

BETA THETA PI

Betas sing to Scandals fame

A Scandals sweep highlighted the year for the members of Beta Theta Pi.

The fraternity, combined with the women of Chi Omega, captured eight of the nine group awards given at the annual Scandals production in mid-April. In addition, sophomore member Don Andrews was voted best male performer.

Their act followed the adventures of two OU students who were tired

of their own university and wanted to leave. The two were befriended by a student of Paris University named Pierre Pan, and his Mr. T-like assistant, Tinkerbelle. After seeing the highlights of P.U., the two convinced their French friends to come to OU.

With their three song and dance numbers, the group won awards for Best Act in Show, Outstanding Music, Outstanding Choreography, Outstanding Script,

Originality, Showmanship, Best Costume and Best Backdrop Design.

Member Steve Rahhal, one of two assistant directors for the 41st Scandals production, said the awards were special because they were able to see "the months of hard work and time investment pay off."

"The excitement and anticipation provided an event that the entire house could truly rally behind," he said.

Earlier in the year, the

fraternity held their annual Beta Barn Dance, which has been rated by *Playboy* as one of the top fraternity parties in the nation.

Several Betas excelled on campus. Ken Feagins, Rahhal and Jeff Roberts were named to the Top Ten Greek Men, while Zach Allen and Scott Rahhal were named as Top Ten Sophomores.

In addition, five members were named to Gamma Gamma and Mortar Board, five were

selected as Big Men on Campus and two received Leitseizer medals. During the year, six of the fraternity's brothers were admitted to medical school, six to law school, two to dental school and three to graduate school for business.

The fraternity established a new scholarship fund and an alumni newsletter during the year, and their chapter room was renovated.

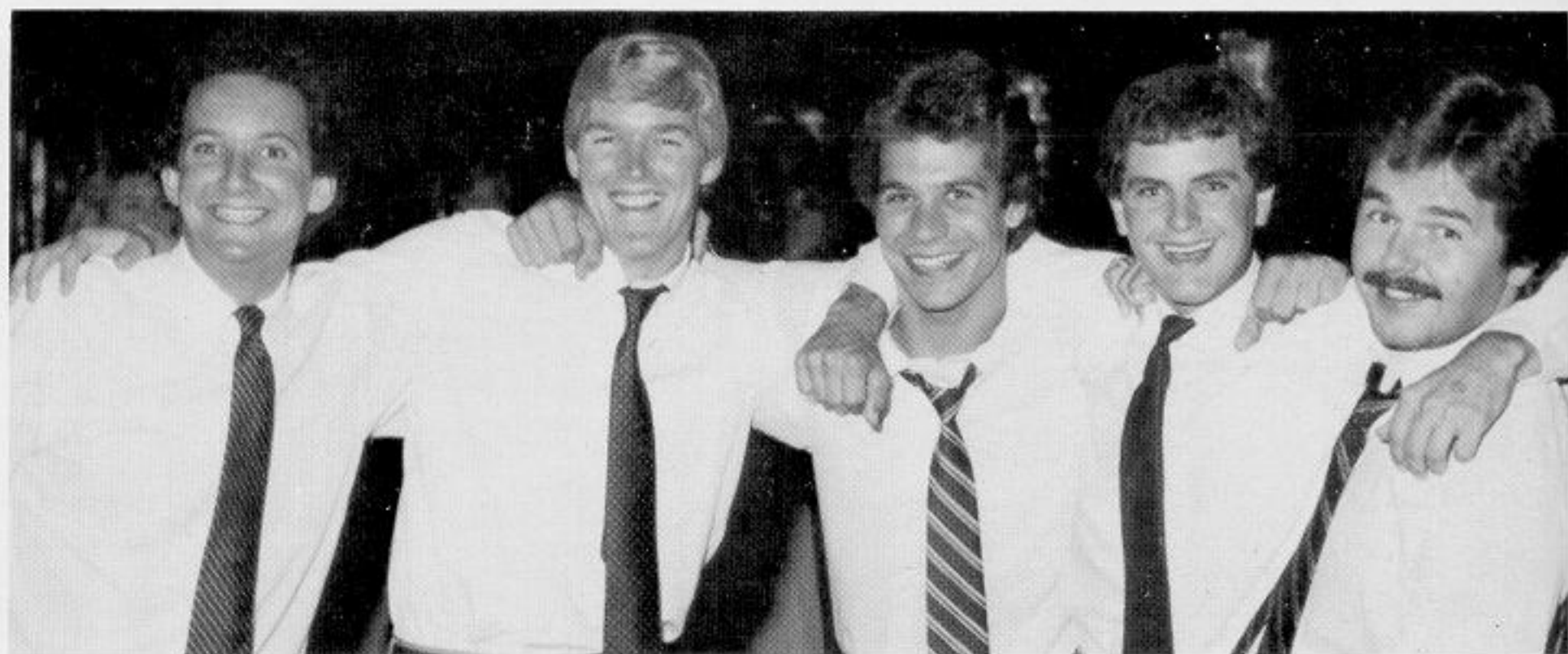


A BIG HELLO. Charlie Towe, Dow Hughes, Brian Lansford and Tad Hughes celebrate at their winter formal, The Big Chill, during February.



BARNDANCE BANDITS. Betas gather for their biggest event of the year, the Barn-dance, which is held every year in November.

BETA BASH. Showing their brotherhood at the Dallas Hilton during OU-Texas weekend are Brad Liebman, Randy Wells, Ray Thatch, Dow Hughes and Zach Allen.



BETA THETA PI. Located at 800 Chautauqua, the Beta Theta Pi house received renovations during the year on the chapter room. *Eric Goins photo*



Gamma Phi Chapter
Founded: 1839
Colors: Pink and Blue
Symbol: Dragon
Nickname: Betas

Sept. 17
 Victory Party

Feb. 11
 Valentine's Formal

Oct. 8
 OU-Texas Party, Dallas

April 7
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Nov. 18-19
 Beta Barndance



Jerry Akin, Kevin Akin, Tyrone Akin, Zach Allen, Joe Andrews, Brad Barghols, Link Barr, Carter Baumert, Chris Bird, Ty Boone, David Box, Pat Brown, Jay Browne.

John Burns, Kyle Carrick, Nic Cordum, Chip Craft, Mike Croom, Gary Dew, Chuck O.U. Dobbs, Jimmy Dobbs, Rex Duncan, Ross Duncan, Jay Scott Edwards, Mark Evans, Mark Fairchild.

Doug Fellrath, Richard Fellrath, Tom Finney, Allen Fry, Richard Fuller, Randy Gavlick, Steve Gilbert, Greg Griffith, Mark Hagan, Tim Hammons, Robert Hanger, Kevin Harmon, Rick Harris.

Kyle Henderson, Paul Hickman, John Hodgden, Greg Hollinger, Dave Hughes, Dow Hughes, Tad Hughes, Kirk Hullender, Kevin James, Gregg Johnson, Pat Jordan, Tim Jordan, David Kitchen.

Steve Kitchen, C. Franklin Knapp, Barry Koonce, Theodore Krampf, Bryan Lansford, Bart Liebmann, Brad Liebmann, Todd Lisle, Phil Littleton, Andy Lucas, Tim Martey, Tony May, Mark McDaniel.

Brent McKee, Mike Melchert, Mark Methuin, Mark Meyer, Drew Millington, Rick Mooney, Jack Moore, Kyle Moore, Lake Moore, Vic Morgan, Ron Morton, Bob Mullendore, Steve Nell.

Jeff Norman, Greg Nutter, Brian O'Hara, Jat Pettit, Graham Pollard, Mickey Rahhal, Subby Rahhal, Rob Raley, Kirk Reed, Jeff Roberts, Bruce Robertson, Rob Robertson, Brett Robinson.

Bill Scherlag, David Schrouf, Bill Settle, Allen Smith, Darin Sparkman, Blake Stanfield, Steve Stansbarger, Steve Stich, Mike Thatch, Ray Thatch, Trippy Thompson, Steve Tolson, Charlie Towe.

Stan Vlasimsky, Kyle Wade, Randy Wells.