



2006
**CHARLES I.
BROWN**
HISTORICAL SYMPOSIUM

A Pilgrimage to Delta Chapter

AUGUST 18-19, 2006



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Purpose:

To collectively bring men of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc., interested in the history of our organization together with the hopes of learning more about our founder who founded Delta Chapter at Kansas State University in April 1917.

Who Should Attend:

This conference is for members of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. Please include your membership identification number and current or last chapter affiliation on the registration form.

Location:

All sessions will be held in the Hemisphere Room in Hale Library on the Kansas State University Campus in Manhattan, Kansas. A map will be included with your confirmation letter and receipt.

Social Activities:

Visit the Manhattan Convention and Visitors Bureau website at: <http://www.manhattancvb.org/> for information on location attractions and events.

Special Attractions:

The Negro League Hall of Fame is located in Kansas City, MO.
<http://www.nlbm.com/>

Planning Committee:

Pat Patton, Kansas State University

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Todd Lebon

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Invited Speakers:

Hon. Bro. Paul Griffin
32nd International President

Bro. Gerald D. Smith
Past National Executive Director

Bro. Mark "Mallet" Pacich
Sigma Historical Society

Mrs. Pat Patton
Research Specialist
Kansas State University

This conference will feature a host of presenters with first-hand knowledge of the early days of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity at Kansas State University.

Tentative Agenda:

Friday, August 18, 2006

7:30-9:00 am Continental Breakfast
Ramada Plaza Hotel

9:15 am-12:15 pm Sessions
Hemisphere Room
Hale Library

12:15-1:15 pm Lunch
West Ballroom
K-State Student Union

1:15-5:00 pm Sessions
Hemisphere Room
Hale Library

Saturday, August 19, 2006

7:30-9:00 am Continental Breakfast
Ramada Plaza Hotel

9:00 am-1:00 pm Sessions
Hemisphere Room
Hale Library

1:00 pm Conference Adjourned

Transportation Information:

Manhattan, Kansas is located in northeast Kansas, approximately 8 miles North of I-70. It is home to Kansas State University, the oldest land grant university. Aggieville, the oldest shopping district in Kansas, is located across the street from K-State. US Highway 24, Kansas Highway 18 and Kansas Highway 177 all provide access to Manhattan.

Kansas City International Airport (MCI) is the nearest major airport to Manhattan, Kansas. It is located 130 miles east of Manhattan. Conference participants may reach Manhattan from the Kansas City International Airport by shuttle flight to Manhattan Regional Airport or by rental car.

Shuttle flight to Manhattan:

US Airways/Midwest Express provides shuttle air service into Manhattan Regional Airport, located four miles west of Manhattan on Kansas Hwy 18. The cost of the flight will vary, depending on the time and the other air carriers used to reach the Kansas City International Airport. Travelers can reach Manhattan from the airport by taxi or rental car. From the airport, it is ten minutes to the Holiday Inn Manhattan and fifteen minutes to the Ramada Plaza Hotel. (Enterprise and Hertz have offices in the Manhattan Regional Airport terminal.)

Rental car:

There are several car rental services available at the Kansas City International Airport. Driving time from KCI is approximately two hours and ten minutes.
(See directions below.)

Rental Car Services:

<u>Company</u>	<u>Phone Number/Web Address</u>
Alamo	816-464-5151 www.alamo.com
Avis	816-243-5760 www.avis.com
Budget	816-243-5757 www.drivebudget.com
Dollar	800-800-4000 www.dollar.com
Enterprise*	816-464-2500 www.erac.com
Hertz*	816-243-5765 www.hertz.com
National	816-243-5770 www.nationalcar.com
Payless	800-258-1288 www.paylesscarrental.com
Thrifty	816-464-5670 www.thrifty.com

*Also provides service at the Manhattan Regional Airport.

Directions to Manhattan:

From I-70 East: take Exit 313 (hwy 177) to the north (approximately 8 miles), follow 177 over the bridge into Manhattan. Exit off 177 from the bridge to the right where it says "Tuttle Creek Blvd./Ft. Riley Blvd." At the stoplight, turn right onto Ft. Riley Blvd. (Hwy 18 West) and take it to 17th St. Turn right and follow to K-State.

From I-70 West: take Exit 303 (Hwy 18) to the north, follow Hwy 18 into Manhattan where it becomes Ft. Riley Blvd. Turn left at 17th St. and follow to K-State.

From Hwy 24: turn left onto Ft. Riley Blvd. (Hwy 18 West) where the roads converge at the Manhattan Town Center Mall. Stay on it until 17th St. Turn right and follow to K-State.

From Hwy 113 North: get off at Anderson Ave. exit, turn left at the stoplight and go east on Anderson Ave. to K-State.

Accommodations:

A block of rooms has been reserved at the Ramada Plaza Hotel (soon to be the Holiday Inn) for program participants at the special rate of \$79 plus tax per night. Please refer to Phi Beta Sigma when making your reservation directly with the hotel at 785-539-7531 by July 17, 2006. After this date, reservations will be made on a space available basis only at the special rate.

Visitor Parking:

Parking is limited on the K-State campus. If you are staying at the Ramada Plaza Hotel, the hotel is located directly across the street from the campus. You may prefer to leave your car at the Ramada and walk to Hale Library. If you do wish to park your car on campus, please indicate on the registration form that you need a parking permit. A parking permit will be sent with your registration confirmation. Please follow the directions closely on the back of the permit to see where you are allowed to park. Parking permits are good in all lots except metered and reserved spaces. If you wish to park in the metered lot, you must pay the per hour fee. The Division of Continuing Education is not responsible for parking tickets received by symposium participants.

Registration Information

The registration fee of \$125.00 includes continental breakfasts on Friday and Saturday morning, refreshment breaks, lunch on Friday, and all program materials.

Your registration will be confirmed by mail if we receive it by August 11, 2006. The confirmation will include maps, a parking permit if requested, and a receipt/invoice for your registration fees.

Fast, Easy Registration:



Fax completed registration form to:
785-532-2422
Attn: Charles I. Brown Historical Symposium

or



Mail the completed registration form to:
Charles I. Brown Historical Symposium
Division of Continuing Education
Kansas State University
141 College Court Building
Manhattan, KS 66506-6015

Refund Policy:

If you must cancel your registration, do so as soon as possible. Substitutions are encouraged. A full refund, minus a \$10 processing fee, will be made if cancellation is received by the Division of Continuing Education by 5:00 p.m. on July 28, 2006. After that date, due to guarantees we must give, refunds are not available. Refunds cannot be given in amounts less than \$5.00.

Cancellation Policy:

The Division of Continuing Education may cancel or postpone any course or activity because of insufficient enrollment or other unforeseen circumstances. If a program is canceled or postponed, the Division of Continuing Education will refund registration fees, but cannot be held responsible for other costs, charges, or expenses, including cancellation/change charges assessed by airlines or travel agencies.

Questions:

For registration information, call:
Non-Credit Programs
Registration Office
785-532-5569 or 1-800-432-8222

For program information or about the course content, contact:

Kevin Christian
kchristian@aacc.nche.edu
202-728-0200, ext. 262.

Special Assistance
Kansas State University is committed to making program activities accessible to all participants. If you have special requirements due to disabilities or dietary restrictions, indicate your needs on the registration form or contact Heide McBride at the Division of Continuing Education at 785-532-2549 at least three weeks before the start of the program. After this date, we will make every effort to provide assistance, but cannot guarantee that requested services will be available.

Notice of Nondiscrimination
Kansas State University is committed to nondiscrimination on the basis of race, sex, national origin, disability, religion, age, sexual orientation, or other nonmerit reasons, in admissions, educational programs, or activities and employment (including employment of disabled veterans and veterans of the Vietnam Era), as required by applicable laws and regulations. Responsibility for coordination of compliance efforts and receipt of inquiries concerning Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, and the Americans With Disabilities Act of 1990 has been delegated to Clyde Howard, director of Affirmative Action, Kansas State University, 214 Anderson Hall, Manhattan, KS 66506-0124, 785-532 6220 or 785-532-4807 (TTY).

Paid for by Kansas State University and user fees.

(Please duplicate this form for additional registrations.)

First Name Last Name

Company, Institution, Agency, etc.

Title

Mailing Address at Company/Institution (must comply with postal regulations)

City State Zip + 4

E-mail address

Telephone Fax

Membership identification number Current or last chapter affiliation

Fees
____ \$125.00 Registration

Parking
____ Please send me a parking permit

Method of Payment
____ Check/Cashier's Check/Money Order enclosed (make checks payable to Kansas State University, FEIN # 48-0771751)

____ Charge to my credit card ____ Visa ____ MasterCard ____ Discover ____ American Express
____ Card Number _____ Expiration Date

____ Print Cardholder's Name

____ Cardholder's Signature

____ Invoice my Company (Purchase Order Number _____)

Assistance for Participants with Disabilities/Dietary Requirements:
In order to assist you, please indicate by July 28, 2006 any special requirements and assistance needed.

Roster Release
____ Initial here if you do not want your name on the participant roster for this program.

Please return this form by July 28, 2006 to:
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