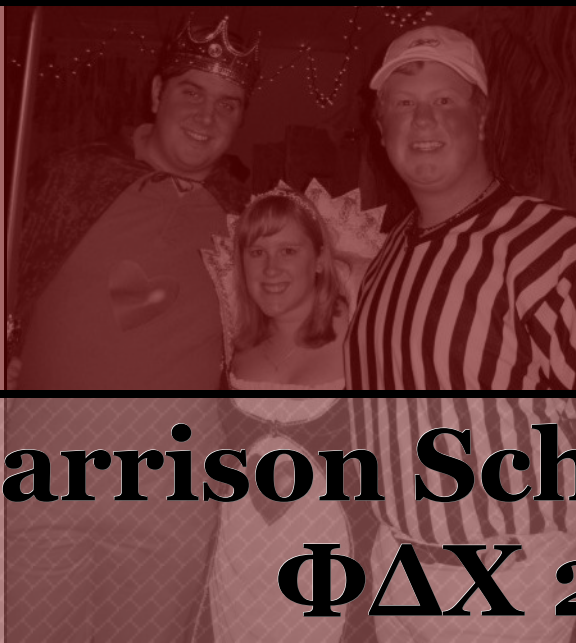




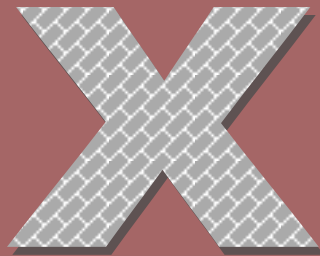
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NOTES FROM OUR...



Dr. Wesley Lindsey, **Faculty Advisor**
HSOP Assistant Professor
Alpha Chapter Alumni

Each year that I have the opportunity to serve Phi Delta Chi as the Chi Chapter's faculty advisor is a learning experience. I learn that the bonds of brotherhood outlast the walls of the lecture hall as I was able to reconnect with old friends and brothers from across the country this past year. I am reminded that brotherhood really matters and that "each needs the help of the other" is vital to getting through pharmacy school. I recognize that as a chapter we should always strive to be better and our national officers visited this spring to encourage our strengths as well as share some tools other chapters have used to improve. Finally, I am encouraged by the dedication of our brothers and their efforts as another 100% Achievement Award from the national office found its way to our trophy case.

I've stated this for several years, but it remains true: the brothers of the Chi Chapter continue to amaze and inspire me with their dedication to each other, their commitment to the profession of pharmacy, and their service to our community. They continue to

build the bonds of brotherhood through the annual Gatlinburg trip, the Big/Little events after initiation, the Wake the Dead Halloween social, and one of my personal favorites, the Thanksgiving fall feast. The service projects through St. Jude Children's Hospital, Project Linus, health fairs, and others make a big impact on our community and I applaud their efforts to help those less fortunate. I also want to acknowledge brother Ashley Weems who was recently elected the APhA-ASP Speaker of the House. As a current and future leader in pharmacy, I have no doubt that you will accomplish great things in our profession.

Another year has quickly passed and I want to thank the Chi Chapter for their contributions to our school, our campus, and our community. Each new group of officers contributes ideas and energy I and I look forward to working with Victoria and the other officers and giving my best effort to our brothers!

Wesley Lindsey, Pharm.D.

INCOMING AND OUTGOING OFFICER REPORTS



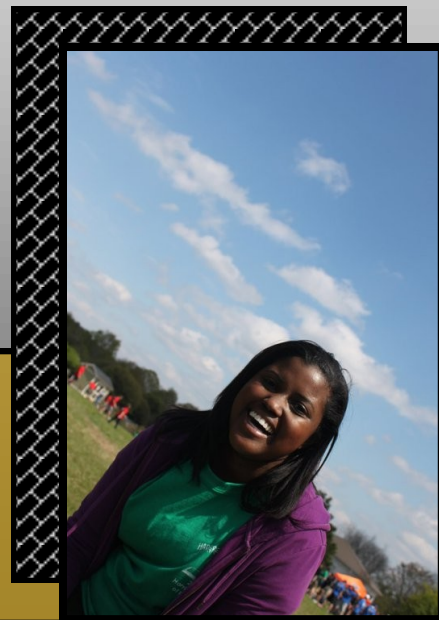


Kelly A. Haynes
 Outgoing WCC
 Class of 2012
 Huntsville, AL.

As outgoing WCC, I'm sad to be leaving the Brothers behind and venturing alone to the north-most rotation site in Huntsville. While it seems ages away, I know I'll keep close to everyone. And I definitely know that PDC will do an amazing job next year with all of the new Brothers and future pledges. Everyone has worked hard all year, and I know they'll work even harder next year. It's exciting to see what's going to happen! I wish everyone luck, and I hope that they have an amazing year!

I am grateful to be elected the Worthy Chief Counselor for the upcoming school year. It is a great honor to be able to serve the Chi Chapter of Phi Delta Chi in this position. Phi Delta Chi has given me the opportunity to develop my skills as a leader which otherwise I may not have had the chance to do. I have met a lot of amazing people through this organization that have become my brothers which I can rely on for anything I may need. It is a great feeling to know that I have such amazing brothers. Recently we had a CheQ visit from nationals, and we received recommendations that I intend to implement to continue the successfulness of this chapter. I realize that I have taken on a big responsibility, but I truly enjoy being a member of this chapter. I am ready to take on this task. I believe that we have a great set of new officers that will be able to continue the Chi tradition of being a great chapter. I am so excited to serve as the WCC and look forward to what the new semester will bring.

Victoria Spencer
 Incoming WCC
 Class of 2013
 Birmingham, AL.



Nicole Thomas
Outgoing WVC
Class of 2012
Savannah, Ga.

It has been an honor to serve as your Worthy Vice Counselor for this past year. Phi Delta Chi's dedication to service was one of the characteristics that intrigued me about this fraternity. The many service projects that were done throughout the year were very versatile and touched various parts of the community. As pharmacy students, service projects gave us the opportunity to utilize skills that we have learned in order to give back to the community. Also, through these projects, we learned new skills and learned to work together as brothers. I am honored to have been an integral part of organizing these projects. I hope that you all will continue to reach out and donate to the community by giving to those who are in need and providing services that could also promote the profession of pharmacy. I hope to that you will continue to increase the visibility of our chapter throughout the Auburn community and wish you great success in the future. God Bless.



I am so thrilled to be elected WVC. I am so very grateful to all my PDC Brothers for believing in me for this position. I feel that they were really behind me a 110% and I could not ask for a better group of understanding and driven Brothers. My goals for the upcoming year are to continue in our tradition of great service projects that we do. For example, our participation in Clothing Drive for the Battered Women's Shelter, our school supplies drive for local elementary school, and our participation in the Tough 2,/Tough 10 for breast cancer are among our favorites that I plan to continue. I would also like to try new and different service projects that we have not tried in the past. I think that our group of Brothers is up to the challenge and I can't wait to see PDC Brothers in action.



S. April McCoy
Incoming WVC
Class of 2013
Montgomery, AL.



Holly Gibson
 Outgoing WKRS
 Class of 2013
 Huntsville, AL.

In my role as WKRS this past year, I have learned a lot--both about PDC and my fellow brothers. As WKRS, I attended all meetings and took minutes and attendance at each, attended the officers' retreat this past summer, as well as helped conduct initiation. Through these tasks, my understanding of PDC--it's rituals, values, and goals--was greatly enhanced. Also, by attending all meetings and transcribing our proceedings, I was able to learn more about my fellow brothers, including what they specifically hoped to do through PDC, as well as some of their non-PDC interests and values. I am grateful to have had this position, and am proud of all of my fellow brothers, including our new ones, and how they have helped the Chi Chapter grow this year.

Being in such an outstanding fraternity is one thing, but to be elected for the WKRS position is even better. I believe that in order to be a good WKRS, certain qualities should be present. Not only should you have the quality of being able to perform tasks quickly and efficiently, but you should also have love for this organization. While in Phi Delta Chi, I have learned to honor and love my Brothers and to serve the community. I will be a good WKRS because my Brothers that surround me have enhanced my leadership, which gives me the self-confidence that this is the right position that I should serve this term. While in office I plan to keep everyone up to date with the meeting minutes, motivate members to attend meetings, and maintain the positive impact our organization strives to keep. I would be honored to serve as the WKRS of Phi Delta Chi and to my Brothers.....AAAE!!!!

Shari Brown
 Incoming WKRS
 Class of 2014
 Eutaw, AL.



Kalyn Hendrix
Outgoing WKF
Class of 2012
Spring, TX

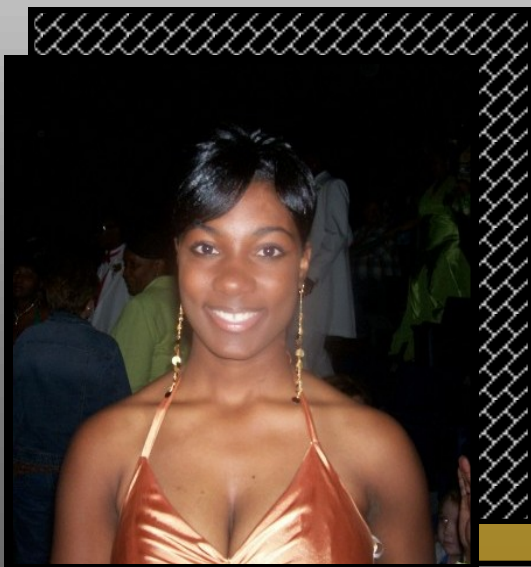
I can't believe that it has been two years since I first became WKF...sometimes I can't believe it's ONLY been two years. I have learned so much in the last two years when it comes to organization, time management, and patience. This office and PDC in general has really helped me grow into the professional that I hope to be someday (as long as I don't have to follow some silly dress code).

I pass on the office to Takova, who I know will do an incredible job as WKF. I know the position will be in good hands (better hands than mine, I'm sure), but I do hope I leave behind some part of me with the position (experience-that information no one seems to think you need until *that* day). I will make sure to always keep my door open for Takova if she has any questions, issues, or just wants to complain about people not paying dues.

I may no longer be WKF, but I plan on being just as involved with PDC as I ever was. AAAE!!



I can't wait to jump in as the new WKF! I am very excited about taking over the fundraising activities and incorporating fresh, new ideas. The Chi Chapter of Phi Delta Chi is very motivated to continue the extensive legacy of the chapter, and I am honored to have been elected to aid as an officer in those efforts. I also hope to improve the timeliness of overall dues payment in the chapter so that we will have more funds to do more helpful activities within the fraternity. As we say, "Each needs the help of the other"! I believe if we continue to work together over the next year, we will be able to accomplish things past our expectations. I look forward to serving!



Takova Wallace
Incoming WKF
Class of 2014
Childersburg, AL.



Ashley Weems
 Outgoing WC
 Class of 2012
 Birmingham, AL.

This year has gone by so quickly! It feels like only yesterday that we were holding informal rush & now graduation is almost upon us. As WC, I was able to keep everyone in our chapter involved & informed about national's requirements for our monthly reports. I had the opportunity to work with all of my brothers in trying to be cognizant of due dates that had to be met & projects that our chapter had to complete. I was able to call our regional correspondent anytime I needed any help. Being elected WC allowed me to learn more about Phi Delta Chi than I ever imagined & my brothers were always there to support me. Thanks for a great year!

:-)

I am excited to be the Worthy Correspondent for the academic year 2011-2012. I am excited, along with the rest of Chi Chapter to make this a wonderful year and maintain strong communication with national and regional offices. I believe this communication is necessary to help create strong bond between brothers outside of the chapter and to help us be successful in our various projects. Previous officers at the Chi Chapter have set a high standard and I plan to be as successful as them. I look forward to working with nationals, regional's, and the Achievement Award Program.

AAAE!!!

Carol Casey
 Incoming WC
 Class of 2013
 Atlanta, GA



S. April McCoy
Outgoing WP
Class of 2013
Montgomery, AL.

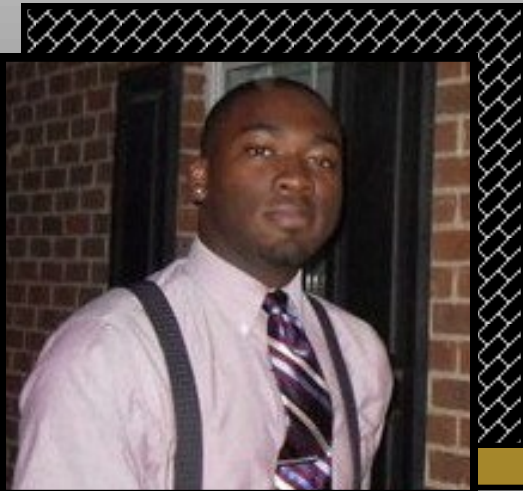


This year has been a long year for me. P2 is rough, but being WP has brought me some creative relief. I have tried to build our Chimera to be the best it can be. I feel that there have been some low times and some really awesome times for Chi Chapter this year. Probably the best has been a game of Phase 10 that involved very competitive competitors and some underhanded brothers sharing cards, but well worth the laughter. I hope the Chimera is up to the standards set by our previous WP, Kelly Haynes. So I hope you enjoy!!!!

AAAE!!!! ;)

My sincerest hope is that this correspondence finds you doing well. I am elated to have been selected as the Worthy Prelate (2011-2012). My predecessors have done a phenomenal job of serving in such a capacity, and it is my desire to do the like. I seek to incorporate my uncanny sense of creativity into our illustrious chapter. I would love for our chapter to continue to thrive and draw motivated and genuine individuals to the chapter. Likewise, I would love to continue our dedication to service and brotherhood. Such a tradition precedes me and is tantamount. Once again, it is my delightful pleasure to serve as Worthy Prelate for the upcoming term.

Raynard Butler
Incoming WP
Class of 2014
Montgomery, AL.





Victoria Spencer
 Outgoing WAL
 Class of 2013
 Birmingham, AL.

I have truly enjoyed being Worthy Alumni Liaison for the 2010-2011 school year. It was a pleasure to be able to contact and hear from the alumni. I have been able to learn about the Chi traditions as well as maintain a bond with alumni. It was very exciting to see how many supportive alumni that Chi has, who were able to give advice to the chapter. These alumni have set an example to me which I intend to follow once I become an alumnus. When I graduate I would like to give support whether it is financially or by giving advice and attending events. I am confident that the new liaison will continue to keep the alumni informed of the Chi events.

I am very excited to be the WAL for the upcoming year. I am looking forward to working to involve the alumni more in our projects and events, and to building a stronger relationship between alumni and active brothers. I know that I have really enjoyed the last two years in PDC, and I want to try to keep the alumni involved, so that when I, and all of my classmates/ brothers, graduate HSOP and become alumni, we can still be a vital part of the PDC family. We have a great group of brothers and new officers, and I know the upcoming year is going to be a fantastic one for PDC.

Sarah Vest
 Incoming WAL
 Class of 2013
 Cullman, AL.

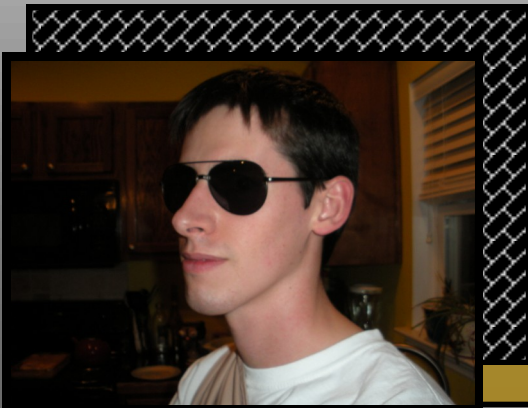


Kaleigh Owens
Outgoing WIG
Class of 2012
Thomasville, GA.



As Worthy Inner Guard, I am proud to say that I tried to take on the responsibility of planning social events. Although not as successful as I would have liked them to be, I am still proud of myself for trying. I wanted to develop my leadership skills and being an officer, although my role is small, I was able to do just that. I want to thank all of my brothers for giving me this opportunity and say I love each and every one of you! As we move on in our lives, I just want to remind us all of our motto, Alterum, Alterius, Auxilio, Eget, Each needs the help of the other; do not be too proud for help, that is what we are here for. Thank you for a good year!

As the newly elected Worthy Inner Guard, I am so thrilled to be of service. I am looking forward to creating all kinds of awesome social events for my PDC Brothers. I think with Victoria and April running the show we will have a eventful and festive year. I look forward to be being a huge support system for all the other officers', and I plan on maintaining the greatest force of security PDC Formal Meetings have ever seen. I just hope that everyone is able to keep up with the "Wolf pack".



Bret Walsh
Incoming WIG
Class of 2013
Birmingham AL.

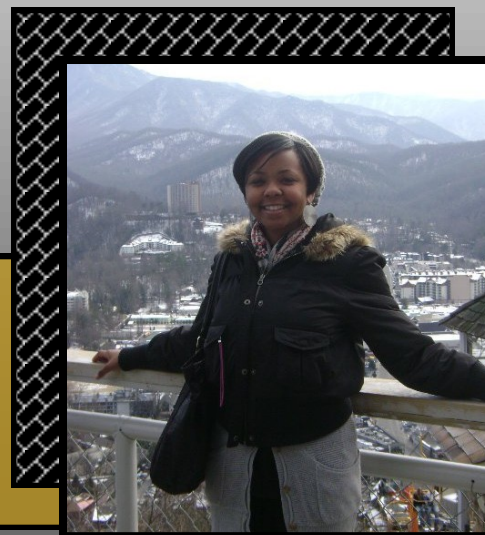


Cory Hansard
Outgoing WMR
Class of 2012
Cedar's Bluff, AL.

As outgoing Worthy Master-at-Arms for the Chi Chapter of PDC, I want to hug my brothers and tell them thank you. We have had a year full of service projects and fun activities. This year, we tried to have an equal amount of service projects and social events to help promote the good causes of PDC, to goof off, and be ourselves. By us being fun and taking time to help others, we were able to recruit some awesome pledges and new brothers. Like all big groups, we had plenty of ups and downs throughout the year, but we will hopefully learn from our mistakes/miscommunication, and not repeat them next year. I am blessed to have been able to serve as WMA for my friends. I have learned a lot about the necessity for planning out events such as Rush, Pledge Meetings, and Initiation. I know that the incoming WMA will learn from my mistakes and be an awesome officer and leader of the Chi Chapter. I will miss my Brothers, and most importantly, my friends next year. You are all the definition of brotherhood. So thank you, Chi Brothers, for making this an awesome year.

I am both excited and honored to serve as WMA this upcoming year. I have been a Brother for two years now and I am looking forward to taking a leadership role within this distinguished organization. I understand that my position carries a great deal of responsibility and I know that with the support of my brothers, I will be able to meet and exceed the challenges of this office. My expectations for the upcoming year are to recruit an awesome pledge class and continue to cultivate the bond of Brotherhood, which exemplifies the core principles of PDC. I am grateful to my Brothers for entrusting me with such a distinguished position and I am committed to fulfilling my obligations and any tasks at hand as WMA. AAAE!

Bernadette Early
Incoming WMR
Class of 2013
Montgomery AL.



Brittany Stallwoth

Outgoing SGA Representative
Class of 2013
Montgomery, AL.



As an outgoing officer, I still think that it spoke volume that the Fraternity allowed me to represent the organization. I am honored that I will be serving as SGA Representative again for this upcoming school year. I loved hearing the reports of other organizations and the events they have going on. Since, I will be SGA Representative again I will continue to strive for excellence and show others through my actions what Phi Delta Chi Fraternity is truly about.

As an incoming officer, I think it speaks volume that the Fraternity nominated me again to represent the organization as a whole. I know with this position I will continue grow as a leader. I am honored to be Phi Delta Chi SGA Representative and I am excited of the upcoming year. I want my fellow brothers to know that I will try my best to uphold the fraternity values to the best of my capabilities. I am so delighted to be an officer again! "Alterum Alterius Auxilio Eget which means each needs the Help of the other"! What a great motto to have for such a prestigious fraternity. I love it!



Brittany Stallworth

Incoming SGA Representative
Class of 2013
Montgomery, AL.

MEET OUR BROTHERS!!!



Random Chi Brother Facts!!!

I would rather babysit a dog than a child. I am actually a dog-sitter!!-Brittany M. Stallworth (pictured with Lil' Sarah Sutton)



I have stapled someone's head (in the hospital) before ;)
-Holly Gipson



I have kissed stingrays.-Ashley Weems

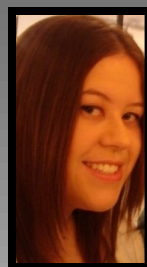


I swim like a fish! -Bernadette Early



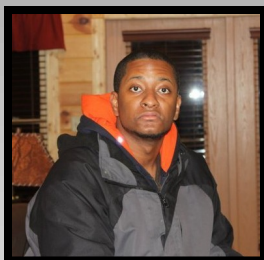
I have an original YouTube video with 80,000 hits.

-Kelly Haynes



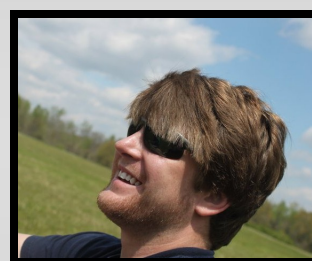
I sing at low volume while in public so no one can hear me.

-Niegel Hill



I can walk and chew gum at the same time!

-Drew White



I have 20 children: 17 who slither and 3 who bark.

-Sabrina Robertson



I lost 65 lbs over the past year doing P90X!

-Nicole Thomas





Rushing!!!



Class of 2010



Rushing Class of 2010

INFORMAL RUSH

By: WP S. April McCoy

With the afternoon quickly closing, the sun setting in the west, and the aroma of the grilling hamburgers filling the air, the Informal rush had begun. Informal Rush took place on the evening of August 24, 2010 at the home of a PDC Brother Jessica Goodwin and her sister. The Brothers' excitement and enthusiasm was contagious as future pledges and friends dropped in one by one to share the afternoon filled with good food, friendship, and games. Perhaps the most memorable moments involved the hula hoop...I never realized the gentlemen of Harrison School of Pharmacy were umm...so talented and of course the Ladies were masters from the very beginning. Needless to say the evening was a hit with a bundle of laughs and resulted in a number of future pledge participation. The future 2010-2011 looks pretty good from this perceptive.





Some of the Brothers at Informal Rush.

Top from the right: Ashley Weems, Cory Hansard, Nicole Thomas, Kelly Haynes, Kaleigh Owens, Bottom: Sarah Vest, Holly Gipson, Bernadette Early, Victoria Spencer, Carol Casey, Karol Melero, and Jessica Goodwin.



Two of our gentlemen hula
hoopers!!!



Sign in for our
future pledges.

Formal Rush



Pledge Shari Brown and
WCC Kelly Haynes

Brother s Bernadette
Early and Thomas
Rodgers.



WKRS Holly Gipson,
Pledge Silva Canaj,
and Brother
Sarah Sutton.



The Crew at Terra Cotta

Informal Rush

By: WCC Kelly Haynes

As per Kalyn's request in last year's Chimera article, we had our Formal Rush on September 7, 2010 at Terra Cotta again. The invitations to our "Black and White Bash" were designed to coordinate with our black and white cocktail attire. We were excited to mix and mingle with our potential pledges. The Brothers had an amazing time laughing and taking a much needed break from school. The food, again, was absolutely wonderful, and had many of the Brothers going back for seconds and even thirds.

We also collected school supplies for Loachapoka Elementary School. Each attendee was asked to donate a school supply, which gave us quite an impressive sum! But the real party was after our event had ended. Bret Walsh had an impromptu jam with his keyboard in the back parking lot, where he "helped" Sarah Vest with the introductory music for her Management Podcast recording. So, everyone had a very good time!

Chi Chapter Pledge Class of 2010



On September 20, 2010 after two entertaining rush events the bids for **Phi Delta Chi** went out and these amazing 11 students decided to pledge **Chi Chapter**!!!!

WELCOME PLEDGE CLASS OF 2010

Shari Brown

Austin Ratliff

Raynard Butler

Mandy Stanley

Silva Canaj

Sean Swieczkowski

Niegel Hill

Takova Wallace

Courtney Jones

Dalton Walsh

Vinh Nguyen

PLEDGED SICKS



Sean and his "stick" bracelet.



Cortney: Queen of Our Hearts.



Shari and her "doll".



Dalton and his "lizard"...ewww!!!



Takova's "batting up".



Vin's got his jewelry ready!!!



Mandy's always been our "Star".

What's a Pledge Stick?

A Pledge Stick is a Chi Chapter tradition, where we ask pledges to create a "stick". Once complete, the stick is brought to the assigned pledge meeting to be shown off. Unlike the pledge folder which is required only on campus, the stick is required at all times. Pledges are encouraged to be as creative as they want with sticks, but there are a few basic requirements:

- ☐ ☐ They must be a foot long— yes, 304.8 millimeters. We check.
- ☐ ☐ They must be made of wood.
- ☐ ☐ They must have our colors— **old gold** and **dregs of wine**.
- ☐ ☐ They must have our Greek letters.
- ☐ ☐ They must have the pledge's year.

Who's Your Big?



Big April (L), Little Mandy,
and Big Karol (R)



WC Kelly (L), Little Takova,
and Big Bernadette (R)



Big Nicole (L)
and Little Raynard (R)



Little Niegel (L)
and Big Thomas (R)



Big Kayleigh (L), Little
Sean and P4 Sabrina



Big Bret (L) and Little
Dalton ...Brothers in real
life and PDC.



Big Holly (L), Little Austin
and Big Cory (R)



Little Silva (L) and
Big Sarah (R)

Right: Little Courtney (L),
Big Victoria, and Grand Big
Kelly (R)

