Pi Beta Phi Fraternity

Guidelines for Member Selection

Because Pi Beta Phi is a values based fraternity, all Pi Phi chapters are required to consider carefully and recruit potential new members who they believe will uphold the values of the Fraternity based on the following criteria:

Integrity

• Observe, practice, and promote academic, personal, and social responsibility.

Honor and Respect

• Acknowledge and appreciate, Fraternity heritage and structure.

Lifelong Commitment

• Accept and promote the Fraternity's core values throughout their lives.

Personal and Intellectual Growth

- Identify, develop, and apply independent leadership skills to achieve personal and chapter goals.
- Strive for excellent scholarship. PA Eta chapter of Pi Beta Phi follows the University's requirement that potential new members have a GPA of 2.4 to be considered for membership.
- Cultivate and maintain an environment that encourages a balance of listening, critical thinking, problem solving, and decision making so that chapter members become effective communicators.
- Discover, own, and articulate their unique role and value in their communities.

Philanthropic Service to Others

- Utilize their unique roles and value in their communities to effect positive change.
- Exhibit a continual commitment to philanthropic service to others.

Sincere Friendship

• Establish and foster relationships with one another rooted in personal development, encouragement, and respect.

Pi Beta Phi uses recruitment information submitted by the potential new member and pairs that information with conversation to determine if the PNM and the chapter share the same values. PNMs are ranked based on all of the values based criteria listed above as well as interaction with chapter members. Invitations to each round of recruitment and membership are based on the potential new members values based ranking and how many invitations the chapter is permitted to issue.