



# PILLAR

HANOVER, NEW HAMPSHIRE

FALL 2012



## Notes and Announcements

The Tri-Kap Board of Alumni is in the early stages of starting “The Kappa Foundation,” hoping to establish it as a 501(c)3 tax-exempt organization. The main goals of the foundation are to expand Tri-Kap’s philanthropic reach, attract more contributions, give brothers and others an outlet to donate to good causes, and join other organizations on campus that have also upscaled their efforts. Please feel free to reach out to Board Chairman, **James McKim ‘83** ([jtmckim@gmail.com](mailto:jtmckim@gmail.com)), with any desire to lend a hand in this process.

We’re still passionately pursuing our campaign for renovations and welcome any and all assistance. Please direct all inquiries about the renovation project, gifts, or pledges to **Sunil Bhagavath ‘03** ([sunilsbhag@gmail.com](mailto:sunilsbhag@gmail.com)). Renovation designs can be found on-line: <http://trikap.com/alumni-page>.

The Alumni Board invites all Tri-Kaps to our next reunion gathering in New York City on Wednesday, February 13. For details and to RSVP, visit <http://trikapnyc2013.eventbrite.com/>.

Please stay in touch with us by visiting the **Tri-Kap webpage** ([trikap.com](http://trikap.com)), which contains information about current undergraduate brothers, alumni, renovation plans, previous Pillar editions, photos, our blog, and a portal to make donations. Also, visit our Kappa Kappa Kappa Facebook group ([http://www.facebook.com/home.php?sk=group\\_2200011893](http://www.facebook.com/home.php?sk=group_2200011893)) and join us on **LinkedIn**.

Lastly, we’re constantly updating and improving our blog to keep our cherished alumni and extended brotherhood involved and in touch. Visit the blog to check in on the house, view pictures, and leave comments: <http://trikap.blogspot.com/>.

## PRESIDENT’S MESSAGE



Dear Brothers,

I hope this pillar finds you and your family well. I’m happy to report that our brotherhood remains as vibrant and strong as ever. Brotherhood commitment and enthusiasm continue to be at all time highs with a diverse group of over 60 loyal brothers between the classes of 2013, 2014 and 2015.

Spring term was a bittersweet term, as always. Although we were happy to celebrate with the departing Class of 2012 during their graduation, we were also saddened to see them leave our hallowed halls for life in the real world. Their departure was commemorated by our yearly bequeathals ceremony, an elegant senior dinner on our side lawn and a sunny Commencement on the Green. The ‘12s will be truly missed.

The Class of 2014 did an excellent job of holding itself to the high Kappa standards of excellence during their sophomore summer. The ‘14s welcomed the opportunity to run the house as they made solid strides to bond and grow as a class. The success they had in both their philanthropic and brotherhood efforts makes us thrilled to see what the future of this house will bring.

After a warm and fruitful summer, the fall has finally returned to Hanover. Although the weather grows colder by the day, the enthusiasm of our brotherhood, stemming largely from the 21 newest members we recently welcomed into our hallowed halls, shows no signs of waning. Over thirty prospective members “shook out” on the first night of rush. After long deliberation, we narrowed the

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class down to 21 exceptional pledges. Our success at rush is thanks largely to the hard work of our Rush Chairs **Tanay Ganga '13**, and **Sander Davis '14**. The '15s chosen to comprise our youngest class of Tri-Kap have been a great addition to the brotherhood.

In light of the new anti-hazing policies on campus, Tri-Kap underwent a rigorous review of our new member education process to ensure that it abides by College hazing policy, and stays true to our traditions as a house and the values of Dartmouth College. Our final product has these values at its core and guarantees that our newest pledges will be dedicated and active members.

The undergraduates have been working hard along with Tri-Kap's alumni board to develop and execute our renovation plans. Indeed, these renovations are the only way we can secure the Tri-Kap experience for future generations. We are now in the final stages of the planning process, but cannot move forward without the help of our alumni. For more information on what you can do to get involved please contact **James McKim '83**, our Alumni Board Chairman.

As always, I encourage you to remain connected with the brotherhood. If you ever plan on returning to 1 Webster Ave. please let us know so we can handle any necessary accommodations. Stay tuned for monthly emails from our VP **Daniel Krawec '13** and myself about current house proceedings. Speaking of monthly emails, if you currently do not receive them, navigate to <http://eepurl.com/iRsb5> (case sensitive) to sign up to receive updates from the undergraduates and information regarding alumni events. As for upcoming alumni events, the Alumni Board invites all Tri-Kaps to our next reunion gathering in New York City on Wednesday, February 13th. For details and to RSVP, visit <http://trikapnyc2013.eventbrite.com/>. Other ways to stay updated on house affairs include visiting our Tri-Kap Website, Kappa Blog, Facebook Page and LinkedIn page. Always feel free to send us an email with any questions about the house or stories from your time at Tri-Kap to [kappa.kappa.kappa@dartmouth.edu](mailto:kappa.kappa.kappa@dartmouth.edu). I wish you all the best and look forward to hearing from you in the near future!

Yours In Kappa,

Paul Wagdalt '13  
*President*



*The 2012-2013 Tri-Kap Executive Board*

***Back Row (L - R):***

*Kyle Bojanowski '14 - Philanthropy Chair  
Andres Ramirez '14 - Programming Chair  
Parth Kaul '14 - Programming Chair  
Matt LaBove '13 - Academic Chair  
Dan Harritt '13 - House Manager*

***Front Row (L - R):***

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Robinson Culver '13 - House Manager  
Daniel Krawec '13 - Vice President  
Paul Wagdalt '13 - President  
Christopher Woods '13 - Treasurer  
Mike Barile '13 - Social Chair  
Arun Gomatam '13 - Jock Chair*

## Alumni Relations Report

Thursday September 20th saw a small, but diverse Tri-Kap crowd at the Cambridge Brewing Company in Boston's Kendall Square. I wanted to thank **Andrew Jean-Louis '09** for help in setting up the event. Also in attendance were **Dana Cetlin '80, Chris Castonguay '96, Jamie Lee '09, Luke Turecheck '03, Saad Hasan '03, Ben Robbins '08, Marc Lajoie '08** and **Tomi Jun '08**.

A few brothers sent their regards and while it was a smaller crowd, I undoubtedly believe a second opportunity to get people together will prove more fruitful. In fact, the Alumni Board invites all Tri-Kaps to our next reunion gathering in New York City on Wednesday, February 13. For details and to RSVP, visit <http://trikapnyc2013.eventbrite.com/>.

This brings me to another point, gentlemen. If you are at all interested in having a few folks together and could send in a picture to me, we'd be happy to include that in the next Pillar we put out. An important part of this brotherhood is maintaining the bonds we forged in Hanover. As part of a more grassroots initiative, the Board has tasked me with helping to organize and spur on activity outside of just Hanover and to try and get people excited about being a Brother again.

Stay tuned to our Tri-Kap blog and website about upcoming events and goings on. If you have questions or needs, feel free to email me at [PureIvy05@gmail.com](mailto:PureIvy05@gmail.com).

Yours In Kappa,

Matthew Brown '05  
Alumni Events Chair

## Philanthropy Report

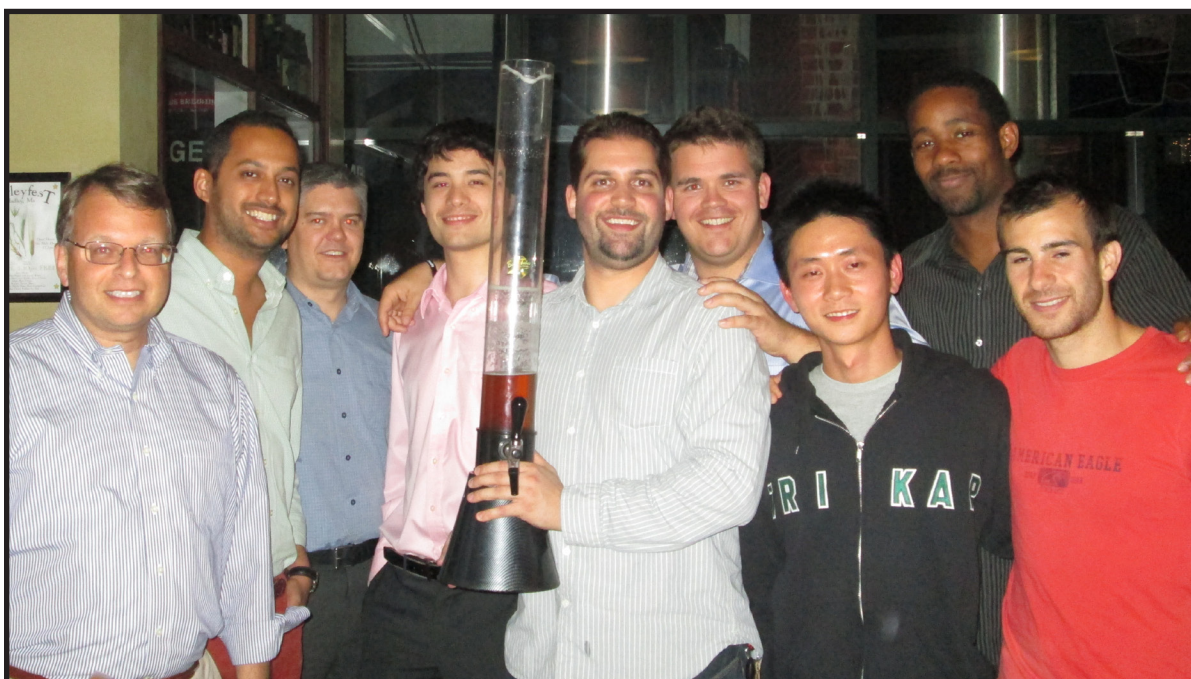
This fall, the brothers of Tri-Kap were active philanthropists. Many brothers participated in the Warrior Dash to raise money for St. Jude's Children Research Hospital. They raced through five kilometers of fiery, muddy, and menacing obstacles to complete the challenge. Events like this help bring the brotherhood closer, and make a huge impact on the community surrounding us.

Tri-Kap continued its active participation in community service this past fall, partly due to the new PAAR challenge offered to the houses. PAAR teamed up with the Children's Hospital at Dartmouth (CHaD) to help Greek houses ramp up their philanthropic efforts. CHaD is hosted a half marathon and 5K to raise money for the hospital. PAAR matched any Greek house donations. PAAR also offered cash prizes to the houses and individuals that raised the most money. That said, the brothers were thrilled to work on service projects and fundraisers this fall, such as the blood drive, habitat for humanity, and others.

As always, Tri-Kap hosted a haunted house for local children this Halloween. Brothers were eager to get involved and work with other houses to make this an outstanding event for kids from the surrounding area, providing chills, thrills, and prizes for everyone. Tri-Kap enjoyed having an active and positive term to reaffirm the beneficial impact that the Greek houses have on our community and to reach out to help improve the lives of others.

Yours In Kappa,

Kyle Bojanowski '14  
Philanthropy Chair



*A handful of familiar faces showed up for the Boston alumni event in September.*

## Academic Chairman's Report

### 12X Summer Academic Report

Despite a raucous 12X, I am happy to report that Tri-Kap has maintained its tradition of academic excellence. Many brothers took classes together in fascinating subjects unrelated to their majors, from developmental psychology to astronomy, allowing them to engage academically together as a brotherhood. Academic performance even extended beyond the classroom to our hallowed halls, from our weekly study room sessions to frequent intellectual discussions between games of pong.

This summer also provided unique opportunities for our brothers to both learn from the local community and apply their knowledge to improve it. As part of their music class, **Chris Richardson '14** and **Scott Nelson '14** traveled around Vermont and New Hampshire researching music culture in the Upper Valley, from local jazz festivals to square dancing in remote New Hampshire towns. **Andres Ramirez '14** conducted public policy research on regionalization and shared services between four towns in Vermont, developing a system in which they could share amenities such as EMS, Police Force, seasonal equipment, water works, and other services. His research will soon to be published and used by the town managers to determine whether regionalization is a viable option.

Looking forward to Fall term, Professor Donald Pease of English department will deliver a lecture on the short story "A River Runs Through It" by Norman MacLean entitled "Am I My Brother's Keeper?" Given the recent controversy and hostility towards Greek life, the talk is sure to spark some needed discourse regarding the strengths of a fraternity. With our continued academic accomplishment, Tri-Kap will continue to be exemplary in this regard.

Yours In Kappa,

Derek Leung '14  
Summer Academic Chair

### 12F Academic Report

The brothers of Kappa Kappa Kappa began this Fall Term looking to pick up where they left us academically over the past year. With being recognized as the top fraternity academically last year, expectations are high, but the brothers are ready for the challenge.

Already planned for the Fall term is a Academic Talk with Professor Donald Pease of the English Department. Professor Pease is one of campus' favorite lecturers and the brothers are excited to have him in our hallowed halls.

We plan to have the academic skills center come give a talk as well. We feel this would be a great refresher for our older brothers and a great way for our new members to make their first term as a Tri-Kap brother successful academically. Overall the outlook of this new fall term promises to bring more academic success to 1 Webster Avenue.

Yours In Kappa,

Matthew LaBove '13  
Academic Chair

The Kappa Pillar is published by the Kappa Kappa Kappa Society for its members and friends. Photographs and news items are welcome at all times and should be sent to:  
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## Mark Your Calendars

### Winter Rush

January 26th-27th, 7PM

### Winter Carnival

February 7th-10th

### New York City Reunion

February 13th, 7:30PM

(<http://trikapnyc2013.eventbrite.com/>)

### Green Key

May 17th-19th

### Tri-Kap Annual Meeting

May 18th, Time TBA

### Commencement

June 9th, 10AM

## E-Mail Sign Up

Brothers,

Please follow the link below to subscribe to the Tri-Kap e-mail list. Receive monthly email updates from the undergraduates and information about alumni events!

<http://eepurl.com/iRsb5>  
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## Treasurer's Report

### 12X Summer Treasury Report

Despite an unexpected rise in expenses and fees for the summer term, Tri-Kap's financial situation remains healthy.

To make up for the rise in costs, small budget cuts were made for certain projects that had been planned for the summer term. In spite of the adjustments, with careful spending and planning, projects such as cementing the basement floor, buying new furniture, and constructing a fire-pit were all completed successfully.

Throughout the term, we were able to fund multiple programming, house improvement, and social events. Without a doubt, the highlight of the term was the brotherhood trip up to Montreal. After careful planning and research, we were able to minimize costs and still have an amazing weekend abroad.

Yours In Kappa,

Chris Richardson '14  
*Summer Treasurer*

### 12F Treasury Report

The term is off to a great start financially. Thanks to a few changes, Brothers have been getting dues in faster than ever. In addition to paying with cash or checks, brothers can now pay dues online via PayPal or with a card in person via Square. Furthermore, we now have google doc listing the percentage of dues paid by each brother as an easy reminder. Paying dues is now easier than ever!

With this newfound financial stability, we have been able to have many great events already this term. We have been able to fund many BBQ's and other rush events, as well as throw a few parties for campus. In the coming weeks, we hope to use some of our money to fix up our library and replace the TV which got broken over the summer.

Yours In Kappa,

Chris Woods '13  
*Treasurer*

## Social Chairmen's Report

### 12X Summer Social Report

Despite the lower number of students on campus, the summer social scene was as vibrant as ever throughout the term.

Tri-Kap bolstered relations with sororities with a number of very popular tails events. Among the most creative were Spooky Tails with AZD, which, for Friday the 13th, featured Halloween themed drinks that glowed under blacklights, and Triathlon Tails with Tri-Delta Sorority in celebration of the summer Olympics taking place. Semi-formal, which was co-hosted with KD, fell on July 3rd and was 'Merica themed in anticipation of Independence Day.

One of the clear highlights of the summer was the big weekend of the term - Fieldstock. The week culminated on Friday night with the biggest dance party campus saw all term: a basement extravaganza co-hosted with LUL and the AAM, Dartmouth's African American Movement group. Wallbangers and Lambda Tea flowed while the AAM DJ and Tri-Kap's own DJ BIG (a.k.a. brother **Mike Barile '13**) traded sets. Tri-Kap was the undisputed center of campus.

The Tri-Kap '14s made the basement of 1 Webster one of the main hubs of the Dartmouth social scene every night of the summer term. What campus lacked in terms of numbers was more than made up for by the rowdy sophomores, making it a term the young Tri-Kaps will never forget.

Yours In Kappa,

Nate Reznicek '14  
Jeremy Thibodeau '14  
*Summer Social Chairs*



*Brothers and guests enjoy "Made for Eachother" themed Semi-Formal during 12F.*

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### 12F Social Report

This Fall, Tri-Kap ushered in the new gold standard of social scenes on campus. Working with the new campus alcohol regulations has presented a challenge that Tri-Kap has more than risen to, and we are successfully navigating the new environment with amazing new events and a scene that consistently beats the other houses on campus.

Kicking off the term, our classic Club Kappa dance party event drew an immense crowd that easily made our first dance party the premier event on campus so far this past term. The crowds even stayed around after the fire alarm went off and the fire department had to vent the steam generated from the incredibly lively dancing of our scene.

In addition, the brothers are enjoying tails events with a variety of themes and with all of the sororities across campus. Recently, the pledges experienced their first tails event, a "Stop Light" themed party at Epsilon Kappa Theta sorority. The brotherhood enjoyed social planning including a martini event with Tridelta sorority, a "Semi-Formal" event with Alpha Phi sorority, and a variety of other exciting social plans.

Furthermore, our brotherhood has been experimenting with new social events and policies. We have been utilizing the middle room of the basement as a social space in which the pledges are in charge of running entertainment for our guests.

The brotherhood's social scene is as strong as ever. We hope that both the brothers on campus and our alumni visitors over homecoming enjoyed our social space and their time back at the house.

Yours In Kappa,

Mike Barile '13  
Aaron Goone '14  
*Social Chairs*

### Do You Have Any Favorite Tri-Kap Stories?

Our House Historian loves to share tales of past Tri-Kap deeds (or, preferably, misdeeds) for the brotherhood's enjoyment. If you have any stories of Tri-Kap adventures and legends, we encourage you to e-mail them to [TriKap@Dartmouth.edu](mailto:TriKap@Dartmouth.edu) and address them to the "House Historian." The stories will only be used for the private enjoyment of the brothers.

## Update on Recent Alums

Having graduated in June, the '12s are now settling into their jobs and new lives after four years of undergraduate studies. Here's a sampling of what we're up to!

### Hanover

**Aki Onda '12** will be working as a research assistant for the Geography department under Professor Xun Shi, studying groundwater contamination.

**George Bahena '12** and **Robert Moss '12** will be completing their Bachelors of Engineering degrees this year at the Thayer School and keeping an eye on the younger Tri-Kaps.

### New York City

**Max David '12** is working as an analyst in the Financial Sponsors Group at Bank of America Merrill Lynch.

**Saagar Kaul '12** is working as a litigation paralegal at Cravath Swaine and Moore.

**Deep Shah '12** and **Michael Joseph '12**, together as usual, are working as Account Managers at adMarketplace.

### Washington D.C

**Juan Gonzalez '12** is working as an International Trade Paralegal at Akin Gump Strauss Hauer & Feld LLP.

### Los Angeles

**Eddy Vaisberg '12** is working as an Associate at the Boston Consulting Group.

I hope to see everyone at Green Key in the Spring!

- Marcel Wolff '12  
*House Historian Emeritus*

## House Manager Report

### 12X Summer House Management

This summer was an exciting time for the House Managers, and the '14 class as a whole. For all of us, it was our first term actually living in the house, and we were fortunate to have such incredible enthusiasm and help from everyone who contributed ideas and took initiative to make the house a better place. The first project was perhaps the most important; we purchased a new air conditioner to put in the GOTE room, which in previous years has been incredibly uncomfortable for brothers due to the intense summer heat. Having AC made the room not only much better for exec meetings, but turned the GOTE into a gathering area for brothers to do schoolwork or just hang out.

House improvements really were a full brotherhood effort this summer. The outside of the house was improved with flowers planted by the front door, a wonderful fire pit on the west side of the lot, and a hammock in the shade. Summer VP, **Max Frenkel '14**, got the ball rolling on new furniture for the beach, which saw lots of use throughout the latter half of the summer as brothers and guests got together to enjoy the summer weather.

We also continued the tradition of creating a class pong table. Along with the new table came the addition of a brand new sturdy frame that will hopefully serve to support many class tables for years to come. Although the painting process took longer than anticipated, the table was finished shortly after the beginning of the fall term. The '12s class table was taken down and put on the wall where the former cover of the basement fireplace previously stood. Special thanks to **Marcel Wolff '12** and **Hector Lopez '12** for taking down the old fireplace cover and making two new shelf units in the basement; one near 'B table' and a second behind the bar. The '12s table was a great decorative addition.

Some of the lock-in projects completed by brothers this past summer include a thorough cleaning of the attic, weeding of the path leading to the front door, and an effort to fill in holes in the basement with cement so they wouldn't fill up with liquid anymore. Brothers on reduced dues duties also helped a great deal by maintaining the bathroom and laundry room this summer. It was an honor to serve as house managers this summer and we look forward to seeing the hallowed halls of Tri-Kap continue to improve in the future.

Yours In Kappa,

Matthew Graves '14  
Stephen Prager '14  
*Summer House Managers*

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### 12F House Management

The senior house managers are working to keep Tri-Kap in top condition for brothers and guests alike, and we are striving to maintain and expound upon the classy and elegant home our brothers constructed in 1923.

The new french doors have survived frequent use throughout summer term, and continue to magnify the beauty of our house as the fall season hit. The living room has been refitted with new bulbs, and the overhead lightning now provides the great space with a rich ambience.

The new members this fall have also done an outstanding job maintaining the living space, and the basement all the way up to the GOTE room has received a fresh and thorough cleaning.

The brothers are worked on their lock-in projects, and when everyone finished contributing their full share it's safe to say that we have peeled back several decades of wear.

Even the social area is getting an upgrade; over the summer Brothers worked hard on a brilliant new pong table, depicting the raising of the flag at Iwojima, with a solid Tri-Kap twist. Plans for a new sound system may very well follow.

All in all, this year is full of opportunities to improve, and the Brotherhood is boasting the enthusiastic attitude that will make it happen.

Yours In Kappa,

W. Robinson Culver '13  
Daniel Harritt '13  
*House Managers*

# In Memoriam

## **William Edwards Buckingham Jr. '47**

William Edwards Buckingham Jr. '47 died in Bellevue, Washington, on January 27<sup>th</sup>, 2011.

Having grown up in Cheshire, Connecticut, William attended Hamden (Connecticut) High School and was one of the few civilian freshmen in the summer of 1943.

In college he played intramural hockey, joined Kappa Kappa Kappa and was active in the Outing Club. His studies were interrupted by two years of service in the Air Force. Later, he returned to graduate from Thayer School in 1949, and eventually found employment at Pratt & Whitney in Connecticut before moving to Washington.

His major projects involved engines for the B-52, F-111, 747 and the Caravelle. His hobbies were golf, tennis and auto restoration. He is survived by his wife and five children.

## **Loren Karacki '57**

Loren Karacki '57 died suddenly of complications from multiple system atrophy on April 29<sup>th</sup>, 2012. "Larry" had been living in Rockville, Maryland, at the time of his death.

Though he grew up in Kenosha, Wisconsin, his parents had emigrated from Lithuania earlier in the 1900s. In high school he was a skilled defensive lineman and scholar.

While at Dartmouth, he majored in sociology, played football and was a member of Kappa Kappa Kappa. Following Dartmouth Larry continued his studies in a master's of sociology program at Rutgers University. Larry pursued many different careers in sociology before settling into a long-term career as a research analyst for the Federal Bureau of Prisons until he retired in 2001. He then spent his leisure hours pursuing his passions—reading, antiques and collecting antique beer advertisements.

He is survived by his wife, Susanne, sons Peter and Timothy, brother Alvin and many loving nieces and nephews.

## **Eric Alan Jones '68**

Eric Alan Jones '68 died on December 4<sup>th</sup>, 2011, at the Life House in San Diego following a lengthy illness.

Eric came to Dartmouth from Wayland, Massachusetts. He was extraordinarily active at Dartmouth, serving on the class executive committee and in the

Undergraduate Council, performing in the Glee Club and Injunaires, and founding the Dartmouth Religious Liberals Club. Eric was also a member of Kappa Kappa Kappa.

While an undergraduate he directed several musicals at Hanover High School, and after graduation, continued there as a teacher. He also worked at the Dartmouth Travel Bureau, beginning a long association with the travel industry. In 1973, he co-founded a summer theater program in the area, which became the active North Country Community Theater.

In 1976, Eric moved to Boston, first to work with a travel agency and eventually to establish his own company, First In Travel. In 1997 he moved to San Diego, where he established another travel agency. He had been in declining health for several years, but never lost his joie de vivre.

A favorite quote of his was, "Life is not about waiting for the storms to pass...it's about learning to dance in the rain." He is survived by his long-time companion, Michael Trueblood.

## **Charles Thomas Drake '73**

Charles Thomas Drake '73 died on November 26<sup>th</sup>, 2011, at Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center in Lebanon, New Hampshire, after a battle with cancer.

A native of West Lebanon, New Hampshire, Charlie came to Dartmouth from Lebanon High School, where he was the captain of the football and the track teams. He was quarterback of the Lebanon High School football team that won the New Hampshire state championship in 1968.

At the College he majored in psychology, played intramural sports and was the business manager of the Aegis during his junior year. Charlie was a member of Kappa Kappa Kappa and served on his fraternity's rush committee. He volunteered for two years as a tutor in the Upper Valley Tutorial Program.

After graduation, Charlie returned to Lebanon, where he taught for several years in elementary school, after which he established Drake Builders and became an accomplished carpenter.

He is survived by his wife, Kristi, and daughters Ziven and Farrell. Memorial contributions may be made in Charlie's name to the Norris Cotton Cancer Center at Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center, 1 Medical Center Drive, Lebanon, NH 03756.



## Programming Chair Report

### 12X Summer Programming Report

There were several highlights of programming events this summer. During the first weekend of July, the brothers journeyed to Montreal for a great weekend getaway. From enjoying the city's historic sights, the nightlife, the great food, and just hanging out in the hotel room, the Class of 2014 were able to bond and share lasting moments with each other. Credits go to brother **Jeremy Thibodeau '14** for coordinating the logistics of the event.

Sophomore summer programming also included events with sororities. The brothers went to the ledges for a leisurely Saturday afternoon with the sisters of Alpha Phi and also hosted Kappa Delta for a weekend barbeque. More events had been planned, but some poor luck with the weather resulted in the cancellation of an outdoor movie night with Kappa Kappa Gamma and going swimming with Alpha Xi Delta.

Of course, no summer is ever complete without plenty of grilling, and the brothers took advantage of the great weather to have numerous barbecues featuring plenty of feasty spreads.

Last but not least, the brothers headed out for the annual trip to Harris Cabin during the summer. At night, brothers learned more about each other and engaged in discussions about the house. Stories were shared deep into the night. Although the tone of the night was cheerful, a tinge of sadness abound as we realized that the culmination of sophomore summer would also be the last time the class of 2014 is together for a year.

As always, through events and experiences such as these, Tri-Kap continues to foster its strong brotherhood and its formation of life-long friendships.

Yours In Kappa,

Anthony Zhao '14  
Parth Kaul '14  
*Summer Programming Chairs*



*A group of brothers looking dapper during Fall Rush 2012.*

### 12F Programming Report

This past fall, the programming chairs looked to carry the momentum and intimacy of the '14's class summer term to the entire brotherhood. Programming events are always great relationship building experiences to strengthen bonds between brothers.

For example, the term featured an evening of bowling with the sisters of Alpha Xi Delta including both Tri-Kap's and the sorority's pledge classes. There were a range of scores, some impressive and others that would be best left out of print. Regardless, both houses enjoyed themselves immensely and were eager to plan future events.

Later in the term, we ventured to AG Paintball for a brothers-only programming event. There were both melee-style free-for-all's resembling a Hobbesian state of war as well as more tactical challenges such as capture the flag. The event was fiercely competitive as it pitted the upperclassmen against our newest members.



Finally, we continued the tradition of frequent BBQs, which were initiated in the summer. Though costlier, we indulged in shrimp, pork loins, Italian sausage, hot dogs, chicken breast, corn on the cob, and baby back ribs - wash it all down with a beverage and you have the recipe for a great Barbeque. It is a fantastic experience having brothers rotate responsibility of operating the grill as well as organizing and serving the spread. Everyone has a great time conversing, catching up, and of course chowing down.

Yours In Kappa,

Parth Kaul '14  
Andres Ramirez '14  
*Programming Chairs*

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