

Theta Chi and Penn State
A Century in the Making



Black Tie Gala
The Nittany Lion Inn
October 19, 2013



Menu

Salad Caramelized apple salad, featuring Fuji apples, toasted walnuts and bleu cheese on fall mixed greens with a maple and raspberry vinaigrette

Entrée Herb roasted chicken with sautéed bacon and brussels sprouts, potato wedges, and a creamy chicken veloute

or

Grilled 12 oz. Delmonico steak served with sautéed fava beans and lardons, scalloped potatoes and caramelized onions with the Nittany Lion Inn's signature steak sauce

or

Grilled salmon with cilantro chimichurri sauce, lentils, and sautéed broccoli rabe

Desert Penn State Creamery ice cream with cookies

Dinner Wine Sycamore Lane, Cabernet Sauvignon
Selection Sycamore Lane, Chardonnay



Program

Cocktail Reception
5:30 – 6:30

The Nittany Lion Inn Alumni Lounge & Lobby

Dinner
6:30 – 8:30

The Nittany Lion Inn Boardroom

Keynote Address
and Awards

Mr. Edward Brown - Master of Ceremonies

Benediction by chapter chaplain Jeffery "Jeb" Beirnet

Keynote Address

Penn State University Trustee

Mr. Anthony Lubrano

Undergraduate Presentation

Br. Ian Maxwell and Br. Jason Jonas

Introduction of the Bobby Family

The Citation of Honor Award

Presented By Dr. Roy Baker

Penn State Director of Fraternity & Sorority Life

The Carnation Award of Theta Chi Fraternity

Presented by Chris Bartnik, Board of Directors

Theta Chi of Penn State, Inc.

Silver Legion and Gold Guard Awards

Presented by David May, President

Theta Chi National Foundation Chapter

Dancing
8:30 – 12:00

Entertainment provided by Quintessence

THEAT CHI FOR LIFE CAMPAIGN

OUR MISSION

To conduct a capital campaign to renovate the chapter house at 523 S. Allen Street, and to fund an endowment that will enable Omega Chapter of Theta Chi to remain a viable and leading force at The Pennsylvania State University.

OUR VISION

Is that through this campaign and ongoing, increased involvement by the Alumni Corporation we will be able to secure the future of Theta Chi at Penn State. Funds raised will allow us to renovate the fraternity house to meet the demands of the current and future generations, and to attract members who meet the high standards of Theta Chi Brotherhood.

GALA HONORARY CHAIRMEN

DICK JONES '60

In addition to serving as treasurer and president of Theta Chi during his college days, Dick Jones '60 also participated in IFC, Alpha Nu, Kappa Phi Kappa and Jazz Club. Today, he is captain of a 40-passenger launch cruising around Mystic Seaport on weekends, and through the week he sets up boating education courses in the community. He writes "I enjoy my annual trips to the Theta Chi house. They treat me like a king. Wish we could get more of the old crowd back to State College."

EDWARD BROWN '87

Is former longtime president of the Alumni Association of Omega Chapter of Theta Chi. Honoring the lifelong friendships made through our fraternity, he organizes frequent reunions with brothers from his era.

GEORGE CHAPMAN '49

Has quite the family connection with Theta Chi, as his father served as Executive Director of the Grand Chapter of Theta Chi Fraternity through 1968. While in school, George Jr. majored in Mechanical Engineering, and served as president of Omega Chapter and secretary-treasurer of his freshman class. He also participated in IFC as president, and in Parmi Nous, Pi Tau Sigma, Lion's Paw, Glee Club, Sophomore Counsel, ASME and track.