

Friday, September 21, 2007



THE ILLINI GREEK is a weekly informational email providing pertinent information to U of I fraternities and sororities on their individual operations, involvement in governing councils and engagement in the greater campus community. Fraternity and Sorority Affairs is committed to communication with our student leaders as well as alumni, house directors, (inter)national organizations, and other key constituents that support our fraternity and sorority community. Check out the mission of our community at www.odos.uiuc.edu/greek/about/communitystatement.asp.

Register your float for the 2007 Homecoming Parade

Take an active role in this year's Homecoming by creating a float for the parade on Friday, October 26th. This year's Homecoming theme is "Orange Fever", so start thinking of float ideas that best represent this theme. Deadline for float entries is Wednesday, October 10 or when we reach maximum number of spaces.

Homecoming Court Selection 2007

Seniors, do you want to be a part of a longstanding University of Illinois tradition? Here's your chance!! Apply for the 2007 University of Illinois Homecoming Court! Pick up an application today in Illini Union Room 284 or visit the University of Illinois Homecoming website at <http://www.admin.uiuc.edu/homecoming/parade.html>. Applications are due by Friday, September 21, 2007 at 5:00 p.m. Questions regarding the application process or the Homecoming Court in general should be directed to Brooks Moore, Assistant Director of the Illini Union, at jbmoore@uiuc.edu or 217/333-3660.

Roster Updates

Please update your chapter roster online. Now is the time to remove all members that graduated in May and others that may not be returning for any reason. Please also add any new members that have joined so far this semester. **Interfraternity Council Chapters must update their roster by September 21st for chapter dues assessment.**

Following is the link: <http://www.odos.uiuc.edu/greek/>. Please go to Update Chapter Roster Online under Membership Information. If you have any questions, please contact Michelle Hart - moutlaw@uiuc.edu.

New Member Forum

October 29th at 5:30pm & 8:00pm
October 30th at 7:00pm & 9:00pm
Illini Union Rooms A,B,C

Please mark your calendars for this program. All new members from Fall 2007 must attend. More information will be coming soon from your governing council.

Raffle

If you read the Illini Greek this week you should be able to answer the question below. Reply with your answer to Michelle Hart at moutlaw@uiuc.edu and your name goes in the raffle to be eligible for one of the three certificates to restaurants, stores, etc. of your choice (if you win) - this will count toward Fall 2007.

When is the anti-hazing documentation due?

Upcoming Deadlines

Anti-Hazing Policy review Documentation Due October 1, 2008. Each semester chapter presidents must demonstrate awareness regarding the campus' anti-hazing policies and share this information with chapter members. It is time to once again review the anti-hazing policy of the Board of Sorority Affairs and Board of Fraternity Affairs with each of you. It is then the responsibility of the president to determine a manner in which she/he will inform her/his chapter on the contents of the policy. Each semester the president signs a document that affirms they have read and are familiar with the policy. They also agree that they will share this information with their chapter

Chapter Presidents will be given a written copy of the BFA or BSA policy at their respective council meeting. They will be asked to sign the agreement at that time. The signed agreement is kept on file in the Fraternity and Sorority Affairs Office. If a chapter is not in attendance at their council meetings, it is their responsibility to come to the FSA office to complete the paperwork.

Grade release cards due November 15th!

National Hazing Prevention Week September 24-28, 2007

<http://www.nhpw.com>

Essay Contest - This year's theme is: "Hidden Harm." Essays will be accepted from students, parents, administrators, advisors, etc. Essays should be typed, double-spaced and not longer than 1000 words. Prizes will be awarded for the top three essays. All entries must be postmarked by September 21, 2007.

Send your submission to Tracy Maxwell at:
info@campuspeak.com
14001 E. Iliff Ave., Suite 402
Aurora, CO 80014

Anti-Hazing Hero 2007 Award

Do you know someone who has been heroic enough to expose hazing, speak out against this problem, or in some way work to combat this dangerous practice? Then nominate them for the Anti-Hazing Hero Award. Awards will be given in both student and non-student categories, and recipients will receive a cash prize.

Send your submission to Tracy Maxwell at:
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All entries must be postmarked by September 28, 2007.

Leadership Workshop

The Tuesday @ 7p Workshop Series presents:
 WHAT: Leadership: Go On and Take the Lead!!
 WHEN: Tuesday, October 2nd @ 7p
 WHERE: Illini Union Room 406

WHY: Have you ever wanted to take charge? Do you ever find yourself wanting to step up and "Take the Lead?" In this workshop, we will explore the necessary skills to become the best leader you can possibly be. We will go over several skills that are vital to becoming a leader as well as how to apply them immediately in your life. Through this interactive workshop, we will put you a step ahead of your peers and provide you the tools to "Go on and Take the Lead!!"

The 23rd Annual Indiana Greek Leadership Conference (IGLC)

Sunday, November 4, 2007

Stewart Center, Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana

The IGLC program is created by Purdue's Panhellenic Association and Interfraternity Council, for students, and provides emerging leaders, chapter officers, and council officers access to some of the best speakers and current issues related to Greek life and personal leadership development. It began in 1984 and has evolved into one of the best one-day leadership seminars in the Greek world. Registration deadline is Friday, If you are interested in attending please contact Michelle Hart at moutlaw@uiuc.edu.

Alcohol and Other Drug Resource

This resource provided by the Division of Public Safety is a nice comprehensive brochure that defines prohibited behavior and identifies criminal and University consequences for such violations. Also included in this brochure is information about educational and counseling resources. <http://www.dps.uiuc.edu/drugs.htm>

Greek Week

Sunday, September 23rd

Volunteering for Habitat for Humanity 1-5 PM (Location TBA)

Monday, September 24th

Canning on the Quad 11-2 PM, 11-2 AM

Tuesday, September 25th

David Coleman "The Dating Doctor", Foellinger Auditorium at 7 PM.

Thursday, September 27th

Greek Week Variety Show, Foellinger Auditorium at 9 PM.
 \$5 Admission, all proceeds benefit Habitat for Humanity.

Friday, September 28th

"Taste of Campus" at Frat Park from 11 AM to 2 PM.

Saturday, September 29th

"Greeks at the Game 2007"!! Attend the Illini Football Game, wear your greek letters and receive a free t-shirt!

The members of AEPHI Sorority presents the 19th Annual "All Walks of Life, Walk for AIDS"

benefitting: Greater Community AIDS Project (GCAP)

The Walk will be held Sunday, October 7, 2007 at Illini Grove from 12 - 2pm. Registration begins promptly at 11:30am. Free food and entertainment will be provided. The cost to participate in this year's AIDS Walk is \$60 per team and will include five t-shirts for your organization. Additional t-shirts can be purchased for \$10. In order for your organization to have your name printed on the event t-shirt, please include the name, as you would like it to appear, on the registration form.

Registration forms and donations may be emailed to Hillary Teter at hteter2@uiuc.edu, mailed to the Alpha Epsilon Phi Sorority mailing address listed on the registration form, or to the AEPHI RSO mailbox by Friday, September 21st.

To help us prepare for this amazing event, we will be having a banner and pin making day on the quad on Tuesday, September 25th from 2-4pm. You are also invited to come and help us decorate banners and posters as well as hand out ribbons and fliers to raise awareness and spread the word about our Walk for AIDS!

Illinois Leadership Center I-Programs

Registration is now open for the following I-Programs:

INTEGRITY: September 22, 2007

INSIGHT: October 12-13, 2007

You can register online at: <http://www.illinoisleadership.uiuc.edu/>

Volunteer Opportunity: U-CYCLE

The City of Urbana U-CYCLE is looking for volunteers to door hang recycling tote bags at apartments in Urbana (including campus and fraternities/sororities) starting Monday, September 24. A vehicle is necessary. If you or your organization is interested in this volunteer opportunity please contact Courtney Rushforth at crushforth@city.urbana.il.us or 384-2302. Weekend work is available.