



# Yon Clarion Bell

FOUNDATION NEWS FROM THE TEMPLE



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*Brothers, young and old, pose for a photo following a spring annual meeting. See page 2 for more Reunion 2014 photos.*

## MU OF DKE PROPELS FORWARD

Share Our Rich History—Get Involved Today

Dear brothers in Mu, we have a great deal of momentum behind us. We're moving forward and growing despite the lack of an undergraduate chapter. Reunion 2014 was a huge success. Prior to our annual meeting, we initiated our newest alumni brothers in a ceremony in the Temple. During our annual meeting, Brother **James Zagarelli '09**, a captain in the USMC, gave a moving speech and presented the brotherhood with a beautiful plaque and decorative case holding an American flag he flew in Marjah District, Helmand Province, Afghanistan on July 4, 2011, and which he dedicated to Mu DKE.

As a recognized Colgate University alumni organization, we continue to enthusiastically welcome new alumni members into our ranks. Our new alumni members learn our history and share our traditions and ideals. We grow as an alumni organization every year because we are an active group that connects alumni to Colgate and each other. It is clear Mu of DKE presents an attractive option for eligible alumni. This

is an amazing accomplishment considering our most recent undergraduate brothers graduated in 2007. We look forward to initiating the 155th class of Mu of DKE at next year's reunion.

During our annual meeting, I encouraged our alumni to engage Colgate in positive ways to help us move closer to our goal of a recognized undergraduate chapter. Please take advantage of opportunities to volunteer in alumni leadership positions. Please reach out to me if you have any questions or thoughts regarding Mu and Colgate.

It is hard to believe, but we are fast approaching our 160th anniversary in 2016!

In the Bonds,  
**Sean F. Devlin '05**  
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## The Foundation Needs Your Help

### HELP WRITE OUR HISTORY

In preparation for our 160th anniversary, the Foundation is attempting to complete our much-anticipated history: *150 Years of Mu of DKE*. Much of the work has already been done, but we need an individual brother to take point on this project and see it through to its completion. The Foundation is willing to compensate a brother for his time and/or recognize his work as an in-kind donation. If you would like to take up this important project, please reach out to Sean. Thank you!

## The Mu of DKE Foundation Board of Trustees

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## Thank You, Loyal Alumni and Friends

We are extremely grateful to the following brothers who contributed \$13,839 to our 2014 annual campaign (January 1-November 24, 2014). The support you give makes a difference to Mu of DKE and its future.

### RAMPANT LION

(\$1,000 and Above)

W. Griswold Hurlbert '58  
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### BROTHER WHITNALL

(\$500 to \$999)

E. Garrett Bewkes Jr. '48  
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### BROTHER BLACKMORE

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Thomas J. Hall '89

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Thank You, Mark Peck '91  
and Xave Jacoby '12, for  
organizing a very successful  
Homecoming event in October.



## Reunion 2014

The Pierce Memorial was filled to capacity and brothers, family, and friends had a fabulous weekend reliving their glory days. We hope to see you in 2015! Registration begins in February.



# Welcome, 154th Class of Mu of DKE

**Kevin April '13**  
*Los Angeles, Calif.*

**Alexander Bewkes '13**  
*Darien, Conn.*

**Colin Cowles '13**  
*New York, N.Y.*

**Will Delano '13**  
*Cos Cob, Conn.*

**Alec Goldstein '13**  
*Washington, D.C.*

**Alex Heller '13**  
*Toronto, Ontario*

**Harry Jewett '13**  
*New York, N.Y.*

**Trevor Lawler '13**  
*Bethesda, Md.*

**Parker Lewis '13**  
*Littleton, Colo.*

**Max Markusen '12**  
*San Francisco, Calif.*

**Ian Nordin '13**  
*New York, N.Y.*

**Graham Rieser '13**  
*Wilmette, Ill.*

**Matthew Robinson '13**  
*New Orleans, La.*

**Daniel Sweeney '13**  
*New Canaan, Conn.*

**Daniel Werber '13**  
*Washington, D.C.*

## Alumni News

**William J. Shively '50** lives in rural France near Bergerac with an unlimited wine supply. His novel, *Operation Airthief*, is available on Amazon.com. E-mail: red.jerry1@gmail.com

**R. Douglas Wilson '57** lives in Irvington, New York, with his wife, Betsy, where the writing and publishing of Doug's book has taken over a great part of their lives. Since his collegiate days, Douglas has received 17 Emmy Awards, Lifetime Achievement Awards in sports, an International Gymnastics Frank Bare Award for service to gymnastics, and spotlight in the V.S. figure skating Hall of Fame. Douglas congratulates the Mu Chapter of Delta Kappa Epsilon on the *Yon Clarion Bell* and looks forward to reading future editions. E-mail: manypeaks@me.com



**Greg Dunlavey '07** works as an investigator at the Manhattan District Attorney's Office on high-profile cases. One of the cases he worked on was Joe Esposito, ringleader of a Long Island-based network of disability consultants who helped retired cops and firefighters fraudulently obtain Social Security Disability Insurance benefits. Esposito helped at least 700 people obtain these benefits, causing Social Security to pay out at least \$70 million in undeserved benefits. This was the result of a two-year wiretap investigation. E-mail: gdunlavey@gmail.com

*Joe Esposito (left) and Greg Dunlavey '07 (right)*

## Mystic Circle

A brother dead and brothers mourning

Fill the heart with grief today,  
And the earnest grasp fraternal;  
Speaks, "a dear one passed away."  
Yes, no longer we shall greet thee

In the halls of DKE,  
Yet thy name in sweet remembrance  
Graven on our hearts will be.  
We have parted, Brother, parted,  
As we trust, to meet again,  
In a full unbroken circle,  
Free from sorrow, grief and pain.

**Peter Leyden III '48** entered the Mystic Circle on March 8 at his home in Annapolis, Md. He served in the Navy during World War II. After graduating from Colgate, Pete became a high school history teacher and later principal of Lynbrook High School on Long Island. He is survived by his five children, their spouses, and 12 grandchildren.

**Richard Duvall '50** entered the Mystic Circle on May 1. Richard published a book later in his life. To read more about Richard's life visit [www.richardaduvall.com](http://www.richardaduvall.com).

**Earnest R. "Chilly" Braun III '51** entered the Mystic Circle on April 6.

**Ralph Coxhead '51** entered the Mystic Circle on August 27. He was an All-American swimmer in the Colgate Athletic Hall of Fame.

## BOSTON DKEs GATHER FOR DINNER

On October 25, 13 brothers gathered for a fabulous dinner and evening out in Boston. Thanks to **Matt Salmon '10** for organizing. The Foundation can provide contact information of brothers in your area if you'd like to organize a gathering.



*From left, Griffin Sullivan '07, Matt Salmon '10, Kent Zelle '99, Michael Cucchiara '00, Xave Jacoby '12, Josh McLane '10, Andrew Coons '99, Jack Henley '12, Sean Devlin '05, Sasha Barausky '04, Jon Edwards '03, Nichol Jacoby '14 (to be initiated in 2015), and John Ogilby '10.*

## Visit Us Online

We have a new website! The minutes of our annual meeting, along with digital copies of composites, minutes from board meetings, and other historical documents, are posted in the member-only section of our new website: [www.mudke.org](http://www.mudke.org). Please visit our website and register so you can access these materials. If you are on Facebook and LinkedIn, please join our groups!



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## Thank You

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Michael O. Kennedy '92  
Josh Winstral '94  
David A. Schreiber '95  
Andrew D. Buecking '97  
Kyle A. Helland '02  
Andrew E. Lane '06  
Dane W. Hoyt '07  
Jonathan D. S. Berk '07  
James Zegarelli '09  
Mark Kanter '10

### **MRS. WHITNEY & MRS. FENNER** **(\$51 to \$99)**

Thomas P. Halley Jr. '73  
Jonathan A. Ferris '98

### **MU DUES** **(Up to \$50)**

John F. Tommins '47  
James W. Cochran '47  
Thomas B. Patterson '50  
Arthur S. Fox Jr. '54  
Edward K. Paul Jr. '60  
Mark D. Trottier '60  
Richard J. Moran '63  
Charles F. Sweetman Jr. '66  
James W. Warren '73  
David J. MacKenzie '78  
John M. Gobins '85  
Geoffrey M. Gunner '92  
Christopher P. Lawler '94  
Richard A. Holthaus '95  
James A. Barlow Jr. '98  
Adam N. Rubinstein '04  
Devin J. Taylor '07  
Zachary S. Grobengieser '07  
Tyler Coolman '11  
Andrew Maksimovich '11  
Brendon Mitchell '11  
Daniel J. Pulitano '12



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## SAVE THE DATE

### Mu of DKE Winter Gathering

**Saturday, January 31, 2015**

**from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.**

**at the Yale Club, New York City**

Please join the brotherhood for our annual winter gathering in New York City. There will be an open bar and passed hors d'oeuvres. Brothers are encouraged to invite a guest.

Jacket and tie required for men. Please contact **Sean Devlin '05** at [sfitzmichaeld@msn.com](mailto:sfitzmichaeld@msn.com) or (203) 644-6032 as soon as possible if you plan to attend.

We look forward to seeing you!