# Spring 2011 Greek Report Executive Summary

#### **Academics**

- The spring 2011 all Greek GPA of 2.999 surpassed the all BSU average of 2.967. The all Greek GPA is higher than the spring 2010 all Greek GPA of 2.960 and higher than the fall 2010 all Greek GPA of 2.947.
- The all NPHC GPA for spring 2011 was 2.714, which was an increase of .321 over their fall 2010 GPA of 2.393.
- Office of Student Life staff provided information on midterm deficiencies to the IFC fraternities and Panhellenic sororities. Professors administer mid-term deficiencies to freshmen who receive a C- or below in a 100 or 200 level class.

### Advisors & Alumni

• Fraternities and sororities have a chapter advisor who is an initiated member and works closely with the chapter leaders on a regular basis.

### Housing

- Members of Delta Tau Delta, Phi Sigma Kappa, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Sigma Chi, Sigma Nu and Sigma Phi Epsilon live in houses privately owned or leased by their respective housing corporations.
- Members of Alpha Gamma Delta, Kappa Delta, Phi Gamma Delta, Phi Mu, Sigma Kappa, and Theta Chi live in houses owned by Ball State University.
- Phi Gamma Delta and Theta Chi have a live-in graduate student staff member who is employed, supervised and trained by the Office of Student Life.
- Alpha Gamma Delta, Kappa Delta, Phi Gamma Delta, Phi Mu, Sigma Kappa and Theta Chi are alcohol free facilities.

### Leadership Development

- The Office of Student Life and Greek councils sponsored Greek Academy, a leadership development program for new members and chapter officers, for 317 members.
- \$1,350 in scholarships was provided by Panhellenic to three women to attend the Undergraduate Interfraternity Institute in summer 2011. Twenty members of Interfraternity Council, National Pan-Hellenic Council and Panhellenic Council attended the Association of Fraternal Leadership & Values Spring 2011 Conference and their fees were paid by the councils.

## Recruitment, Retention & Expansion

- 24 women joined one of the 10 Panhellenic sororities during spring recruitment. Panhellenic sororities continue to recruit until they reach 75 members.
- 87 men joined one of the 11 Interfraternity Council fraternities this spring, up from 59 the previous spring.
- 4 men joined an NPHC fraternity. The NPHC fraternities and sororities generally conduct intake during the spring semester.
- Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. returned during the spring 2011 semester with 16 neophytes.
- 89.83% of new members recruited in spring 2011 were retained through the end of the semester. This is down from 93.60% the previous spring.
- 90.82% of fall 2009 first time matriculating Greek new members were retained as sophomores, which is 11.22% higher than the Ball State rate of 79.6%.

# Service & Philanthropy

- 9876.45 hours of hands-on community service hours were completed by fraternity and sorority members during the spring 2011 semester. This is up from 6329.75 hours during the previous spring semester.
- \$29,674.87 was raised for charities by Greeks during the spring 2011 semester. This is down from \$36,932.31 the previous spring semester.

If you have a question or comment about fraternities or sororities at Ball State University, please contact Brandon Cutler, Assistant Director of Student Life, at bjcutler@bsu.edu or 765-285-2621. We value your feedback!