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GARY HORN ELECTED PRESIDENT

Gary Horn, Professor of Speech at Southwestern College in Winfield, Kansas was elected as the 33rd President of Pi Kappa Delta at Thursday's Business meeting. Horn has been associated with Pi Kappa Delta for twenty one years as a sponsor of the the Delta chapter. Horn has served as Governor and Lt. Governor of the Province of the Plains. He was elected to the National Council of Pi Kappa Delta at the St. Louis convention in 1979. He was elected Vice President at the Estes Park, CO convention in 1983.

R. DAVID RAY WINS PRESIDENT ELECT

R. David Ray, Assistant Professor of Speech at the University of Arkansas at Monticello was elected to the office of President Elect. Ray will assume the role of President in 1987 - 1989. Ray has been associated with Pi Kappa Delta for over thirteen years. He chartered the Theta chapter at the University of Arkansas at Monticello. He has served as Governor of the Province of the Lower Mississippi. He was elected to the National Council of Pi Kappa Delta at the Estes Park, CO convention in 1983.

CANDIDATES NOMINATED FOR NATIONAL COUNCIL

The Thursday evening business meeting of Pi Kappa Delta nominated seven individuals to serve on the National Council. The seven are (in alphabetical order): Michael Bartanen, Washington Epsilon chapter at Pacific Lutheran University; Terry Cole, North Carolina Epsilon chapter at Appalachian State University; Bob Derryberry, Missouri Sigma chapter at Southwest Baptist University; Roselyn Freedman, West Virginia Gamma at the University of Charleston; Margaret Greynolds, Kentucky Alpha at Georgetown College; Joel Hefling, South Dakota Delta at South Dakota State University; and Robert Littlefield, North Dakota Delta at North Dakota State University.

The following is a series of paragraphs prepared by each of the candidates.

MICHAEL BARTANEN

Michael Bartanen is an innovator in the world of forensics. Deeply committed to improving the educational value of forensics, Mike has been the moving force in the creation of the Northwest Forensic Conference, CEDA Constitutional revisions, NDT reforms, and the 1984 SCA/PKD and the 1985 PKD convention programs. He has coached forensics for 10 years, the last six of which have been at Pacific Lutheran University during which time his teams have won 35 debate championships. Mike joined PKD in 1970, earned Highest Distinction status, has served as Northwest Province Governor, and has been a member of The FORENSIC of Pi Kappa Delta editorial board. He has had five articles published in The FORENSIC, including recent pieces on the issue agenda paradigm and topicality in CEDA. Under his sponsorship the Washington Epsilon chapter earned one of five Outstanding Chapter awards at the 1983 convention.

TERRY W. COLE

Terry Cole has coached forensics at Appalachian State University for thirteen years. He received his B.A. and M.A. from California State University, Fresno and his Ph.D. from the University of Oregon. Currently, Cole holds the rank of Professor in the Communication Arts Department.

Terry Cole has been actively involved in forensics and Pi Kappa Delta since an undergraduate student and has served in a number of leadership roles in forensics organizations. He is completing his second term on the National Council during which time he served as Chairman of Charter

and Standards. He has been a Governor of the Province of the Southeast, a past officer in the Southern Forensics Association, is the immediate Past President of the Carolina's Forensics Association, and is the Vice President Elect of the Carolina Speech Communication Association.

"I again seek the honor of serving on the National Council of Pi Kappa Delta because I believe most strongly in the principles of our fraternity. My experience at the Province and, most recently, at the national levels Pi Kappa Delta provide me with the background to be of service to the organization. As Chairman of Charter and Standards, I have had an active role in the growth of the organization. During my tenure PKD has welcomed 25 new chapters, six alumni chapters, and the re-affiliation of six or so chapters. If Pi Kappa Delta is to remain a strong and vital organization, capable of promoting the principles for which it stands, then this kind of growth is vital. Not only does new chapter growth strengthen the base of the organization, but it reinforces the Pi Kappa Delta spirit and presence among our existing chapters, thus encouraging their further growth and involvement. Also, during my tenure on the National Council I have participated in other innovations and plans which have strengthened the organization. I am eager to continue this participation and to offer insights and energies to the continued process of our fraternity.

In the final analysis, Pi Kappa Delta exists for the student, for the student's educational development, for the student's growth as a person and as an effective communicator, and for the student's greater social and fraternal involvement. As a coach and as a member of the National Council, I have always sought to make decisions with this primary objective in mind. Indeed, it is the excitement of interacting with these vital persons and seeing them grow as persons and communicators that makes this enterprise worthwhile. If re-elected, I pledge to continue to act from this perspective, for the strength of our organization is related most directly to the interest of its members - the students - and their perceptions that PKD has something to offer. Pi Kappa Delta has a long and proud tradition and faces a bright but complex future. I seek again the honor of service because I am committed to that tradition and offer my experience in helping guide our organization towards that future."

BOB R. DERRYBERRY

Bob R. Derryberry has been a consistent supporter of PKD since 1969 when he chartered the Missouri Sigma chapter at Southwest Baptist University. He has served two terms as governor of the Missouri Province and worked on numerous PKD committees. His publications have included work with the PKD textbook, numerous articles, and a term as Associate Editor for The FORENSIC of Pi Kappa Delta.

Dr. Derryberry's preparation includes the B.A., M.A.T., M.A., and Ph.D. degrees from East Central Oklahoma University, the University of Arkansas, and Missouri University. He has over twenty years of university teaching experience. He holds the degree of Highest Distinction in PKD, and his teams from SBU have acquired superior ratings at PKD Nationals. At Southwest Baptist University, he is a Professor of Communication and Director of Forensics.

Bob emphasizes the value of each forensics program and the importance of each student and coach working to develop speaking, leadership and ethical skills. He respects all forensics programs that promote in their individual approaches "the art of persuasion beautiful and just." Pi Kappa Delta, he feels, should work to provide the very best service and recognition for today's student speakers and tomorrow's leaders.

ROSELYN FREEDMAN

Roselyn (Roz) Freedman received her B.A. from Morris Harvey College, M.F.A. from Ohio University and a Ph.D. from the University of Michigan. Freedman is currently Professor, Director of Forensics, and Chairperson of the Department of Speech Communication at the University of Charleston (WV).

My affiliation with PKD began as an undergraduate debater and continued when I became a faculty member in 1964. The Province of the Lakes has been served in every office (1970-76) and currently again as .



Secretary-Treasurer and Chairman of the Constitutional Revision Committee. The National organization has been served as a member of numerous committees, including tournament committees, as a member of the National Council (1977-79), as Chairman of the Charter and Standards Committee and as an Associate Editor (1974-76) of The FORENSIC. I believe that PKD exists to assist her student members in preparing to become the leaders of tomorrow by providing opportunities for both competition and cooperation in oral communication activities. If we are to achieve a peaceful world, we must do our utmost to maintain open communication channels with each other.

JOEL HEFLING

Joel Hefling is the Director of Forensics at South Dakota State University in Brookings, South Dakota, and is currently serving a second term as Governor of the Province of the Sioux. A native of Kansas, Joel received his Bachelor's and Master's degrees from Emporia State University, and has begun additional studies at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. Joel is a member of the District Committee for District 4 of the AFA-NIET, and recently received the Grace Walsh award for dedication to forensics from the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire. He is chairman of the Convention Evaluation Committee, and is also working in the tab room at this tournament. Joel is an advocate of the value of participation in all aspects of forensics, and would like to see the National Council continue to move forward to encourage students in Pi Kappa Delta. It is important for students, chapters, and provinces to feel a sense of support at the National level, and Joel would like to help provide that support. Joel's students characterize their relationship with their coach in this way: "We think of Joel Hefling as a coach second, and as a friend first."

ROBERT S. LITTLEFIELD

When I was elected to the National Council in Estes Park in 1983, I considered it a great honor. Pi Kappa Delta has always been an important part of my forensic experience. Over the past 2 years, I have been responsible for the direction of the National Tournament. Along with the Council, I have tried to organize an efficient tournament providing as many positive experiences for the contestants as possible. I believe I have successfully accomplished this goal. Having the National Tournament experience is an important reason why I hope you will afford me the opportunity of serving for another term.

REMEMBER THE PI KAPPA DELTA STORE.

The store will be open this afternoon from 1 - 7 p.m. and after the Business meeting for one hour.

Saturday the store will be open from 12:00 - 7:00 p.m.

T shirts are \$5.00, pins are \$3.00 and pennants are \$3.00.