Greek

30 chapters...

which one will define YOU?

Find out more at:

Greek Community - Iowa State University

www.twitter.com/ISUGreek

Letters Magazine

http://issuu.com/lettersmagazineisu/docs/lettersv1i1

For additional information or questions please contact the Interfraternity Council, Vice Presidents of Recruitment

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Greek Facts:

* Nationally, the Greek Community is the largest network of volunteers in the US with members donating over 10 million hours of volunteer service each year.

* Every U.S. President and Vice President, except two in each office, born since the first social Fraternity was founded in 1825 have been members of a Fraternity.

* 76% of all Congressmen and Senators belong to a Fraternity.

* 40 of 47 U.S. Supreme Court Justices since 1910 are Fraternity men.

* 71% of those listed in “Who’s Who in America” belong to a Fraternity.

* There are 123 Fraternities and Sororities with 9 million members total.

* Of the nation’s 50 largest corporations, 43 are headed by Fraternity men.

* A U.S. Government study shows that over 70% of all those who join a Fraternity/Sorority graduate while under 50% of all non-Fraternity/Sorority persons graduate.

* Less than 2% of an average college student’s expenses go toward Fraternity/Sorority dues.

*Fraternity men represent about 2% of the male population of America - but approximately 80% of the executives of the 500 largest corporations in America are Fraternity men.

From the University of Washington Greek website - http://www.uwgreek.com/frat/home.html
### Chapter Amenities

**Average Chapter Size:** 53

**Average Cost of Living:** $3,370.82

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**Alcohol Policy**

- Alcohol-Prohibited
- Alcohol-Restricted
- Alcohol-Permitted

**House Amenities**

- Laundry Facilities
- Wireless Internet
- No Smoking Policy
- Parking Lot

**Fire Sprinkler System**

- Installed
- In the Future

**Sleeping Style**

- Suite-Style
- Cold Airs
- Bedroom-Style

**Dining**

- House Director
- Cook
- Catered Meals
- 24-Hr. Kitchen/Kitchenette

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Greek Glossary

**Bedroom style living**- Similar to the traditional residence hall.

**Bid**- Formal invitation given by a chapter asking a prospective member to join the chapter.

**Cold Airs**- Large common sleeping quarters with bunked beds. Traditionally windows are kept open year round, but recently many cold airs are heated/cooled appropriate to the season. Chapter members have 2-3 person living quarters separate from cold airs.

**Colony**- A fraternal membership, which has received approval from the University Committee on Fraternities and Sororities and recognition from one of the Greek governing councils but is in a trial period with their national organization and their governing council.

**Interfraternity Council (IFC)**- The governing body for all ISU fraternities in the North-American Interfraternity Council.

**Initiation/Activation**- The traditional ritual or formal ceremony of induction which marks the transition to full membership in a fraternity/sorority.

**Legacy**- A prospective member whose grandparents, mother/father, or sister/brother is an alumni of a fraternity/sorority.

**Philanthropy**- A charitable service project sponsored by a fraternity or sorority.

**New Member Program**- A period of adjustment to Greek Life, during which new members learn the history and values about the chapter, its members, and activities.

**Recruitment**- The continual process of recruiting men and women to become members of the Greek Community.

**Suite-Style Living**- 3-6 people sharing a common living space.
ACACIA

Websites:
National
www.acacia.org
ISU
www.stuorg.iastate.edu/acacia/

Address
138 Gray Avenue
Chapter Size
45
GPA F’12
3.28

Fun Fraternity Fact:

“At least nine buildings at Iowa State are named after Acacians, including Marston Hall and Lagomarcino Hall.

“Each year we strive to create gentlemen through our motto, ‘Human Service,’ campus and community activities, scholarship, brotherhood, and our constant progression towards excellence in each member.”

Recruitment Chairman

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Founded
Nationally 1904/ISU 1909

ACACIA
ADELANTE

Websites:
ISU
www.stuorg.iastate.edu/adelante

Address 318 Welch Avenue
Chapter Size 20
GPA F’12 2.79

Fun Fraternity Fact:

Longest running local fraternity in the nation that has never closed its doors, changed its name, or joined a nationals.

“*Its not just a place to stay during college. It’s a place where members have been calling home since 1907. Adelante Fraternity: driving it’s members through scholarship, fellowship, and leadership.*”

Recruitment Chairman

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“Alpha Gamma Rho is a social professional fraternity that molds the best men in the field of agriculture through brotherhood.”

Recruitment Chairmen

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Websites:
National
www.alphagammarho.org
ISU
www.isuagr.org

Address 201 Gray Avenue
Chapter Size 89
GPA F’12 3.17

Fun Fraternity Fact:

Our chapter will be celebrating it’s 100th year next spring.
Websites:
National
www.akl.org
ISU
www.psi-akl.com

Address 2635 Knapp Street
Chapter Size 25
GPA F’12 2.37

Fun Fraternity Fact:

Alpha Kappa Lambda just celebrated it’s 50th anniversary and have 600 alumni located all around the world.

Founded Nationally 1914/ISU 1961

“Men of Character.”

Recruitment Chairmen

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Founded  Nationally 1845/ISU 1920

“An Experience for a Lifetime  
- Leave your Legacy Alpha Sigma Phi.”

Fun Fraternity Fact:

Proud Owners of the ISU Touchdown Cannon and a fast track to leadership opportunities awaits.

Websites:
National
www.alphasigmaphi.org
ISU
www.isualphasigs.com/#_p.Home

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Chapter Size  37
GPA F’12  2.86

Recruitment Chairman

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National  
www.ato.org  
ISU  
www.atoisu.com

Address  2122 Lincoln Way  
Chapter Size  41  
GPA F’12  2.58  

Fun Fraternity Fact:  

Top fundraising fraternity for back-to-back Dance Marathons.

Founded  Nationally 1865/ISU 1908

“To bind men together in a brotherhood...”  
-excerpt from Alpha Tau Omega creed

Recruitment Chairmen

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National
www.betasigmapsi.org
ISU
www.epsilon.betasigmapsi.org

Address 2132 Sunset Drive
Chapter Size 62
GPA F’12 3.08

Fun Fraternity Fact:
The only fraternity located on Sorority Circle.

“Brothers with one common bond, our faith in Christ.”

Recruitment Chairmen

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Founded Nationally 1925/ISU 1949
Websites:
National
www.betathetapi.org
ISU
www.isubeta.com

Address 2120 Lincoln Way
Chapter Size 39
GPA F’12 2.76

Fun Fraternity Fact:

Beta Theta Pi is known internationally as the singing fraternity. Our chapter was originally a secret literary society known as the Tri-Serps before becoming a Beta Theta Pi chapter in 1905.

Founded Nationally 1839/ISU 1905

“Developing Men of Principle for a principle life.”

Recruitment Chairmen

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Delta Chi was recolonized in Fall 2012 with 39 founding fathers. Delta Chi is the newest fraternity on campus and one of 125 chapters/colonies in the United States and Canada.”

Fun Fraternity Fact:

Delta Chi was the first fraternity to abolish “hell week”.

Recruitment Chairman

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ΔΤΔ

**Websites:**
*National*
www.delds.org
*ISU*
www.gammapidelts.com

**Address** 2121 Sunset Drive
**Chapter Size** 102
**GPA F’12** 2.95

**Founded** Nationally 1858/ISU 1913

**Fun Fraternity Fact:**

After all Greek Fraternities were removed from campus by President Beardshear, Delta Tau Delta operated as a underground secret society, The Hawkeye Club. Later, what was previously the Omega chapter re-colonized as the Gamma Pi Chapter.

“Our mission ‘Committed to Lives of Excellence’ drives our actions, programming and essence.”

**Recruitment Chairman**

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Websites:
National
www.deltau.org
ISU
www.stuorg.iastate.edu/deltaupsilon

Address 117 Ash Avenue
Chapter Size 41
GPA F’12 2.72

“Building Better Men.”

Fun Fraternity Fact:

DU also is home of the ISU Entrepreneurship & Innovation Learning Community that provides a unique program for ISU’s only non-secret fraternity.

Recruitment Chairmen
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FH

Websites:
National
www.farmhouse.org
ISU
www.isufarmhouse.org

Address 311 Ash Avenue
Chapter Size 85
GPA F’12 3.34

Founded  Nationally 1905/ISU 1927

Fun Fraternity Fact:

ISU FarmHouse has currently won the Ruby Cup, the award for best FH Chapter, 3 times in a row. The last 2 Presidents of Iowa 4-H have been Iowa State FH Alumni.

Recruitment Chairmen

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“Builder of Men.”
Founded  Nationally 1869/ISU 1909

“Since the chapter’s founding in 1909, we have proven that gentlemen can form a group to better their communities and produce men that take pride in doing so; welcome to Kappa Sigma.”

Fun Fraternity Fact:

With 305 active chapters and over 16,000 undergraduate members, Kappa Sigma is the largest fraternity in the world.

Recruitment Chairman

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ΛXA

Websites:
National
www.lambdachi.org
ISU
www.mylambdachi.com

Address 203 Ash Avenue
Chapter Size 38
GPA F’12 2.50

Fun Fraternity Fact:

We do not have pledges. In 1972, our fraternity abolished the term “pledge” and began the Associate Membership program. Associate Members are considered equal to Active members.

Founded Nationally 1909/ISU 1917

“We are a group of men who love our fun, but also hold fast to our motto: Naught without labor.”

Recruitment Chairmen

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“Portraying the values of sound learning, friendship, and moral rectitude, Phi Delta Theta continues to be the standard for brotherhood. Here, one man is no man.”

Websites:
National
www.phideltatheta.org
ISU
www.iastate.phideltatheta.org

Address 2035 Sunset Drive
Chapter Size 63
GPA F’12 2.83

Fun Fraternity Fact:

Phi Delta Theta brought Dance Marathon to the campus of Iowa State. Dance Marathon is now Iowa State’s largest student run philanthropy.

Recruitment Chairman

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Phi Gamma Delta

Websites:
National
www.phigam.org
ISU
www.aifiji.com

Address 325 Ash Avenue
Chapter Size 86
GPA F’12 2.96

Founded Nationally 1848/ISU 1907

Fun Fraternity Fact:

Phi Gamma Delta is the longest continually running fraternity at Iowa State.

“Friendship, the sweetest influence.”

Recruitment Chairman

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"Phi Kappa Psi is a brotherhood of honorable men, courteous and cultured, who pledge throughout their lives to be generous, compassionate, and loyal comrades."

Recruitment Chairmen

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Websites:
National
www.phikappapsi.com
ISU
www.isuphipsi.org

Address 316 Lynn Avenue
Chapter Size 59
GPA F’12 3.13

Fun Fraternity Fact:
We will be celebrating their 100th anniversary on Iowa State’s campus this fall!
Phi Kappa Theta

Websites:
National
www.phikaps.org
ISU
www.facebook.com/ISUphikaps

Address 2110 Lincoln Way
Chapter Size 30
GPA F’12 2.71

Fun Fraternity Fact:

Phi Kappa Theta is the only true merger between two fraternities in greek history, between Phi Kappa and Theta Kappa Phi.

Founded Nationally 1889/ISU 1929

“Give, expecting nothing thereof.”

Recruitment Chairmen

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PI KAPPA ALPHA

Websites:
National
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ISU
www.alphaphi.pikes.org

Address 2112 Lincoln Way
Chapter Size 103
GPA F’12 2.94

Founded Nationally 1868/ISU 1913

“Our members strive to be Scholars, Leaders, Athletes and Gentlemen and they seek excellence in everything they do. Together we’ll become the best.”

Fun Fraternity Fact:

Fred Hoiberg, our men’s basketball coach, was a member of Pi Kappa Alpha at Iowa State, and we are the largest fraternity on campus, as well as the largest nationally.

Recruitment Chairman

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Pi Kappa Phi

Websites:
National
www.pikapp.org
ISU
www.stuorg.iastate.edu/pikappaphi

Address 407 Welch Avenue
Chapter Size 77
GPA F’12 2.65

Fun Fraternity Fact:
Pi Kappa Phi is the only fraternity to nationally own and operate its own philanthropy. PUSH America raises awareness and works to increase accessibility for children with disabilities.

Founded Nationally 1904/ISU 1929

“Leaders by Choice.”

Recruitment Chairman

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Founded  Nationally 1856/ISU 1905

Addresses:
National
www.sae.net
ISU
www.saeiaga.net

Chapter Size 33
GPA F’12 2.58

Fun Fraternity Fact:

“From the old south to modern times, our brotherhood has had but one goal: to create True Gentlemen.”

Our house is nicknamed “The Maytag Mansion” because Lewis B. Maytag, an alumni and past President of The Maytag Company, donated the seed capital to build the new chapter house in 1926.

Recruitment Chairman

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National
www.sigmachi.org
ISU
www.isusigs.org

Address 2136 Lincoln Way
Chapter Size 34
GPA F’12 2.39

Fun Fraternity Fact:
Sigma Chi is getting ready to build a 3.5 million dollar new house with all new accessories and appliances.

Founded Nationally 1855/ISU 1916

“In Hoe Signo Vines. (In this sign, you will conquer).”

Recruitment Chairmen
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Sigma Nu

Websites:
National
www.sigmanu.org
ISU
www.isusigmanu.com/home

Address
Non-Facility
Chapter Size 29
GPA F’12 2.57

Fun Fraternity Fact:

Sigma Nu founded at ISU originally in 1904 and a group of men are working on the recolonization effort to bring back the history and legacy of Sigma Nu to the Iowa State campus.

Founded  Nationally 1869/ISU 1904

“Sigma Nu is committed to its founding principles of love, honor and truth. Become something more, become a Sigma Nu.”

Recruitment Chairman

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Websites:
National
www.sigep.org
ISU
www.iowastatesigep.com

Address  228 Gray Avenue
Chapter Size  80
GPA F’12  3.07

Founded  Nationally 1901/ISU 1916

Fun Fraternity Fact:

We have the largest table in the state of Iowa. The table was built in the house and sitting 45 members at every meal, it really turns us into a family. During our recent renovation, the table could not be removed from the house because of its size.

“This Fraternity will be different.”

Recruitment Chairmen

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Websites:
National
www.sigmapi.org
ISU
www.sigmapiisu.com

Address
218 Ash Avenue
Chapter Size
54
GPA F’12
2.90

Fun Fraternity Fact:

Waldo Wagner, The first Iowa State All American, was a Sigma Pi. In fact, our formal Chapter room is named in his honor and we actually have his Varsity Letter Sweater.

Recruitment Chairman

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Websites:
National
www.tke.org
ISU
www.tkerush.org

Address  224 Ash Avenue
Chapter Size  85
GPA F’12  2.95

Founded  Nationally 1899/ISU 1915

Fun Fraternity Fact:

The Epsilon Chapter gives out over $25000 to undergraduate members every year. Many of which are awarded for involvement and leadership!

“Better men for a better world.”

Recruitment Chairman

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Websites:
National
www.thetadeltachi.net
ISU
www.stuorg.iastate.edu/thetadeltachi
Address 217 Ash Avenue
Chapter Size 33
GPA F’12 2.63

Fun Fraternity Fact:
Our nickname “Thumpers” originated from an alumni who was the original artist of Walt Disney’s Thumper.

“Inspiring the Intellectual, Moral, and Social Being through Friendship and Brotherhood.”

Recruitment Chairman
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Websites:
National
www.thetaxi.org
ISU
www.thetaxiisu.com

Address  315 Welch Avenue
Chapter Size  20
GPA F’12  2.56

Fun Fraternity Fact:

Theta Xi is the only fraternity founded during the Civil War. Jim Davis, the creator of Garfield, is also an alum of the Ball State Theta Xi chapter.

Founded  Nationally 1864/ISU 1909

“United They Serve.”

Recruitment Chairman

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National
www.thetachi.org
ISU
www.isuthetachi.org

Address 219 Ash Avenue
Chapter Size 39
GPA F’12 2.91

“Extending the Helping Hand to all who seek it.”

Fun Fraternity Fact:

Our chapter recently celebrated being on the Iowa State Campus for 90 years.

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Websites:
National
www.triangle.org
ISU
www.istriangle.org

Founded by 16 civil engineering majors in 1907, Triangle Fraternity is the only member of the North-American Interfraternity Conference who limits majors to brothers studying Engineering, Architecture, and the Sciences. With a brotherhood of men with similar professional interests and goals, Triangle Fraternity not only offers an outstanding fraternal social experience, but also a brotherhood devoted to academic success.

Fun Fraternity Fact:

The Iowa State chapter of Triangle Fraternity was originally founded April 25, 1964 by twenty six men. Re-colonization begins this year.

“In order to have a better world, we must first have a world of better men.”
- Herb Scobie

Recruitment Chairman/Expansion Consultant Contact

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Founded  Nationally 1907/ISU 1964
Department of Residence Contract Cancellation Policy

Students who join the Greek Community on or before August 1st, 2013 may cancel their Department of Residence (Housing) and ISU Dining (Meals/Board) contract to move into a fraternity or sorority house by forfeiting their $125 prepayment. Any student who cancels their Department of Residence and ISU Dining contract after August 1, 2013, to move into a fraternity or sorority house will forfeit their $125 prepayment AND be assessed a 15% housing cancellation fee unless the chapter is not eligible for additional contract breaks. For more information, contact the Office of Greek Affairs.