

# Delta Upsilon

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Chapter



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Newsletter

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## Thanksgiving Social with AST Sorority

On November 25, 2008, the brothers of Delta Upsilon Pan American Chapter had a Thanksgiving Social with Alpha Sigma Tau National Sorority. It took place at the newly remodeled Cenizo Room in the Ballroom. All of us brought an assigned dish and the ladies provided the drinks and some desserts. Some of these included a deep fried turkey, mashed potato & gravy, stuffing, corn, etc. First we served the plates and then waited until a prayer was offered. The ladies were very thankful and very glad to be our guests for the Thanksgiving social. We hope to continue to have socials with Alpha Sigma Tau.

## Greek Week

This year, Greek Week Fall '08 consisted of many activities throughout the week of Nov. 10-14<sup>th</sup>. On Monday, the organization competed in the Greek Week Quiz-bowl. On Tuesday, Greek week continued with the tug of war and volleyball. On Wednesday, the organizations of the Multicultural Greek Council held a dance show for Greek week organization to promote the council. On Thursday, Greek week continued its competitions with the five-legged race and later the obstacle course. Friday ended Greek week with its biannual talent show. Delta Upsilon provided a skit of various commercials for this talent show that left the audience laughing. Delta Upsilon's best event throughout the week was tug-of-war, winning against all other fraternities without question. Overall, Delta Upsilon won third place. We do not settle for third place, and will aim for first in the spring.

## Pledge Class Events

The Xi class has been doing a good job as far as their requirement status. They have been working hard on learning the history of our fraternity, Greek alphabet, members, etc.

Also, the associate members have been raising funds by raffling gas cards. They also conducted a brotherhood event which took place at the Edinburg Municipal Park. It consisted of a game of football, basketball, and a BBQ. The food was great and also the sports. We were glad to see some of the Alumni come out and support the Xi class.

## Xi Class Initiation

Initiation ceremony for the Xi class occurred on December 6<sup>th</sup> at the University Chapel. We had a variety of people in the audience including family, friends, and Alumni. It was followed by a dinner at Joe's Crab Shack, where the big brothers paid for their newly initiated little brothers. We now have 5 new brothers: Mariano Aguilar, Carlos Dominguez, Adulfonso Garcia, Irwin Mendoza, and Tony Vega. We welcome the new initiates and hope they will take the fraternity to higher levels in the future.

## Birthday Bulletin:

Tony Vega '10-> Dec. 5<sup>th</sup>  
Adulfonso Garcia '12-> Dec. 9<sup>th</sup>  
Martin Aguirre '11-> Dec. 15<sup>th</sup>  
Jesus Regalado '09-> Dec. 22<sup>nd</sup>  
Mariano Aguilar '09-> Dec. 29<sup>th</sup>

## Scheduled Events for December:

Dec. 1-5 – Delta Week for Xi Class  
Dec. 6 – Initiation Ceremony  
Dec. 9 – Officer Elections

## Message from the Chapter

Happy Holidays from the chapter. This is our last newsletter of the year, and we'll resume to keep you up-to-date in January of 2009. I hope you have a wonderful time for the rest of the year. So happy holidays, and happy New Year!!!

P.S. We value your opinion, and ask that you please comment on the newsletter and chapter operations.