# alpha beta data

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### Tri Deltas Share a Renaissance of Wonderful Times

This fall has been a busy and exciting time to be a Tri Delta at Cornell. We began on such a high note with our September Greek Week win! Other great memories from the fall include the Homecoming tailgate and football game, the Officer's Council retreat at Buttermilk Falls, and our monthly Chili's dinners, which are always a great time to catch up with other sisters.

Then there were our fall special events: a cocktail lake cruise and Halloween invite party, the Collegetown progressive dinner night, our alumni pansy brunch, a lineage scavenger hunt, and our hugely successful philanthropy concert, "Ithacaid," held

during first-year family weekend. We've also welcomed a field consultant, Leslie Clement, and our new collegiate district officer, Jennifer Nyland, into our chapter house (with its brand new bathrooms) for short stays. And there's so much left to celebrate and participate in during these final weeks of the semester: fun modules, recruitment training workshops, senior roasts, Founder's Day, hosting refreshments at the CU Faculty Congress, and, of course, our winter formal in December.

I feel so lucky to have seen this chapter through so many wonderful times, from last year's incredible recruitment to our recent Greek Week victory. I think I'm most proud of the fact that we did not have a single new member depledge, or a single senior deactivate this whole year. The house is really thriving and I am so thrilled to have been a part of that as an officer for the past two years. Thank you to everyone who gave me advice and help during this long journey, and I wish the best of luck to our incoming president, Elizabeth Howes '09. I can only hope that she finds leading this chapter as rewarding and as much fun as I did.

Kayla Rakowski '08



Congratulations to Tri Delta's Team Red for their Greek Week victory! After four arduous days of banner-making, basketball-playing, team-cheering, and competitive pie-eating, the ladies of Delta Delta Delta took home the gold.

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# Homecoming: Good Friends, Good Food, Good Football



Home again: Alumnae Nikki Jaffe '06, Liz Falcone '06, Melissa Kiedrowicz '06, and Mary Ellen Cravens '05 at the Alumnae Brunch on October 14.

Homecoming is one of the rare opportunities during the semester to indulge in a day without homework and spend time with your sisters. We catch up, we laugh, we barbecue, and then we put on our game faces and head to the stands for some Big Red Football.

Cornell's 17-14 victory over Colgate made Homecoming 2007 a little sweeter, but the pre-game tailgate (the sisterhood, the socializing, the free food) was the highlight of the day. We had a great alumnae turnout this year and, on Sunday, sisters and alums gathered at the house for a brunch whipped up by our cook, Mary Searles, with some delicious coffee, pastry, and fruit platter supplements courtesy of our alumni relations budget.

Thanks so much to everyone who made the trek to Ithaca, and I hope that next year yields an even bigger turnout. Be sure to subscribe to our new alumni listserve (see details on page three) for news and updates on upcoming events!

Carolyn Byrne '09

# Collegetown Tri Deltas Host Progressive Dinners

September's sister-sister bonding event was a traditional Progressive Dinner. For this event, groups of Tri Delts that live together in apartments and houses around Collegetown volunteered to host groups of the newest pledge class. The girls stayed at each house for about 30 minutes where they ate yummy snacks and played games. The hostesses thought of some really great themes including Fiesta, with nachos and fruit punch, Birthday Party, with cake and pin the tail on the donkey, and Classy, with fresh fruit, assorted dipping sauces and episodes of *The O.C.* 

This was a very successful event. Not only did the newest girls get to bond on a more intimate level with the older girls, but they also got to see a range of the different living situations right before leases for next year became available. The girls enjoyed the dinner so much that there has been a big push to hold one each semester rather

than once a year. So all
of the Alpha Beta
Tri Delts will have
more silly games
and tantalizing
appetizers to
look forward to
next semester.

Leslie Reed '09



Meredith Nethery '09, Catherine Eiben '10, Cassie Robertson '09, Kelsey Kirkpatrick '09, Emily Swarr '10 and Camille Emma '10 at the "Fiesta" Progressive Dinner.





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# Alpha Beta Chapter Pledges \$62,500 To St. Jude Over The Next 10 Years

The buzzword for the fall semester's philanthropy was definitely "fabulous." This year, Alpha Beta Tri Deltas made a commitment to donate \$62,500 to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital over the next

10 years as a part of Tri Delta National's pledge to raise \$10 million in 10 years.

So, we made a pledge—then what? As members, it was time to ask ourselves what we were willing to do to make sure that we could honor our commitment to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. Well, we can do a lot!

We started this semester exercising our fabulous culinary skills while serving up pancakes to the sleep-deprived students camping out for hockey tickets. Who can resist warm pancakes after a night of sleeping on the hard floor of Bartels? The event was a great success for its first year, and we sold almost 200 pancakes before we all vowed we'd never be able to see another pancake for the rest or our lives, or at least until next year!

But, did we stop there? Obviously not, because we are fabulously dedicated to the commitment! Tri Delta also cosponsored a benefit concert in the Statler Auditorium with Tau Kappa Epsilon. The event featured the best of Cornell's *a cappella*, dance, and comedy troupes, including some of our very

own sisters! With the comedic skills of Jackie Rau '09, the group consisting of many freshmen, Greeks, and even parents thoroughly enjoyed the experience, and I'm sure they left saying that the Hangovers

make them happy, and they go giddy for the Class Notes.

The event was a huge success and helped us towards our goal, raising over \$3,000 for St. Jude and another \$3,000 for Tau Kappa Epsilon's philanthropy, the Alzheimer's

Association. We offer profound thanks to all of those that made the event amazing!

Why stop there? Tri Delta also launched our "Sincerely Yours" campaign in November, in partnership with Up Till Dawn, another organization that fundraises for St. Jude. The event has the potential to raise almost \$30,000, and I cannot wait to see the results. I hate to say it again, but fabulous!

I have to attribute much of the recent fabulousness of the chapter to Julie Wiechecki '10 and my visit to St. Jude and Memphis this summer as a part of the Collegiate Leadership Seminar. Seeing the hospital, the work it does, and meeting with the patients changed both of our lives. We're

fortunate to be able to send Leslie Reed '09 to the dedication ceremony in November, and I know she will feel the same after returning. If you can, see the hospital for yourself, and you will know what I mean and where all this fabulousity is coming from.

Even though we've been busy with our own events, we still make time to participate in everyone else's, of course! Our two teams at Kappa Alpha Theta's Tip-A-Canoe raced across Beebe Lake with lightning speed. Congratulations to Maria, Katie, Kate, and Elle who were so fast that they beat half of the boys' teams. Now that's what I call fabulous!

Keeping up with how strong our sisters are, we then participated in Phi Kappa Tau's Phi-Tug tug of war competition.

Even though we didn't win, the best part came at the end when all of our sisters competed against the wrestling team and, with a little help from Kappa Delta, were able to beat the entire team!

My time as chair is almost up and I can say that, despite the work, I've loved every second of it and really made a difference. I know that whoever follows will continue Alpha Beta's dedication to philanthropy and St. Jude. Best of luck to the newest, fabulous philanthropy chair!

Jennifer Hillman '09



St. Jude Children's Research Hospital

Julie Wiechecki '10 and Jen Hillman '09 battle for supremacy at the close of the St.Jude Collegiate Leadership Seminar in Memphis, Tennessee.

### Alumni Listserve

New!

Get up-to-date alumnae news via e-mail by subscribing to the Alpha Beta alumnae listserve.

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# Tri Delta Honor Roll for the Giving Year 2006-2007

We gratefully acknowledge the gifts, dues, contributions, and support of the Alpha Beta Sisters of Tri Delta!

#### The Gold Club

(Recognizing gifts of \$500 or more)

Claire A. Callen '78

Barbara F. (Lubker) Lunding '68

#### The Silver Club

(Recognizing gifts of \$250-\$499)

Denise M. DeConcini '82

Carolyn B. (Burtless) Roberts '59



#### The Blue Club

(Recognizing gifts of \$100-\$249)

Julia P. (Palmer) Alley '50
Arlie W. (Williamson) Anderson '47
Carol S. Aneshensel '69
G. Fay (Thomas) Bakhru '65
Marian Y. (Young) Bradley '48
Joann D'Emilio '80
Paula J. (Janosik) Diamond '75
Mina K. Dulcan '70
Linda (Schadler) Feist '85
Sally Weir (Weir) Fundakowski '79
Marcela J. Hahn '90
Joan C. (Dickey) Hardie '49

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Claudia (Kramer) Springer '70
Blanka (Kmoch) Suchanek '79
Diana L. (Saunders) Sweitzer '70
Joanne Marie Tomczak '75
Julie C. (Bick) Weed '86
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Priscilla (Blaikie) Hines '41 reports, "I'm still living in our own home of more than 55 years—with our family nearby and constantly growing. Our five children produced 12 grandchildren and, so far, nine of them have given us 11 great-grandchildren! Playing bridge keeps me going. I think of our happy days at Cornell and feel fortunate we were there before the men left for war." Reach Priscilla at 237 Middlesex Rd., Darien, CT 06820.

Caryl (Jennings) Gustavson '42 writes, "My husband, Carl Gustavson (Cornell '42) published five books and was Distinguished Professor of History at Ohio University (Athens). He died in 1999. I have three children, six grandchildren, and five great grandchildren on both coasts. I was a Tri Delta legacy, not really a 'sorority type.' My contribution to the chapter was graduating Phi Beta Kappa; the chapter hadn't had one in years." Caryl lives at 14 Utah Pl., Athens, OH 45701.

Doris (Fenton) Klockner '43 reports, "My husband, Joe, and I have retired to the Franciscan Oaks Retirement home and like it very much, except for the three-foot-deep pool. After going to Florida for 15 winters, I'm spoiled by heated pools, with a deep end. It's my favorite exercise. I see Sue (Krehbiel) Horger '43 in Florida every year." Reach Doris at 19 Pocono Rd., #366W, Denville, NJ 07834.

Ellen (Vidal) Hollmeyer '46 lives at 715 Coy Ln., Chagrin Falls, OH 44022. She writes, "This is a big year for granddaughters' weddings. The first was a 'destination wedding' in Mexico in May 2007. The next was in Rochester, New York, in July, and the last was held in Lexington, South Carolina in October. What fun times! Three years ago my first granddaughter was married in Germany. I missed that, but, fortunately, now they live in Los Angeles. We have 18 more to go, but I probably won't be attending them all!" Stay in touch at 715 Coy Ln., Chagrin Falls, OH 44022; lewholl@aol.com.

**Dolores (Keyes) Schloss '47** has a new address: 2100 Skycrest Dr., #1, Walnut Creek, CA 94595.

Patricia (Dexter) Clark '52 and her husband, Cliff, have moved to Newbury Commons, #352, Concord, MA 01742; send e-mail to sipclowes@aol.com.

Carol (Keyes) Rader '53 has a new address: 2100 Skycrest Dr., #1, Walnut Creek, CA 94595; ckrader@aol.com.

Jane (Gregory) Wilson '54 and her husband, Lynn, enjoyed a fabulous cruise to Asia and Australia. Stay in touch at 1605 Dower Way, Sun City Center, FL 33573.

Churlene (Rogers) Heinbach '58 lives at 11576 SW 75th Cir., Ocala, FL 34476. "Cindy" writes, "Kudos on your most recent newsletter. Tri Delta sounds busy and vibrant. Keep up the great work. I was also thrilled to see the write up of Alpha Beta in the last *Trident*." Send e-mail to cindanl@aol.com.



Yvonne Picard '68 reports, "I have a new grandson, Zachary (from my son), in addition to my granddaughters, Hannah and Naomi, from my daughter. I completed my PhD in clinical psychology in December 2006; it won't change much for me, but I am asked to speak more often. I'll teach at colleges more and do psychotherapy with patients less." Stay in touch with Dr. Picard at 300 Round Hill Rd., Tiburon, CA 94920.

Paula (Janosik) Diamond '75 is now the area supervisor of food and nutrition services at the School Board of Sarasota County (Florida). Write to her at 1216 Chalet Ct., Osprey, FL 34229; send e-mail to pjdcooks@comcast.net.

Barbara (Lubker) Lunding '68 married her second husband, a Yale-educated attorney, in 1989. She reports, "Our merger and acquisition includes two girls, now aged 16 and 36, and five boys, 23 to 33 years old. Our daughter, Kristen, benefits from having senior parents who are too old to discipline her. We experience pure joys with our three granddaughters. My diverse occupations over 23 years were: administrative dietitian, 'Class-A' waiter trainer, high school culinary arts teacher, junior college and university professor, hospital faculty dietitian for diet, nutrition, and cancer

research, USDA nutrition education staff director, extension education research nutritionist for EFNEP (land grant program), USDA science policy board staff director, and director of agriculture and rural affairs for the nation's governors. Yet, now on passport and tax forms I am identified as a Greenwich housewife. We exchanged our Victorian property for a Greenwich waterfront retirement home, I'd love to hear tales from Judy, my Big Sister, Donna Piver '66, Karla Roth '68 and all others. Write to me at 7 Marks Rd., Riverside, CT 06878. High-tech women can e-mail me at blunding@yahoo.com. Of course, all Tri Deltas are welcome to visit!"

Lesley J. Gudehus '78 moved to Illinois to join become the communications manager at Gardner Denver, Inc. (the compressed air and gas, vacuum and fluid transfer technology company). Write to Lesley at 436 Hickory Pt., #3, Quincy, IL 62305. Email lesleygude8@yahoo.com.

Laura (Hitt) McCann '79 writes, "I've enjoyed returning to Ithaca to visit my daughter, Amanda, who is not only a member of Tri Delta but also happens to live in the same room that I did many years ago! I continue to keep in touch with Navla Rizk '80, and Jamie (Lewis) Keith '79. Jamie has recently moved to Gainesville to work for the University of Florida. This year, I'll be president of the Northern Delaware DDD Alumnae Chapter, which is home to fellow Alpha Beta alums, Jane (Bennett) Moore '68, and Lydia Cox '84. In the summer of 2008 we will be relocating to Raleigh-Durham." Stay in touch with Laura at 440 Oldfield Point Rd., Elkton, MD 21921; themccanns@comcast.net.

Kelly (Smith) Brown '88 writes, "I hope to see lots of '88 Deltas at the 20th reunion in June 2008. The class is planning a wonderful weekend for all. I'm still busy with our kids. Sarah Grace will be four in February 2008 and the twins are very active 1-year-olds. I'm also volunteering for Cornell and for the Cincinnati Ballet." Write to Kelly at 7200 Graves Rd., Cincinnati, OH 45243; kjs35@cornell.edu.

Carolyn (Cody) Foley '88 reports, "I'm busy with my three boys, Robert (13), Ben (10), and Will (6). All three are very active in school and hockey. You will find me most weekends at a hockey rink (at least

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I'm inside!) Find Carolyn at 200 State Rd., Valencia, PA 16059; send e-mail to carolyn.foley@astrazeneca.com.

Alison R. Minton '88 lives at 333 E. 56th St., #11B, New York, NY 10022 (send e-mail to arm33@cornell.edu.) Alison writes, "I attended CAU (Cornell Adult University) again this summer, for the 14th year in a row, and loved it, as usual. I'm still working to build my business in hospitality consulting and event planning (see my website, www.maplemint.com) and was recently offered my own monthly magazine column writing about event planning for a



Allison Minton '88

lifestyle magazine (The Wag) that covers Westchester county York New and Fairfield county Connecticut. Looking forward attending reunion in June 2008."

Betsie (Balcom) Rothermel '90 and her husband, Scott, live north of Nashville, at 175 Southgate Ln., Clarksville, TN 37040. Betsie is on the biology faculty of Austin Peay State University. Send e-mail to rothermelb@apsu.edu.

Laura (Hubbert) DiCarlo '91 has moved with her family to Texas, where husband, David, is now in the department of petroleum engineering at UT. They enjoy Austin and would love to have Tri Delta visitors. Write to Laura at 6307 Wilbur Dr., Austin, TX 78757; e-mail to lhdicarlo@yahoo.com.

Deanna (Smith) Watson '91 writes. "Our son, Owen Caleb Watson, was born in April 2007. So far Ava (2 years old) has proven to be a great big sister, Heather (Toomey) Zimmerman '90 lives just a mile or so down the road and also gave birth to a son a week before Owen was born, We enjoy spending lots of time together during our respective parental leaves and currently have a standing weekly play date along with Katy Carroll '91. I continue to work for Superior Court with the CASA program that provides advocacy for abused and neglected children." Stay in touch with Deanna at 13733 First Ave. NE, Seattle, WA 98125; send e-mail to deannaksmith@yahoo.com.

Melissa (Carver) Sottile '93 writes, "My husband, Greg, and I welcomed John Townsend Sottile on May 16, 2006. Jack is now an active, walking, talking toddler who loves to play cars and trucks with older brother, Ethan (3). We completed a major restoration project on the main house last fall and moved back home with our expanded family in November 2006. The restoration turned up some evidence that our house may date back to the 1770s, though we are

sticking with the 1783 date on the land records for now. Some day when the kids are older, I hope to do more research on the history and lineage of our house, but now I have no time!" Send Melissa congratulations to 27 Old Town Rd., East Hartland, CT 06027; mtcsottile@gmail.com.

Stacie (Heck) Fitzgerald '93 lives at 116 Collier Rd., Greene, NY 13778. She reports, "Our spring break trip to Disney was wonderful! There was myself, my husband, Justin, and children, Jordan (8), Brooke (6), and Teegan (3). We're hoping to go to Italy this year to celebrate our 10-year anniversary. I love my part-time private therapy practice while still working four evenings a week at the hospital." Send e-mail to stacie27@frontiernet.net.

Kristen (Blanchard) Carey '94 writes, "On September 6, 2007, I gave birth to our second child, Liam, named in honor of my husband's brother. We're all doing well, although his sister, Elizabeth (1) doesn't quite know what to make of this small, noisy creature." Keep in touch with Kristen at 102 Cheswick Dr., North Wales, PA 19454; e-mail to kristen@the-carey.com.

Kristin M. Houghton '94 has a new address: 507-2520 Manitoba St., Vancouver, BC, V5Y 3A6 CANADA. Dr. Houghton works at British Columbia's Children's Hospital. Send e-mail to kristin\_houghton@hotmail.com.

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Karen (Skibitsky) Jacobson '95 is vice president of corporate and investment bank operations for Citi. She reports, "We moved to a new house on June 15. I continue to work part time so I have 'mommy time' with our two boys, Zachary (4), and Andrew (2). Any recent graduates can contact me—Citi is hiring in Buffalo. Reach Karen at 139 Roxbury Park, East Amherst, NY 14051; karen.jacobson@citi.com.

Andrea K. Foster '96 bought a house in Arizona, and welcomes all to stay in touch with her at 286 E. Shore Cliff Pl., Tucson, AZ 85737; send e-mail to foster@miravalresort.com.

Edie Marshall '96 sent in the following report in July 2007: "As I write this I'm running last-minute errands in preparation to go to Indonesia for at least one year. I finally got a job in international veterinary medicine! I'll be working for the Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) of the United Nations (UN) in conjunction with Tufts University. Our project is to help implement a surveillance and response system for outbreaks of avian influenza (the infamous deadly 'bird flu') using participatory epidemiology methods. It is sure to be an adventure! I hope to escape to the beaches of Bali from time to time. If anyone is headed my way, drop me a line!" Stay in touch by e-mail at edie.marshall@gmail.com or jetsetvet@hotmail.com.

Sara (Morse) Frankie '97 lives at 14 Croton Dam Rd., Ossining, NY 10562. She writes, "I celebrated my birthday a little early this year with the birth of our son, Jackson David, on August 5. We moved into our new house in July and I graduated with my doctorate in clinical psychology in June, so it was a very busy summer!" Stay in touch with

Sara by e-mail at smmorse@att.net.

Lauren (Alpert)
Grossman '97 writes,
"Craig and I and our
son, Ethan (2),
recently moved to
Chicago for Craig's
work. I'm enjoying being a
stay-at-home mom with
Ethan. Any Alpha Beta Tri Deltas
living in the Chicago area?" Stay in touch
with Lauren at 429 W. Arlington Pl., #1,
Chicago, IL 60614; send e-mail to
lauren\_alpert@yahoo.com.

**Amanda** (Martabano) House '97 reports, "Adam and I relocated to Florida in July 2007. I'm working as an assistant pro-

fessor in the Department of Large Animal Clinical Sciences at the University of Florida College of Veterinary Medicine. Adam is opening a new office for his firm in Gainesville. Get in touch if you are coming to central Florida—we are just over an hour from Disney World!" Stay in touch at 16405 SW 15th Ave., Newberry, FL 32669; amartabano@hotmail.com.

Alanna (Gelbwasser) Updegraff '97

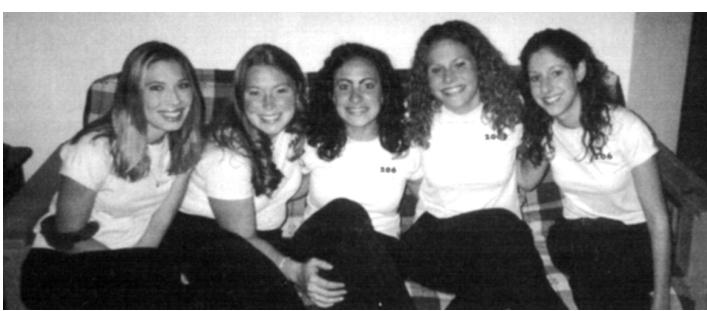
had a baby boy, Evan Maxwell, on March 4, 2007. She loves being a mom and watching Evan learn and discover new things daily. Reach Alanna at 3505 Adaline Dr., Stow, OH 44224; send e-mail to

agelbwas@yahoo.com.

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Rebecca Walker '02 lives at 1008 Massachusetts Ave., #203, Cambridge, MA 02138; (rwalker@law.harvard.edu). She writes, "I'm completing my last year of the JD/MBA program at Harvard. I was married to Ben Grossman in November

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Danielle Martin, Leah Doane, Becky Walker, Staci Gruen and Emily (Goldstein) DeVito photographed back in 2002.

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2007. Staci Gruen '02, Danielle Martin '02, Emily (Goldstein) DeVito '02, Leah Doane '02, Liz (Boxer) Walker '00, and Kira Moriah '03 were all in my bridal party. It was also wonderful to see so many of you at Reunion!"

Nancy Crook '03 has a new address: 922 3rd Ave., #2R, New York, NY 10022; nancrook@hotmail.com.

Megan M. Groh '03 graduates in May 2007 from the University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine. She's moved to Connecticut where she will complete her internship in internal medicine. After a year at UC she will pursue a three-year residency in physical medicine and rehabilitation at Mt. Sinai Hospital in New York City.

Stay in touch with Megan at 129D Brittany Farms Rd.,

New Britain, CT 06053; send e-mail to yankegirl8@yahoo.com.

Toni M. Kaplan '03
writes, "In August
2007, I married Niall
Geoghegan and we
moved to Boston where I'm
attending the MBA program at
Harvard Business School" Keep in
touch with Toni by e-mail at
tmk26@cornell.edu.

#### **DECEASED**

We regret to report the death of the following alumnae:

Dorothy Talbert Wiggans '41 in 2006

Julia (Snell) Wood '42 on October 31, 2006

Emily (Briggs) Hendrickson '46 on February 26, 2007

Martha L. Hoch '52 in November 2006

Wendy S. Hauptfleisch '78 on September 14, 2007

## Tri Deltas Enjoy Romantic Cruise Around Seneca Lake

For the first time in years, the Alpha Beta Chapter of Delta Delta Delta had a fall date night. The September evening could not have been more perfect as the lovely ladies and their dates boarded Captain Bill's Cruises for a romantic two-hour sail around Seneca Lake. With cameras in tow and the moon behind them, the sisters danced the night away to their favorite music, including a Tri Delta favorite, "We Belong."

The cruise was a fabulous opportunity for everyone to dress up, and for the new pledge class to meet sisters who were abroad last semester. It was a magical night all the sisters will remember. "This is, hands down, my favorite event I've attended in my four years as a Tri Delta," said last year's special events chair, Becky Ross. Because of its popularity and success, the cruise may become a tradition for years to come.

Julia Lee '09



One of Captain Bill's cruise ships on Seneca Lake.



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