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Newsletter of the Alpha Theta Alumni Association of Pi Kappa Alpha

August Reunion to Include Tour of Renovated House

This year's Alpha Theta Alumni conference/reunion (Aug. 9-11) will include a tour of the partially refurbished House on Belmar. Steve Sawochka of Dolphin Construction will lead the tour on Saturday, Aug. 10, at 10 a.m. The House will also be available for a lunch and meeting of the Alumni following the tour.

The weekend's activities are scheduled to kick off Friday evening with Brother Bob Risher hosting a cookout at Cooper's Rock. Bob's trailer has become a traditional rendezvous point for brothers coming in from different parts of the country. Normally old memories are rehashed over hot dogs and beer as a prelude to the more formal meetings of the following day. The size and number of lies told is directly proportional to something, but what that is keeps changing.

Saturday afternoon's alumni meeting agenda will include a progress report of the Colony, update on plans for the House, discussion of the history project, and alumni data file. In addition, weekend activities will include a Saturday tour and shopping for the wives, Saturday evening dinner, and Sunday golf.

Those attending are asked to make their own reservations for rooms. There should be plenty of vacancies in Morgantown during the time of our conference, but it is recommended that reservations be made early. The Hampton Inn, site of our original reunion in 1999, offers rooms at \$67.50 per night with AAA or AARP. Government discount reduces the cost to \$66. If you are interested, the number for the Hampton is (304) 599-1200. Similar rates are also available at the Ramada Inn (304-296-3431). Both the Hampton and Ramada offer reservation on the Internet.

Those who are planning to attend this year's conference are asked to contact John Allevato (jtalleve@earthlink.net) with arrival times, hotels, and if you plan to attend the Saturday dinner and/or play golf on Sunday. See page 2 for schedule of events.