

Brothers Under Christ
BYX
Beta Upsilon Chi

ANNUAL REPORT 2019/2020

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*"Behold how good and how
pleasant it is for brothers to
dwell together in unity."*

- Psalm 133:1



LETTER FROM THE NATIONAL FRATERNITY PRESIDENT



MISSION:

The devastating statistic that 70% of students walk away from their faith in college hasn't changed in more than 20 years. For the past 35 years, BYX continues to stand in the gap and provide a solution for men that want to enjoy a fraternal experience and grow in their faith. The community that our men experience in BYX lays a foundation in their lives that continues to impact them as they graduate from college and become leaders in their families, churches, and workplaces.

YEAR IN REVIEW:

During its second year, the BYX Foundation continued to grow under the leadership of Jason Hoyt. The foundation received \$474,000 in contributions from alumni, parents, and donors which included over \$60,000 in scholarships for our members.

Through a partnership with Passages, our annual COR Leadership Retreat took on a dynamic unlike anything our fraternity has ever done. We sent 40 hand-selected leaders on a trip to Israel to explore the holy land and deepen their relationship with

Jesus and their brothers. Along with our National Leadership Summit, we hosted our second annual Presidents' Circle and our first ever Pledge Captains' Circle thanks to strategic partnerships with Chick-Fil-A's WinShape Camps and Pine Cove.

Despite the success of our Foundation, this past spring presented the most daunting challenges BYX has ever faced. As the world shut down mid-March due to COVID-19 our members were sent home from their college campuses and, for the first time ever, BYX was forced to go virtual. Despite the challenges of physical separation, our members and national staff adapted and created necessary adjustments to provide meaningful opportunities for our members to remain virtually connected through chapters, cell groups, and the national fraternity.

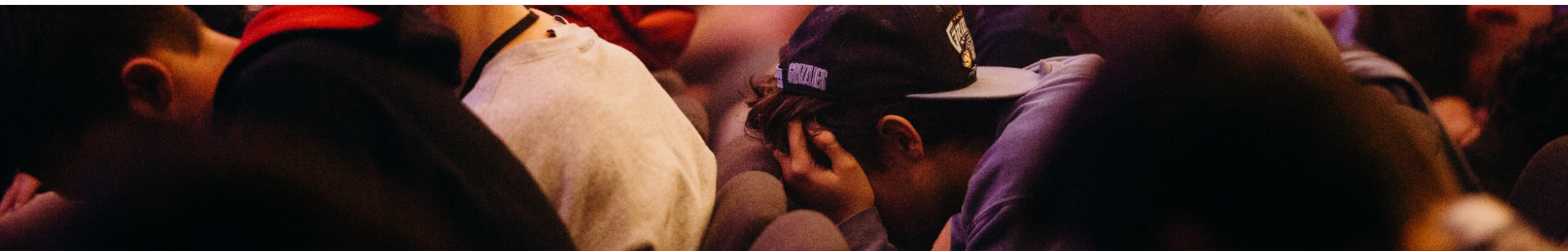
FORGING AHEAD:

This upcoming year will be the most critical moment in the history of our fraternity. My hope is not that we merely survive 2020, but that we would be able to maintain significant momentum as we weather the storm. Equipped with the necessary resources we can position ourselves to rebuild in an extraordinary way. In order to do that, we need your support now more than ever.

In Christ,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Brian Lee". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "B" and a stylized "L".

Brian Lee
President
Beta Upsilon Chi



BYX FOUNDATION HIGHLIGHTS.



NATIONAL LEADERSHIP SUMMIT

The Foundation supported NLS with a \$56,000 grant to inspire and train 450 newly elected officers and campus delegates from our 36 chapters.

PRESIDENT'S CIRCLE

All 36 chapter Presidents received tremendous leadership training with our BYX & WinShape Camps partnership with \$17,000 in funding from the Foundation.

MEMBER SCHOLARSHIPS

The Foundation provided 186 brothers with \$43,000 in scholarships to afford them the opportunity of BYX, and 43 brothers received \$18,000 in relief funds to support them through the pandemic.

PLEDGE CAPTAIN'S CIRCLE

All 36 chapter Pledge Captains received leadership training with our BYX & PineCove Camps partnership with \$23,000 in funding from the Foundation.



“This trip has substantially developed me as a leader. I’m going to take home what I’ve learned and implement it in my chapter of BYX.”
Cameron McLaury
University of Tulsa



COR LEADERSHIP RETREAT: ISRAEL 2019

We hand-picked 33 brothers from 20 chapters with strong leadership potential to experience a life-changing trip to Israel. The Foundation provided \$33,000 in funding for this fantastic opportunity.



BYX FRATERNITY HIGHLIGHTS.

855
TOTAL
PLEDGES

400
CELL GROUP
LEADERS

2,408
TOTAL
MEMBERS

548
GRADUATING
SENIORS

66
AVERAGE
CHAPTER SIZE

BYX CHAPTER HIGHLIGHTS.



**LEADERSHIP AWARD
PURDUE UNIVERSITY**



**CAMPUS PRESENCE AWARD
UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA**



**RECRUITMENT AWARD
TEXAS STATE UNIVERSITY**



**MOMENTUM AWARD
CLEMSON UNIVERSITY**



**NATIONAL UNITY AWARD
UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE**



**PHILANTHROPY AWARD
TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY**

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**133 AWARD
UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS**



**DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI
TRAVIS PETERSON
THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS
CLASS OF 2013**



2019-2020 FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Foundation	Pre-COVID Forecast	Actual
Revenue	\$522k	\$474.2K
Expenses	\$483K	\$343.2K
Net	\$39K	\$130.9K
Net Minus Scholarships & Endowments	\$14.2K	\$27.2K
Post PPP		\$128.8K

Fraternity	Pre-COVID Forecast	Actual
Revenue	\$817K	\$745.9K
Expenses	\$818K	\$821K
Net	(\$1K)	(\$75K)

2019-2020 FINANCIAL STATEMENT (CONT.)

Combined	Pre-COVID Forecast	Actual
Revenue	\$1.339M	\$1.220M
Expenses	\$1.301M	\$1.164M
Net	\$38.2K	\$55.8K
Net Minus Scholarships & Endowments	\$13.3K	(\$47.8K)
Post PPP	\$53.7K	



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