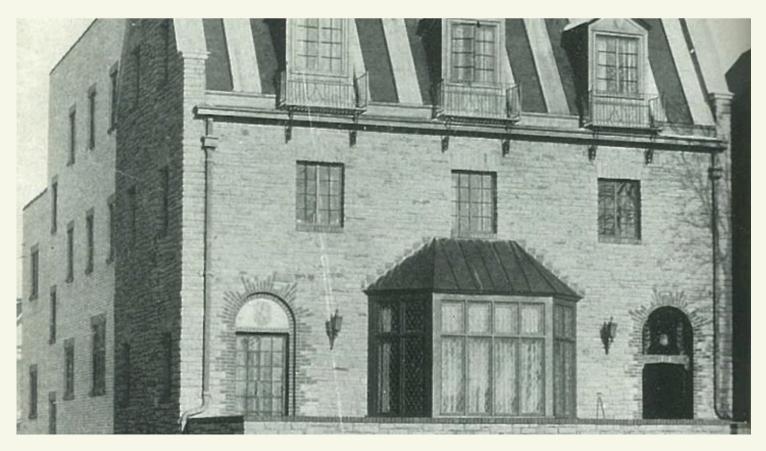
Minnesota Alpha Newsletter



ALUMNI UPDATE SPRING 2024



CHAPTER GROWTH

The Minnesota Alpha Chapter was thrilled to welcome its newest class of members. Between fall '23 and spring '24, the new member class boasts a large group of 37 members, making it the largest class in the chapter. All of our appreciation goes to our dedicated recruiters. whose commitment unwavering and diligence have been instrumental



in assembling this class. Thanks especially to **Kaiden Aubut**, **Axel Arnold**, **Vincent Lang**, **Charlie Madison**, **and Elijah Vanderveer ('26)**; the recruitment chairs that led Alpha chapter to experience one of the most successful recruitment seasons yet.

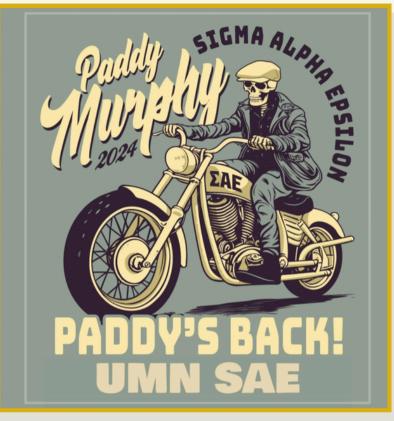


LASTING LEGACY

Along with the excitement of such a strong group of new brothers comes the bittersweet feeling of saying goodbye to our valued seniors. This year, we are proud to watch 26 brothers graduate and step into their newest chapter as Sigma Alpha Epsilon alumni. Although they will be missed greatly, they leave behind a legacy that will continue to guide the chapter for years to come. We cannot wait to see what they accomplish with the leadership skills and lifelong relationships gained through their many valuable years in our chapter. Good luck seniors!

PADDY'S BACK!

This spring has been highly successful in terms of community. The brothers hosted the annual Paddy Murphy philanthropy week between April 22nd and 26th. To kick off the week-long event, the brothers participated in a Brotherhood Bags tournament. Playing against each other in good-natured competition, each team paid an entry fee with the collection going towards the Make-a-Wish foundation. Wednesday continued the philanthropy, with 34 brothers volunteering at Feed My Starving Children. The chapter hosted the Pie-An-Alpha event and cookie sale



on Thursday. Friday closed out the week with a funeral held for this year's Paddy Murphy, **Axel Arnold '26**. The week's endeavors totaled at \$2,500 to be donated to the Make-a-Wish foundation. Special thanks to **Ryan Hammersmith '26**, philanthropy chair.







MEMBER SPOTLIGHT







Computer Science Major
Positions Held: House man, President, New
Member Educator



Supply Chain Major
Positions Held: Steward, Vice President

2023/24 YEAR SOCIAL EVENTS











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ALPHA CHAPTER WEBSITE

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This semester our Vice President, Wyatt Barker '26, has been working on creating a Minnesota Alpha website. This website will be used to highlight activities such as our philanthropy efforts and Executive Board and as a resource for our members to access anything they need within academics and Sigma Alpha Epsilon as a whole. A key driver for the creation of this website was recruitment as well. Even though we've had great success in the past few semesters with our recruitment classes, we are always looking for ways to be more effective in recruitment. Our recruitment team will be able to direct potential new members to our website to get a better understanding of who we are, and what Sigma Alpha Epsilon stands for both at the University of Minnesota and across the country.