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We have recently learned of the deaths of the following brothers...

Morris Lumpkin '44
Paul Bisette Jr. '47
Robert Hays Jr. '51
Robert Herring '59
Robert Furtado '59

The Epsilon Owl

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CHAPTER NEWS

You Can Help with Epsilon's Fall Rush Efforts!

Rush Weekend will take place from Friday, August 5th through Sunday, August 7th in Wilmington. We will provide lodging and transportation throughout the weekend to those in attendance.

On Friday night, we will go to dinner at a restaurant in Wilmington and then have some fun at Jungle Rapids Amusement Park. Saturday we will travel by boat to Masonboro Island, where we will spend most of the day on the beach. This will be a wonderful opportunity to relax and meet brothers in a casual and laid back atmosphere. Later on Saturday we will grill out at a private home and then all go by bus

to a local restaurant, which we have rented out with a band performing.

Please send your rush recommendations to:

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336-847-5155; sduckett@email.unc.edu

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Gil Templeton

336-908-4385; gtemplet@email.unc.edu

Thank you for contributing to the future of our chapter!

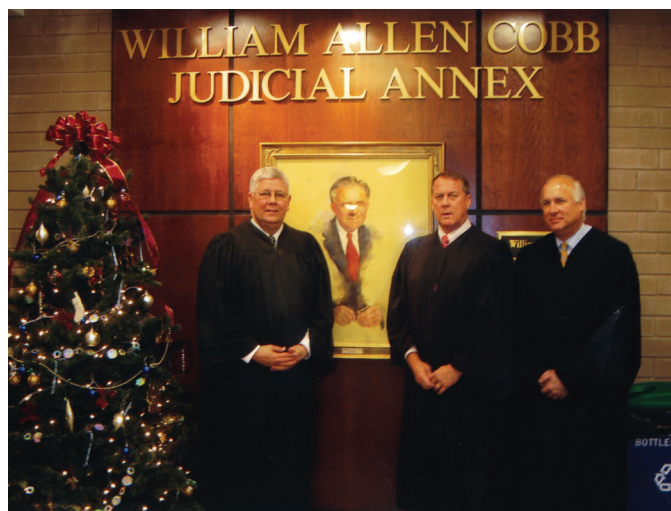
GRADUATE NEWS

Three Epsilon Brothers Serve as Superior Court Judges in North Carolina

Thank you to **Benjamin Alford '73** for submitting this photo. He writes...

From left to right are Senior Resident Superior Court Judges **Benjamin G. Alford '73**, **William Allen "Brother" Cobb Jr. '74** and **Wayland J. Sermons '77**. Judge Alford's judicial district is Carteret, Craven and Pamlico Counties. Judge Cobb's judicial district is New Hanover and Pender Counties. Judge Sermon's judicial district is Beaufort, Martin, Hyde, Tyrrell and Washington Counties. All three judges held court in New Hanover County in the same week in December, 2009. The

portrait in the background is of William Allen Cobb Sr., the longtime District Attorney in Wilmington and the father of Judge Cobb.



Do you have any graduate connections to other Epsilon brothers? Share them in the graduate updates section at www.epsilonpgd.com.

ANNUAL FUND

Help Our Giving Go Back in the Opposite Direction!

Participation Needed from ALL Brothers to Keep Program Going Strong

As you can see, our contributions have seen a steady decline over the past four years. We appreciate the loyal support that we've had this year from the brothers listed below. But we can't rely on their support alone. We need participation from *all* of our graduate brothers to keep our program going strong.

As a reminder, the annual fund supports:

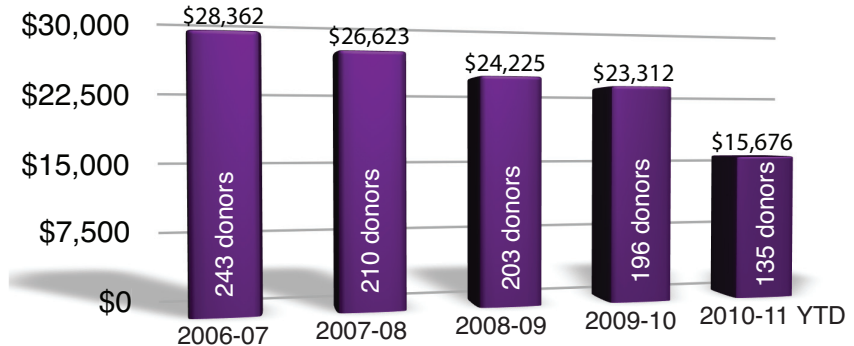
- Publication of the *Epsilon Owl*
- Maintenance of our web site, monthly eLetters and Facebook page
- Upkeep of our mailing list of nearly 900 graduate brothers
- Hosting of annual events, such as Pig Dinner

- Our ongoing legacy at the University of North Carolina

Please help us end 2010-11 above where we finished last year, and start our way back on

an upward climb. Please make your gift before the giving year ends August 31. You can donate online at www.epsilonpgd.com or by calling 800-975-6699.

Annual Fund (9/1-8/31)



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Reflects gifts received as of July 11, 2011.

From Father to Son, Phi Gam Stays in the Family

Frederick Dula '72 says that without the fraternity and the experiences that came with it, he would not be who he is today.

"Becoming a Phi Gam was the best thing that happened to me during my years at Chapel Hill," he said.

Fred was introduced to Phi Gam by **Allen Tanner '72** and **John Vanderbloemen '72**. After meeting brothers **John Goldfinch '72**, **John Merritt '72**, **Bruce Sharpe '72**, **John Woodall '72**, **Rusty Carter '71**, **Charlie Brindell '71** and **Warner Perry '71**, he realized Phi Gam was the perfect match for him.

Through Phi Gam, Fred met some close friends that he still keeps in contact with today, including Judge **Allen Cobb '74** and Allen Tanner. He also got to know his mentor, Dr. Jerome C. "Pop" Cashion, who guided him through college and the fraternity and helped him achieve his dreams of attending medical school.

Fred remembers experiencing the "Hard Core" pilgrimage to Charleston with Dr. Cashion, one of the more outstanding memories he has of his undergraduate days. midweek road trips and another trip to D.C. also stand out.

"My grades improved even as I had more fun than I could possibly have had without the fraternity, making for a complete college experience," he said.

Fun was even found on the FIJI island bamboo runs, he said, which mostly took place in the middle of the night. He tried to involve himself with Phi Gam as much as he could, always helping with any clean-up, painting or repair work.

Because of his hard work, he was given both the "Best Pledge Award" and the "L.J. Phipps" award given to a senior, awards he appreciates to this day.

Fred recommends that all young men entering the University of North Carolina consider joining Phi Gam.

"The friendships and connections they will make, and what they will learn about conducting themselves in all business and social situations will serve them well the rest of their lives," he said. "They will meet the most interesting and accomplished people and will always have Vance Hall to draw them back to Chapel Hill. And did I mention the fun they will have? The bonds they make with their pledge class will last forever."

Fred continues to be involved today, especially since his son followed in his footsteps and pledged Phi Gam. Because of this connection, Fred knows how expensive it can be to run a fraternity today. Remaining active as a graduate brother and making financial contributions to the fraternity is something he believes is important in order

for everyone to have a house to come back to.

"It is extremely important to help these young men have a well-kept great place to live and socialize," he said. "We all need this house to always be there where we as graduates can see our brothers and have great times."

Apart from financial contributions, Fred has provided his hospitality to Phi Gam as well. Pledge class trips are usually taken to the beach or mountains, but he provided his own house for his son's pledge class trip, taking in almost half of the fraternity.

After earning his degree in pre-med and a Bachelor of Arts in History in 1972, Fred graduated from the University of North Carolina School of Medicine in 1981 and is a practicing radiologist. He also serves as president of Piedmont Radiological Associates in Salisbury.

He has a wife Lynn, a daughter Caroline and a Phi Gam son, who is also studying pre-med and hoping to attend medical school after his senior year. Fred says he is able to relive his Phi Gam days by having his son live there for four years, and said, "Phi Gamma Delta is not for college days alone."

Reconnect with Frederick at fmdula@novanthealth.org.

FROM THE ARCHIVES

A Look Back More than 60 Years

Thank you to **Dixie Greene '48** for submitting this photo of the 1950 Pledge Class of Epsilon of Phi Gamma Delta.

He writes, "I entered UNC as a freshman in August 1944. By the fall of 1945 a lot of these Phi Gams began to show up at UNC having been fortunate enough to get quick discharge from the three marching on military. What a natural and fine bunch of guys for me to get to know early on. I'm proud to say even

though some guys were three to six years older than me, I personally got to know them with pleasure.

Then after graduation and going to grad school for a year, I went to work for General Motors and was assigned to live in the Raleigh area for six years. This enabled me to relive and travel to Chapel Hill frequently and I got to know all the Phi Gams up until 1955. I'm the first one on the top row of the Phi Gams in 1950...I was in grad school."



Do you have historical pictures to share? Send them to our editors at content@affinityconnection.com (mention Fiji at UNC) or upload them to www.facebook.com/epsilonpgd.

IN THE WORDS OF OUR BROTHERS...

What is Your Fondest Fiji Memory?

Cameraderie. I loved living in the Phi Gam house and interacting with all my brothers.

- **William Duckett '09**

Fiji Island.

- **Michael Linden '08**

The friendships I made and our parties.

- **Churchill Bunn '06**

Pledging...and creating an amazing bond with the brothers.

- **Graham Farless '04**

Fellowship with brothers.

- **James Tanner '92**

My pledge brothers.

- **Robert Wright '68**

Friendships of other brothers.

- **Jack Spain '60**

Living in the house, fellowship.

- **James Sloan '62**

Social gatherings.

- **H. Sauls '64**

The many lifelong friends I made.

- **James Royall '76**

Friendships established "not for college days alone."

- **Theo Pitt '58**

Absolutely everything.

- **John Marriott '82**

Interpersonal relationships with undergraduate brothers in intramural sports, personal leadership development and learning to live with others in the fraternity house.

- **Josephus Mavretic '56**

The lasting friendship of many brothers.

- **William Martin '48**

A nice "home away from home", especially since I was from a small town.

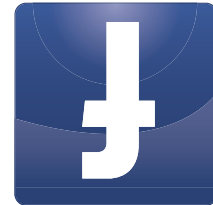
- **Laurence Maddison '65**

Lifelong friendships.

- **H. Reid Jones '82**

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