

ETA MU ASSOCIATE CHAPTER HOLDS FIRST WHITE ROSE FORMAL

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After months of planning, the completion of proper paperwork, multiple COVID-19 tests, and full compliance with state and local regulations, the Eta Mu Associate Chapter was able to hold their inaugural White Rose Formal. Junior architect engineering major and Eta Mu Director of Member and Community Engagement JT Streibel, Kansas, helped plan everything from picking a location, to pricing, to transportation.

Brothers and guests traveled four hours south to Indian Point, Missouri, to spend a weekend at Table Rock Lake. Before beginning the 250-mile road trip, Streibel had to make sure all the paperwork was submitted and clear the event through the university and the local IFC.

"Myself and Andrew Ost, Kansas, planned most of the event. Our IFC has not allowed events for nearly eight months now because of COVID, so we had to submit guidelines of how we were going to keep everyone safe during this trip," Streibel said. "Everyone who went had to have a negative COVID test before leaving and had to have a negative COVID test coming back to campus."

For the chapter, the formal served as a break from classwork as Kansas did not have a spring break this year. Not only did they crown their first white rose (Mackenzie Greckel), but they also awarded Camden Dietz, Kansas, as Eta Mu Noble Man of the Year, Kade Townsend, Kansas, as Eta Mu Scholar of the Year, and JT Streibel as Eta Mu Citizen of the Year.



Streibel believes this formal was essential for the chapter.

"Even during a year like this, we have to think positive. When we achieve something, we need to celebrate it. Our formal gave us a morale boost that was needed going into the summer."

THREE THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT SIG TAU THIS MONTH

1

FOUNDERS DAY CHALLENGE LAUNCHED

The Founders Day Challenge offers an opportunity to highlight brotherhood stories while offering brothers and friends of Sig Tau the chance to give back. [Join](#) the Founders Day Challenge and help us reach our goal of 300 donors and \$150,000 for the Noble Man Annual Fund.

2

NEW MEMBER EDUCATION FOCUS

A select group of undergraduate leaders and national volunteers will travel to the University of Maryland this June for hands-on training and Sigma Phase beta testing to redefine our [education](#) process.

3

BERNIER FAMILY HONORED

The E. Kennedy Whitesitt Communication Award, beginning in 2021, will now be the Bernier Family Communication Award. The Bernier family has cemented a [legacy](#) that will forever have an impact on Sig Tau.





HOW TO ACE YOUR ZOOM INTERVIEW

Students are looking for a final internship before graduate school, or some are looking to land their first job out of college. Behind us are the days of traveling for a job interview. As the world moved digital the door opened for Zoom interviews.

The 2020 – 2021 academic school year is coming to a close; finals are being taken, essays are being graded, and senior projects are being defended. Zoom interviews can feel a bit awkward and stressful, but there are tips and ways to ensure you ace your next (or first) Zoom interview. Before you are chatting with your prospective new employer, do these steps outlined below:

- Research the company
- Come prepared with questions based on your research
- Plan what you want to wear
- Download Zoom to your preferred interview device
- Test your technology in advance

Now that you have completed your research, here are a few things to consider on interview day.

- Make sure your internet connection is stable
- Use headphones during the interview process to help block possible background noise
- Be aware of what your interviewer can see in the background (posters in your room, load of laundry on your bed, the leftover pizza sitting on the kitchen table)
- Silence notifications on your phone, computer, and tablet

Finally, it is interview time. You've done your research, come prepared with questions, secured a stable internet connection, and cleaned up your interview space. Here is how you ace your interview.

- Speak clearly & speak slowly
- Be confident
- Listen before you answer (and don't be afraid to pause and think about the question)
- Be mindful of your body language and facial expressions
- Be engaging
- Be genuine



NOBLE NEWS

Would you like to share news with the Sig Tau community? Submit your news [here](#).



1

THE ALPHA CHAPTER AT CENTRAL MISSOURI IS NAMED INTRAMURAL SOFTBALL CHAMPIONS.

ELEVEN THETA CHAPTER BROTHERS ATTEND THEIR LAST CHAPTER MEETING AS THEY EYE GRADUATION IN MAY.



2

THE DELTA CHAPTER AT EMPORIA STATE HOSTED A SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT BENEFITTING THE SUMMER CHILDREN'S READING PROGRAM OF THE EMPORIA PUBLIC LIBRARY.



3

THE ZETA ALPHA CHAPTER AT ARIZONA STATE ANNOUNCES THEIR NEW EXECUTIVE CABINET FOR 2021.



4

FIRST PLACE IN THE CHEER AND DANCE COMPETITION AT CENTRAL OKLAHOMA BELONGS TO THE MEN OF THE BETA ZETA CHAPTER.



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THE BETA ALPHA CHAPTER AT MISSOURI IS NAMED 2021 GREEK WEEK CHAMPIONS.



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FROM THE ARCHIVES

This month, we feature the Beta Nu Chapter at Louisiana Monroe. The chapter received its charter in 1960 and was the 61st chapter in Sigma Tau Gamma's history. Beta Nu had 14 founding fathers and is one of four chapters (Nu, Northwestern State; Phi, Southeastern Louisiana; Beta Nu, Louisiana Monroe; Gamma Kappa, Nicholls State) to call the state of Louisiana home. The Beta Nu Chapter initiated 290 brothers from 1959 - 1981.

