"#WhyWe’reGreek...Because being in a fraternity/sorority can’t be described in just a couple of words. It’s the feeling of being a part of something that’s bigger than yourself. To learn, to grow, to bond, to give back. We’re young minds that have the power to influence the world for the better and when you put us together we are unstoppable.” Learn more on Page 3.
Pillars of Greek Life

Scholarship

Fraternities & sororities at TAMUK are committed to excellence in academic pursuits. Our Greek Life continues to promote scholarship by providing many options for their members such as tutoring, academic advisors, study buddies, scholarships, & awards.

Service

Each fraternity & sorority has philanthropic organizations they work closely with each year. Greek students promote service events on campus & often are highly involved with service projects on campus.

Leadership

Our fraternity & sorority life as developed a number of leadership programs to help the members develop leadership skills. These include:

- Greek Leadership Summit
- Greek Emerging Leaders Program
- New Member Summit

Friendship

The bonds that are shared between members of Greek Organizations are what set them apart from non-Greeks. It is more than friendship. It is the understanding that each member has taken a vow to uphold the foundations & values of the organizations.

Welcome Matt!

Texas A&M University
Greek Life has welcomed this semester our new Coordinator of Greek Life & Special Events, Matthew Soles. He comes all the way from the University of North Carolina at Wilmington. Matt has done a great job helping Greek Life outline these pillars and form a more strategic approach on our growth and development.
Texas A&M University – Kingsville Greek Life started using the #WhyImGreek campaign last year. Every day members would post on Instagram/Facebook/Twitter stories of why they became Greek and used the hashtags #WhyImGreek, #WhyImASororityWoman, #WhyImAFraternityMan.

“#WHYIMASORORITYWOMAN

“I wanted to get involved and become a part of something that made me grow as a person but above all I wanted to find a group of women who had the same ideals and goals as I did. What I found was that and a lot more. I found a family that pushed me to be better. Women that supported me to keep pushing for my goals, sisters that helped me learn from my mistakes. I found friends that accept me for all of my flaws and craziness and who love me for me!”

- Jessica Montenegro, Theta Phi Alpha

#WHYIMA FRATERNITYMAN

“I owe everything about myself to being Greek. Being Sigma Chi has opened so many doors for me that I wouldn’t have had if I wasn’t Greek. I’ve got to travel the country for my fraternity. I’ve been fortunate to work with different types of men in various leadership positions. I’ve been able to be a founding member and president of Order of Omega at TAMUK. I am very thankful for all the college memories Sigma Chi and Order of Omega have given me. Being Greek made me the man I am today. I wouldn’t trade it for the world!”

- Trevor Gonzalez, Sigma Chi & Order of Omega
Greek Week is held every fall semester with the events ranging from social, service, athletic, and intellectual. This year’s theme was Disney. During November 9th – 12th, the fraternities & sororities paired up and competed for the title of Greek Week winners! Our canned food drive raised over 650 canned goods to donate to the Food Bank. Here are the results for the rest of the week:

Day 1 Winners – Obstacle Course & Chariot Cart Contest

Alpha Sigma Alpha & Sigma Chi

Theta Phi Alpha & Lambda Chi Alpha

Day 3 Winners – Softball

Kappa Delta Chi & Sigma Lambda Beta

Day 2 Winners – Disney Jeopardy

Kappa Delta Chi & Sigma Chi

Day 4 Winners – Cook-off

Delta Phi Epsilon & Kappa Sigma

Champions on next page →
Greek Week 2015

Winners

Sorority –  Fraternity –

Theta Phi Alpha  Sigma Chi

The Greek Life office has extra Greek Week t-shirts for $3! If you would like one, please contact Alexis Lakers at alexis_lakers642@yahoo.com or 361-593-2760.
Happy Founders Day!
(Fall Semester)

Theta Phi Alpha
August 30th, 1912

Lambda Chi Alpha
November 2nd, 1909

Alpha Sigma Alpha
November 15th, 1901

Kappa Sigma
December 10th, 1869
Welcome to Greek Life!

This fall, Greek Life welcomed home over 80 new members! We look forward to seeing them develop as young leaders and watch their journey through Greek Life.
The ladies of Delta Phi Epsilon had great things to celebrate this semester:

- They have 2 girls graduating December 11th – April Gonzalez & Alyssa Garza
- Their sister, Lissette Esparza, announced she will be giving birth to a legacy mid-February!
- Sisters got to attend their sororities conference, EngageU, in Pittsburg to develop new skills to bring back to their chapter
Happy Holidays from Greek Life

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