

# TIGER FIJI

# Lambda Marks Its 150th with Three Days of Celebrations

Lambda Chapter celebrated its 150th anniversary-making it the oldest Phi Gamma Delta chapter in continuous existence and the second-oldest fraternity at DePauw—with a blow out party, held September 22-24, 2006, in Indianapolis and Greencatle.

Over 250 graduate brothers, spouses, faculty members, university staff, and guests attended the various events. Classes from 1947 to 2006 were represented. Attendees included brothers from Montana, California, Florida, New York, Washington, D.C., and more.

Archon Vice President Bill Miller (Indiana) attended the Friday reception, which featured lots of opportunities to see friends and meet new ones! The memorabilia display was superb, as was the Beta Graduate Chapter Chorus.

DePauw University President Robert G. Bottoms spoke at the chapter house on September 23. In his remarks, Dr. Bottoms recognized the accomplishments of the chapter and its strong graduate support, especially since the "revitalization" effort started in 2000. Dr. Bottoms remarked that, "Fiji has done some unbelievable things. I have a personal appreciation for what it has been able to achieve." He also commented on his own fraternity experience and how "fraternity life at its best changes lives forever."

James Lincoln, vice president for Student Services, spoke at the Gala Dinner. His remarks focused on the achievements of Phi Gam, especially scholarship, diversity, philanthropy, and social service.

He also shared anecdotes about the chapter, such as the time former House Corporation President Paul Qua '82 entered the house smoking a cigar-a violation of the chapter's no-smoking policyand was asked to step outside or pay a \$25 fine! Paul stepped outside. Undergraduate brothers later commented that they did not know Lincoln knew so much about Phi Gam. Well, he does, and he received a standing ovation in appreciation!

Chapter President Brian Furman '08 spoke about the status of the chapter today and its plans for the future. (See his remarks on page two.)

William A. Martin III (Mississippi State '75) spoke about the fraternity and challenges fraternities face today. He commented on the success at Lambda and how it serves as an example for other chapters and fraternities.

The highlight of the evening was the keynote address by Towner Blackstock (Davidson '94), curator of the Phi Gamma Delta Archives. (Yes, the DePauw football stadium bears the same name, and he wants it back! Towner, the son of a Beta, is also a member of the Sons of Betas or "SOBs!" Rivalries are great!)

After reviewing the early history of Lambda, and the many contributions Lambda graduates have made to their nation, state, alma mater, and fraternity, Towner issued challenges to the chapter for continued improvement, encouraging them not to rest on their laurels. He asked that the chapter apply for fraternity awards, using award criteria as a measure of excellence—not just at DePauw but amongst all

chapters. These awards and criteria are a "springboard for constant improvement, reinforced through support of graduates."

Challenges were also issued to graduate brothers to get involved with the university, the chapter, the fraternity, and its values. "Whether you support academic and educational aims through the foundation or help perpetuate our mission of brotherhood, be assured every bit helps.'

"More than anything, we need your time, your presence at functions, your counsel at chapter meetings" or by helping a young man find direction in the chapter or in life. "I ask you not only to get involved. I ask you to actively support our values."

"We can only ask you to stand for Phi Gamma Delta if you believe in what Phi, Gamma, Delta means."

> Phil Heyde '72 President Lamba Corporation



David Cheeseman '08, David Furman '07, Seth Elder '08, Jake Schuler '07, Ryan Etter '05, Matt Loftspring '05, Tom Fontana '08, and Aaron Gotway '05 enjoy the evening.

## LAMBDA CHAPTER PHI GAMMA DELTA



## **HOUSE CORPORATION**

Joe Carney Russ LaMore Doug Mitchell Paul Qua John Axelberg Don Mighell Wade Nichols Phil Heyde George "Kit" Lortz **David Schmitz** Steve Jacobs Jay Moore Henry Hile **Garth Anderson Ryan Barton** 

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## **President Addresses 150th Crowd**

This year, Lambda Chapter celebrated its 150th anniversary, making it the oldest chapter in continuous existence in Phi Gamma Delta! We are proud to be Fijis, especially at this historic time for Lambda.

This celebration is a testament to the dedication of Lambda brothers like you for the last century and a half! It is also a celebration of how far the chapter has come since 2000 and to the quality of the undergraduate chapter today. Special recognition is due to the many graduate brothers who supported the revitalization effort. Your support and hard work made this celebration a reality. The undergraduates will not let this happen

To the archons and international fraternity staff that approved the revitalization plan and committed the resources to make it a reality, we are sincerely appreciative. To our brothers at other Fiji chapters in Indiana, we are grateful for your substantial contributions to the revitalization effort—especially helping with recruitment in the early stages.

Today is an exciting time to be a Lambda Fiji. The chapter is thriving and at its highest point in years. Okay, I may sound like we have the confidence of a poker player holding four aces, but we have reasons for being confident about our future. During recruitment last year, we pledged and initiated 12 men of exceptionally high quality. They are intelligent, industrious, enthusiastic, and represent the values of Phi Gamma Delta. We seek members that bring quality to the chapter and who are multitalented.

The chapter has strong pledge-education and member-education programs. emphasize these programs on an on-going basis. These include programs in the Purple Pilgrim, risk management, and alcohol use. We are committed to assisting each of our brothers learn and grow as individuals and as

Scholarship is taken very seriously at Lambda. For four straight years, the chapter finished well above the all-men and all-fraternity averages—something that is now our expectation and our contribution to Lambda's history of excellence. Our last two pledge classes finished first among all fraternity pledge classes. For the past two semesters, Lambda finished first with the highest GPA among all fraternities. Last fall's GPA of 3.4117 was the highest of all Fiji chapters in Indiana and third highest among Fiji chapters nationally. We improved second semester with a chapter GPA of 3.4291.

Brother Buck Thornburg asked, "Don't the undergraduates do anything but study?" We do lots more than study! We have a very active social life!

Our campus involvement is very high. Many brothers are members of scholastic



Chapter President Brian Furman '08 speaks at the 150th celebration.

and honorary societies, philanthropic scholarship programs, science research fellows, and media fellows. We are active in a variety of clubs, campus organizations, theatre, music, work-study programs, political clubs, RAs in residence halls, Operation Life, debate, and forensics, and more. Continuing a Lambda tradition, we have brothers actively involved with The DePauw newspaper, with some having key positions. Dan Kelley '05 was editor in chief spring semester 2005, and Projesh Banerjea '08 is the current business manager.

Brothers participate in internship programs and study-abroad programs. Brothers are DePauw fall admissions officers and computer interns.

The chapter emphasizes philanthropy and social service projects. Each undergraduate contributes 15 hours a month to social service and many exceed this amount.

We are recognized as a chapter by awards from Greek Affairs and at Fiji State Day. We finished third in the Beta Cup competition as best overall chapter in Indiana.

Our graduate support is very strong and getting better. Our BCA and house corporation are actively involved with the chapter. The house corporation has been instrumental in making improvements to the houseincluding resolving water problems in the basement, new landscaping and a new patio, new furniture, and a multitude of other repairs. More are in progress and more are planned. For the past two summers, graduate brothers have returned to make repairs to the house. They paint, clean, repair items, remodeled the ladies powder room, and much more. We appreciate their time and efforts because it makes our house look good! We do our part, too. Every brother has a house job.

With a successful recruitment this year, there are no limits to what the chapter can achieve. We plan on getting better and better. We look forward to our continued growth and prosperity. Proud to be a Fiji!

> Brian Furman '08 Chapter President

# Class Agents Make 150th Possible —

We particularly thank our class agents (or "generation agents") who made phone calls, sent e-mails, and made personal visits to make the 150th Anniversary Celebration such a success. Without the efforts and enthusiasm of these graduate brothers, we would not have had the turnout we had To each, our sincerest appreciation:

Steve Jacobs '71 Class Agent Coordinator

George Spradling '51 Bill Nesbitt '52 I. Kurt Mahrdt '56 Chuck Kirkdoffer and Bruce Allen '59 George "Kit" Lortz '62 David Dirks '63 Henry Hile '64

Alex Rogers and Jeff Lortz '65 David Jensen '68

Dan Swift '69

Scott Norris '70 John Doan '71 Wade Nichols '72 Doug Reynolds '73 Jay Moore '74 Chris Doran '75 Neil Goltermann '77 Mark E. Fraser '78 Joe Atria '81 Brian Murphy '82

John Axelberg '83 Stuart Ferguson and Jay Carney '84

Dave Schmitz '85

Mike Pickett '87

Peter Lortz '90

John Kneisley '91

Corev Miller '92

Ed Simcox '93

David Oua '94

James Bell and Matt Durham '95

Shakleel Lakhani '01

Sean Barrie '03

Matt Cahill '05

## **Planning Committe's Hard Work Ensures Successful Celebration**

Without the time, organizational skills, perseverance and commitment of the planning committee, Lambda Chapter's 150th Gala Celebration would not have been the huge success that it was.

On behalf of all Lambda graduates and undergraduates, our sincere thanks for a job more than well done! We could not have asked for more or expected a better party for the 250 attending one or more events.

We all appreciate the efforts of the following brothers and our house director: Ed Martin '73, co-chairman; J. Kurt Mahrdt '56, co-chairman (hotel arrangements and hosted Sunday brunch); Alex Rogers '65 (master of ceremonies and class agent); Steve Jacobs '71 (class agents coordinator); Mark Mills '73 (hotel arrangements and event planning); Carl Sahlberg (Iowa State '67, webmaster and more); Eric A. Wolfe '04 (campus events Coordinator and more); Doug Ingersoll '88 (communications); Nicholas Dimos '05 (history); John Broyles '91 (general member); Camron Parker '09 (arrangements at the house and undergraduate coordinator); Mark Holwager '08 for delivering the invocation and leading in the Doxology at the Gala Dinner.

Douglas Fellegy '05 wrote, produced, filmed, edited and did everything else to prepare the excellent complimentary DVD distributed to dinner attendees. If you did not receive a copy, more have been ordered. See page five for more information on how to obtain

A special thanks to Marla Miner, our house director, for assuring the house was in great shape for the celebration!



Members of the 150th planning committee—Eric Wolfe '04, Mark Mills '73, J. Kurt Mahrdt '56, Edward Martin '79, and Carl Sahlberg (Iowa State '67)—gather for a photo.

## ORDER YOUR 150TH PICTURES TODAY

Check out indianapartypics.com to order your pictures of the 150th Anniversary Celebration. Many are group photos, but there are lots of brothers with their spouses, too! Order

Also, we would like to thank photographer Steve Swanson for allowing us to use these pictures for the Tiger Fiji and on the chapter's website.

# **Distinguished Lambda Graduates Honored**

On September 23, during Lambda Chapter's 150th Anniversary Celebration, Bernard C. Kilgore '29, Edwin C. Boswell '31, J. Stanford Smith '36, and Douglas A. Smith '68, were inducted as Distinguished Lambda Graduates. Kilgore, Boswell, and Stan Smith were inducted Ad Astra. Lalla Boswell Heyde and her husband, James, accepted for Brother Ed Boswell. Over 130 brothers, spouses, and guests attended the program at the chapter house.

#### **EDWIN C. BOSWELL**

Brother Boswell was a rector

scholar at DePauw during the Great Depression. This influenced Ed and his wife, Reba, for the rest of their lives. He frequently hired Fiji undergraduates and other DePauw students for summer employment to assist financing their DePauw educations. Ed and Reba also endowed the McMahan Scholarship for Women,

the

Scholarship for deserving scholar athletes, and, along with James Thornburg '33, the Fiji Merit Scholarship Fund at DePauw.

Old

Gold

Ed literally changed the landscape of the campus. He marshaled the resources of his construction company to develop tennis facilities, two intramural fields, a varsity practice field, and the Boswell Soccer Field. He also chaired the drive for construction of the Lilly Center. He served as a member of the DePauw Board of Trustees for more than 25

In her acceptance remarks, Lalla Boswell Heyde, commented, "My father loved Fiji and frequently visited the chapter for many years. He felt that his greatest achievement was to be able to give the same opportunity to young people."

#### **BERNARD C. KILGORE**

Barney, as he was known to all, began his meteoric rise at The Wall Street Journal shortly after graduating from DePauw. In 1941, he became the youngest ever vice president-general manager of The Journal. At age 36, he was named publisher and president of Dow Jones and Co. He was named chairman of the board in 1966.

Barney was a visionary who trans-

formed The Journal from a New York trade publication into the nation's largest newspaper, with a circulation of over 2 million. His management style was unpretentious. He roamed the halls in shirt sleeves and loosened tie. He made it a practice to visit department heads to make suggestions. Direct orders were rare.

Barney served as a member of the DePauw Board of Trustees from 1954 until his death in 1967. He was elected chairman of the board in 1965 and was beginning his second term at the time of his death. Peter Kann, later chairman of Dow Jones, wrote Barney "was truly a mod-

est man. The Journal's eulogy said that even after a quarter-century at the top of his profession, his work is more famous than himself. Barney Kilgore liked it that way."

Stan Smith also entered

#### J. STANFORD SMITH

DePauw as a rector scholar υκυτάτη during the Great Depression. He supported himself by selling flowers from his family's farm in Terre Haute. Later in life, when asked what his greatest challenge at DePauw was, he replied, "Being treasurer of the Phi Gamma Delta house during the depression." He loved music, but according to his wife, Elaine, could not carry a tune. He wanted to be an opera singer "in his

After graduating in 1936, Brother Stan was recruited by General Electric Co. He wasn't, however, receiving his paychecks since the company had another employee also named John Jacob Smith. Brother Stan held a contest to change his name. Thereafter, he became

known as J. Stanford Smith!

He served General Electric in management positions until being named chairman and CEO of International Paper in 1973. After his retirement, he taught business ethics at Cornell University and served on the board of directors for Chase Manhattan Bank, Eli Lilly and Co., and General Motors. He was also a longtime trustee of DePauw and was elected chairman in 1980.

Among his proudest accomplishments is his early support for the civil rights and women's movements. He provided opportunities for minorities in science, engineering, and business. He encouraged his daughter, Barbara, to earn her



James and Lalla Heyde accept Edwin Boswell's award on his behalf.

MBA at NYU, which led to her successful career in marketing.

#### **DOUGLAS A. SMITH**

Doug Smith is number 37 of 48 members of his family to attend DePauw. Like his father, Stan, he found a home at Phi Gam. While at DePauw, Doug was on "a journey to find himself" and he did! His greatest interests remain lifespan development for personal growth, leadership, organizational effectiveness. and successful living. He taught a winter term course at DePauw, "In Pursuit of Happiness," which he described as "one of the highlights of my life."

Doug is currently chairman of Value Creation Partners and Best Brands Corporation. He founded Creation Partners, which subsequently acquired Best Brands and International Multifoods in 2005. The companies have revenues of over \$400 million dollars, with facilities throughout the United States and Canada. Previously, he was chairman and CEO of Borden

He remains involved as an alumnus, having been a Management Center speaker, former member of the Public Relations Council, and currently a member of the Management Center Advisory Council and chair of the McDermond Advisory Board.

Doug and his wife, Phyllis, make their home in Columbus, Ohio, and have two grown sons. Both are actively involved with the national steering committee of the Leukemia Lymphoma Society. Doug is currently undergoing treatment for Leukemia but still finds time for his business activities, his involvement with

## SCENES FROM OUR 150TH —



James Lincoln, vice president of Student Services at DePauw, addresses the dinner audience. Mr. Lincoln received a standing ovation for his speech.



House Director Marla Miner receives a spontaneous standing ovation at dinner.



John Doan '71, Mark Mills '73, and Phi Gamma Delta Executive Director William Martin (Miss. State '75).



Sabine and Brian Quick '74, Steve Vickery '74 and Connie Vickery, and Joyce and Judson Green '74 reunite at that Gala Dinner.

## RELIVE THE MEMORIES

Additional copies of the commemorative DVD are now available. We underestimated demand! For those who registered for the dinner, your DVD is complimentary.

For those of you who did not attend the dinner, we have additional copies available for order at \$4 each. This covers the cost of production, shipping and handling, etc.

If you did not receive your DVD at the dinner or if you wish to order a copy, please send your request to: Marla Miner, House Director, Phi Gamma Delta Fraternity, 916 South College Ave., Greencastle, IN 46135. You can also send Marla an e-mail with your interest at fijihousedirector@depauw.edu

Please include your current mailing address, e-mail address, and-if you did not register for the dinner-payment. This will expedite processing.

## SCENES FROM OUR 150TH

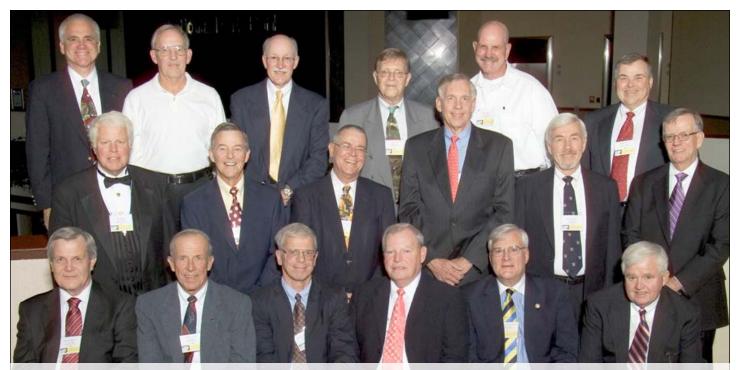


(Row one:) Kim Ryan Harper; David Furman; Matt Cahill; Ryan Hoffman; Nicholas Dimos; Doug Fellegy. (Row two:) Paul Taylor; Saul Ballie, Mike Cowden, Darein Burton, David Worthington, James Patton, Zach Wilson, Andrew Ibendahl, Andrew Cole. (Row three): Jake Schuler, Matt Demaree, Projesh Banerjea, David Badger, Dimitrios Lalos, Ryan May, Matt Loftspring. (Row four:) Jeremy Brok; Garth Anderson; Ross Hallren; Ryan Barton; Tom Fontana; Eric Wolfe; Andrew Hadley; Logan Mayfield; Brian Furman; Josh Wilson. (Row five:) Mark Holwager; Ryan Etter; Michael Gough; Aaron Thompson; Colin Cress; Andy Kehr; Seth Elder; Patrick Murphy; David Cheeseman; Nicholas Vetz; Jesse Bright; Steve Topper; and Aaron Gotway.

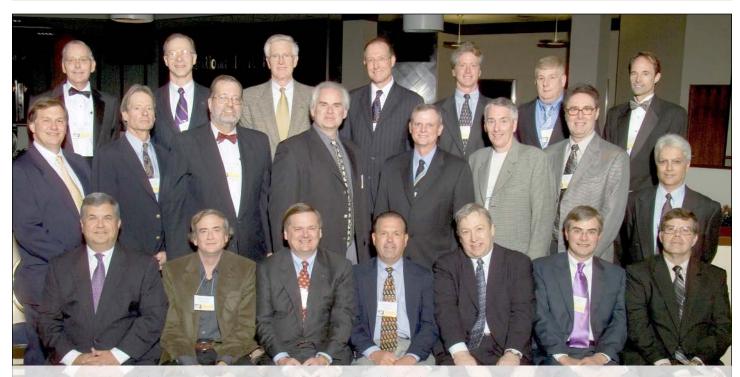


(Row one:) Kurt Mahrdt; Bob Whipple; Joe Carney; Norm Jay; Bill Crawley; Bill Nesbit. (Row two:) Glenn Hannah; Tod Dawson; Don Mighell; Kit Lortz; Buck Thornburg; and Bill Graham.

## SCENES FROM OUR 150TH



(Row one:) Hal Marquardt; Dick Fairchild; Kit Lortz; Bill Graham; Tod Dawson; Buck Thornburg. (Row two:) Alex Rogers; Robert Holland; Frank Green; Clark Orr; Dave Gilbert; Peter Morse. (Row three:) Bruce Allen; Bob Bender; Bruce Bender; Jeff Lortz; Hank Hile; and David Dirks.



(Row one:) Paul Detlefs; Louie Fleece; Doug Long; Doug Reynolds; Jack Green; Denny Logan; Jay Moore. (Row two:) Brooke Hollis; Bob Kirk; Wade Nichols; Jad Dubberley; Mark Mills; Scott Hickey; Cliff Simon; Dan Strayer. (Row three:) Phil Heyde; Doug Mitchell; John Doan; Ed Martin; Bob Maron; Chris Doran; and Steve Vickery.

## SCENES FROM OUR 150TH-



(Row one:) Russ LaMore; Tom Lueder; Dave Schmitz; Pauz Stanish; Doug Ingersoll; Will Shier; Rob Wunderlich. (Row two:) Jay Carney; John Hollensteiner; Paul B. Qua; John Null; John Oviatt; John Hauser; Joe Atria. (Row three:) Tim Riehle; Brian Murphy; Gam Huggins; Kent Zepik; M. Nader Sharifi; Michael Stratton; and John Axelberg.



(Row one:) John Hischman; Anton Tompkins; John Broyles; Jason Suber; Matt Durham; Todd Glass. (Row two:) John Kneisley; Gavin Riepe; Marc Rile; S. Jeffrey Kaye; James Bell; and Dave Qua.

# **Repairs Help Make Chapter House Secure**

So far, 2006 has been another busy year at the Fiji house, with many house and grounds projects being completed and planned. Many of the projects completed to date have been out of necessity, while others have been completed to ready ourselves for 2006 rush and assist with general living comfort.

We also completed our second annual 1960s Project (Work Week), with Fiji alumni returning the second week in June to complete a variety of jobs and to help with the overall house appearance.

Jobs that have been completed in 2006 due to necessity of health or safety issues include: rebuilding the clothes dryer ductwork in basement; replacing three bathroom fans and ductwork; repairing window wells on outside north wall; partially repairing basement ventilation system; repairing a shower leak in second-floor new bathroom; replacing the west stairwell outside door; converting to a new (DePauw-provided) phone system; rebuilding the intercom system; repairing water leaks in the third-floor old bathroom and the kitchen; repairing the electrical system in the new part of building; repairing leaking pipes in the furnace room; repairing holes in the ceiling of the kitchen and the furnace room; and repairing the outside door in north-side stairwell.

Another set of jobs has been completed

to help improve the general appearance of the house and make it more livable. These jobs include: painting the kitchen and serving room; purchasing an additional clothes washer and dryer; replacing the kitchen stove; repairing the ceiling and walls in green room (twice); replacing the carpet in green room; installing an updated Wi-Fi system (many thanks to undergraduate, Drew Hadley '09); purchasing new shelving for the kitchen and storage room; repairing and reupholstering the living room furniture (including two couches, an easy chair, four of the seven desk chairs, four high-back chairs and the piano bench); installing new curtains in the green room and front hallway; and installing electrical outlets in the phone/mail room.

The most significant house improvement occurred when Bill Graham '62 donated and shipped carpeting to the Fiji House this summer. As a result of the donation, we were able to completely recarpet the brotherhood room and second- and third-floor hallways! Many thanks to Bill for the much-needed donation

June 11-14 marked the dates for our second-annual '60s Project. Spearheaded by the '62 class, we accomplished a number of jobs that were both necessary and cosmetic. The following list represents many of the jobs completed: painting the

first-floor hallway; repairing ceiling lights in serving room; repairing lights and outlets in brotherhood room and several bathrooms; repairing lights in formal room; replacing lights in front hall sitting area; rehanging fire extinguishers and fire alarms; removing old furniture from kitchen and storage room; rebuilding the stairwell and bathroom doors; repairing the outside storage shed door; and reinstalling the brotherhood room door.

Many thanks to Bill Graham '62, Tod Dawson '62, Kit Lortz '62, Carl Sahlberg, Joe Hirtzer '63, and Dave Gilbert '65 for helping during the week. We are planning another '60s Project in 2007, so watch for the announcement and please make arrangements to attend. We'll have a great time and come away with a good feeling of accomplishment.

Despite the many completed jobs listed above, we still have a long way to go with house improvements. We cannot complete all of these jobs due to current budgetary restraints, but we keep the list going in hopes that we can knock some of these off in the weeks to come. Our biggest concern is that we are always subject to "emergency jobs" due to the age of the house and have to maintain a monetary reserve for these issues. At any rate, here's a partial list along with current cost estimates in somewhat of a priority sequence: paint six to eight doors, not estimated yet; painting the dining room, \$1,000; replacing the ceiling in chapter room, \$6,000; repainting stairwells, \$12,000; repairing the concrete owl emblem and mount over front door, not estimated yet (Bruce Allen '59 has offered to help with this expense); purchasing new furniture for the living room, \$8,000-\$10,000; purchasing a new pool table for the brotherhood room, \$2,000-\$4000; building a new laundry room, \$19,000; replacing the grand piano in living room, \$15,000-\$20,000; and redecorating the bum room, not estimated

If you have any contacts that might be helpful in reducing the costs of these projects, please let us know. You cam e-mail me at starwood@one.net or reach me by phone at (812) 537-9034. Thanks to everyone who has helped this year and in the past.



Another scene from our 150th: Towner Blackstock (Davidson '94), curator of the Phi Gamma Delta Archives, delivers the keynote address.

Kit Lortz '62

# OUR ALUMNI SEND THEIR NEWS & NOTES

"Congratulations to those who have kept the chapter going throughout the years," writes Edward F. Dirks '40. Keep in touch with Edward at 271 Village Ln., Greenwood, IN 46143.

### **FIII**

E. Lain Tetrick '45 reports a new address of 116 Berkshire Dr., McMurry, PA 15317.

## FIJI

Ginger Heeter, the wife of Owen Alan Heeter '58, writes, "Al has been in LifeCare Nursing Home for nine months. He has Alzheimer's and Lewy Body Disease. He has been retired for 10 years—with 30 years in Air Force (rescue helicopter pilot) and 10 years with Bell Helicopter as an international sales manager. DePauw is very special to Al."

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Robert A. Bender '64 writes, "Retired 2003. Now a homemaker, yard boy, and birder." Write to Bob at 1829 Villard St., Eugene, OR 97403. E-mail him at bobolink06@comcast.net.

## **FIJI**

John C. Leigeber '75, the vice president of marketing for Hatfield Quality Meats, reports a new address. Write to Jay at 422 Kristines Way, Harleyville, PA 19438; jleigeber@prodigy.net.

#### **FIII**

When he wrote to us in June, James "Bert" Stuart '75 wrote, "I doubt I will be able to make Lambda'a 150<sup>th</sup> birthday party in September: We will just be returning from vacation. I hope it turns out well, and I'm proud to be part of something that has lasted 150 years. That's pretty remarkable." Send greetings to Bert at 1905 Woodview Ln., Anderson, IN 46011. Send him e-mail at stuartjama@aol.com.

## **FIJI**

Stanford K. McCoy '93 was appointed chief negotiator for intellectual property enforcement in the United States Trade Representative's new Intellectual Property Office. Stan will lead the office's intellectual property enforcement efforts. Stan was a Rector Scholar at DePauw, graduating magna cum laude with a degree in political science. He earned his law degree from the University of Virginia. He served as principal advisor to the U.S. trade negotiators on intellectual trade issues, including representing the U.S. as lead attorney in both WTO and North American Free Trade Agreement dispute settlements. Prior to joining USTR, Stan was a partner in the Washington, D. C. law firm of Covington & Burling in Brussels, Belgium and Washington, D.C.

## FIII

"I completed the Marine Corps marathon in October 2005," writes Paul B. Qua '82. "My brother, David Qua '94, ran with me, and we finished together. Qua Buick Pontiac, our company for 59 years, closed in January. I started a new job at Classic Auto Group and can sell 21 different brands of cars that we have. I'm looking forward to seeing everyone at the

150th celebration in September." E-mail Paul at pbqua1@yahoo.com. Send him postal mail at P.O. Box 201572, Shaker Heights, OH 44120.

## **FIJI**

"Constantly on the go chasing the activities of my four children, who range in age from 4 to 16," writes Stuart K. Steele '83. League director for local football program. I also spen lots of hours pursuing my passion for photography. This year, I've had the opportunity to start shooting the Kansas City Chiefs home games on occasion. My images can be found at http://stuartsteelephotography.smugmug.com. I hope to get back to see some folks next year for alumni weekend, schedule permitting." Keep in touch with Stuart at 13912 Ash Dr., Overland Park, KS 66224. E-mail him at ssteel05@hotmail.com.

## AD ASTRA

Richard C. Gamble '57 passed ad astra on January 13, 2003



DePauw University President Robert G. Bottoms addresses Fiji brothers and friends at the 150th celebration.