Upcoming Events:

AXO Fondue- November 14th 8 pm-10 pm
Location: AXO Mansion 478 Commonwealth Ave

Theta Omicron completes successful Initiation and Big/Little Revelations 2009

AXO Big/Little Revelations were held on November 6th. Sisters and new members met at the house, and a lovely ceremony revealed each new member’s big. After a short presentation by Chapter President, Margaret Leibovic, the new members came down the main staircase one by one and their big ran out and gave them a giant hug (sometimes this involved tackling, too). Once the big revealed herself, she read a passage about why she was inspired by her little. It was a joyous event for all the sisters and new members, and there was a lot of food and picture taking following the revelations ceremony.

On Saturday, November 7th, Theta Omicron initiated 36 new members. In the past, initiation and revelations were held on the same night; however, this year, revelations was held one day beforehand in order to allow sisters to concentrate fully on the beauty of our ritual on initiation night. The ceremony went very well, and afterwards, the new sisters were serenaded by four fraternities (Phi Delta Theta, Phi Kappa Sigma, Sigma Nu, and Kappa Sigma) as well as the AXO sophomores who sang a version of I’m Yours by Jason Mraz with their own “new sister” lyrics. All in all, it was a great weekend that helped strengthen our bond as sisters!
Revelations/Initiation Photos

Top Left: Deepa Rao congratulates her little, Julia Titarelli on her initiation

Top Right: New members and their bigs after revelations

Bottom Left: New sisters after initiation

Bottom Right: Joanna Faulk ’11, and alumnae Ellen Sofka and Caroline Barker, at the post-Initiation festivities
Members Elected to AXO Executive Board for 2010

Congratulations to AXO’s new Executive Board who will begin their service at the start of the new year. Nine juniors and four sophomores (including one new member) were recently chosen by the chapter as our Executive Board:

- House Manager - Sarah McDermott 2011
- VP Alum Rel - Elise Hens 2012
- VP Risk - Jessica Bainbridge-Smith 2011
- VP Rec - Amy Jacobi 2011
- Panhel Delegate - Amber Stangroom 2012
- VP Mem Dev - Julie Harrow 2012
- VP Comm - Nicole Holm 2011
- VP ID - Katie Dalrymple 2011
- VP Ed - Amanda Grue 2011
- VP Frat Rel - Amanda Fried 2011
- VP Finance - Lauren Sless 2012
- VP CRS - Alex Wright 2011
- President - Emily Shao 2011

Veronica Wilson ‘11 and Megan Kercher ‘11 Elected to Panhellenic Executive Board

Panhellenic Executive Slating recently chose Veronica Wilson and Megan Kercher ‘11 as members of Panhel Exec. Veronica, who served Panhel this year as the VP Finance and Records, will serve as the Executive VP next year. She will have many important responsibilities including:

- Judicial Chairwoman for the Standards Board and oversees Risk Management
- Responsible for lots of administrative tasks: Panhel Awards planning and executing, Awards Banquet, Standards Board, Elections
- Oversee Panhellenic Delegates
- Oversees all ad hoc committees
- General support of additional Panhellenic projects, working closely with President

AXO is excited to have Veronica serving on Panhel Exec, and we know that she will do an amazing job!
Megan Kercher ’11 was chosen as the VP Recruitment Programming (also known as Head PRC) for Panhel Exec. Megan was a great Pi Rho Chi Recruitment Counselor this year, and she is a great fit for the VPRP position. Her responsibilities will include

- Interviews and selects Pi Rho Chis
- Trains Pi Rho Chis
- Works with VP Recruitment on planning CPW, Orientation, and recruitment

AXO is very excited to have two members serving on Panhel Exec. No other sorority has two members serving, and it is exciting to see AXO’s devotion to the Panhellenic representation on the MIT campus. Congrats, Veronica and Megan!

Alpha Chi Omega Sports

According to our sports chair, Katie Kauffman ’12, “AXOs are kicking some major tail in sports right now.” Alicia Kaestli ’12 and Sarah Sprague ’13 led the cross country team to a NEWMAC championship, they will compete soon at NCAA championships. Alicia placed 21st out of 122 at NEWMAC champs. Jordan Taylor ’11 helped rugby to finish their regular season 1st in the NERFU Division 3 Eastern Conference (they finished undefeated). Field hockey members Alex Wright ’11 Katie Kauffman ’12, Michelle Dion ’13, and Lia DiGiovanna ’13 also finished a successful regular season, winning the NEWMAC championship. Swimming and Diving members Lauren Cipicchio ’10, Ashley Pinchinat ’10, Amy Jacobi ’11, Katie Creasey ’11, Carrie DeBoer ’11, Lauren Lo ’13, and Sarah Scodel ’13 competed in the Batterman Relays where the
Engineers sported wins in every single event. 12 school records were also broken at this meet. Congrats, athletes!

Random Chatter: A collection of funny AXO quotes

Katherine Wong ’10: Pearls to Yeseul for jamming the bottle recycles that have circular hole with a bottle that was way too big and subsequently pounding on it and making loud noises and having everyone who was sitting at the tables in lobby 7 to stare....

Yeseul Kim ’10: in my defense, i was high on (legally prescribed) drugs (still am).

Sarah Drakeley ’12 on Katie Kauffman’s ’12 nose reconstruction: This doctor (who looked like Stephen Colbert) RE-BROKE her nose! And she was so bad-@$#. He hovered over her face with this crazy metal spatula thing, and she was just like, "Go for it," with a shrug of her shoulders.

Now her nose is perfect again. :) And she's my hero.

AXO Sophomore Semi-Formal at Improv Asylum a Success!

Alpha Chi Omega sisters enjoyed the annual semi-formal event. Sophomores planned the event, which started with appetizers, continued at the Improv Asylum, and finished with desserts at the AXO Mansion.