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TO: Active Chapters  
Sectional Chairs  
National Board of Directors  
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FROM: Hon. John K. Ottenad, National Vice President

RE: 2012 Fall Pledge Class Namesake Call for Nominations

Each year, the Fraternity selects an honoree after whom we name our Fall Pledge Class, someone who reflects the Fraternity's Cardinal Principles of Leadership, Friendship and Service.

The criteria used in considering nominations are:

- For nominees whose accomplishments are within the Fraternity (including Chapter Advisors), we are looking for those who have had a significant and positive impact at the *regional level*, at minimum, over a sustained period of time.
- For those nominated for work outside of Alpha Phi Omega, we are looking for persons who have had a comparable impact at the National level, over a sustained period of time.

While deceased individuals and groups of people or organizations may be nominated, preference is given to living and individual nominees.

For your convenience, a listing of previous honorees is included on the back of this memo.

The committee membership is: John K. Ottenad, Chair; Marilyn Mims, Membership and Extension Program Director; Ed Richter, Leadership Development Program Director; Dawn Gurganious, Region III Director; and Cole Robertson, Region VII Director. The committee will review all applications and make a recommendation to the National Board of Directors at its June 2012 meeting.

**Complete** nominations must be received in the National Office no later than **May 1, 2012**.

Electronic submissions may be made to [executive.director@apo.org](mailto:executive.director@apo.org). Nominations may be made by any Alpha Phi Omega Brother or group (Chapter, recognized Alumni Association, etc.) To be complete, a nomination *must* include the following information presented in this order:

- An introductory cover letter signed by the individual or authorized representative of the group making the nomination
- A brief biographical sketch of the individual or description of the organization being nominated and its work
- Current contact information for the *nominee*, including address, telephone number(s) and e-mail address (if applicable), and contact name if nominee is a group or organization
- A listing of the nominee's actions, accomplishments and life experiences that reflect the Fraternity's Cardinal Principles, and how those items indicate or demonstrate that the criteria have been met
- Any additional information or comments the nominator wishes the committee to consider
- Current contact information for the *nominator*, including telephone number(s) and e-mail address. For nominations submitted by chapters or other groups of people, names and contact information must be included for at least two representatives.

The 2012 Fall Pledge Class Namesake Committee looks forward to receiving your nominations.

## PREVIOUS FALL PLEDGE CLASS NAMESAKE HONOREES

1946	H. Roe Bartle	1979	Howard Patton
1947	J. Edgar Hoover	1980	Marion Disborough
1948	World War II Memorial	1981	Lawrence Hirsch
1949	James West	1982	George Cahill
1950	Founders	1983	R. Brittain
1951	Ray Wyland	1984	Irwin Gerst
1952	Arno Nowotny	1985	Phyllis Tenney
1953	James Leedom	1986	James Dean
1954	Daniel Uyl	1987	Paul Arend
1955	Dwight Eisenhower	1988	Warren Luzadder
1956	Carlos Romulo	1989	Carl Long
1957	Robert Baden-Powell	1990	Lorin Jurvis
1958	Albert Schweitzer	1991	Kenneth McDiffett
1959	Arthur Schuck	1992	Joseph Scanlon
1960	Joseph Bruton, Jr.	1993	Earle Herbert
1961	John Kennedy	1994	Alex Lewandowski
1962	H. Roe Bartle	1995	Philip Prince
1963	Arno Nowotny	1996	Thomas Kean
1964	Herbert Horton	1997	William Cunningham
1965	Lester Steig	1998	Joseph Kuchta
1966	Frank Horton	1999	Stan Carpenter
1967	James Lovell	2000	Bob Barkhurst
1968	Tom Galt	2001	Robert Hilliard
1969	E. Ross Forman	2002	George Dacy
1970	Sidney North	2003	Ray Hancock
1971	Glen Nygreen	2004	Togo West
1972	Aubrey Hamilton	2005	Jerry Schroeder
1973	J. Franklin McMullan	2006	Kate Westlake
1974	H. Roe Bartle	2007	John C. "Jack" Jadel
1975	Joseph Scanlon	2008	Wilfred M. Krenek
1976	Lucius Young	2009	Jack A. McKenzie
1977	Life Members	2010	James L. Chandler
1978	Lewis Jones	2011	Charles P. "CP" Zlatkovich