

[Epsilon Psi Chapter]

# *The Kappa Psi* *Times*

“Winter is coming...”

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Aloha Brothers,

As the holiday season approaches, signaling the end of fall semester, we find ourselves looking back on all that we have accomplished throughout these few months. Although still underway, the pledging process is nearing its end and many brothers are eager to watch a tradition unfold once again.

In November, Community Service Committee Co-chairs Gurinder Kaur and Carrie Yeung organized a “Get Healthy through Exercise” presentation at the local Waiakea Elementary School which allowed Brothers to teach second grade students about healthy eating and exercise, culminating in a fun dance routine to help get the students out of their seats and moving. It’s always a memorable experience when we get the chance to represent Kappa Psi while trying to make a positive impact on our local community. In rhythm with the holiday season, a Toys for Tots drive was also organized, encouraging all members on our DKICP campus to donate new, unwrapped toys which go towards children from less-fortunate families.



Epsilon Psi brothers at Waiakea Elementary, Hilo for their “Get Healthy Through Exercise” presentation. *Pictured (left to right):*

*Ashley Uehara, Lauren Skorheim, Kimberly Wu, Amber Uto, Natalie Chan, Kayla Uehara, Kris Yoo, Les Domingo, Marlisa Corpuz, Janet Vu, Mahina Sato, Lauren Simpson, Kaylee Hoang, Vivian Tran, Lam Le. Picture credit: Waiakea Elementary Staff*



*Brother of the  
month of August:*  
**Ronald Susa**



*Brother of the month  
of September:*  
**Lauren Skorheim**

Kappa Psi's Fall 2016 Pacific West Province Conclave was held in Las Vegas, Nevada from November 11-13th and several Brothers from our chapter were in attendance. Brother Borhauer states, "[province] was a packed weekend, balancing both social bonding activities on the Strip among Brothers and insightful fraternity-related business. The Province supervisors presented helpful and interactive information to Collegiate Brothers regarding updates to our national risk management policies. We also elected Brothers who will represent us at our national conference".

Our chapter was lucky enough to be awarded the Professionalism award based on our brothers' actions during province and the Community Service Award for our "Get Healthy through Exercise" presentation. We are also very proud to congratulate our very own, Brother Mari Louise Concepcion Cid, on her new elected position as Pacific West Province Chaplain. Brother Cid was formerly Alternate GCC Delegate and will now as Chaplain, continue to dedicate her hard work to support the brotherhood of Kappa Psi. All in all, the Fall 2016 Conclave was viewed as a very rewarding experience for all the Brothers who were able to attend.



*Brother of the month of  
October:*  
**Athena Borhauer**



Epsilon Psi brothers at Fall 2016 Pacific West Province in Las Vegas, Nevada. Pictured (left to right): Natalie Chan, Mari Louise Concepcion Cid, Dennis Le, Jeremy Rick Lozano, Athena Borhauer, Beth Ann Earles, Kimberly Wu, Pavlin Dimitrov, Le Du, Jeffrey Tang. Picture Credit: Delta Tau Pacific West Province  
*Photo booth*



During the second week of October, the Phi Lambda Sigma (PLS) Delta Lambda chapter hosted a “Leaders in Pharmacy” event which showcased two guest speakers, Acting Deputy Surgeon General, Rear Admiral (RADM) Scott F. Giberson, B.S.Pharm., PhC, NCPS-PP, MPH and Lieutenant Commander (LCDR) Rovigel “Jill” Gelviro, Pharm.D., NCPS. A number of Kappa Psi Brothers were in attendance, including RADM Giberson himself, in hopes to learn about what public health and commissioned corps pharmacy has to offer. It was great to see many of our brothers taking advantage of this opportunity to learn about the field and what it takes to be a good leader.



*Brother of the month of  
November:*  
**Tram Le**



Brother Kaylee Hoang and Brother Scott F. Giberson showing Kappa Psi pride after the PLS leadership talk. *Picture credit:*  
*Brother Lam Le*

The fall semester flew by faster than we could see at times, but there are few greater feelings than ending the semester strong and proudly looking back on all our efforts so far. The upcoming spring semester holds some exciting plans, including the initiation of our Zeta class and the Spring 2017 Pacific West Province Conclave which our chapter, Epsilon

Psi, has the pleasure of hosting in Honolulu, HI on March 3-5, 2017. Until then, we wish everyone a happy holiday and a fresh start in the New Year!

Respectfully submitted,

Your Epsilon Psi Historians Shannon Trinh and Gina Yoon

*Featured photo: Kappa Psi Brothers on campus after bid selection*

## [A letter from the Regent]

Hello Brothers!

We hope you enjoy this second issue of The Kappa Psi Times! Historians Trinh and Yoon have worked hard to put this together so you can catch up with our activities from the past semester.

As in past years, pledging remains a big focus for fall semester. I would like to personally thank all the P4 and Graduate Brothers who have contributed to this year's pledging process. We appreciate everything you have done, whether you visited us in person, Skyped in during an event, or had a task for the Pledges. We know it takes a lot of time and effort to coordinate these activities and we are very grateful for your participation.

Finally, I'd like to remind everyone that we are hosting the Pacific West Province Conclave for the very first time in Hawaii this spring! If you haven't already seen the announcements, we will be at the Ala Moana Hotel in Honolulu from March 3-5, 2017. As we are hoping to help charter the Hawaii Graduate Chapter at this time, we hope many of you can attend. We would appreciate any assistance you can offer, but mostly, we hope to see all of you again!

PTBYB,  
Kim Wu



Brother Rachel Ebbett passing down the newly remodeled Regent paddle to Brother Kim Wu.





Pledge leaders Lauren Skorheim, Marlisa Corpuz, Ronald Susa, Athena Borhauer, and Sue Lao showing their holiday spirit.



Hand-knit snowmen made by Brothers Kayla and Ashley Uehara with holiday nicknames for each Pledge.



Festive holiday decorations under the Christmas tree.