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## DKE Alumni Weekend

The DKE Alumni weekend is slated for Nov. 4 and 5, which coincides with UNC's Homecoming Weekend and Saturday's football game (UNC vs. Boston College). We have set aside a block of 10 rooms for the weekend on a first come, first serve basis, so please call the Carolina Inn at 1-800-962-8519 or visit their website [www.carolinainn.com](http://www.carolinainn.com) to reserve your room and mention the block of DKE rooms. We expect a terrific turnout and look forward to seeing each of you there. ■



# The Lion's Roar

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Beta of DKE at UNC · June 2005

## President's Report

### Needs, Deeds, and Goals!

Next to the Heels' winning the big one in St. Louis, the big news from Chapel Hill is that the Dekes are ahead by 228,401 "points" late in the second half. We are about to experience an amazing win, but the DKE team will have to play hard as the seconds tick by.

The "win" is the closing out of our \$2.3 million renovation campaign by paying down the remaining loan balance by the end of this calendar year. That balance is down to \$228,401 now. That amazing story cannot be told by any other fraternity with which I'm familiar.

We need your help—big time—to finish the job. I represent our board in urging you to pay off the balance of your pledge to the capital campaign. Many of you have done so in recent weeks, for which we are grateful. Several of you have gone beyond your pledge to write new checks to the campaign. Again, that reflects the sense of brotherhood that we share.

Working hard on the closing months of the campaign are **Tee Baur '68**, **Berny Gray '72**, **Donnie Cobb '64**, **Yates Palmer '60**, and **Fred Ball '71**. They and others are also setting up a class-agent system for ongoing alumni relations purposes. At our board meeting on April 2, **Chris Harris '95** of Chapel Hill, and **Andy Spencer '80** of Atlanta, agreed to co-chair our development effort, replacing **Fred Ball '71**. Fred, thank you for all your work on the renovation campaign and the annual fund.

The board also approved bylaws for the Edwin Lee Caldwell Fund, which we initiated a few months ago to more easily pay for ongoing maintenance of and repairs to the house. It takes a lot of wear and tear, as you recall, though we are pleased how much the actives value the house and keep it in good shape. You will hear more about the Caldwell Fund in 2006.

We also hope to travel to Charlotte this fall or winter to continue a series of alumni gatherings. Last fall we had a successful one at **Berny Gray's '72** home in Atlanta. In February we joined about twenty other Dekes at the Yale Club in New York that doubles as the DKE Club. **Haywood Davis '69** chaired that one. **Jimbo Huckabee '95** and several other brothers deserve a round of clicks for organizing our fourth annual Career Night for juniors and seniors. A panel of Deke alumni provided counsel and contacts designed to help the graduating brothers land terrific jobs come summer.

And finally, we have set Saturday, November 5, 2005, as the DKE Alumni Day in Chapel Hill. Please organize class reunions and individual visits around the Boston College football game. We hope to see you at 132 South Columbia!

In the bond,

**Jim Gray '70**, President, Beta of DKE, Inc. ■



April 2 Board Meeting



Clem Wright '52 and board

# Reunion Report

## NYC Reception

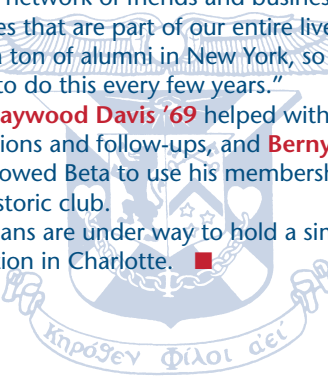
Twenty-five Beta Dekes from fifteen classes gathered at the Yale Club in New York City Feb. 10 to remember the good old days and hear about the current house and brothers.

The Yale Club doubles as the DKE Club because DKE was founded at Yale way back, if you remember your chapters.

"This was the second reception we have held outside of North Carolina in the past year," Beta DKE President **Jim Gray '70** said, "and both were successful. Part of the special nature of being a Beta Deke is that network of friends and business associates that are part of our entire lives. We have a ton of alumni in New York, so we hope to do this every few years."

**Haywood Davis '69** helped with the invitations and follow-ups, and **Berny Gray '72** allowed Beta to use his membership in the historic club.

Plans are under way to hold a similar reception in Charlotte. ■



## 2nd Annual DKE/Chi-O 5K Run Raises over \$3,500

It has been an exciting spring for the DKE house, highlighted by the fantastic season of our basketball team. Final Four weekend featured our Annual Spring Board meeting on April 2, as well as our Spring Rush weekend. Fifteen rushees entering UNC in the fall of 2005 were able to join a jam packed DKE house as we watched the Heels defeat Michigan State on Saturday night on their way to an eventual National Championship. That weekend was an enormous success and will serve as a great springboard to an important rush this fall. **We need your help in attaining as many names as possible as we head into the summer for next fall's rush.** Names of potential rushees can be sent to either Addison Holladay (addisonh@email.unc.edu) or Kinnison Sumner (jksumner@email.unc.edu).

Thanks to the help of our philanthropy chair, **Spence Davenport**, our Second Annual DKE/Chi-O 5k run raised over \$3500 dollars which will be donated to Habitat for Humanity. This event received great support from the Chapel Hill community as well as many DKE alumni for which we are extremely grateful. We hope to continue this event as a permanent fixture of our annual philanthropy program.

I want to thank the alumni for their support of our DKE Career night, from which I have received great feedback regarding its benefits for upperclassmen entering the job search. Special thanks to **Jimbo Huckabee '95** and **Jay Wells '96** for their efforts in organizing this event.

Finally, as we end another year, I want to recognize the seniors who are graduating. This class has been a tremendous asset to the house over the past four years and will be tough to replace. I wish them the best of luck and look forward to their involvement as alumni of 132 South Columbia.

Have a great summer and we look forward to seeing you all in Chapel Hill in the fall. Best,

**Charlie Adams**, Brother Beta ■

## DKE/Chi-O 5K Run Benefits Habitat for Humanity



## Why Should You Support the Annual Fund?

Endurance ... it is a concept that most of us identify with athletes ...runners, swimmers, soccer stars and rowing teams. It is also how politicians win key races, attorneys win important cases and businesses exceed year-end goals.

And it is how Beta of DKE, Inc. has continued to thrive. As we look ahead to our goals for 2005-06, what are we without the ability to follow through with all that we must — launching new projects, maintaining our existing alumni relations program, planning new events, etc. — to ensure the health of our fraternity?

**\*\* The men who learn endurance are they who call the whole world brother. \*\***  
Charles Dickens

Your support for our alumni chapter's annual fund proves your commitment to the future of Beta Chapter. **Your annual gift is an investment in the fraternity's potential to make a positive impact in the lives of young men as it did for you, me and so many of our alumni.** As we continue our capital campaign efforts, it is essential that we do not forget that our annual fund, which runs from September to August, keeps our organization going year-to-year.

### Your annual contribution affirms your belief that:

- DKE still provides the best **leadership development and character building** opportunity on campus;
- You support the **spirit of volunteerism** that drives our alumni board and other volunteers;
- The **value of friendships** forged at DKE grows as time passes and should be celebrated with reunions, annual gatherings and other events that bring alumni back to the place they can always call home.

Alumni contributions to the annual fund make these things possible: our newsletter, The Lion's Roar, event invitations, and other forms of alumni communication.

Your annual support is crucial to the success of our chapter and our alumni relations program. ■

### S. Wylie Milligan '47

(409 S. Main St., Boxwood Manor, Greeneville, TN 37743-5617) My wife, Mary Jane, and three daughters, Ellen, Elizabeth and Jayne, are all Tarheels.

### William M. Bass '49

(6806 Wander Pl., Dallas, TX 75230-3042) Between farming in Edgecombe County, NC, and teaching Mexican children to read English in the Dallas Public School System, I stay more than busy. Not to mention "striking a blow for liberty every evening at six." Some old Deke House habits seem to last forever. If there is anyone left standing from those wonderful years after WWII (1945-1949) would they please make themselves known? Or should I say, "front and center."

### Jack G. Prevost '65

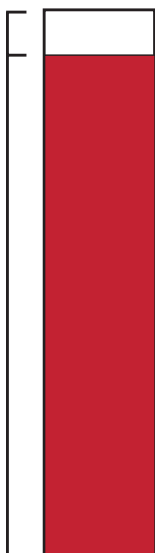
(1129 Country Lane, Orlando, FL 32804-6511; sydprevost@aol.com) We are having our class of 1965 40-year reunion at the summer home of Henry Morgan at Biddeford Poole, Maine, June 23-26, 2005. Anyone interested in receiving details can contact Jack Prevost.

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## Going for the Goal!

We are well on our way to surpass our Annual Fund goal of \$17,162, which is a 25% increase over last year! There are currently 106 people who gave last year, but haven't yet this year and 227 more who have given sometime in the last 5 years, but not this year.

**\$17,162**  
**\$15,735**



**Now is the time to renew your commitment to those friends and our traditions by making a contribution of \$35, \$50, \$100, \$500 or more!**

Add your name to the Honor Roll now by: calling our toll-free donation hotline at (800) 975-6699; logging onto our website at **www.dkeunc.com**; or filling out the enclosed form. ■

## Campaign Update

### Changes Made to Pledge Payment Process

In order to be able to process campaign pledges more effectively and efficiently, we have made some changes to our pledge payment system:

- You can now pay your pledge via Visa or MasterCard by calling our credit card hotline at 1-800-975-6699.
- We have moved our campaign payments to a PO Box that is separate from our general alumni correspondence and annual fund. The new address is:

Beta DKE, Inc.  
P.O. Box 296  
State College, PA 16804-0296

Please note that all general alumni news and annual fund donations should still be sent to the Chapel Hill PO Box. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Jim Gray at 919-960-7922 or jgray@mail.duke.edu. ■

# Updates... continued from page 3.

## Douglas W. DuPont '78

(1685 Owensville Road, Charlottesville, VA 22901-9407; dougdu@adelphia.net) I am still living in Charlottesville, VA, with my wife, Sarah, and four children. Carrie (22) will graduate from Wake Forest in May; Alex (20) is in her second year at Appalachian State. Will (16) and Sophie (16) are still living at home and attending Western Albemarle High school. I continue to teach golf and write instructional articles for several

internet golf web sites. My office of 20-years is at Birdwood Golf Course at UVA.

## Joseph C. Frierson '92

(190 University Drive, Athens, GA 30605-1556; jcf3rd@bellsouth.net) All is great with the Friersons. We recently had **Frank Edwards '92** and his family down to Athens for a great weekend. I am heading to Las Vegas with **Chris Mumford '92** in a few weeks. Chris and his lovely wife Nicole just had twins

so I am not sure how he is getting away! Chris just sold his restaurant in Richmond to a group of investors. With his new-found freedom he has explored franchising opportunities with Captain D's. By the way, Chris just missed qualifying for golf's Q-school. He left his must-make eagle putt short by the tip of an index finger to come one stroke short of qualifying which is a great effort for the former All-American tennis player. ■

## Wanted: Your Email Address!

DKE is your strongest link to UNC, and the friends you made there. **We're on a mission to gather all the email addresses of our alumni.** This will help you stay in touch with old friends and reconnect with others. We'll work to keep the list current too; so you'll always know where you can find a brother's email address.

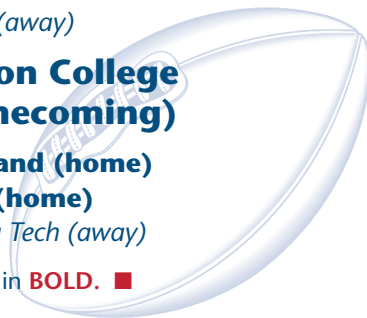
Only members of the Beta chapter will have access to this information.

You can update your address by visiting our website at [www.dkeunc.com](http://www.dkeunc.com) or by updating it on the enclosed solicitation form! ■

## 2005 Football Schedule

|                 |                                    |
|-----------------|------------------------------------|
| Sept. 10        | Georgia Tech (away)                |
| <b>Sept. 17</b> | <b>Wisconsin (home)</b>            |
| Sept. 24        | N.C. State (away)                  |
| <b>Oct. 1</b>   | <b>Utah (home)</b>                 |
| Oct. 8          | Louisville (away)                  |
| <b>Oct. 22</b>  | <b>Virginia (home)</b>             |
| Oct. 29         | Miami (away)                       |
| <b>Nov. 5</b>   | <b>Boston College (homecoming)</b> |
| <b>Nov. 12</b>  | <b>Maryland (home)</b>             |
| <b>Nov. 19</b>  | <b>Duke (home)</b>                 |
| Nov. 26         | Virginia Tech (away)               |

\* Note: Home games are in **BOLD**. ■



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