

## PHI THETA KAPPA Sigma Zeta Chapter Summer 2010 Newsletter

# Lanestock a Rousing Success!

Phi Theta Kappa would like to express thanks to all who helped to make Lanestock 2010 such a success. This was fabulous way to end a successful school year and begin a new one.

With the awesome music, the food and retail vendors and the visit of *Furthur*, all added up to equal a fun day for everyone.

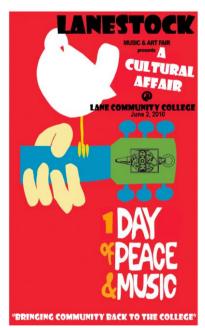
Of course, even though at times it felt like "Rainstock," being held in the month of "Juneuary" did nothing to dampen

or cool the spirits of those in attendance.

We want to thank everyone who attended, from students and faculty to the public. Without your support, this event

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would have not been possible.

We were happy to have heard so many positive comments from so many people. Most of all, we want to express our deepest gratitude for the help and support of the College's administration and staff. Special thanks go to Public Safety for their tireless help, as well as Facilities Services for all of their input and preparation.

Additional special thanks and appreciation go to Mary Spilde, President of the Col-

lege, for her support and recommendations. Also, we would be remiss if we failed to thank ASLCC for their enthusiastic support.

There are so many to thank that if we left you out, it wasn't because we didn't appreciate your help, we just can't remember everyone who provided assistance.

Check out page six of this special Summer issue for photos from Lanestock 2010. We look forward to Lanestock 2011. Please consider helping us when we begin preparations during Fall Term.

## New Officers Inducted



From left to right: Paul Tanner, Matt Ray, Velda Arnaud, Eric Roberts, Tracy Weimer, Karlie Hibler, Eddie Berlett

Just before the beginning of Summer Term, on May 26, 2010, Sigma Zeta's new officer team was inducted in a formal ceremony held in Building 1. The keynote address was delivered by our advisor, Velda Arnaud, and she encouraged us to do all we can to uphold the honor and privilege we have as a member of Phi Theta Kappa.

Your new officer team for the 2010-2011 school year is:

Karlie Hibler -- President Matt Ray -- President-Elect Tracy Weimer -- Vice President Eric Roberts -- Vice President Paul Tanner -- Communications Officer

These individuals are dedicated to making this the most successful year for Sigma Zeta to date.

### **Meet Your Officers**



Karlie Hibler

**President:** Karlie is an AAOT Zoology Major who is currently a degree partner student with LCC and Oregon State University. She will graduate from Lane with her AAOT next spring. She has been a member of Sigma Zeta since January 2009 and served as President-Elect for the 2009-2010 school year. Outside of school, she loves to play video games and is somewhat obsessed with zombies. She states, "I want to be as open and accessible as possible, so please feel free to contact me at any time at KarlieHibler@gmail.com." **President-Elect:** Matt is an Architectural Draftsman Major who will be graduating in June 2011. He's a drummer for fun and also enjoys reading nonfiction and watching comedy shows.



Matt Ray

**Vice President:** Tracy is an AAS Accounting Major expecting to graduate next spring. She has been a Sigma Zeta officer since December of 2009 and served as the chapter's Communications Officer until her election as Vice President. She is excited about this year's



**Tracy Weimer** 

honors study topic: "The Democratization of Information: Power, Peril and Promise." She states, "Many people come to college and keep their heads down the entire time. Take the time to learn about your leadership potential and explore the possibilities. You may surprise yourself."

**Vice President:** Eric is a Psychology Major with a Minor in Special Education. He will be dual enrolling at the University of Oregon next year and will be transferring at the beginning of the 2011-2012 school year. He is married and has a son. Eric loves basketball and Oregon.



**Eric Roberts** 



New Members and Officers



**Paul Tanner** 

**Communications Officer:** Paul is a Psychology Major with a minor in Business. He will be transferring to the University of Oregon sometime during the 2011-2012 school year. He has been a Sigma Zeta member since September 2009. He is enjoying his work with the Sigma Zeta chapter and is looking forward to continuing to expand his horizons. He says, "I may not be the fastest at getting something done, but when it is completed, you can count on it being done right."

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## **Spring Regional Conference**

This year's Spring Regional Conference was held at Menucha Retreat, just east of Portland. The beautiful surroundings contributed greatly to our enjoyment of a successful meeting.

Regional officers were elected and two members from our chapter were elected to serve for 2010-2011. Eddie Berlett V was elected to serve as our Regional Chief Operations Officer for the Rocky Mountain Cascade Region. Karlie Hibler was also elected as a Regional Officer. Congratulations to these members of Sigma Zeta!

One outstanding highlight of this Regional Convention was the decision to form a Rocky Mountain Cascade Alumni Chapter. It is a privi-

lege to let you know that the Alumni Chapter has been certified by Headquarters and is now official. Now, when we graduate



Velda on election evening

from LCC, we don't have to lose contact with Phi Theta Kappa.

Another privilege we had was to participate in a service project, removing invasive species from Menucha's grounds.

Although this was hard, dirty work, it was very satisfying.

Once again, your chapter brought home a number of awards. However, we now have some excellent competition from others chapters in our Region, so we need to work harder to keep our chapter at the leading edge. But we know we can do it!

Now that we have our goals set for the rest of the year, we are looking forward to the Fall Region-

al Conference, to be held at Tillamook Bay Community College, October 15-17, 2010.



Eddie Berlett hard at work



Enjoying the view of the Columbia Gorge

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## **Remembering Lanestock 2010...**













Clockwise from left: Main Stage performance by The Merry Pranksters with The Lost Creek Gang, Fire dancers, Some of the tireless volunteers, Further's arrival, Velda and Further, Erecting the main stage

## Phi Theta Kappa Helping Habitat for Humanity

Chair - ity Challenge Decorate a chair Help Habitat Official Entry Form & Rules

Habitat for Humanity has approached Phi Theta Kappa for help with their Chair-ity Challenge fundraiser. This will be an excellent opportunity for us to increase awareness of our society. In remodeling their food court, Gateway Mall donated about 500 chairs they were no longer going to use.

The challenge is to decorate a chair by turning it into something useful that is not used for seating. The decorated chairs will be sold at auction on October 10th. All the entries will be on display during the Lane County Home Improvement Show at the Lane County Fairgrounds October 8 through 10.

Entries must be submitted by September 15, 2010 at 6:00 pm at Habitat for Humanity's ReStore located at 1210 Oak Patch Road off West 11th Avenue.

There is normally a \$15.00 entry fee, but for Phi Theta Kappa the fee is waived. You can pick up your chair at the ReStore, and make sure you mention you are with Phi Theta Kappa in order to receive the fee waiver.

You may pick up as many chairs as you like, perhaps using several to make a composite piece.

Remember, the chairs may be decorated or repurposed in any manner. However, all entries must have a function of some kind. Also, keep in mind that in representing Phi Theta Kappa, keep your entry tasteful.

Make your chair(s) functional, whimsical, silly, whatever your imagination conceives. The idea is to help Habitat for Humanity raise money for constructing houses for worthy families as well as promoting Phi Theta Kappa in the general community.

When you pick up your chair you can obtain an official entry form that contains the complete rules.

With summer break and the little bit of extra time this allows, take advantage of this fun opportunity to help Sigma Zeta shin

## **Chapter Officers**

As a reminder, here are your Chapter Officers for the 2010-2011 school year:

- > President
- Karlie Hibler President-Elect Matthew Ray
- Vice President
  - Tracy Weimer
  - Vice President Eric Roberts
- Communications Officer Paul Tanner

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### **REGULAR CHAPTER MEETING**

PLACECENTER BUILDING, ROOM 230TIMETUESDAY @ 3:00 PMAll members are welcome and encouraged to attend. Bring<br/>a prospective member to give them a peek into ΦΘK.

### ASLCC MEETINGS

PLACE LCC BUILDING 3, BOARDROOM TIME MONDAYS @ 3:30 PM

#### COUNCIL OF CLUBS MEETING

PLACELCC BUILDING 1, ROOM 206TIME4:00 PM SECOND AND FOURTH TUESDAY EACHMONTH

#### SUMMER SOAR

SEPTEMBER 7-9, 2010

**SOLV BEACH CLEANUP** SEPTEMBER 25, 2010

WELCOME WEEK SEPTEMBER 27-OCTOBER 1, 2010

**REGIONAL HONORS IN ACTION CONFE-RENCE** TILLAMOOK COMMUNITY COLLEGE

OCTOBER 15-17, 2010

**CAR SMASH FOR HUSKIES GAME WEEK** NOVEMBER 1-5, 2010

**VETERAN'S PARADE** NOVEMBER 7, 2010

**30TH AVENUE ROAD CLEANUP** NOVEMBER 11, 2010

**PHI THETA KAPPA FOUNDER'S DAY** NOVEMBER 19, 2010

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If you have any questions or comments about your chapter's newsletter, please contact the Communications Officer paul.jeffrey.tanner@comcast.net Watch for the next issue coming in early October.