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### *Tau Kappa Kappa Chapter Southfield, MI*

### Ques get Down and Dirty for a Great Cause

On Saturday, November 3, 2007, Tau Kappa Kappa kicked off the current fiscal year in the spirit of service to the community by partnering with Habitat for Humanity, Detroit to help build a community.

Lead by the Tau Kappa Kappa Social Action Committee, Omega Men from Tau Kappa Kappa, Nu Omega and Omicron Alpha Alpha Chapters teamed together to till land, spread top soil, and lay sod on about six newly constructed, low income homes.

In addition to helping the community, Bro. Jamarl Eiland's son Dominick joined the group and was able to acquire community service credit, as required by his High School.

The Metro-Detroit Ques are committed to this being one of many Social Action and socially responsible projects for this ensuing fiscal year.



Left to right: Mike Williams, Cris Madison, Rodd Monts, Curtis Brunson, Brandon Lewis, Patrick Bosworth, Tywone Jones, Jamarl Eiland, Jessie Curry, Dwight Atkins  
Kneeling: Medgar Clark  
Not Pictured: Terrence Martin, Kareem Sigler



### Marathon Men

On Sunday, October 21st, two of Tau Kappa Kappa's own participated in the Detroit Free Press / Flagstar Half Marathon.

The Detroit Free Press/Flagstar Marathon ranks as one of the best venues for running a marathon in North America. *Marathon and*

*Beyond Magazine* rates only six marathons higher. Brother Rodd Monts completed the 13.1 mile run in a time of 2:01:07.

Brother Robert Mitchell finished in 2:29:34. Congratulations are due to both brothers for this wonderful accomplishment.



Bro. Rodd Monts



Bro. Robert Mitchell

## Family & Friends Bowling

On Saturday, October 27, Tau Kappa Kappa sponsored its second annual, "Family & Friends



Fall Harvest Bowling Party" at the Madison Park Bowl, Madison Heights, MI.

There were over thirty participants; adults and children alike.

Tau Kappa Kappa's Fellowship Committee negotiated a deal whereas we rented all lanes from 2pm-5pm. Each bowler paid for three games, with shoes included for \$6.00.

There was an adult and child raffle where gift certificates to Toy-R-Us and gift certificates any AMC Movie Theater were the prizes. Kristin Knox

(son of Bro. Kurmell Knox); Farrah Newman (daughter of Bro. Earl Newman); Claudia Bosworth (daughter of Bro. Patrick Bosworth); and Robert Mitchell 2<sup>nd</sup> (son of Bro. Robert Mitchell Sr.) as well as Bro. Kurmell Knox and Kim Knox (wife of Bro. Knox) were the winners. Finally, Goody bags were passed out to children as they left.

everyone had a great time!

## Annual Chili Cook-Off

On Saturday, October 27, Tau Kappa Kappa's brothers Brandon Lewis, Melvin Carver and Sean Benson participated in the Nu Omega Annual Chili Cook-Off at the Nu Omega Fraternity House.

This years competition consisted of three teams. one team was last years winner Otis Holt and Rapheal Coleman (NQ) the other, Marquis Sagnia, Earl Shakespere, and Ken Harvey (NQ).

In following the rules and scoring criteria of the contest,



TKK's presentation was by far the crown jewel of the competition, going as far as having a purple fire hydrant (hydrants being a requirement of each

team).

This event was open to the public to taste the different chili's. TKK's chili received rave reviews from guest, however, finished in second place, loosing by four points to team Sagnia, Shakespere and Harvey.

The team affectionately named their chili "Al Gore. . .The One That Should Have Won!"

## NEWS FROM IHQ

International Headquarters announces the "My Page" portion of the International website is now active. Brothers now have the capability to update their own Fraternity profile.

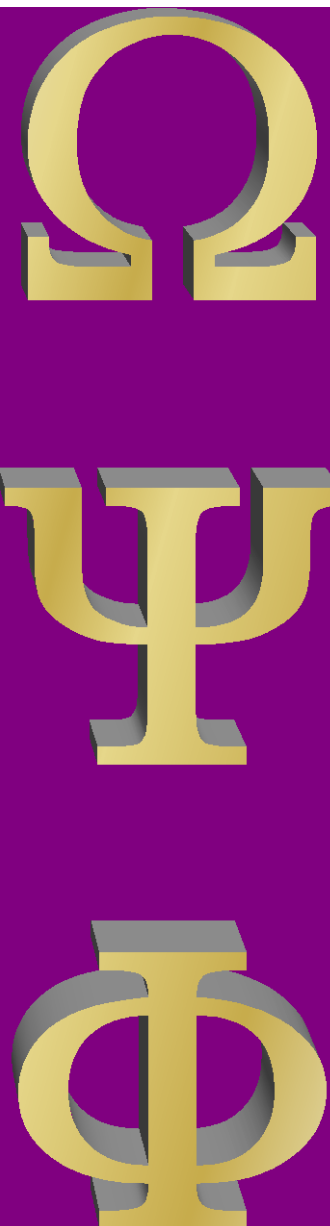
From the "Member's Only" section, click on the "My Page" link. You will be able to review your information in the International Office's files. You will have the

capability to make any corrections. You can also update your mailing address, your email address, telephone numbers, and change your password. You can even upload a different photo for use on your membership card!

Or you may still keep your information current through the KRS who will update the information for you.

IHQ is creating tools to make it easier to be a good Omega Man. However, not everything is for everyone. Help IHQ to serve you better by telling how your needs are or are not being met. Please direct your letters to: Communications Director Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, 3951 Snapfinger Parkway Decatur, GA 30035

Or, email us at: [ihq-moderator@oppf.org](mailto:ihq-moderator@oppf.org).



## WORDS OF INSPIRATION

*Lots of people want to ride with you in the limo, but what you want is someone who will take the bus with you when the limo breaks down."*

-Oprah Winfrey

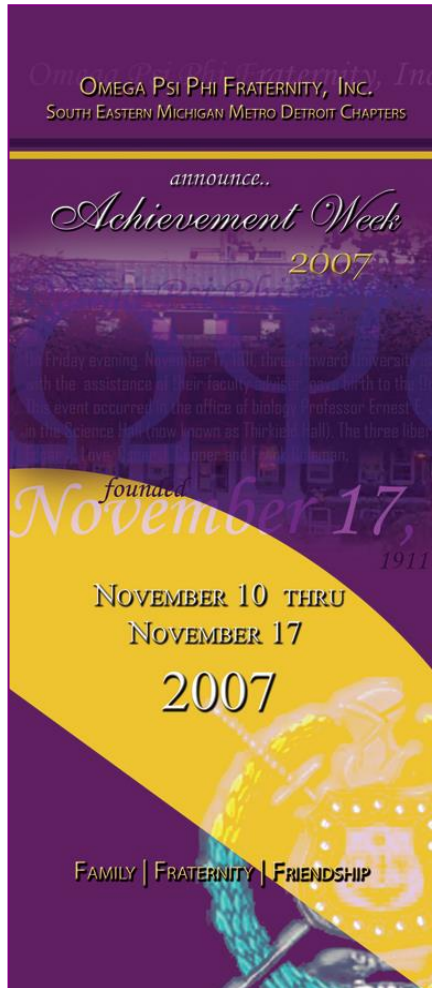
## 2007 ACHIEVEMENT WEEK

Saturday, November 10th marked the kick-off of the 2007 Achievement Week. The first scheduled events were the Dr. Charles R. Drew Blood Drive which was headed-up by Bro. Robert Mitchell and the "Winter Warm-Up" Fall Clothing Drive.

Sunday, Nu Omega and Tau Kappa Kappa chapters joined together in fellowship at Oak Groove A.M.E. Church where the message was brought by Bro. Dr. Robert Brumfield, pastor.

On Monday, the focus was on health and "How to Eat and Live Longer!" Bro. Reginald Eadie, DO., and author of a book of the same title, regaled all participants with his prolific knowledge on proper eating habits the way God intended.

During the 2007 Leadership Conference, In Philadelphia, during a Social Action Meeting it was proposed and accepted to have a National Social Action Day during the Achievement Week Activities. During this day (Wednesday, November 14, 2007) all Omega chapters would participate in a program that benefits and works with African-American males.



In following this mandate, The "Boy's to Men" program was conducted at the Don Bosco Residential, a home for emotionally troubled youth, ward of the state of Michigan and place of employment for Brother Keith Bullock. This program was geared to teach young men how to properly fill out job applications and interview techniques, arming them with the proper tools to compete in the job market as they get ready to transition into the real world. Over twenty-five young men, ranging in age from fourteen thought 17, were educated and enlightened.

We then had a Mix and Mingle at Lola's Restaurant and Lounge on Thursday.

On Friday, November 16, 2007, after a week of activities and months of planning, TKK held its annual Founders Day Celebration, "The Purple & Gold Affair." This party was that the Southfield VFW Hall on Nine Mile Rd. at Telegraph. The doors were opened around 6 pm for fellowship amongst the brothers. Food was provided by TKK's own Bernard "Nardy" Mitchell. Following fellowship, the doors were opened to the public.

As usual, this party was "MASSIVE."

