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## Correction from the Spring Newsletter

In our spring newsletter, the contribution form incorrectly had the heading KA - University of Georgia. This was an editing error by our consultant in Pennsylvania who works with many Georgia Tech fraternities and, as luck would have it, Gamma Chapter at the Athens Jr. College. Once this error was brought to our attention, we communicated this with our consultant and we shouldn't have a problem in the future. Please rest assured that contributions and updates are coming here to Alpha Sigma of KA Order at Georgia Tech, and, as always, we appreciate your support. We will make every effort to ensure this error does not occur in the future. ■

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## Chapter Report

### Alpha Sigma Welcomes Dedicated KA Brother as Faculty Advisor

Alpha Sigma is both fortunate and honored to have David Carico as our new Faculty Advisor. David joined the Tech faculty after leaving the Kappa Alpha Order's National Office, where he was Executive Director of the Kappa Alpha Order Educational Foundation. During his time with the Educational Foundation, he transformed a department that had net assets of only \$600,000 into a \$6.5 million program.

Born in Thomasville, Georgia, Carico went to Emory University in 1983, where he pursued a dual degree in English and history. During this time, he joined the Epsilon chapter of KA and served as Philanthropy Chair, Rush Chair, Number IV (Corresponding Secretary), and founded the Council of Honor program. He was also the Recipient of the James Grogan Brotherhood Award for "Most Outstanding Member" his senior year.

After graduating in 1987, he served KA National as an Educational & Leadership Consultant for a year before being named Director of Educational Programming. During his tenure, he was responsible for supervision of traveling staff members, planning the National Leadership Institute and handling risk management and insurance programs. Carico also wrote a number of chapter and advisory guides and manuals. In May 1992, Carico was selected to serve as the Executive Director of the Educational Foundation.

While Executive Director, net assets of the Foundation increased from approximately \$600,000 to \$6,000,000. Additionally, the Foundation's Scholarship program doubled, with the Foundation now awarding over \$100,000 annually to help KAs with their academic pursuits.

Carico is a member of the Hardeman (Georgia) and Wood (Delaware) Province Courts of Honor, has received two Province Commander Commendations and is a recipient of the Knight Commander's Accolade and the Distinguished Service Award.

"During my years at Emory and while I was working for KA, I was always impressed by Alpha Sigma alumni with whom I had contact. I looked at the chapter as a place where young men could have a very enriching KA experience, and I'm happy to lend volunteer time to help in some small way. My experience as a member of Epsilon chapter made a significant impact on me, and I just look at this as a way to give back to an organization that means so much to me."

In December 2002, Carico left the Order's employ and moved to the Georgia Institute of Technology, where he is Director of Development for the Northeastern United States. He represents Tech to alumni in a 13-state region from Kentucky to Maine. The Order's loss is our gain, and we are very grateful to have Carico as our Faculty Advisor.

Alpha Sigma's Faculty Advisor may be reached by phone at **404-894-1639**, or by e-mail at [david.carico@dev.gatech.edu](mailto:david.carico@dev.gatech.edu). ■



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# Q+A with David Anderson

## Undergraduate Profile of David Anderson

**Please give us some background information about yourself.**

I grew up in Duluth, Georgia, and graduated from Wesleyan, a small, private high school in northern Atlanta. I have a younger brother, Jim, and two parents, Tom and Ethel. I am a rising fourth year student here at Tech, majoring in financial management.

**What positions have you held within the Alpha Sigma Chapter and what are some contributions that you have made to the fraternity?**

This is my second year serving as Kitchen Manager. I am responsible for the planning, budgeting and day-to-day supervision of KA Dining. During my first semester as Kitchen Manager, we brought in a second food company, igniting what many brothers have called “price wars.” Competition gave us good results, so we decided to open up accounts with two specialty food companies – one produce and one dairy – in an attempt to slash prices on certain high margin products by ordering direct from the supplier. Through healthy competition and removing the middle man, we have seen a substantial drop in food costs, while enjoying better quality food and improved customer service.

**With what other organizations have you been involved at Tech?**

I am involved in several different campus organizations outside of KA, including SGA, IFC and Presidents’ Council Governing Board. I became involved in Student Government my third year here at Tech, having first served as an undergraduate representative for my major. This year, I am serving as Vice President of Finance. My responsibilities include acting as chair of the Joint Finance Committee and overseeing a Student Activity Fee budget of roughly \$3.25 million. In addition, I am working with several administrators on campus initiatives, including a proposed

grade substitution policy and an effort to bring a night life to Tech Square.

**This year you have been involved with Johnny Isakson’s campaign for the U.S. Senate. What type of role you have played?**

It was an honor to be given the opportunity to work on Johnny Isakson’s campaign this summer, and it is an experience I will never forget. I was offered a full-time position on the campaign not long after hosting a small, informal rally for Johnny at KA last February. My primary role on the campaign has included attending campaign fundraisers and political events across the state, acting as a surrogate speaker for Johnny at various GOP and town-hall forums, organizing several campaign rallies, and staying in constant contact with county chairs and elected officials to keep them updated on the progress of the campaign. As the summer progressed, I was also placed in charge of overseeing the campaign for Gwinnett County and the creation of a satellite campaign office in Lawrenceville.

**What are your future career goals and do you have any political aspirations?**

There are many careers that interest me. I’m sure I would enjoy making a career in politics, whether it meant running for office or serving behind the scenes as a political consultant or advisor to a public figure. However, I am probably more interested in pursuing a career in real estate development, as I have always been interested in that line of work and have enjoyed helping my parents with the purchase and construction of their second home in Florida. Then again, ten years ago, I would have told you that I wanted to be a professional golfer, so who knows where I will end up. What matters most is that I find a career that makes me happy and allows me to provide a comfortable living for my family. ■

### Fall 2005 Football Schedule

Day / Date	Opponent	Location	Time
Sat 09/18/2004	North Carolina	Chapel Hill, N.C.	6 p.m.
Sat 10/02/2004	Miami	Bobby Dodd Stadium/Grant Field	TBA
Sat 10/09/2004	Maryland	College Park, Md.	TBA
Sat 10/16/2004	Duke	Bobby Dodd Stadium/Grant Field	TBA
Th 10/28/2004	Virginia Tech	Bobby Dodd Stadium/Grant Field	7:30 p.m.
Sat 11/06/2004	NC State	Raleigh, N.C.	TBA
Sat 11/13/2004	Connecticut	Bobby Dodd Stadium/Grant Field	TBA
Sat 11/20/2004	Virginia	Bobby Dodd Stadium/Grant Field	TBA
Sat 11/27/2004	Georgia	Athens, Ga.	TBA



Brothers turned out nicely in Civil War era uniforms before the Old South Ball.

## A Summary of Summer at Alpha Sigma

The summer for Alpha Sigma is coming to a close, but Georgia Tech football's fast approach gives us glimpses of hope for good times ahead. About twenty brothers resided in the KA mansion this summer and the vacant rooms downstairs were occupied by an assortment of girls, which made summer living a little more interesting.

The rush events this summer have had some of the best turnouts in years. Over fifty people have shown up for every event. We started out in early June with a weekend at Lake Wedowee in Alabama. A couple of weeks later, we watched dirt track racing at Dixie Motor Speedway. In July, we returned to Alabama for cliff diving off Chimney Rock and good times on Lake Martin, followed by a Braves game the next week. We are now looking forward to a Gulf Shores Beach Week in early August. We also have been meeting guys as they pass through for dinner or golf throughout the summer. Obviously, as far as rush is concerned, we have been busy and as a result have a very strong group of interested guys to begin the school year. We have our Rush Chairman, **Cort Outz**, to thank for all his hard work, and we also want to thank the alumni for your recommendations.

Outside of rush, Brother Outz and our

President, **Stuart Johnston**, have been doing some pro bono interning for Merrill Lynch. Brothers **Mark King**, **Clay Zilienski**, **Tyler Gaines**, **Matthew McHale** and I have been interning/co-oping for Atlanta-based engineering and development firms. The hardest working summer award goes to Brother **David Anderson**, who has been working 12-hour shifts seven days a week on the Johnny Isakson for U.S. Senate campaign trail, where they just scored a victory in the July primaries; we are looking forward to cheering them on in November. Brother **Joseph Ross** has been working with a professor on a research project, studying innovative methods of removing pollutants from wastewater. Other active brothers took summer classes, worked odd jobs in Atlanta such as caddying and serving food, or traveled home to work locally. Because there was no summer meal plan, about twenty people living in the house participated in a Wednesday night supper club, where different groups of three cooked dinner each Wednesday for everyone. It was nice to have a home cooked meal in the midst of all the fast food. The cooked meals were even decent, with a little help from the girls. Brother Johnston and I are looking forward to an exciting KA National Leadership Institute in August. It's being held in Austin, TX this year and we have already found some concerts to attend, some restaurants to try, and some incoming Georgia Tech freshmen to rush. ■

## Alumni

### UpDates

#### **Nathaniel J. Couch '44**

(5009 Wesleyan Woods Dr., Macon, GA 31210-4120) I was initiated in 1944, received my B.S. in 1949 and Bachelor of Architecture in 1950 at Ga. Tech. It was a different world then!!

#### **Terrell E. Horne '47**

(111 Claremont Rd., Oak Ridge, TN 37830; hornete1@aol.com) Retired Air Force – 27 years; Retired Lockheed Martin – 20 years as Management Consultant – ISO 9001, OMS; ISO 14001, EMS.

#### **Houston L. Welch '54**

(1225 Oxford Court, Birmingham, AL 35242-4676; houstonw@bellsouth.net) I have been retired for over 12 years from Southern Co. We have lived in Birmingham for over 30 years. We have three children and eight grandchildren that also live here. We just returned from two trips back-to-

back: the Canadian Rockies (10 days) and an Alaskan CruiseTour (seven days on the ship and seven days in Alaska). Wonderful trip! Some of the Hattiesburg gang from the '50s will be together again at Homecoming this year: **Charles Curry '54**, **Bill "BB" Patterson '54**, **Dan Williamson '57**, maybe **Bert Wilkins '54**, and myself.

#### **J. Charles Curry '54**

(122 Hidden Hills Dr., Greenville, SC 29605-3264; jccgsp@yahoo.com) **Houston Welch '54**, **Bill Patterson '54**, **Dan Williamson '57**, I and our four wives are coming to Homecoming for our annual reunion.

#### **Clinton M. Hunter '55**

(220 Buckingham Rd., Greenville, SC 29607-3006; clinthunter@juno.com) I am still where I have been for the

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## 2004-2005 Fall Pledges

**Brandon Ames**  
Columbus, GA  
Freshman

**Tyler Antonakos**  
Martinez, GA  
Freshman

**Henry C. Bowden**  
Atlanta, GA  
Freshman

**Jared Hardy**  
Hawkinsville, GA  
Junior

**Wilson Kieffer**  
Asheville, NC  
Freshman

**Larry McWilliams**  
Columbia, SC  
Freshman

**Brett Miller**  
Conyers, GA  
Junior

**Ryan Perry**  
Conyers, GA  
Junior

**Eric Reissiger**  
Valdosta, GA  
Freshman

**Justin Rouch**  
Watkinsville, GA  
Sophomore

**Patrick Welch**  
Martinez, GA  
Freshman



The 2004 Pledge Class of Alpha Sigma looks forward to joining the brotherhood.

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last 40 years, except I am now retired and waiting on my Georgia Tech 50th reunion in 2007. I will be down to see the new house before that! The old house was new when I arrived at Tech!

## **Thomas R. Boys '62**

(903 Blanton Pl., Greensboro, NC 27408-3144; tom\_boys@takata.com) I am a manager with Highland Industries in Greensboro, NC. My wife is Mae Agnes Scott '64 and our daughter Mary, graduated from Tech IE '89. Our granddaughter, Amanda, is 12. I am planning to retire to western NC in about two years, after 41 years in the industrial textile business.

## **David W. Ellwanger '64**

(4368 Edinbridge Circle, Sarasota, FL 34235; dwellwanger@aol.com) I spend time between my homes in Sarasota, FL and Santa Fe, NM. I retired from Dow Corning Corp. in 2001, after 36 years. Eight months later, I joined IBA Consultants as VP of Marketing and Sales. I plan to attend Homecoming this year to celebrate my 40th reunion.

## **Chip A. Brown '71**

(14 Woodland Dr., Rome, GA 30161) Leslie and I just celebrated our 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary and have recently moved back to the USA (Charlotte, NC) after living abroad in Europe for the last seven years. I still work for Alcoa. My two sons are both KA's and oldest, **David '97**, graduated from GT in 2001. Russell is a senior at Georgia State! We need to set a KA class reunion for 1969-1974 KA's!! Go Jackets!!

## **Clay M. Bryant '78**

(4627 W. Sunset Blvd., Tampa, FL 33629; cmbryant@gba-inc.com) Remember! This year is the 25th anniversary of Buzz, who was born at 801 Techwood. I'm going to see if my class wants to enter a Homecoming banner to honor **Richie Bland '78**.

## **Franklin W. Baugh '81**

(6840 Holt Drive, Colorado Springs, CO 80922; frankbaugh@hotmail.com) I'm pleased to announce the birth of Polly Rose Baugh, 21 October, 2003. She's an angel and fortunately takes after her mama. I'm still in the Air Force after 20-plus years and currently stationed at Schriever AFB in Colorado Springs. I'm deputy mission support group commander at 50th Space Wing. I finally married three years ago and Patty and I

are looking forward to settling back in Georgia when I eventually retire. Patty is from the Bay-area of California but likes Georgia and has her mind right after voting for Bill Clinton twice. Hope to get back to a Homecoming game one of these days.

## **Alan R. Mitchell '82**

(402 E. 45th St., Savannah, GA 31405; dsmitch@bellsouth.net) I am currently Sr. Product Specialist for Ortho Biotech. I've been married 15 years to DeAnne. Our son, Brennan, is 11 and our daughter, Mary Virginia, is 8.

## **Martin N. Howell '87**

(130 Vickery Ln, Roswell, GA 30075; martin.howell@kesari.net) I was married on Aug. 30, 2003 to Nicole Howell. I left RaceTrac Petroleum after nearly seven years and helped start an offshore contract manufacturing company in India. I just moved to Roswell, GA. I stay in touch with **John Bandy '87, John Capone '85, Don Evans '85, Mike DeFranks '86, Steve Poole '85, and Ben Scales '83**.

## **Jeffrey R. Holley '87**

(5182 Greenhouse Dr., Mason, OH 45040; holley.jr@pg.com) I'm in my 14th year with Procter & Gamble as a product and process development engineer in the Baby Care global business unit. We recently launched the new "Feel 'n Learn" training diaper, which I was able to test first hand with my oldest child, Tyler. My wife of five years, Denyce, and I have two children, Tyler, age 3, and Chase, age 1. We met at P&G from where she has recently resigned to be a full-time mom, taking the hardest, but most rewarding, job in the household. We live in the Cincinnati suburb of Mason, Ohio. Due to the recent changes in our lives, we have not made it back to Georgia Tech in several years but still stay in touch with my own brother, **Kaz (Holley) '90**, sister-in-law, Shannon, and 1-year-old niece, Laurel. We also see **Thomas Duttera '87** when we are back in Georgia visiting family. **Bob DeFoor '87** and his family also live in Cincinnati. I will get to catch up with **David Stuber '88** on future trips to Minneapolis, where Denyce's sister's family just moved.

## **Michael E. Hopkins '87**

(1335 Woodland Hills Dr NE, Atlanta, GA 30324-4625; mhopkins.esm90@

gtalumni.org) I took a job with an Israeli company in Jerusalem. I am the Product Development Manager of Soda-Club Worldwide LTD, which makes home soda making equipment. I kept my house here in Atlanta, so I am on a two week on/off rotation. I work out in the West Bank, so I have to pass through those Israeli checkpoints daily to get back to my hotel. Recent trips have been to Petra, Jordan and Sinai, Egypt. Check out my updated website at: [www.globalhopkins.com](http://www.globalhopkins.com)

## **Brett L Daniel '95**

(1910 Dyer Circle, Atlanta, GA 30341; brettldaniel@hotmail.com) Jacie and I recently moved to the other side of Atlanta inside the perimeter located off Clairmont. I'm working at Radiant Systems and Jacie has just started her 2nd year of Pharmacy School. We look forward to seeing everyone soon.

## **Steven Jones '95**

(620 Lakemont Dr., Dalton, GA 30720; steven\_jones@mohawkind.com) Bliss and I want to let you guys know about our new little bundle of Joy, Parker Ellen!! Born May 3, 2004. ■

## In Memory

Since publication of our last issue, we have learned of the deaths of

**John L. Fenton '41** and  
**William H. Harris '41** (1/27/04).

Alpha Sigma mourns their passing and extends condolences to their families and friends. ■

## Football Season Planning Information

Food and parking are available at the house during home football games this season. Call today to reserve parking at the house, as it is limited to the first 40 alumni who request a spot. James Dixon can be reached at 706-264-9591. Thanks again to all the brothers who tailgated at the house last year; we look forward to another exciting football season! ■