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# For Members of the Phi Delta Theta Alumni Club of Central Florida

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I trust that you've been enjoying your summer. What's not to enjoy – 90°+, thunderstorms every day, 100% humidity – ah, summers in Florida. So where did my family go for our summer vacation? How about Arizona and New Mexico! 90° looks pretty good compared to 100°! But the end is in sight. And what does the end of summer mean? (other than the start of the college football season!). Why, the start of our club's next year.

So where will we be meeting this year? When Mark Twain said, "The reports of my death are greatly exaggerated", I think he was speaking of the University Club. It looks like we'll still be at the University Club for the foreseeable future. We meet on the first Tuesday of each month at noon. The University Club is located at 150 E. Central Blvd. in downtown Orlando, directly across the street from the downtown branch of the public library.

So what do we have lined up? This is the tentative schedule (subject to change. We're still confirming a few speakers). Note that the September meeting is the day after Labor Day, so don't forget it. **I won't be sending out another notice prior to the September meeting, so make sure you mark your calendars now.**

Sept 4	Dabney Davis – The History of the American Revolution
Oct 2	ORMC Level One Trauma Center
Nov 6	TBD
Dec 4	Ed Wycoff, Prof. Emeritus, UCF
Jan 8	Jan Leach, Handwriting Expert

We're still lining up programs for 2008, so if you know of a good speaker, please let Bob Serros know. (His contact info is on the last page.)

Also enclosed is your renewal notice. Please mail your renewal in, or better yet, bring it with you to the meeting on September 4<sup>th</sup>. I look forward to seeing you on the 4<sup>th</sup>, and, as always, I'm Proud to be a Phi!

Dear Brothers,

Your Fraternity needs your help! Chapters all across North America are recruiting the next generation of brothers in the Bond. The General Council, our governing board, is calling on you to assist our chapters with recruitment.

By simply submitting recommendations for men who would positively contribute to a chapter and fit the Fraternity's ideals of friendship, sound learning and rectitude, you could impact the lives of many young Phi Deltas. These recommendations are vital to the goal of helping each new member to "Go far" through a Phi Delt experience on one of over 165 college campuses.

If you have someone in mind that you would like to recommend, please visit [www.phideltatheta.org/alumni/rushrecommendation.aspx](http://www.phideltatheta.org/alumni/rushrecommendation.aspx). The recommendation will automatically be forwarded to appropriate chapter officers and alumni advisers for their review.

The Fraternity's expansion efforts continue to be critical to the growth of the organization. For each of our projects, strong student-leaders are needed to become (Re) Founding Fathers. This upcoming year, Phi Delta Theta returns to the University of Utah, Butler University, the University of Oregon, and Michigan State University. For a complete listing of the Fraternity's current colonies and interest groups, visit [www.areyoualeader.com](http://www.areyoualeader.com). We also welcome referrals of students who are attending schools that do not have a chapter of Phi Delta Theta. Establishing the Fraternity on a new campus generally starts with a recommended student-leader.

Please bear in mind that recommendations are considered in the recruitment process, but they do not secure membership. The decision to offer a "bid" to a prospective member rests solely with the undergraduate brothers at each individual chapter.

We look forward to receiving your recommendations and on behalf of our undergraduate chapters, the General Council thanks you for living up to Founder Robert Morrison's philosophy of "I will strive in all ways to transmit the Fraternity to those who may follow after, not only not less, but greater than it was transmitted to me."

Yours in the Bond,

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