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INCORPORATING A POINTS SYSTEM

Putting a point system in place for your chapter can be very beneficial in motivating brothers to be more actively involved with the chapter through rewarding them for participation.

The way a point system works is that brothers are awarded points for being actively involved. Points can often vary depending on the importance of the activity. The Prudential Board should implement the program each academic year. At the end of each year, the Prudential Board should review the program and make any changes.

Points will accumulate throughout the entire year or per term and then reset at the start of the next. Brothers with more points will be rewarded in a way the chapter sees fit. The Secretary should keep track of all points.

EXAMPLES OF ACTIVITIES POINTS THAT CAN EARN POINTS

- Attending a meeting: 2pts
- Attending a Social event: 5pts
- Attending a Brotherhood event: 5pts
- House Cleanup: 5pts
- Attending a IFC event: 10pts
- Completing required Study Hours: 10pts
- Attending a Membership Enriching Program: 10pts
- Attending an Intramural event: 10pts
- Attending a Fundraising event: 10pts
- Attending a Community Service/Philanthropy event: 10pts
- Attending an Alumni event: 10pts
- Attending a Parent event: 10pts
- Attending a New Member event: 10pts
- Attending a Ritual event: 15pts
- Attending a Recruitment event: 15pts
- Recruiting a new member – 25 pts

**These are just examples and you are encouraged to adjust these values to what is most important for your chapter or wherever you see fit.*

IDEAS ON HOW TO USE POINTS

Once you acquire points you will not lose them until everyone’s point totals reset at the start of the new academic year.

Voting

- One of the most important rights of members of a chapter is voting. Brothers who are the most actively involved in the chapter could have a little more say in which direction the chapter’s future is headed. This can be used for voting for officers or on chapter business.
- Think of this as the Electoral College where some states have more value than others. The brothers that are the most present at events will have more “votes” in elections.



- For example: Let's use election for the President. There are two candidates, Joe and Dan. Each brother will give his total points to the candidate they believe is most worthy of getting the position. Points cannot be split between candidates. If there were six brothers, A,B,C, and X,Y,Z, voting and the total points each brother accumulated were:

A= 50pts X= 40pts
B= 40pts Y= 15pts
C= 35pts Z= 10pts

- If Brothers A,B,C gave Joe their votes, while Brothers X,Y,Z gave Dan their votes, then Joe would win 125pts over Dan's 65pts.

Room Selection

- If you have a house, this is a great way to see which brothers have priority over other brothers for better rooms in the house.

Little Brother Selection

- You could use the point system to see which brothers get Little Brothers and have them select their Little Brothers in order of point totals.

Dues

- The brothers who may be in the top 3 point total at the end of the year don't have to pay full dues next term.

Brother of the Year Award

- You can start a Brother of the Year Award which goes to the brother who has the highest point total at the end of the year.

Participation

- You can set a minimum point requirement to participate in certain events. For example, these could be the minimum points allowed in order to participate in the following:

Intramurals: 20pts
Socials: 20pts
Greek Week: 50pts
Fall Semi Formal: 25pts
Spring Formal: 75pts

- These points can be adjusted throughout the year as point totals become higher (points will be lower in the fall than point totals will be in the spring due to the number of events that have occurred).

Brother Hall of Fame

- You could create a Brother Hall of Fame for brothers that have accumulated a high point total.

Monthly Gift Certificate

- You could give a monthly gift card away to the brother who obtained the most points that month.

Running for an Elected Position

- In order to be nominated for a certain position you will have to have a certain number of points.
- Points will vary depending on the importance of the position with President being the highest.

