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CENTENNIAL EDITION



Xi Chapter of Zeta Beta Tau Fraternity

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LEAD ARTICLE

Reinforcing Our Heritage and Instilling Principles in Young Men at Tech for 100 Years

Intellectual awareness. Social responsibility. Integrity. Brotherly love. These are the principles of our Credo that have shaped the lives of Georgia Tech's members of Phi Ep Pi and ZBT for 100 years. In some small way, our experience in the fraternity helped make us into the men we are today. In celebration of Xi Chapter's Anniversary, we honor the lifelong impact that Phi Ep Pi and ZBT have made on our brotherhood in the last 100 years.

What did the fraternity teach you about leadership?

"I had a leadership position as the chapter treasurer. This thrust me into a finance role which I continue to this day, and taught me

organizational and communication skills that I did not have before."
- Michael MacLellan '89

"How to lead your peers and deal with conflict amongst them."
- Grant Saunders '12

How do the fraternity's core values play a role in your life today?

"They instilled a lifelong understanding of the world."
- Billy Catherwood '75

How did Phi Ep Pi or ZBT help make you the man you are today? Tell us at www.gtztbt.org.

CHAPTER REPORT

ZBT Brothers Shine a Positive Light on Greek Life Active Chapter Stands Strong with Risk Management and Philanthropy Initiatives

While there may be a negative stigma surrounding Greek life in today's society, the brothers of Xi Chapter are doing everything they can to combat these stereotypes. Through strict risk management protocols and hours of philanthropy work, these men are shining a positive light on Greek life.

The active brothers have attended multiple FMAV (Fraternity Men Against Violence) sessions in order to better themselves and learn how to prevent sexual abuse. In addition, these men run a very tight risk management committee to prevent any such incidents. The chapter is proud of its strict risk management stance.



Along with helping themselves, the brothers of Xi Chapter also enjoy helping others by giving back to the community. Actives take part in numerous philanthropies and have accumulated more than 340 hours of community service this past semester alone. Through their philanthropic efforts, they have helped several organizations including Children's Miracle Network, Trees Atlanta, Atlanta

Food Bank, and FTK Georgia Tech. ZBT brothers have also raised over \$4,600 for GT's annual Dance Marathon benefiting Children's Healthcare of Atlanta (FTK)!

In our 100th year on campus, there is much to be proud of about the Xi Chapter of ZBT.

OH, WHAT A CENTURY

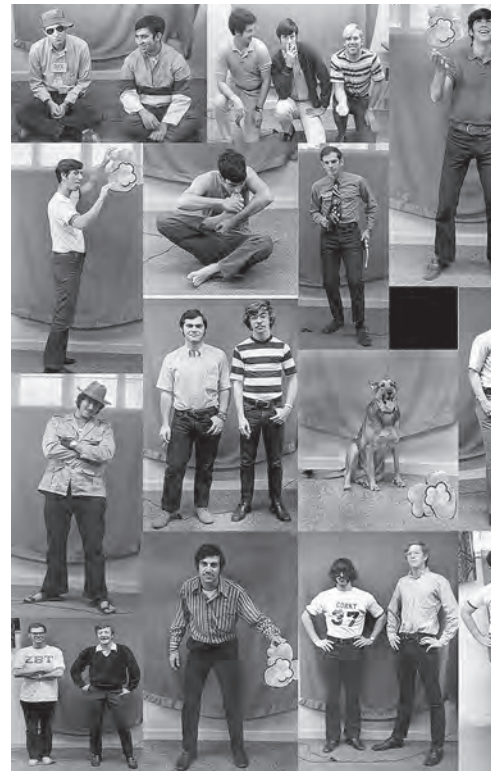
100 YEARS



Xi Chapter Founders



1953



Screaming Yellow



Phi Ep 1933



The 1940s



New House 1950



Greek Week

1916 – Phi Epsilon Pi established at Georgia Tech

1929 – Gene Zacharias '19 serves as Phi Epsilon Pi national president

1933 – House acquired on Williams St.

1949 – Xi Chapter wins outstanding Phi Epsilon Pi chapter award

1950 – Current house built

1958 – House extension built

1916

1926

1936

1946

1956

1966

CENTURY IT'S BEEN!

100 YEARS

Read some of the best memories from throughout the last 100 years and share your own! We've got stories of Phi Ep brothers shutting down an all-you-can-eat buffet in the '50s, Room Pride in the '70s (which involves some clever pranks), and pledges moving all of the house furniture to the roof in the '70s. Visit www.gtzb.org for much more.



New Zonkers 1970



A birthday celebration in the 1950s



The 1960s



Alumni Golf Tournament 1996



Week 1969



Party at Jane Gasser's on the GT vs. Georgia weekend. **Pictured (L to R):** Dave Zwieghaft '84, Bill Fairchild '82, Jerry Keen '84, Jane Gasser, Nick Vasti '80 and Earl Faulk '80.



Class of '74 Reunion 2014

1968 – 50-man pledge class

1970 – Pi Epsilon Phi merged with Zeta Beta Tau

1972 – Zach, Inc. formed

1984 – Phi Epsilon Pi mortgage paid off

1988 – Deck constructed

1989 – ZBT abolishes pledging

1993 – Pre-Olympics renovations

1996 – Atlanta Olympics rents ZBT house

1999 – Georgia Supreme Court hears Zach, Inc.'s property tax exemption lawsuit

2003 – Xi Chapter recolonized

2009 – Xi Chapter rechartered

2016 – Centennial Celebration

1966

1976

1986

1996

2006

2016



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**Honoring Our 100-Year Legacy at Georgia Tech!
Plus, Date announced for our
Centennial Celebration this fall!**

UPCOMING EVENT

Centennial Weekend Celebration

October 28-30

Friday
Centennial Dinner

Saturday
Homecoming vs. Duke

Sunday
Alumni Golf Tournament
& Second Century Brunch

Mark your calendar!
Stay tuned for more details.

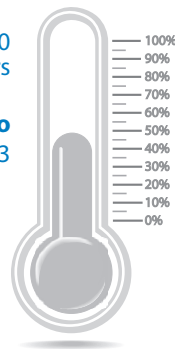
ANNUAL FUND UPDATE

100 Brothers for 100 Years

2015-16 Donors

**Goal: 100
donors**

**Donors to
Date: 53**



association each year—keeping you connected with a strong network of brothers, informed of the latest news and events, and an active part of our 100-year legacy on campus.

As we celebrate our Centennial, there's no better time than now to renew your participation with ZBT—specifically with your financial support. Our annual fund serves as the operating budget for our alumni

This year, it's our goal to have 100 brothers support our annual fund in honor of our 100 years on campus. Any donation, large or small, will make an impact as we expand our base of participants in our Centennial year.

See page 1 for a list of donors to date.

Make Your Gift

Add your name to our donor list in our Centennial year as we strive to reach our goal of 100 contributing brothers for 100 years.

Here's how to make your gift:

- Log on to www.gtztbt.org.
- Call 800-975-6699.
- Mail a check payable to "Zach, Inc." to the return address on this newsletter.

AT THE HOUSE

Improvements Made at ZBT



HVAC:

A new HVAC unit was installed at the house. Bring on the warm weather!

Kitchen:

Over semester break, we undertook a substantial renovation of the serving room to make it more functional and appealing. New cabinets and cupboards were installed, along with upgraded electricals, a sink, and a new cold food server. The room will now better support the chapter's meal plan and special events.

