival of further shipments of pins.

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Website and Forum at:
www.province19.org

- Read through all requirements for each citation, make sure that proper documentation is provided (a lack of documentation is the biggest reason for a chapter not receiving their citations)
- If you have not started collecting documentation for citations, start right away!
- If you have any questions, please contact the PG at (314) 753-5438 or pg19@sinfonia.org

Upcoming Dates In Province 19

4/15/2009, Alumni Road Trip: Kansas City
4/16/2009, Beta Mu AMR
4/16/2009, Province 19 Officers/Presidents/Vice-Presidents Conf Call, 9:30p
4/18/2009, Iota Rho Initiation
4/19/2009, Pi Zeta Initiation
4/25/2009, Iota Rho Banquet
4/26/2009, Zeta Initiation
4/26/2009, Rho Lambda Initiation
4/28/2009, Epsilon Gamma Recital
5/1/2009 Citations Postmarked, Due to Province Governor
5/2/2009 Epsilon Gamma Chapter Day Activities
6/1/2009 PM Documentation Postmarked, Due to Province Governor

Want to see your chapter's events posted? Email them to pg19@sinfonia.org!

National Convention 2009 Legislative Docket

The 2009 National Convention Legislative Docket can be found here:

<http://www.sinfonia.org/convention/resources/docket-public-final.pdf>

In the next month or so, Chris and I will want your input and opinions regarding the legislative docket. We have come up with a couple ways to do this:

1. Email pg19@sinfonia.org and both of us will review all emails sent to us before we go to convention so we can represent the province properly.
2. We can set up a conference call- if you would prefer to discuss some items. If you are interested in this, please email pg19@sinfonia.org ASAP!
3. Any brother can get a hold of me by phone: (314) 753-5438

-John

Alumni Road Trip: Kansas City

Please come and join us for the Alumni Road Trip as it makes a stop in Kansas City!

Kansas City Alumni Reunion

Director of Alumni Affairs, Dan Krueger will be embarking on the 2009 Alumni Road Tour during the upcoming week. Starting in Arkansas, he'll be stopping through eight cities in seven different states. On Wednesday April 15 Dan will be in Kansas City, MO for an alumni reunion. Hopefully many alumni, as well as those collegiate who will soon become alumni, will be at this event. The reunion will take place at Diastole in downtown Kansas City starting at 8:00. This event is a great opportunity for Dan to meet with local alumni and discuss the formation of a Kansas City Alumni Association. For those of you who will not be able to attend this event I hope that you will keep the alumni associations in this province in mind as you finish up your collegiate careers, as these associations will provide another level in your journey in Sinfonia. Hopefully soon there will be an alumni association on both sides of the state for you to be a part of.

Jayson Moll
PAC- 19

Phi Mu Alpha
Sinfonia *Alumni Reunion*

Date..... April 15, 2009


Location.....Diastole
2501 Holmes Street
Kansas City, MO 64108

Time.....8:00-10:00pm

Contact.....Mark Holcomb, 816-807-2297

► Please bring \$10 cash to cover cost for food and beverages ◀

Please RSVP, Invite fellow Sinfonians
and have them RSVP to
mwhbuddy1@aol.com
by April 6, 2009



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