



FSU Pikes Delta Lambda Newsletter - November, 2015

Chapter Update - New Officers, Pike Achievements Mark Fall Semester



Mike McCoy '13, SMC

My name is Mike McCoy, the new SMC of Delta Lambda Chapter. I am a junior from Orlando, majoring in Accounting & Finance, and for the last two years I have served Delta Lambda as Rush Chairman.

Your Delta Lambda is enjoying an extraordinarily successful fall semester. Politically, the chapter has never been stronger. Pike Brothers are serving as Student Body President, Student Senate President, IFC President, and Chief Justice of the Greek Conduct Board. In addition, five of "FSU's Top 100 Freshmen" are among the recently initiated fall pledge class.

Athletically, I believe we are in first place overall in intramurals, bolstered by Championships this fall in Swimming, Football and Basketball. There are 22 IFC fraternities at FSU with an average size of over 100 men. The competition is intense, but Pi Kappa Alpha is proud to be acknowledged as the top Fraternity at Florida State.



New Pike Executive Officers



Clark Rahman
IFC President

Jean Tabares
Student Body President

Lucas Ryan
Chief Justice, Conduct Board

Andrew Forst
Student Senate President

Five Pike Pledges Honored Among FSU's Top Freshmen



Lebolo -- Berger -- Miles -- Pierson -- Weaver

Florida State's elite Garnet & Gold Key, the oldest leadership honor society on the FSU campus, annually recognizes the list of FSU's "Top 100 Entering Freshmen". This designation is based on scholarship, leadership and service. About 70 of the Top 100 Freshmen are women. Five of the 30 young freshmen men awarded this honor were recently initiated into Delta Lambda as part of this Alpha Theta pledge class. They are Luciano Lebolo, Jacob Berger, Andrew Miles, Clinton Pierson and James Weaver, Jr. Congratulations to these outstanding new Brothers!



Pikes are the 2015 Intramural Football Champions!



Pikes are the 2015 3x3 Intramural Basketball Champions!



Pike Brothers and dates enjoyed a football road trip to Clemson in early November



God bless America and Pi Kappa Alpha

Alumni: However great you remember your life was at the Pike house back in the day, it may be even better now.

[Check out this awesome 2015 video!](#)

Chapter & Alumni Events

November 18th Initiation of the Fall Pledges

November 21st Seminole Football vs. Chattanooga (Tailgate with Kappa Alpha Theta)

December 2nd Monthly Alumni Luncheon

December 4th Last day of classes

December 7-11 Final Exams

January 6th Monthly Alumni Luncheon / First day of classes

February 3rd, Monthly Alumni Luncheon

March 2nd Monthly Alumni Luncheon

March 7-11 Spring Break

April 6th Monthly Alumni Luncheon

April 22nd Last day of classes

April 25-29 Final Exams

PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDARS: February 26-28th Founder's Day celebration weekend

Monthly Luncheon - University Center Club



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Next Alumni Luncheon: Wednesday, December 2nd, 2015 @ 12:00 noon.

Pike alumni gather for lunch and fellowship on the first Wednesday of every month at the University Center Club at noon. Special guests include the Undergraduate Delta Lambda Chapter officers, who will report the latest on Chapter operations and achievements. All alumni are welcome and encouraged to attend.

Luncheon begins at noon and will conclude by 1 pm.

David Rancourt '84 Leads Seminole Boosters, Inc. in 2015



David Rancourt

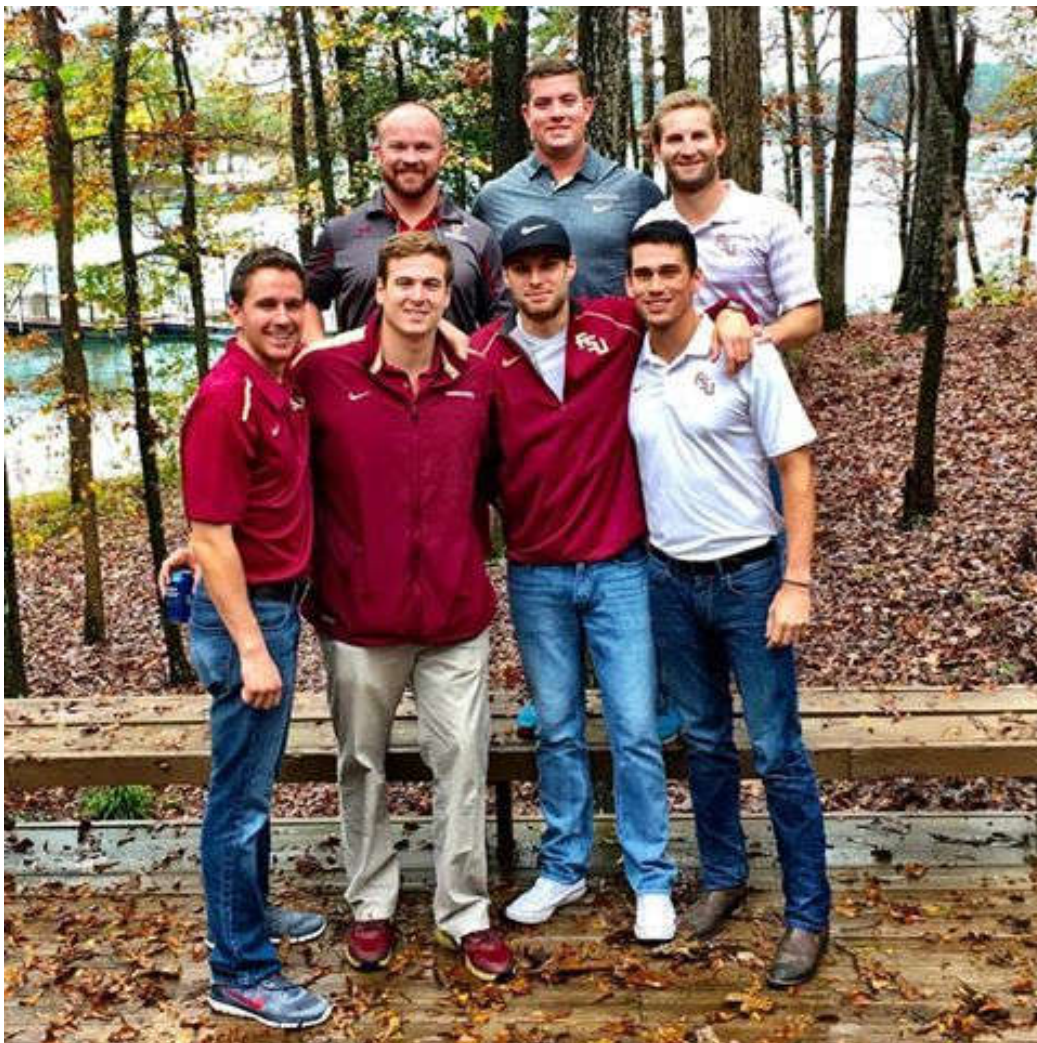
David Rancourt '84 is the 2015 National Chairman of Seminole Boosters. David was a defensive tackle on the 1984 Citrus Bowl team, and later SMC of Delta Lambda in 1986. He was elected to student government, tapped into all the campus honor societies, did graduate work at UF and later founded **Southern Strategy Group**, the

most powerful large governmental lobbying firm in the south. He is a multi-million dollar contributor to FSU and the Seminoles, and donated his exclusive Seminole "Micco" turban presented to him by the University, to Delta Lambda where it is proudly displayed in the foyer trophy cases

This text is from the Facebook page of **Beep Schuh '84**:

"Need all my FSU Seminole Booster Friends to step up and increase their donations or donate through their estate planning! Florida is having a HUGE Capital Campaign with the stated reason, however feeble yet valiant, to crush our Superior Football Program and the Seminole Boosters Organization. Let's ALL step it up for the Garnet and Gold and especially for my Brothers David Rancourt and Andy Miller!!"

Rancourt leads a large Board of Directors composed of prominent Seminoles who direct the fortunes of Seminole Boosters and the Seminole Athletic Program. As you know, the Seminole Boosters Board is Pike-intensive. These Delta Lambda alumni have served as Directors over the last two years: David Rancourt, 2015 National Chairman; Lancer Barton '88; Jimmy Graganella '84, Tim Hill '88, Brett Lindquist '81; Bill Parker '49; Scott Roix '85; Doug Russell '79; Barry Smith '72, Jesse Vance '80. The Seminole Boosters professional staff includes CEO Andy Miller '70; Joel Padgett '71; Eric Carr '01; Phil Doumar '08; Charlie Barnes '65 (retired).



Alumni road trip to Clemson

“We were staying at my uncle’s house on Lake Hartwell, so we all took a pontoon boat to the game. One great way to arrive!!”

Back row: Justin Mulligan '06, Austin Burr '09, Andrew Page '06.

Front row: Jarrod Germano '07, Phil Doumar '09, Adam Spott '08, Davis Bass '09.



Alumni visiting the Pike house at Homecoming. Pete Barraco '83, Gene Strickland, Chris Hansard '81, Jim Finch '81



In the Pike alumni skybox at Homecoming

Doug Russell '79, Miguel Fernandez '77, Jimmy Keen '73, Harry Sargeant '77, Tom Wheeler '78. All five alumni are fathers of Delta Lambda sons (Tyler Russell '10, Michael Fernandez '10, Michael Keen '14, Harry Sargeant IV '02 and Kevin Wheeler '09).

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Throwback Thursday

'THROWBACK THURSDAY'

Tri-Delt Hollywood Party @ Florida State

From: Griff Siegel '78 -- "Group shot with my Pike Brothers and our girlfriends/hostesses. With apologies to the ladies whose names have faded into the cloudier regions of my memory."

(L to R) FRONT ROW: Neal Chambliss '81 & Torraine Sarro; Kathy Taylor & Frank Hoover '78; [blank] & Chuck Joachim'81; Cindy Sumpter & Griff Siegel '78; [blank] & Bill Kerdyke '80; [blank] and Steve Pisano '81.

BACK ROW: Greg Smith '81 and Krissy Grabemeyer; Laine Lassiter and Ken Marks '80; Eddie Allen '79 and Paula Batson; Jim Finch '81and [blank]; Louise Barnett (Stottlemeyer) and Scott Stottlemeyer '82; Kerry [blank] and Kevin O'Neil '81.

2015 Chapter Executive Council

Updated November 19, 2015

- SMC President: Mike McCoy
- Internal Vice President: Kevin Stokes
- External Vice President: Reid Nelson
- Excellence Officer: Fritz Maxwell
- Pledge Education: to be determined
- Rush Chairman: Steven McFall
- Treasurer: Jake Ross
- Secretary: to be determined
- House Manager: to be determined
- Risk Management: Daniel Coconceli
- Title IX Chairman: David Teytelbaum
- Member At Large: Max Huzuda
- Sargeant At Arms (Judicial Officer): Trip Lawson
- IFC Representative: to be determined
- Intramural Sports Chairman: to be determined
- Social Chairman: to be determined
- Alumni Liaison: to be determined
- Political Officer: Hunter Anger

Alumni Advisory Board

- Chapter Advisor (interim): Charlie Barnes '65
- Legends of Delta Lambda: Brent Sembler '78, Chairman
- Legends Oversight: Jimmy Keen '73
- Rush Advisor: Doug Russell '79
- Pikes Illustrated Editor 2015: Jean Tabares
- Faculty Advisors: Andy Miller '70, Doug Tatum '77
- Finance Chairman + Advisor to the Secretary and Treasurer: Eli Nortelus '01
- Risk Management: Jimmy Keen '73, Don Pumphrey, Jr. '06, Clint Wallace '01, Matt Liebenhaut '01, Carlos Lindo '05.
- Pledge Education Advisor: Dustin Daniels '10
- Technology Advisor & Webmaster: Chris Dietz '87
- House Manager Advisor: Gene Strickland '81
- Alumni Association Co-Chairman: Gary Prescott '72 and Mark Smith '78.
- Alumni Association Committee: Eric Carr '01, President; Gary Prescott '72, Mark Smith '78, Bob Hall '49 (Charter Member), Phil Doumar '09, Jarrod Germano '07
- Newsletter Editor: Charlie Barnes '65
- Newsletter Publisher: Chris Dietz '87
- Education/Scholarship Advisor: Scottie Howell '06 ('88 Fireman)
- Ambassador: Bob Hall '49
- Chaplaincy Advisor: Rev. Rick Blythe '72
- Political Advisors: Bob McKnight '62 (Fla. Southern College); Scottie Howell '06 ('88)
- Mentoring Advisors: Jimmy Keen '73; Doug Tatum '77

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