



# BETA NEWSLETTER

## GAMMA PSI CHAPTER

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"WE ARE DEDICATED TO IMPROVING OUR STUDENTS THROUGH PROFESSIONALISM, SCHOLARSHIP, AND FRATERNITY."

### RECENT EVENTS

#### AUTISM WALK

This year's Autism Walk was held on Saturday October 14th in Forest Park. Fifteen volunteers from Beta Alpha Psi met at the Elsevier Building in the afternoon to record all the donations from the walk. According to KPLR, Autism affects one out of every 166 individuals. Over 12,000 participants raised over a half a million dollars. It's imperative to realize, that even though our many volunteers were only there for a short amount of time, that they played a critical role in making the Walk successful. Everyone that signed up showed up, and with that type of consistency and dependability, this helps organizations reach their goals.

#### BIKERS FOR BABIES

For two days, Beta Alpha Psi members volunteered at the Bikers for Babies event. About 8 members participate at the pre-registration event, on September 30th, which was held at the Bottle Neck Blues Bar. Volunteers were helping to count money and make deposits. For the actual Ride event, on October 8th, 18 members participated. Not only did the volunteers help count and deposit the money but they also had fun seeing a lot of bikers and bikes. It was a huge event in St. Louis area, in which about 6,000 bikers participated. Being involved in service events like



being outside and helping out.

this makes you feel good, that you were able to help the community for a good cause. The event was successful because a lot of members were willing to participate, the weather was great so everyone enjoyed

#### PROSPECTIVE MEETING AT SARATOGA LANES

On September 10 Beta Phi Psi held their prospective meeting at Saratoga Lanes. Interested members were able to learn more about the organization and mingle with active members. Everyone had a great time eating pizza and trying to knock some pins down.



### UPCOMING EVENTS

11/06 - Business/Professional meeting with Larson Allen at 2pm in Clark 206

11/07 - St. Louis County Election Poll Volunteers

11/09 - Professional Meeting with Express Scripts at 4pm in SSB 133

11/18 - Boy Scout Food Drive

12/03 - Business Meeting: Officer Elections

12/16 & 12/17 - Fall Commencement

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE NEW BETA ALPHA PSI MEMBERS WHO WERE INITIATED IN ON OCTOBER 22:

Amanda Bourque  
Lindsay Drumm  
Aaron Flynn  
Edite Fox  
Melody Freeman  
Stacy Godfrey  
Charlene Kennedy  
Elisa Lindsey  
Drew Malen  
Jonathan Maas  
Jenelle Moore  
Paul Ruchal  
Jessica Sanftleben  
Beverly Shore  
Krista Tapley  
Maurice Williams  
Chris Word  
Liu Zhang

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING BETA ALPHA PSI MEMBERS WHO WERE PRESENTED WITH AWARDS:

- Mary Kate Floyd and Charlene Kennedy received a scholarship from AAUW (American Association of University Women), awarded through the Honors College at their annual Scholarship Convocation on 9/26/06.
- Charlene Kennedy also received the J. Frederick Fausz Academic Achievement Award for being in the top 5% of the Honors Colleges (in GPA).
- Madiha Amjad received the May Company Honors Scholars Endowed Scholarship and the Chancellor's Council Honors College Scholarship. She also received the Kennedy Capital Management Scholarship award on 10/22/06.