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Brother Adventures

Happy New Year! We hope the first month has treated everyone well and excited to see what Mu Chapter holds for 2025. Throughout the winter break, various brothers had the opportunity to travel with their friends and family, making their break a memorable one. Below are two trips shared by brothers Will Hearn (Mu 2968) and Topher Ferrara (Mu 3000)



Pictured: John and Will Hearn (Mu 2000 and 2968)

Over winter break, my family and I made the trip to France. We visited both the Normandy region and Paris. Over the course of around 10 days, we saw the Omaha and Utah beach fronts. We were given a “D-Day” tour by a former British Navy service member, Ben, who told us all of the history about these fascinating locations. Once we arrived in Paris, we toured more historic landmarks such as The Louvre, the Eiffel Tower, and the Palace of Versailles. The experience was incredible and one for which we were all grateful.

- Will Hearn



Pictured (left to right): Topher (Mu 3000), Luke (2866), Emilio (Mu 2815), and Dr. Eric Ferrara (Mu 2012)

Over winter break, the Ferrara family visited Egypt to explore the world's ancient wonders and learn about their families' heritage. Luke and Topher are current brothers of Mu chapter and Emilio and their dad Eric are Mu alumni. They spent the first two days of their trip in Cairo, touring the pyramids and taking a camel ride through the desert. They then embarked

on a cruise heading north along the Nile River. They stopped in different cities, touring temples, burial grounds, caves, and other ancient sites. They then made it to Luxor where they explored the Valley of the Kings, the burial site of many famous pharaohs including King Tut. Throughout this two-week journey, they were able to explore much of the history Egypt has to offer while enjoying local cuisines and sceneries.

- John Avino

Aspen Ski Trip



Pictured (left to right)

Top row: Sean Langan, Briggs Settlemyer, Jon Domescik (Mu 2879), Daniel Diefenbach (Mu 2899), Payton McKemie (Mu 2864), Kyle Seramur (Mu 2891), Aidan Madoff (Mu 2862), Mac Lovein (Mu 2956), Matt Langan (Mu 2962)

Bottom row: Jake Morgan (Mu 2878), Jack Bahr (Mu 2987), JD St Pé (Mu 2863)

Over the break, brothers throughout each pledge class traveled to Aspen, Colorado, from December 15-20. Brothers spent their time skiing, exploring the city of Aspen, and enjoying the nightlife opportunities provided by Outside Life. Staying just a 5 minute walk from the base of Aspen Mountain, brothers made the most of the opportunity, especially those that had never skied prior to the trip. We owe our thanks to Outside Life for the opportunity, and for Briggs Settlemer (Mu 2898), Jon Domescik (Mu 2879), and Caden Ridley (Mu 2986) for organizing our chapter's ability to attend. With their leadership, Briggs got 115 people from 9 different fraternities and sororities at UGA to attend the trip, while Jon and Caden helped us be the most represented chapter with 23 brothers.

- Mac Lovein

Parents Weekend



Pictured (far left, second from the right): Lyle Griffith (Mu 2929) and Robbie Guttman (Mu 2934)

Over the past weekend, we had the privilege of hosting the brothers parents for a fun filled weekend in Athens. The classic city had plenty of activities for us. On Friday, many brothers and parents attended the new hockey team, Athens Rock Lobsters, game in the Akins Arena. It was a clear big hit and was the Rock Lobsters most packed game in history with just over 6500 fans. On Saturday, many pledge classes split up into their individual plans until the night planes. At 7, everyone met up at the Athens Country Club for some great food, drinks, and of course people. As always, thank you to EC for planning a great weekend and for parents coming to the classic city.

- Harrison Lee

Formal



Pictured (left to right): William Cowart (Mu 2949), Ryan Hicks (Mu 2982), Konnor Diestel (2946), Mac Lovein (Mu 2956), Harrison Lee (Mu 2975), Ryan Goldstein (Mu 2954), and Davis Clark (Mu 2978)

Brothers gathered for their annual Formal trip to New Orleans on January 17-19. As always, the Mu chapter had a great time in New Orleans. After a bus lengthy bus ride starting at 6am, the brothers and their dates arrived in New Orleans and took on Bourbon Street. Our event was held at The Grand

Oaks Mansion on Friday evening. Congratulations to the former commander, Jack Bahr (Mu 2896), for winning Brother of the Year. The chapter is already looking forward to the visit to "The Big Easy" next year.

-Greyson Harper

Chris Haack Speaking



This past month UGA golf coach Chris Haack stopped by to speak to the brothers during chapter. Coach Haack shared many great stories about his program, players, and time as a Sigma Nu at West Georgia. He let the chapter in on his memories with players such as Tiger Woods, Harris English, and Patrick Reed. The brothers came prepared with many questions and Coach Haack made sure to take the time to answer everything asked. The chapter had a great experience and will hope to have Coach Haack back at the house again.

- Luke Payne

Jam for Cam

SPONSORSHIP PERKS

TIER PERKS	FIGHTER \$500	WARRIOR \$3,000	CHAMPION \$5,000	HERO \$10,000	LEGEND \$15,000
Logo on Website	●	●	●	●	●
Logo on Social Media	●	●	●	●	●
Logo at High Traffic Areas		●	●	●	●
Logo on Event Staff T-Shirts		●	●	●	●
VIP Area Access		●	●	●	●
VIP Bathroom		●	●	●	●
VIP Private Bar		●	●	●	●
Logo at All Festival Entries			●	●	●
Logo at All Festival Bars			●	●	●
Logo on Event Poster			●	●	●
VIP Half-Table (4 Seats)			●	●	●
Back Stage Banners				●	●
Logo on Event T-Shirts				●	●
VIP Table (8 Seats)				●	●
Official Gift Bags				1	2
Main Stage Side Banners					●
VIP 2 Tables (16 Seats)					●

JAM FOR CAM

With Jam for Cam approaching on March 29th, we have been received over \$70,000 throughout the past 4 weeks in corporate sponsorships, including brands like Onward Reserve and Peter Millar. As we continue to prepare for this historical event, we are still in search of corporate sponsors. If you or

anyone you know would be interested in helping fight for Melanoma research, please email Ferraraluke17@gmail.com.

For more information: <https://jam4cam.com/>

- Mac Lovein

Alumni Networking Program

One of the greatest advantages of being a part of such a highly esteemed chapter is the opportunity to connect with our alumni, who provide a helping hand in guiding current members toward their professional goals. In an effort to strengthen this relationship, a networking program has been created to give upperclassmen access to willing alumni that can be a resource for advancing their to-be careers. If you or anyone you know would be interested in being a readily available resource for the chapter, please email mualumnichair@gmail.com.

In Search of Speakers at Mu Chapter

In order to strengthen the professional development of Mu Chapter, we would like to institute a speaker series as a part of our LEAD program. If you or anyone you know would like to speak at Mu Chapter to discuss your career and professional development in your industry, please reach out to mualumnichair@gmail.com.

From your Alumni Relations Team,

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