## Pi Kappa Alpha Alumni,

We ended the year out strong with a solid month of April. Like March, we participated in another Greek day of service. This time, we had a plan to clear the hillside in front of the Rush Pike wall, and put a West Virginia logo out of rocks on the hill. Unfortunately, as we were clearing the hill we ran into some problems that pushed our work back past the end of the school year. We hope to pick this project up again this following school year.

We closed out the year with our annual end of the year party, *Pikes of the Carribean*. This turned out to be a blast, and an awesome way to end our time staying at the temporary Pike house at the top of High Street.

Like I had mentioned in April, we raised over 20 thousand dollars of goods from Walmart for homeless veterans on April 1st. Recently, former Governor, and current Senator of West Virginia met up with our President- Graham Platz, and Vice President- Wade Giltz. He presented them with a letter of a recognition for the success we had on this day. Attached with this email is a picture of Senator Manchin with Graham (right) and Wade (left). Also attached is a picture of the letter of recognition.

Quickly approaching is the annual Pi Kappa Alpha Alumni Reunion. This will take place the weekend of August 4th, starting with a golf outing on, Thursday, August 3rd. With the Belmar house on schedule to be ready in time, we hope to open it up, giving house tours during that weekend. We are still in the process of planning this weekend, and I will provide more information as it comes together. If you have any questions please feel free to email, call, or text me (412) 518-1303 and also our president Graham Platz (304) 881-5885.

Looking forward to seeing and talking with you guys soon,

John Abel



## RECOGNITION FROM JOE MANCHIN III UNITED STATES SENATOR

It is my distinct honor to recognize Wade Citiz for his efforts in giving back to our nation's heroes.

Part of what makes West Virginia so wonderful is the citizens who seffeedly dedicate their time and effort to helping others. As vice President of Pt Saype Alpha frateminy, Wade belond organize his fellow frazerity members in moving significant during April Peeck Bay at the University Town Genter Wal-Mart. These supplies were taken to the VPW in Wontower to bovelt area Venarias. Our nation's hereas have searched as much for our country, and it is our responsibility and our privilege to give back to them in any way we can.

Wade – you are an inspiration to your continuity, our state, and to the enter nation, and I wish you the best of lock for what is sure to be a bright future. Thank you for your voluntary service to not Veserans and please accept my beer wishes in all of your future endowers.

Joe Manchin III
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