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## A Message from the President...

October was an exciting month in Pennsylvania Phi Beta Lambda.

The State Executive Council would like to extend our sincere appreciation to Duquesne University and Drexel University for hosting the third annual State Fall Officer Orientations (SFOO) this year.



The Western State Fall Officer Orientation was held at Duquesne University in downtown Pittsburgh. We had great discussions where members shared what their chapters are planning for the year. It was a

way for each of us to hear ideas that have been successful in other chapters. In addition to Phi Beta Lambda members, we are also excited to have had two Professional members at Western SFOO. It was a great way to get them involved, and to remind us how important it is to have Professional members. After SFOO, Lindsay Close, gave a tour of the campus, which the state officers really enjoyed. Thank you, Lindsay.

The Eastern State Fall Officer Orientation was held at Drexel University in Philadelphia. We did some interesting icebreakers, and shared many different ideas, in addition to learning what the state has planned for the year. After SFOO, the State Executive Council had our monthly meeting, and we were very pleased to have various PBL members in attendance. Attending SEC meetings is a great way to see the state team in action, and to help you decide if running for a state office is for you.



The state officers would like to thank Lindsay Close, President of Duquesne University PBL and Doug Borell, President of Drexel University PBL for all their extra efforts in making sure the state team had everything we needed to make this year's SFOOs a success. We would also like to thank all of the members who came and shared their experiences and ideas. We are going to have a very exciting year in PBL!

Yours in PBL,  
Lori Korchok  
State President

Questions? Comments? Concerns?  
Contact a State Officer!



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National Officer!



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## Gain National Recognition! Complete a Level of CMAP!

A lot of members have been asking what the program called CMAP is about. CMAP stands for Career and Membership Achievement Program and is designed for members to build a portfolio and gain recognition through their involvement in Phi Beta Lambda. The program is divided into three levels: Director, Executive, and President. Each level has a set of criteria that are focused around Service, Education, and Progress. These criteria contain different activities that members have the opportunity to complete. Most activities are not real difficult and range from attending local chapter meetings, to creating a promotional brochure for your chapter, to setting up a guest speaker for a local chapter event. This year, the program has been setup completely online. To complete this program, contact either your local chapter adviser or Megan Beatty, National Eastern Region Vice President ([pblervp@fbla.org](mailto:pblervp@fbla.org)), to get a login profile and get started! For more information log on to [www.fbla-pbl.org](http://www.fbla-pbl.org) or [click here!](#)



Because our first "State Help Out Day" filled up so quickly, Pennsylvania Phi Beta Lambda will be having another "State Help Out Day" with Habitat for Humanity of the Greater Harrisburg area on Saturday, March 3, 2007. The schedule will be split into morning shift from 8:15am – 12:00 noon and afternoon shift from 12:30pm -4:00pm. All tools and drinking water will be provided. Space is limited, so please contact Lori Korchok to sign up.

For more information on Habitat, or to find a Habitat division near you, go to [www.habitat.org](http://www.habitat.org).

## Plan to attend a State Executive Council Meeting! Upcoming meeting are as follows:

December 3<sup>rd</sup> at Temple University  
January 6<sup>th</sup> at Duquesne University  
February 10<sup>th</sup> at Alvernia College  
March 4<sup>th</sup> at Penn College of Technology

*Have your voice heard! See your State Team in action!*



*The SEC would like to thank Shippensburg University for  
hosting the September 17<sup>th</sup> meeting!*

## Want to be a part of the E-News?



Write an article about your chapters' activities.

Submit it to Tristan Myers (secretary@papbl.org) by December 15<sup>th</sup> for inclusion in January's Edition!

Earn 10 points towards the Outstanding Chapter Challenge!

## LSB—Small Chapter, Big Success!

Phi Beta Lambda of Lansdale School of Business may be small, but they know how to bring students and teachers together for some fun. On Wednesday, October 25, the seven members of LSB PBL worked to put on a Fall Festival for all students and faculty at Lansdale School of Business. There were burgers and hot dogs on the barbecue, along with all the fixings, salads, and desserts. After lunch, many students started a volleyball game, and also competed in the three legged race. The high point of the day was when many of the faculty and staff joined in to compete against the students in an egg race. Students also had a chance to vote for which teacher they wanted to have dressed up for Halloween.



On Saturday, November 4, LSB PBL members were busy volunteering at a horse show at the Ivy Hill Therapeutic Equestrian Center. Ivy Hill Therapeutic Equestrian Center is a non-profit organization that offers equine-assisted programs for children and adults with special needs. LSB PBL raised enough money to donate all the award ribbons for the day. In attendance were Iolanda Tucciarone, PBL Co-Vice President, Michael Heacock, PBL Secretary, Josh Wolfe, PBL State Treasurer from Elizabethtown College, and Lori Korchok, PBL State President and LSB PBL Chapter President. PBL members assisted with judging competitions, working craft tables, as well as other barn oriented tasks. The most rewarding event of the day was when several athletes and horses dressed in Halloween costumes brought smiles to everyone's faces.



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## CPC—Fundraising for the Future!

Central Penn's Phi Beta Lambda Chapter has been very busy with fundraising projects to raise money for both the March of Dimes and its local treasury. On September 8<sup>th</sup>, they sponsored a campus-wide Dress-Down Day. Because Central Penn has a professional dress code policy, this day gave both students and faculty the opportunity to donate \$1 and be able to dress casually for the day. After the total raised is tabulated, the college actually matches whatever was raised. Central Penn is proud to announce that this year, with the match; they raised around \$300 for the March of Dimes.

Phi Beta Lambda also participated in Central Penn's Family Fall Harvest, which was the school's equivalent of a homecoming weekend on October 21<sup>st</sup>. PBL had a display table in the main lobby where students could learn more about the organization. In addition, they held a fundraiser selling Super Bowl raffle tickets on behalf of the Big 33 Scholarship Foundation. Members who assisted with the event included Jessica Weekly, Jaret Wilson, Rob MacNally, Megan Smith, Treasurer Emma Yingling, and President Tristan Myers. Central Penn PBL would also like to extend a thank you to the members of Lansdale School of Business who traveled out to experience the festivities and helped to make our fundraiser a huge success!



## Meet the Newest Member of the State Executive Council:



### Western Adviser:

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Duquesne University



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the SFOOS...



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