



Zeta Alpha Theta Chi Fraternity Alumni Corporation

Brothers,

On behalf of the Alumni Board we hope everyone is staying safe and are doing well and Happy Theta Chi Founders Day!

Before we begin official business, we wanted to update everyone about the 28th Golf Outing. We are now just 63 days away from the shotgun start!

ARE YOU PLANNING ON ATTENDING THE OUTING AND PLAYING GOLF?

Click on this email link golf@zachapter.com and let us know and with whom you wish to play! This helps the course set up the carts for the outing in advance.

ARE YOU PLANNING ON COMING IN EARLY AND BEING AT THE WELCOME COOK OUT ON FRIDAY?

Click on this email link golf@zachapter.com and let us know!

ARE YOU PLANNING ON STAYING AFTER THE GOLF AND HAVING DINNER EITHER CHICKEN OR STEAK FOR \$27.

Click on this email link golf@zachapter.com and let us know!

Send your check for dinner for \$27.00 to:

Joe Suprano
641 Kelso Road
Pittsburgh, PA 15243

DO YOU NEED A ROOM AT THE RADISSON HOTEL FRIDAY, SATURDAY OR BOTH?

Click on this email link golf@zachapter.com and let us know!

WOULD YOU LIKE TO SPONSOR A \$100 TEE SIGN FOR THE EVENT THAT WILL SUPPORT THE THETA CHI HELPING HAND FUND TO SUPPORT A COLLEGIATE CHAPTER MEMBER IN NEED? Let Patrick Russel know at patrickrussell2906@gmail.com.

Checks can be made payable to: **THETA CHI ZETA ALPHA ALUMNI ASSOCIATION**

Mail your check (s) to :
John Farrar
11801 Riverpark Way
Chesterfield, VA 23838

BOARD ELECTIONS

Now to business:

On January 1, March 5 and March 25, 2021 President Bull sent a call for nominations for three (3) two-year terms to be filled. The terms for these

three positions will begin 6/1/2021 and run through 5/31/2023. At that time, he announced that all nominations were to be sent to me at my email address sky@mbride.com by April 1, 2021 and be confirmed by those being nominated that they intend to run. Nominees were asked to submit a 1 or 2 paragraph letter briefly describing themselves and their background. (such as initiation year and reasons for running.)

As of April 1, 2021 I received three (3) candidates for the three positions available. There information including initiation year are listed here.

Brother Michael Bariski '74

My name is Mike Bariski I'm a 1978 graduate of Slippery Rock and was in the Chi pledge class. I am also a charter member of the golf outing. I was at the first one and have been at everyone since except for last 2 years because of high school graduations.

I am the head basketball coach and Athletic Director at Lincoln Park Performing Arts Charter school for the last 12 years. Before that I was a flight attendant for United Airlines for almost 30 years. Dealing with people is one of my strongest attributes.

As a coach and AD you need great communication, organizational and problem-solving skills.

We have been extremely successful at Lincoln Park in the last 10 years, winning 5 WPIAL championships and two PIAA state championships in Boys basketball.

I serve on several committees:

- Developmental Board for the Beaver County NAACP, for Educational Opportunities and Enhancement
- Midland Sports Hall of Fame
- WPIAL Athletic Sports committee
- PA Charter School Collation Athletic Representative

I am extremely interested in bringing my skills to one of the elected positions to the alumni board so it can continue on the positive trajectory that has been created. Thank you for your consideration.

Brother Sky Pederson '18

My Name is Sky Pederson and I am 2019 graduate of Slippery Rock University. I'm a charter member and served as President during the recolonization/initiation of the chapter in 2018.

I have served as Secretary on the Alumni Board for the past 2 years.

Currently, I work for Bayer Healthcare as a Field Sales Consultant in the Saint Louis MO area. Outside of work, I coach Boys Lacrosse for a local High School and enjoy spending time with family and friends. I am very interested in running for re-election.

By continuing to serve on the Board I hope to carry on strengthening the relationship with the more recent alumni, the more senior alumni and the chapter that I have seen develop over the last few years. I appreciate the consideration.

Brother Patrick Russell '76

My name is Patrick Russell. Thank you for considering me for the slate of candidates in the upcoming board elections. I attended Slippery Rock from 1975-1978. I served as Treasurer for the chapter during my tenure at Slippery

Rock. I graduated from Youngstown State in 1992.

I have served on the alumni board for the last 2 years. I have 100% attendance to all board meetings and have been in charge of the Tee Sign Program for the annual golf outing supporting the Helping Hand Scholarship Program with success.

I would like to continue to make a contribution not only to the Alumni Board but to the chapter.

I look forward to serving another term and would appreciate your support.

**It is now time for you to cast your ballot.
You have until April 25, 2021 to cast your electronic ballot.**

Those eligible to vote are initiated alumni members or honorary members Zeta Alpha Chapter of Theta Chi Fraternity, in good standing.

On the next page, I am distributing ballots to all voting members electronically.

[You may click here to start the process to cast your ballot.](#)

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