

THETA TAU HOUSE RULES

It is important that potential new members, pledges, guests, alumni, and the parents of student members view the chapter house as a facility that will enhance the undergraduate fraternity experience for our members and be a place that is conducive to learning.

The chapter house is not just your home; it is the home of everyone in the chapter at any give point in time. As such, some conduct that does not offend you may offend another member, or another member's guest. More importantly, the chapter and its student members merely pass through the Chapter House during their time in college. It should be your desire to leave the house and the chapter better for those that will pass through in the years which follow. The following rules and additional ones you may consider may help create that type of environment.

All members are expected to act as gentlemen. Respect and care should be shown at all times towards guests, members, and alumni. Each member is responsible for the conduct of his guest in addition to his own conduct. If you are unwilling to confront an unruly guest, do not invite them into our home.

The house and furnishings will be utilized by the members and their guests in a manner consistent with the purpose for which they were designed. When dirtied or damaged, clean or repair them.

No illegal drug use will be permitted on the property. This is grounds for immediate eviction.

Articles will not be taken from a room without the owners consent.

Knock before entering an individual's sleeping quarters.

Individuals will be charged for the cost (including equipment, parts, labor, etc. costs) to repair damage caused by them to the facility. Damage that is not attributable to an individual shall be billed to all chapter members security deposits.

Quiet hours will be from 11 p.m. until 8 am Sunday evening through Friday morning. During quiet hours radios and stereos may be played at a level not to be heard outside of that room. Violation of quiet hours will result in a fine determined by the chapter.

At any time day or night, any person who is studying may request the volume to be lowered and that request will be honored.

Eating is permitted in the dining room only. All trash, crumbs, etc. will be cleaned up immediately after eating. All dishes, pots, pans, silverware, etc. will be washed, dried, and put away immediately.

No one is allowed on the roof. Violation will result in a chapter fine and possible eviction.

Keep the exterior of the house and yard clear of trash, debris, old furniture, inoperable vehicles, etc.

All members will participate in keeping the house clean. Assigned house duties are to be done by Noon on the day they are to be completed. Failure to do so will result in a fine from the chapter.

Alcoholic beverages are highly recommended to be banned from the common area at all times. Only people who are 21 or over may consume alcohol on the property and in the privacy of their own room. Members, guests, pledges, etc. must abide by all university, local, and state laws regarding the consumption of alcohol.-