Core Values

The Greek community includes 14 men’s groups (fraternities) and 10 women’s groups (sororities). There are over 2,900 active members, which accounts for approximately 20% of the total University undergraduate population.

The URI fraternity and sorority community’s founding values are Fellowship, Leadership, Scholarship, and Community Service.

Greek of the Week?

If you know a Greek member who deserves to be recognized for their leadership and dedication to the school and Greek community, email:

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Greek Life Awards and Transition Banquet

On Tuesday, April 25th, IFC, Panhel, presidents and executive boards along with student senators, FMA, house directors, the Vice President of Student Affairs, the Dean of Students, along with other distinguished guests attended the annual scholarship banquet. With an attendance of over 300 Greeks at the Quidnessett Country Club, the evening was a way to recognize chapters and individuals for their dedication and hard work to the Greek community.

The evening concluded with speeches from the outgoing Panhel and IFC presidents leading up to the installation of the new 2017-2018 Panhel and IFC officers. It was an emotional night for all and we wish the incoming officers and chairs good luck over the next year.
Greeks of the Week

Nikki Guadagnoli and Frank DiPalma

The Greeks of the week are the outgoing Panhel and IFC Presidents.

Frank DiPalma
- Major: Engineering
- Year: Senior
- Sorority: Sigma Phi Epsilon

Nikki Guadagnoli
- Major: Education
- Year: Senior
- Sorority: Alpha Delta Pi

Both Nikki and Frank put in countless hours in as presidents of the Greek community. They have made a lasting impact on all of us and their work does not go unnoticed. Thank you for your time, passion, and commitment to such honorable positions.

President of the Year
Sorority- Mariel Casali (Sigma Delta Tau)
Fraternity- Jacob Fabris (Sigma Alpha Epsilon)

Leader of the Year
Sorority-Victoria Petit (Alpha Xi Delta)
Fraternity- Ben Ratier (Sigma Chi)

Sorority & Fraternity of the Year
Sorority- Kappa Delta
Fraternity- Sigma Alpha Epsilon & Zeta Beta Tau

Delta Phi Epsilon Chartering

On Sunday April 30th, Delta Phi Epsilon received its charter to become the Zeta Theta Chapter at the University of Rhode Island. With 150 people attending the chartering including Alumnae, Delta Phi Epsilon sisters from other local colleges, and the Delta Phi Epsilon International President, Stacy Segal, it was a day to celebrate having over 100 women initiated into the chapter.

When asked about her chartering experience, Chapter President Marisa Cappelli had this to say, “It was incredible. It’s so amazing to be a part of the newest sorority on campus and it was so wonderful to meet people from IHQ, especially Stacy. It’s so great to see that something that started out as such a small idea turned into this. It’s clear that we have support of the other DPhiE’s in RI, alumnae associations and from our own Panhellenic Council.”
From April 1st through the 7th, the entire Greek community participated in the fun filled and event packed Greek Week. The week consisted of a chariot race, field events, broomball, Lip-sync, Slip n slide, and Greek sing.

The Habitat for Humanity goal the Greek community set out to achieve of raising of $75,000 was greatly surpassed. The funding efforts paralleled the weeks leading up to and the week of Greek week culminating to a final total of over $107,000 and counting.

Top 3 Pairings
1. ΦΣΣ & ΣΑΕ
2. ΧΩ & FIJI
3. ΣΚ & ΚΣ

Top 3 Fraternities
1. ΣΑΕ
2. ZBT
3. ΦΚΨ

Top 3 Sororities
1. ΧΩ
2. ZTA
3. ΣΚ

Scholarship is one of the Core Values of Greek Life at URI. Order of Omega supports this initiative serving as the Greek Honor Society. Students may apply during their junior or senior year, must have a minimum of a 3.0 cumulative GPA, be in good standing with their chapter, and show active involvement with the URI community and their organization.

On Sunday April 30th, the URI Chapter of Order of Omega held its spring initiation of new members. Greek Life congratulates these new members on their accomplishment.

New officers were also installed for the 2017-2018 school year.

Angela Bedigan - President
Austin Shission - Vice President
Ashley Senecal - Treasurer
Scott Barlow - Secretary
The rain didn’t stop Sigma Chi

After the Greek Clean up of Fraternity Circle was canceled two separate times due to rain, 25 members of Sigma Chi decided to take it into their own hands to clean up their property, and connecting property of Sigma Phi Epsilon and Chi Omega.

They progressed nicely through the rain, and collected as much trash as possible to make the community circle look better to the surrounding community of Greeks.

Founding Dates

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