

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Saturday, October 28**  
**Homecoming 2006**  
 vs. Minnesota

## 2006 BUCKEYE FOOTBALL

<b>09/02</b>	<b>Northern Illinois</b>	<b>W</b>
09/09	at Texas	<b>W</b>
<b>09/16</b>	<b>Cincinnati</b>	<b>W</b>
<b>09/23</b>	<b>Penn State</b>	<b>W</b>
09/30	at Iowa	<b>W</b>
<b>10/07</b>	<b>Bowling Green</b>	<b>W</b>
10/14	at Michigan State	<b>W</b>
<b>10/21</b>	<b>Indiana</b>	
<b>10/28</b>	<b>Minnesota</b>	
	<b>(Homecoming)</b>	
11/04	at Illinois	
11/11	at Northwestern	
<b>11/18</b>	<b>Michigan</b>	

Home Games in **Bold**.

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**Go Buckeyes!**

Central Ohio Alumni Association of Phi Delta Theta

# BUCKEYE PHI

October 2006

Ohio Zeta Chapter • The Ohio State University

## Nearly 90 Ohio Zeta Golfers Return "Fore" 2006 Phi Delt Golf Outing

*Success of This Year's Event Secures Spot for Next Year's Rematch to Challenge Reigning Champs*

*By Craig Grant '91*

The 2006 PDT Golf Outing was a great success thanks to everyone who participated. Not only did we have 20 more golfers than last year (88 versus 68 in 2005), we were able to subsidize half the cost of eight active Phi Delt, cover tournament costs, and donate \$750 to Ohio Zeta.

Team Marion won the tournament by posting a 13-under 59, beating Team Jarhead by one stroke and leaving the rest of the field in the dust. Once again, the Golf Club of Dublin did an exceptional job for us, and because of that we will be returning in 2007. Mark your calendar now for the 2007 event on August 4, beginning at 2:30 p.m. By the middle of September, the PDT Golf web site, [www.pdtgolf.com](http://www.pdtgolf.com), will have pictures from the 2006 event along with registration, payment and event information for the 2007 event.

Anyone who would like their email address added to the mailing list can contact me by visiting the web site, sending me an

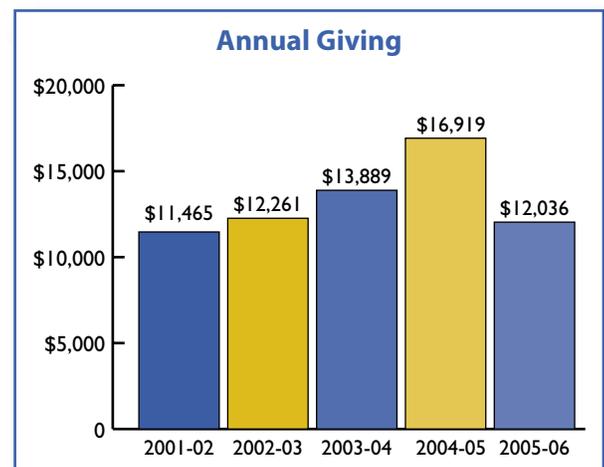


**Team Hulka: Dick Frankenberg '86, Mark Hulka '86, Tim Cellars '87 and Craig Moore.**

email at [craig23565@sbcglobal.net](mailto:craig23565@sbcglobal.net), or call 614-284-7904. I would encourage everyone to visit the site and consider playing in the 2007 event. A survey will be sent to the mailing list so I can continue to improve the experience for everyone.

## Help Get Our Giving Totals Back Up!

The Central Ohio Alumni Association would like to thank the 124 alumni donors who contributed a collective \$12,036 to our 2005-06 annual fund. While this was a great response, we'd like to increase our giving totals! Up until this year, we were on a great upward climb. Help us exceed what we've raised in the past what we've raised in the past by making your gift today to kick off the 2006-07 annual fund. It's easy. Just visit [www.ohiozeta.com](http://www.ohiozeta.com) or call 800-975-6699 to make your donation.



## Once Was Lost But Now Is Found! Alumnus Shares His Delight at Renewing Connection to Ohio Zeta

### *Jim Snook '59 Back in the Fold with Phi Delt After Receiving His First Issue of The Buckeye Phi in Over 40 Years*

As an undergraduate, **Jim Snook '59** valued his Phi Delt experience, and went through a period of personal growth. After graduation, Jim gradually lost touch with Ohio Zeta, which unfortunately many of our brothers do.

Recently, Jim received an issue of *The Buckeye Phi* – the first edition he's seen in more than 40 years! It turns out our alumni



**Jim Snook '59 shares his fond memories of Phi Delt with his partner Linda Sharlow**

relations office had found him through a lost-member search of our database, in an attempt to find the current whereabouts of brothers who have become lost over the years. When he contacted us to express his delight, we helped to put him in touch with other brothers from his era of the fraternity he so fondly remembers.

#### ***Why did you join the fraternity?***

I liked the guys, the upper classmen. The house was incomplete, it was going through a renovation that looked to be on hold. So it wasn't the house that drew me to Phi Delta Theta, it was the brothers.

#### ***What was your favorite memory of the fraternity?***

My time at Phi Delta Theta was probably the period of greatest personal growth for me as a young person. To me, Phi Delta Theta was the beginning of a personal journey as a life-long learner.

#### ***What kind of influence has this had on your life?***

The fraternity was a microcosm of people interacting like they do out in the world, and that was just fascinating to me. I went to college hoping to find out why people do what they do. Partially because I had a serious problem with my father; I needed to know why we are the way we are, so that I could improve my relationship with him. I found out much more than I hoped, and what I learned affected my whole life. It empowered me to realize and understand that life could be an ongoing learning experience, and that I could turn most situations into "win-wins." This was an exciting and productive revelation that has been beneficial throughout my whole life.

#### ***What activities were you involved in during college?***

I was secretary of the fraternity as a sophomore, and one of my jobs was to do an alumni newsletter. Nobody else wanted to do it; it was not of much interest to typical college students. I did the newsletter partially because I wanted to keep a good tradition going, and because I was looking forward to receiving them as an alumnus. Then I was chapter president when I was an upperclassman.

#### ***"My interest in the fraternity had waned from lack of contact, and now my interest has been renewed."***

#### ***With whom do you stay in contact?***

I was disappointed when the alumni newsletter stopped coming fairly soon after I graduated. Then, several years ago, I was surprised and delighted to start receiving it again. My interest in the fraternity had waned from lack of contact, and now my interest has been renewed.

I've enjoyed recent contact with **Jack Magaw '60**, who became chapter president after me, **Mel Rice '57**, and **Tom Neal '56**, with whom I enjoyed barbershop quartet.

There are others I really want to reach while we are still healthy: **Dr. Sam McMahon '58**, **Ron Taylor '61** (my little brother), and **Bob Rewey '61**. In fact, I'd love to hear from any Phi Delta Theta alumni. You can call me at 616-403-6651, and after November you can e-mail me at [snook-scharlow@comcast.net](mailto:snook-scharlow@comcast.net). I am extremely thankful to whoever got communications going again.

#### ***Tell us about your family.***

I have three sons from a previous marriage, and for the last 20 years have shared my life with Linda Sharlow. Combined, we have 6 children and 11 grandchildren.

#### ***What is your nickname and how did you get it?***

My nickname was Snookie for obvious reasons.

#### ***Did you live at the house? If so, who were your roommates?***

I lived in the house for two years. Jack Magaw and **Bob Hubbard '60** were my roommates.

#### ***Tell us about your career.***

I received a B.S. from Ohio State, an M.S. from Kent State University, and a Ph.D. in social science research from Michigan State University. After that, I did administration, research and teaching at the college level before choosing a business career. A new company had attracted my attention because they were committed to doing business at the highest professional, ethical and service levels. It was enormously successful, and I spent 28 years with Woodland Realty, most of it as a partner. It was a wonderful experience in every way. I retired eight years ago at age 62.

#### ***What are your major interests?***

Family, friends, real estate and travel.

#### ***What are your goals for the next few years?***

One of my personal goals is to try determining what I can and need to do in order to deal with the serious problems our nation must face in the next five years.

**Renew Your Ties with Jim by contacting him at [snook-scharlow@comcast.net](mailto:snook-scharlow@comcast.net) or 616-403-6651.**

**Can you help us to reconnect a lost member with Ohio Zeta? See our lost list on page 3 to help!**

## HELP US FIND A LOST PHI DELT!

We've lost touch with the following Ohio Zeta brothers, and need your help to find them! If you know of their current whereabouts, send an email to our alumni relations office with their contact information (just mention Phi Delta Theta OSU in the subject line). Help us to reunite them with Ohio Zeta and our alumni brotherhood!

Jonathan E. Burniger

Marcin Welch

Robert W. Cartwright '31

Clark B. Morgan '31

Andrew J. Condon '32

Henry E. Gorney '32

Glenn R. Brockway '34

Carl E. Deadman '35

Jack W. Hicks '39

Alvin D. Rees '40

William J. Kleinoeder '41

Lawrence E. Goeller '43

Haldor M. Kirby '44

Lancer Weinrich '45

Donald E. Fraher '46

Robert Custer '48

Edward Wambold '48

James R. Nagelson '49

Daniel Noyes '51

James E. Maher '53

Roger L. Kihlman '56

Michael Seicara '65

Edward Weber '66

Melvin Kosanichich '69

Michael Fischer '70

Richard J. Holloway '70

Michael Luby '70

Byron Davis '71

Richard B. Hoskins '71

Mark Clark '72

Frank Chasar '73

Richard D. Dick '74

David Krieger '74

John Apple '76

Joseph G. Ceryan Jr. '76

Michael Moore '77

Pedro Gonzalez '79

William Harpenau '80

Christopher Harrison '81

Jim Rhodes '81

James Stover '81

John Dundon '83

Jeffrey E. Frazier '85

Charles Schacht '85

Joseph Mohre '86

Martin R. Kaczmarck '88

Robert Severance '89

Christopher Peele '90

David Dubyne '91

Clinton Metzger '91

Jeffrey McGurk '92

Andrew M. Awkrin '95

Charles Fiffick '95

Justin King '95

Carlos Ralton '95

Kyle Vallentye '95

James Curry '96

Arthur Horr IV '96

Kurt Pollex '96

Ryan Schoels '96

Dan Niedhant '98

Steve Bossark '00

Sanford Boyce '01

Ronald A. Hennen '01

Julian Rosewood '01

Craig Defilipo '02

Josh Sikora '02

Ronnie L. Hawn '03

Michael Dinwiddie Jr. '06

Scott LesChander '06

## ALUMNI UPDATES

### '50s

#### Lee C. Falke '52

(1181 Yankee Trace Dr., Dayton, OH 45458-3967; leefalke@ohiolawyers.cc) It has been a long time since my initiation as a Phi Delt at Ohio State in 1951, but the reflection on those days brings fond memories. I am responding to this inquiry because of my interest in hearing from some of my classmates and finding out what has been going on with their lives. After graduating from Ohio State Law school in 1955, I practiced law in Dayton until 1965 when I was elected Prosecuting Attorney for Montgomery County, Ohio. I served as Prosecutor until I retired in 1992. During that time, I was president of the Ohio Prosecuting Attorneys Association and the National District Attorneys Association. It was a great experience. Not always pleasant, but always exciting. I still keep my hand in politics by being on the Democratic State Central

Committee. Since 1992 I have been practicing law again with my firm in Dayton, Falke & Dunphy LLC. The years have flown by. My golf game inst still improving; I still have a way to go before it is decent but it is still enjoyable.

I hope all of my class mates and friends are doing well. We are all probably at the point where our health is one of our most important concerns but all we can do is "patch, patch." I have found that it works as long as one stays at it.

### '60s

#### W. Thomas Roemer '68

(12718 N. Lakeshore Dr., La Salle, MI 48145-9732; roemert@roemer-insurance.com) My wife Vickie and I still reside at the site of some of the greatest Ohio Zeta Phi Delt Rush parties ever! That would be in LaSalle, MI on the shores of beautiful Lake Erie, where I continue to defend our northern border against the U of M Skunk Bears, another name for a wolverine. My wonderful, gorgeous daughters live together in West Hollywood, CA. Tracey McCall is the

actress, and Molly is a yoga instructor and the Lifestyle Editor of Yogi Times. I miss, but always enjoy, connecting with some of my best friends, OZ Phis, in the world. Go Buckeyes, and Go Phi Delta Theta.

### '70s

#### Stephen Egert '78

(898 Beach Rd., Lakewood, OH 44107-1018; stevesteve001@yahoo.com)

I'm still living in Cleveland on the Sea and work for Delta Air Lines.

### '80s

#### Leland Moree III '81

(2522 Stillwater Court, Palm Harbor, FL 34684; moree@lmaengr.com) I am having a great time fishing and sailing on the ocean. If you make it to the Tampa Bay area, give me a call.

View more alumni updates on our website at [www.ohiozeta.com/](http://www.ohiozeta.com/)

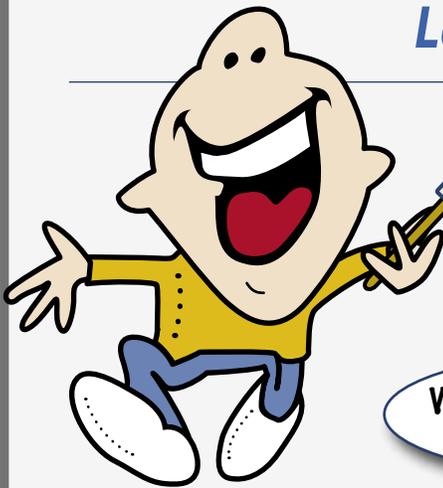
## OLD PHOTO ALBUM

### Looking Sharp! Capture Memories from Your Era Online

Ohio Zeta is looking to build its legacy by collecting old photographs and other items you may have saved from your years at Ohio State. Specifically, we are looking for photographs to represent each decade of our history! Group shots of parties, mixers, dances, etc. are also wanted. Please submit photos from your era online at [www.ohiozeta.com](http://www.ohiozeta.com).



### Laugh So Hard Your Guts Hurt



Who made a big purchase with his father's "emergency" credit card during a road trip in the mid '90s?

Why couldn't Jim Lukehart '90 sit for a week?

That's not a pig roast! Why did we have to swap burgers for a pig roast in the early '80s?

Take a trip down memory lane! Find out the answers to these questions, and many other hilarious stories from years past, at [www.ohiozeta.com](http://www.ohiozeta.com)!

*He's Been Found After 40 Years! Read Inside for the Heartwarming Story of a Reconnected Phi Delt.*



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