



We hope everyone enjoyed the holiday season, survived the January snow storm, the Steelerless and Eagleless SuperBowl and are safe and warm.

Hopefully the ground hog was wrong and we can get to Spring quicker than predicted!

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2026 ZA Chapter of Theta Chi Golf Outing



The 2026 Zeta Alpha Chapter of Theta Chi Fraternity Golf Outing.

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The plans for the **33rd Zeta Alpha Theta Chi Fraternity Golf Outing** is underway and we are looking forward to renewing relationships and creating new ones with the current brothers of the Zeta Alpha Chapter.

The Golf Outing will be held at **Slippery Rock Golf Club at 160 Ralston Rd, Slippery Rock, PA 16057.**

It will be a shotgun start at 1:00 pm and we ask **everyone who plans to play to arrive by 12:15 pm.** Otherwise come when you like.

After golf we will retire to the Theta Chi House at **115 Kiester Road, Slippery Rock, Pa 16057** awards from the golf outing, food and a variety of beverages will begin around 6:00 pm.



We are moving into the 21st century with payments and they are due in advance.

When the golf outing first started we communicated by post card.

We have improved!
NOW we are taking another step in the payment process.

The deadline for registrations is May 29, 2026.

- The golf course requires us to make payment in advance.
- The Alumni Board will also be collecting the \$20 for the Awards Dinner.
- T signs are \$100.

We are going to need to collect all fees in advance. (Unlike last year.)

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WHAT IS BILL PAY?



Bill pay is an online service that banks and credit unions provide, giving you access to a platform to pay your bills in one place.

As far as we know, virtually every brother has a bank account of some kind and almost all banks offer "FREE BILL PAY" (or some derivative of that title where you can):

1. Log into your bank account online
2. Go to "Bill Pay"
3. Set up a vendor:

Zeta Alpha Alumni Chapter of Theta Chi
c/o Doug Bull
4805 Pack Saddle Way
Flower Mound, TX 75028

4. Enter an amount
5. Enter an account (checking or savings or other)
6. Pick a date
7. Send

Please pay the total due when completing the bill pay.

- \$20 just dinner
- \$55 just for golf
- \$75 for golf and dinner
- \$100 for T sign
- \$120 T sign and dinner
- \$175 for golf, dinner and T sign

IF YOU ARE NOT AN ONLINE BILL PAY KINDA GUY, FEEL FREE TO SEND A PAPER CHECK MADE OUT TO:

Zeta Alpha Alumni Chapter of Theta Chi

and mail it to:

Doug Bull
4805 Pack Saddle Way
Flower Mound, TX 75028

This will hopefully make it more enjoyable and efficient for all involved. Instead of transactions on site everything will be done in advance and all registrants will have to do is show up and get their names checked off the list.

At the welcome on Friday and Awards Dinner on Saturday there will be a registrant checklist and all you will have to do is check in.

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Each year the event has grown and we wish to share the steps we have taken.

Please note these items:

1. Any participant over the age of 70 will play from the Gold Tees rather than the normal White Tees (so it may encourage those of you under 70 to seek these brothers out for your team!)
2. The Alumni Board will be providing a hot dog and drink at the clubhouse during the event for all registered attendees.
3. Anyone interested in purchasing a T-sign to support the Helping Hand Fund and chapter activities for \$100 may do so by making that notation on your registration form and you will be contacted by Secretary John Farrar.
4. We have created an online registration form for ease of registration.

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Raffle, Closest to the Pin and Longest Drive.

We will be offering a Theta Chi Golf Bag as the raffle prize this year.

The only cash being collected on site will be for the Closest to the pin and Longest Drive competitions and the raffle.

All registrations MUST be finalized and received no later than May 29, 2026.

If you have any questions or need any help you may contact any member of the board or [click here and send the request](#).

Welcome Event

Plans are for a "Welcome Event" at the Theta Chi house at 115 Kiester Road, Slippery Rock, PA 18103 on **Friday, June 12, 2025** beginning about 5:00 p.m. There will be food, beverages and brotherhood at the house for the evening. It will be a great time for older alumni to get to know the brothers!

After outing dinner and awards program.

After the outing at approximately 6:00 p.m., everyone will gather at the **THETA CHI HOUSE at 115 Kiester Road, Slippery Rock, PA 16057** for awards, food and beverages including

presenting Golden Guard Certificates for 50 years of membership to attendees.

There is no end time for the event Saturday.

Anyone not registered in advance access will not be permitted. The collegians are required by Theta Chi Fraternity to have a participant list for any event where alcohol is served on hand for their protection.

Hotel

There are 6 Double Queen rooms reserved for June 12-14, 2026 at the Fairfield Inn & Suites by Marriott in Slippery Rock. The phone number for reservations is 724-406-0535 x #2.

Before you call to book a room, you can register (if not already a member) at **no cost** with the Marriott Bonvoy program. Go to <http://www.marriott.com>. In the upper right corner click the link "Sign in or Join." On the next screen click "Join for Free"

When the hotel is called and if you have a Marriott Bonvoy # tell the hotel this when reserving a room. If you are a Marriott Bonvoy member you will get a cheaper rate.

If you **ARE NOT** a Marriott Bonvoy member the cost of the room for 2 nights is **\$463.98** (including tax.)

If you **ARE** a Marriott Bonvoy member the cost of the room for 2 nights is **\$441.78** (including tax.)

Call the hotel and explain you are part of the **Theta Chi Fraternity Alumni Board Group** and you wish to reserve one of the rooms held by the block. At that time, the hotel will request a credit card to hold the room and an email address to confirm your reservation for your records.

Rooms will be sold on a **first-come-first served basis** and when gone they are gone.

If a room is reserved and a decision is made to cancel, the room must be cancelled before June 11, 2026 at 11:59 p.m. Otherwise the card provided will be charged for the reservation.

From that first outing, a tradition has grown which has endured for 34 years helping reunite our brothers yearly. It is normally the weekend before Father's Day in June (subject to facility conflicts) and is a date brothers add to their calendars. At the same time, we understand that life goes on and with graduations, weddings and other family related matters one cannot always attend but brothers are comforted by knowing, if they cannot come this year, they can make it the next year!

One last thing on rooms. We have spoken to the Alumni Association at Slippery Rock and apparently Alumni Weekend will be the same weekend. They will be offering dorm rooms to those who may be interested. (We have few specifics at this time but want brothers to know.) Participants would need to follow university policies to stay. We will obtain more information and share in the next newsletter.

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2026- 2028 Alumni Board Nominations

There will be 3 Board positions to be filled for the 2026-2028 terms.

Any initiated brother, including those currently serving, who would be interested in placing their name on the ballot should provide an **email to Secretary John Farrar** at jsfarrar1956@gmail.com, no later than **April 1, 2026**, stating your desire to have your name on the ballot accompanied by a statement as to why you wish to be selected by the membership to be elected to the Board. This information will be used to be provided to the voters for their information.

Chapter Advisor Notes

Since the last newsletter, the Chapter finished 2025 strong with the election of its 2026 Officers. Several brothers competed for the positions, to which they were elected, demonstrating the enthusiasm to continue their success. A list of officers can be found on the website [click here](#).

Resolute Man

Brother Kaan Ozdemir earned his Resolute Man designation by attending the Theta Chi International Marketing Experience held September 9-6, 2025 in St. Louis MO. Brother KJ Meek earned his Resolute Man designation by participating in the Theta Chi Fraternity Sports Management Experience held at the Indiana Pacer facility November 13-15, 2025. For more on recognition the chapter and brothers have been receiving can be found on the website [click here](#).

Interfraternity Council

Chapter President Jake Levy was elected President of the Interfraternity Council and Brother Mark Rose was elected as the Interfraternity Council Vice President of Education for 2026.

Academics

Finals concluded on December 13, 2025. The Fall 2025 GPAs were recently released and the results are:

- There are 5 brothers who earned a 4.0 GPA - Zachary Bickel, Cole Clary, Johnny Grimm, Luke Jordan, Logan Pfaff.
- In addition to the above 5 brothers the following 13 brothers also made the Dean's List (3.5 to 4.0 GPA) - Evan Andrews, Daniel Babinsack, Adam Fisher, Connor Haney, Caleb Hankee, Nate Murrin, Blake Naeger, Jack Nalavenko, Michael Niness, Kaan Ozdemir, Thuta Htun, Nate Wagamen, Glenn Wilcox
- There were 14 other brothers who earned between a 3.0 and 3.49 GPA. That means out of 47 brothers 32 had a 3.0 or better!

The average GPA for the Zeta Alpha Chapter for the Fall of 2025 - 3.084

- The all-men's student GPA average for Fall 2025 - 3.17, the all-fraternity student GPA average for Fall 2025 - 3.086.
- The all-women's student GPA average for Fall 2025 - 3.43, the all-sorority student GPA average for Fall 2025 - 3.482

All undergraduate average - 3.31

Theta Chi Fraternity in Fall 2025 held the 5th highest fraternity GPA with only a 0.216 point difference between 1st and 5th. This Fall Theta Chi was tied as the largest fraternity on campus with 47 members and stands only second to Pi Kappa Phi in academics with 47 members. The next largest fraternities on campus range from 9-24 members.

Training

The Chapter President, Vice President, Health and Safety Vice President, Recruitment Chair and Marshal attended the January Officers Training Conference held in Indianapolis, IN, January 9-11, 2026, obtaining insight into their responsibilities, sharing information and networking with fellow brothers from all over the country.

Spring Semester

- Classes were scheduled to begin again on January 20, 2026. However, as with many of you, experienced as well, Slippery Rock University closed for a couple days because of the snowstorm. Advisor Lehman met with the brothers on January 17th to check in, talk through a few behavioral items, hold a brief executive board meeting, and help map out the semester.

This visit happened just before the snow hit campus. With several classes moving online, the brothers leaned into the moment and stayed connected through some casual snow activities around the dorms and near the ski lodge.

- The chapter is expecting a large group of seniors preparing to graduate (approximately 10) which has naturally led to a bit of the "usual" senior disengagement. That said, the chapter remains tied as the largest organization on campus and continues to have a strong presence. To visit the current activities of the chapter, [click here](#).
- Recruitment officially kicked on February 1st. The chapter has planned seven events over the next two weeks, with a goal of bringing in between 10 and 20 new members.
- The chapter is planning to host a Founders Day Event on April 12 at 11:00 a.m. including a cookout, yard games and a variety of other activities. The chapter is enthusiastically invites alumni brothers to attend.
- The initiation of the Pi pledge class is scheduled for April 19, 2026. All initiated brothers are invited and appropriate suits and ties are required for admission. Time and location will be shared once everything is fully finalized.

[To review all chapter activies so far in 2026 click here.](#)

To review the activities of the chapter
in any particuar year since 2017 including this year,
[Click here](#)

Respectfully,

Chapter Advisor
Eric Lehman



Alumni Board Actions

At the February 1, 2026 Alumni Board meeting, the following actions were taken:

- Approval of June 29, 2025 minutes.
- Verified the adoption of the bylaw amendment distributed in August passing by 95.24% to 4.76% margin to adjust the date to no later than May 15 each year to elect officers of the Board.
- Updated the signatory policy for Alumni Board general checking and brick fund savings accounts based on current banking requirements.
- Added the "official events" policy to Board Operating Policies. [Click here for the alphabetical list of Board Operating Policies](#)
- Began work on 2026-2028 Alumni Association Recognition Program application and designated representative to the convention.
- Authorization of the distribution of funds raised from the 2025 Golf Outing.
- Announced the Theta Chi Fraternity 170th Anniversary meeting and School of Fraternity Practicies July 10-14, 2026 in San Antonio and selected Brother Krepinevich to be the designated delegate. All brothers alumni and collegiate are encouraged and welcome to attend.

- Discussed arrangements made so far for the Golf Outing and began working on specific details, fees and responsibilities for the event.
- Discussed the distribution and content of the February Alumni newsletter.

All minutes of the Alumni Board meetings are [posted and can be viewed here](#). They are posted but not official until approved at the next meeting of the Alumni Board.

What it costs to be a member of the Zeta Alpha Chapter of Theta Chi Fraternity

Many of us remember in the mid 70's and early 80's when a semester cost:

In the 70's to attend Slippery Rock University

- \$360 for tuition per semester
- \$285 for a 14 week meal plan per semester
- \$287 for a dorm room per semester
- \$35 Student Activity Fee per semester
- \$0 for telephone that was a pay phone at the end of the hall.

Total \$ 967.00 per semester

Theta Chi Fraternity Fees

A Theta Chi initiation fee was \$60

Once initiated the semi-annual fees for a brother were:

- National per capita tax - \$7.50 - \$17.50 per semester
- Rattle Fee - \$2.50 - \$5.00 per semester

Total - \$10 - \$22.50 - per semester

The chapter also charged local fees to cover programming, and other administrative responsibilities of \$10-\$25 per month a semester. (or a \$2 donation or at the door for parties!)

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But today things are significantly different and the brothers who have initiated into Theta Chi Fraternity in addition to the following:

Currently, to attend Slippery Rock University

- Tuition - \$3,997 per semester
- Technology Fee - \$248 a semester
- Housing - \$3,684 per semester
- Fourteen week meal plan - \$1,766 a semester
- Student Activity fee - \$210 per semester
- Books - \$750 per semester

Total \$10,655 per semester.

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A Theta Chi initiation fee is \$389.

Once initiated the semi-annual fees for a brother are:

- Programming and benefit fee - \$281 per semester (this includes liability insurance)
- Greek Bill Fee for payment processing - \$18

- Chapterspot Fee for chapter information management - About \$8 a member

Total - \$315 per semester

The chapter also charges local fees to cover programming, and other administrative responsibilities of \$200 a semester.

It is clear the commitment the current collegians have made to be a member of the Zeta Alpha Chapter of Theta Chi Fraternity is obvious and some may say appropriate for the time. But from what we can see, it is the value the members perceive from those fees.

It is important that we are aware of and encourage their commitment.

Chapter Eternal

We sadly report the loss of five of our initiated alumni brothers who have recently passed onto the Chapter Eternal:

- Donald "Doc" Hannon - 240-26
- Glenn R Jones - 240-205
- Timothy Aldom - 240-321
- David Grabosky - 240-360
- Theodore F. Disalvo - 240-364

As in the past, the great tradition continues with the Alumni Association is committed to honoring **ALL** initiated brothers that pass on to the Chapter Eternal. We need the help of all our brothers by notifying a member of the Alumni Board of the death of a brother and the Board welcomes donations to the fund.

The Alumni Board continues to try to make reporting as simple as possible. Thanks to a suggestion from Brother Ron Burke, you can notify the Board online from the website just under Chapter Eternal Link in the navigation or by [clicking here](#)

If you wish to make a donation to the Brick Fund contact [Treasurer Doug Bull](#).

A fund has been created by the Alumni Association and donations are always accepted to memorialize brothers with a memorial brick at the Alumni House at SRU who have passed to the Chapter Eternal.

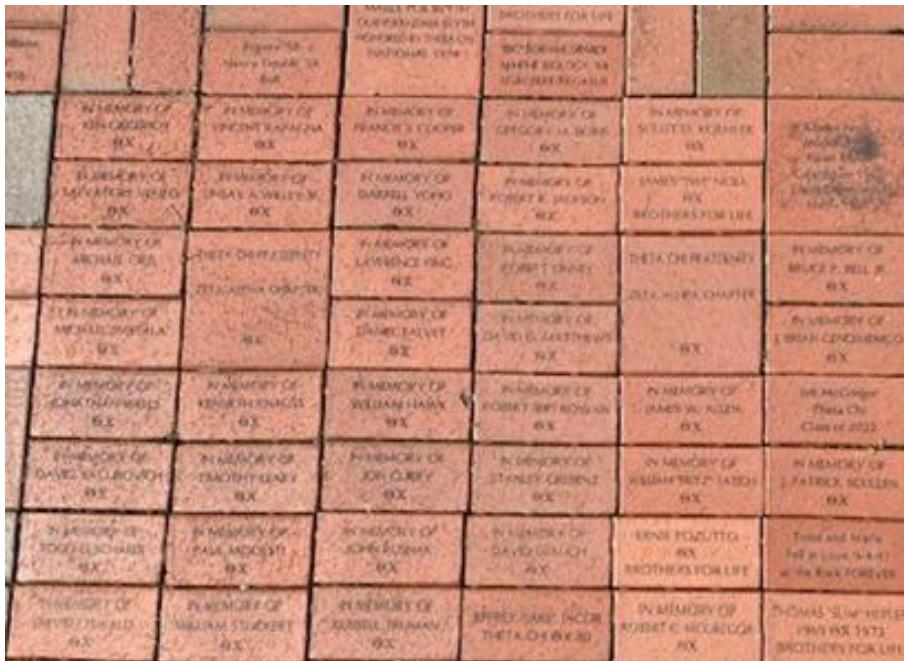
If you are solicited by anyone other than a member of the Alumni Board or its authorized designee for donations for bricks, you are being deceived and the money is going somewhere else and direct violation and competition with of the operation of the chapter and alumni association.

Needless to say this deception has already placed bricks for brothers at this memorial who have NOT passed which is not consistent with the more than 45 bricks purchased in the past.

It is the policy of the Alumni Board that memorial bricks will be purchased annually in cooperation with the normal Alumni House purchase schedule. The notification of the passing is handed over to the Alumni Board Secretary and bricks will be purchased by him for placement and consistency with the other memorial bricks for ALL initiated brothers who have passed to the Chapter Eternal and will be added to the display at the Alumni House on campus.

Their names will be read aloud at the 170th Anniversary Convention and School of Fraternity Practices in San Antonio, Texas, July 10-14, 2026

For a full list of brothers who have passed to the chapter eternal can be found on the Zeta Alpha Website.



Brother Updates

We are pleased to announce that **Brothey Don "Clippy" Iskat** and his bride have decided to make a move to North Carolina to be closer to family! His phone number remains the same but his new address is 2592 Brackley Place, NW, Concord, NC 28027. He also has a new email address: diskat54@gmail.com

If you need contact information for a brother visit <http://www.zachapter.com> and under "Brothers Only" there is a link to the ZA Alumni Brothers Searchable Database with information we have been provided. If challenged for a password, it is: Boston.

The Bonds of Brotherhood



Pledges David Warrick (left) and Rick Stafford (right) carrying their Zeta Alpha Chapter Theta Chi Fraternity pledge boards on campus while pledging as part of the Spring '73 Tau pledge class.

Staying connected with Theta Chi Brothers was a much more difficult for those that may have graduated prior to the age of social media, email, text messaging, and facetime. Brothers would graduate, transfer, or leave Slippery Rock to transition to a full time job, get married, and then life started a new chapter in their life having no easy way of staying connected with their brothers and friends.

Many "experienced" brothers have been able to reconnect and find old friends that had meant so much to them as brothers while attending Slippery Rock. Thru the efforts of Brother Gary Sablowski, he and others have been able to reunite with Brother Rick Stafford. Rick pledge in 1973 and was a member of the Tau Pledge class while at Slippery Rock. Rick lived in the house, played on the intermural basketball team for Theta Chi and was a regular in pickup basketball games on the court in the back of the house. Rick graduated Slippery Rock with a degree in Special Education and returned to his hometown of Reading and started his career in Special Education. Rick worked as a special education teacher and helped coach youth basketball, which was one of his passions while attending Slippery Rock.

Thru unfortunate circumstances Rick suffered a severe stroke while driving, resulting in traumatic injuries that have confined him to a nursing home since the accident. Rick has been living in the confines of the nursing home for almost fifteen years. When Brother Sablowski finally located the nursing home Rick was living he contacted other Theta Chi Brothers that knew and loved Rick. They organized a visitation to the nursing home that had become home for Rick. These visitations have become a regular organized trip to spend time and brotherhood with Brother Stafford.

Brothers Heimerdinger, Young, Bradis, Sablowski, Debruno and others make the regular trips to visit Rick. They have helped Rick get an improved TV connection in his room adding a streaming box that allows Rick unlimited hours of sports entertainment. What appears as a small act of kindness gives great joy to Rick, as well as renews the bonds of Brotherhood for the brother making the visit in addition to giving great joy to Rick.



Alumni Corporation Recognition Program Application for 2026-2028

Every biennium for the last 4 years Theta Chi Fraternity has required Alumni Associations to apply for and to obtain "official recognition." For the last 4 years the Zeta Alpha Alumni Association has been designated with official recognition.

To be eligible the association must:

- Be a non-profit. 501(c)(3).
- Be associated with a chapter for the benefit of the chapter.
- Identify an Alumni Delegate for the anniversary convention.

- Show incorporation with the state of Pennsylvania (Fictitious Name - DBA)
- File a 990-N tax filing with the IRS to maintain tax-exempt status.
- Have at least 3 directors on the Alumni Board.
- Ensure all board members are initiated members in good standing.
- Have an approved set of bylaws.
- Agree to and understand The Constitution and bylaws of Theta Chi Fraternity, Inc, the Safety Standards Manual, and Insurance manual.
- Confirm there are appropriate financial controls in place.

We have worked hard over the years and are proud to have insured that the Zeta Alpha Alumni Association in compliance.

The 2025-2026 Alumni Board has begun work in completing the application due by April 1, 2026.

When recognized, the following benefits will be received:

- License to use the Theta Chi Fraternity name and registered trademarks.
- Access to current roster and alumni contact information as available.
- Waiver of nomination fees for certificate-based awards
- Coverage under Theta Chi Fraternity's general liability and officers and directors insurance
- Ability to represent the alumni Association with a seat at the anniversary meeting of Theta Chi Fraternity

We could use your help!

The Alumni Chapter's website contains information available to all brothers.

One of the most used features is a searchable database that lists contact information for all initiated brothers who have provided information. The Alumni Board needs help in locating brothers not currently in the database.

We continue to attempt to keep the database current.

You can [click here to search for brothers](#) for which the Alumni Association has contact information. Please help us by using the database to locate all the brothers in your pledge class. If one is missing and you have contact information please complete the contact information form on the web site.

And YOU can help keep your record current!

Many of you especially those graduating in the last 8 years are changing address and other contact information. Look yourself up on the database and if it is not complete or you do not appear, [you can update or provide a record by clicking here](#).

Most update information is updated on the website within a week but normally less.

YOU DO NOT NEED TO SEND US ANYTHING IF WHAT IS THERE IS CORRECT!

We appreciate your help. We currently have over 330 listings in the database of the over 550 brothers who have been initiated since 1964.

Have you met MAX?



We have heard questions related to: "What is a dog doing on Theta Chi Rush shirts?" Well, there is an interesting story!

While the fraternity's official symbol is the rattlesnake, **Max the golden retriever** is the face of a modern lifestyle brand created by Theta Chi's official apparel partners.

The story behind Max and his presence on rush shirts is rooted in lifestyle marketing rather than historical lore:

The "Retriever Collection":

Max was introduced as the central character for the Retriever Collection, a specific line of apparel designed to give Theta Chi a more approachable, "outdoor lifestyle" brand identity.

A Marketing Persona:

Max is a purebred golden retriever depicted as a loyal "brother" who enjoys classic collegiate activities. He is often used to fuse the fraternity's image with other prestige brands, most notably in the Retriever Invitational shirts that mimic the Masters golf tournament logo.

The "Resolute Men" Mascot:

His presence on recruitment (rush) shirts aligns with the fraternity's "Resolute Men" tagline. By using a golden retriever—a dog known for loyalty, friendliness, and high energy—chapters can project a welcoming, "best friend" vibe that appeals to potential new members.

Official Symbols vs. Max:

While Max has become a "lifestyle mascot," the fraternity's National History and official Visual Standards remain tied to the rattlesnake and crossed swords originally adopted in 1856. Chapters/alumni designing rush shirts or printed materials are required to obtain approval from IHQ before generating to insure consistency in quality, content and compliance.

SRU Residence Requirement



Though this was shared in the past, but it is important to remind everyone that on **August 9, 2022**, Slippery Rock University announced their Two--Year Residency Requirements.

The requirements include:

Who falls under the 2-year Residency Requirement?

This requirement applies to all incoming First-Year, full-time students and continues through their Sophomore year.

Who is considered a First-Year and Second-Year student?

A First-Year (Freshman) student is defined as any student who has completed less than 30 college credits. A Second-Year (Sophomore) student is defined as any student who has completed between 31 and 60 college credits. Students should expect to live on campus until they complete either four full-time semesters of college or successfully earned at least 60 credits.

Why did SRU create a two-year resident requirement?

According to SRU, living in student housing gives students more opportunities to meet new people, discover new places, access campus resources and get involved with the SRU community. Research shows that residing on campus also leads to higher persistence and graduation rates and greater learning by maximizing opportunities for social and intellectual development from cocurricular activities.

This restricts off campus hosing to Juniors and Seniors.

Even with a chapter of 45, this limits the available brothers to fill a property. It also requires individual leases for each resident off campus. The Zeta Alpha Chapter looked at this situation over the last 2 years and have found a ways to accomodate and/or address the issue of the Zeta Alpha Chapter with a location where brothers can gather.

Based on brothers off campus housing interest and interest in living in the "Theta Chi" house, the chapter identified standards that can help them rotate brothers living in the house over years under these restrictions. It also maintains thier individual leases with the lessor without creating a need of non-Theta Chis to fill empty leases.

This past year, the chapter was able to mainatin a house with 7 brothers. Currently, that is the maximum that seems to meet interest/availability at this time. That is a good percentage considering only appriximately 20 brothers any one semester are eligible.

No one other than the collegians should be making decisions about thier individual housing decisions and do not require anyone acting on thier behalf without thier prior permission.

Final Thought

Over the last 10 years we have watched alumni work to have the chapter return to campus. We watched it recolonize, survive ups and downs because of covid-19, the generous contributions of alumni and friends to create the Helping Hand Fund Endowment assisting current brothers in need and have watched the chapter members commit to the ideals, programs and processes of Theta Chi Fraternity.

Their commitment to each other, the campus community and the Slippery Rock community has what almost seems effortlessly gained International recognition as one of the Outstanding Chapters in Theta Chi Fraternity with the awarding of the Howard R. Alter, Jr Award for Chapter Excellence and 45 current members.

It was the dream of most of the Alumni with whom I have spoken since 1989. Due to the effort of the collegians and concerned alumni the dream has become a viable reality.

But it only continues with the Alumni taking the opportunity at the golf outing, homecoming or when the chapter announces pledge class initiations to get to know the collegians who lead the organization and at most in 4 short years begin to continue the life long committment as Alumni.

We have initiated over 118 young men into the fraternity since 2018 and already over 70 have graduated and begun careers.

Now we can count on brothers young and old alike to mentor, support, encourage and help educate the chapter brothers as they complete their college career but to also help them with recommendations, and guidance to help them in their careers.

Theta Chi Fraternity is on the cutting edge of providing a quality educational and college experience. We can each be proud of their effort and the chapter continues to benefit from many of the programs.

To get an idea, through pictures, of some of the opportunities available to brothers visit: <https://www.flickr.com/photos/thetachiihq/albums>. There are about 18 photo galleries available just for activities in 2025 and the beginning of 2026.

As a final, final thought, we would like to share a thoughtful mantra:

"If you know you came through when people were counting on you, you will remember it the rest of your life.

So maybe we are not just doing things to help the brothers, deep down, we are doing something for ourselves.

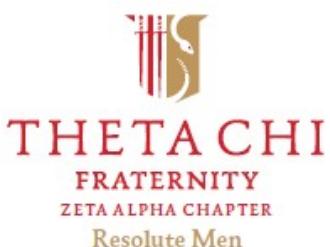
Please take some time, when you have some, and visit <http://zachapter.com> click around for photos, newsletter chapter news and other features and resources available to all.

If ever there is a suggestion, question, concern or help needed please reach out through email, text or a phone call.

Register and attend the 33rd Zeta Alpha Chapter Golf Outing.

Expect the next newsletter to land in your mailbox around April 1, 2026.

Kevin Krepinevich
President
Zeta Alpha Chapter
Theta Chi Fraternity
Alumni Board



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