

Bengal Lancer Active Newsletter

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Greetings Gentleman,

Now that the midterms and spring break have come to pass, we would like to update you on the various events and activities the club has participated in over the past few months. Rushing and orientation have recently come to an end. As many of you know, we were only able to take one new member this year. His name is Conner Terry, and if you haven't gotten a chance to talk to him you definitely should. His experience in orientation was entirely unique and it is something I am sure you would be excited to hear about. He has also taken over the position of Philanthropy chair and is now in charge of all of the club's service and volunteer events. As mentioned in the last newsletter, our partnership with Urban Capital Partners has changed as the program is evolving and the Young Men's Leadership Academy is not currently utilizing the program. However, we have had several members go out and volunteer for Wheelchair Basketball tournaments at Morgan's Wonderland in order to compensate for this change.

Additionally, we plan on having both a large service event and fundraiser during the semester, both of which we are currently in planning.

However, philanthropy is not the only thing keeping us busy. The fifteens season of rugby has ended, and we have now moved into the sevens season with smaller teams and more fast paced games. Trinity rugby, and more specifically the Lancers on the team have performed extremely well during this season in past years, so look for updates on the season in the future. Our football players have also been working hard during their off-season for next year. Additionally, Nic Hover recently participated in a very unique and awesome opportunity to work out for NFL scouts from both the New York Giants and the Green Bay Packers at an NFL junior day. He ran a 4.45 second 40 yard dash and definitely impressed the scouts who were there. In doing so, he put himself in a very good position to set up a Pro Day next year after the season is over. And finally, the Lancers have continued to excel in the classroom.

Aside from all of our other activities, we have also held events that foster fellowship and brotherhood within the club. Recently, we took a trip to Salt Lick barbecue where we spent time conversing and eating great food. We also have our annual formal coming up on April 12-14, which is always a great time. We are also attending many other school wide events to earn standard points and keep our streak of holding one of the first two spots in the rankings. Last semester, specifically, we earned ourselves the second place spot, losing by a minimal margin. This semester we hope to take the top, and are hard at work to do so.



Lastly, we would like to ask for funding for our annual Crawfish Boil this spring. We are in need of crawfish, supplies, and other items for this event. And due to our small size we cannot currently afford many of these items. Would you please consider donating any amount to the club to fund this event?

We greatly appreciate all the help the Alumni Foundation has provided to us in the past and we hope to continue the Bengal Lancer legacy of excellence here on Trinity's campus. By using this [link](http://www.gofundme.com/BLCrawfish2019) (http://www.gofundme.com/BLCrawfish2019) you can donate an amount of your choosing to our Crawfish fund. All of these funds will be put toward various aspects of this event. If you have any questions about the current state of the Lancers, please do not hesitate to reach out to any current active. Again, we greatly appreciate everything you do for us, and as always... BENGAL LANCER HO!!!