

PHI KAPPA

University of Illinois



☞ WELL, summer is over (too quick for most of us), school has just started, and the House is beginning to get back to normal.

The new school year started with the traditional work week before Fall rush. We rolled down our new rug, splashed some paint on the walls, and all gathered around Brother Loren Smith for some "spicy" stories which he acquired on his recent visit south of the border.

Fall rush at Phi Kappa was very successful, and we are proud to announce 11 new "housecleaners." Members of the pledge class of 1967 are: Norman Catelli, '67, LaGrange Park; John Eck, '67, Westchester; Dennis Frings, '67, Streator; Joseph Hayek, '67, Berwyn; Basil "Butch" Hugueley, '67, Libertyville; John Hull, '67, Dow; Donald Krehl, '67, Arlington Heights; Mike Porter, '67, Carey; Roger Puta, '66, Naperville; LaVern Schultz, '67, Ohio; and Thomas Sweeney, '67, Oak Park. Also included in the pledge class is Randy Georgious, Forest Park, who was pledged at the end of the spring term.

Incidentally, Phi Kappa ranked sixth scholastically out of the 57 fraternities on the U. of I. campus. Naturally, we are aiming for the top slot next semester.

Registration followed rush week, and everyone was worn out standing in endless lines waiting for their classes. However, a few lucky pledges were able to advance enroll through an IBM program so they will never know what registration is really like.

This year during home football games, almost everyone in the House will be performing in the famous Block I card section, considered one of the best in the nation. There have also been rumors that the Fighting Illini may win a few games this year!

As I leaf through my calendar, I see that it is going to be a *very* busy semester here at Phi Kappa. Our pledge dance is just around the corner, and the big Winter Formal is closer than we think. And, of course, there is Homecoming, Dad's Day, informal dance nights, and exchanges.

Cupid has struck again. Brother Danek and Brother Elgin have "lost" their pins—Brother Elgin the second time to the same girl.

I hope to announce the results of our fall initiation in the next issue, so until then, this is Phi Kappa signing off.

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