



National Award Application

DEAN ARNO NOWOTNY NATIONAL SERVICE AWARD

CHAPTER NAME: _____ REGION: _____ SECTION: _____
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY: _____ SUBMITTED BY: _____
CHAPTER PHONE #: (_____) _____ EXT. _____ HOTEL ROOM # (IF KNOWN): _____

The Dean Arno Nowotny National Service Award is presented every two years at the National Convention to the chapter with the best overall, most well-balanced service program. It is not judged on chapter size — any chapter, small or large, may win. Because the award is judged over a two-year time frame (from National Convention to National Convention), please answer the questions (see back side of this application) on your chapter's service program from the previous National Convention to present.

SUBMISSIONS SHOULD ADDRESS THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA:

- The chapter has conducted at least one project in each of the following four areas of service:
 1. Chapter – to the members of the Fraternity;
 2. Campus – to the student body and faculty;
 3. Community – to the community as a whole;
 4. Country – to the nation as participating citizens
- The chapter has participated in National Service Week and Spring Youth Service Day, and has reported its projects to the National Office.
- The chapter has conducted at least one project related to the National Program of Emphasis
- The percentage of active participation in the chapter's service program is considered in selecting the recipient

Presentations may be written, verbal, or visual. Materials may be presented in electronic format (VHS videotape, CD-ROM, or DVD-ROM, all limited to 15 minutes). However, you are responsible with providing the appropriate devices to present your submission (VHS player, CD-ROM drive, DVD player, etc.).

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SUBMISSION

At Convention: For award consideration, submit 12 copies of this application, along with pertinent materials, to the Service Reference Committee.

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION

First meeting of the Service Reference Committee on the first night of the National Convention. Check the Official National Convention Program upon arrival for time and location.

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QUESTIONS

1. The average number of active members in the chapter from the last National Convention until now:
2. Percentage of active members participating in the chapter's Service Program
3. Attach a copy of the chapter's National Service Week and Spring Youth Service Day events for the two-year period between the previous National Convention and the National Convention for which you are applying for this award.
4. On additional paper, describe the projects conducted which are related to the National Program of Emphasis.
5. On additional paper, describe at least one, and not more than five, of your best examples of how your chapter has conducted projects in each of the four fields of service.

THIS APPLICATION MUST BE INCLUDED IN YOUR SUBMISSION FOR AWARD CONSIDERATION.