

Nota Bene Honors Anthology

Nota Bene, Latin for "note well," is Phi Theta Kappa's honors anthology. It recognizes outstanding writing of Phi Theta Kappa members and demonstrates to the literary public the academic excellence and commitment to scholarship found at two-year colleges. The first issue of Nota Bene was published in 1994; it has been published annually ever since.

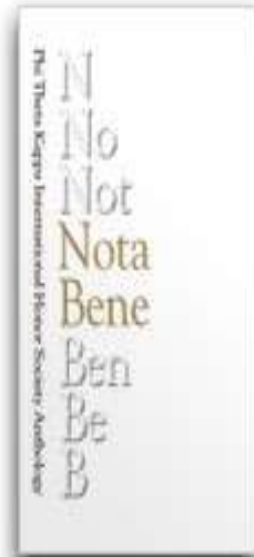
The Citation Scholarship, a scholarship of \$1,000, is given to the author of the Nota Bene manuscript considered to be the most outstanding of all entries.

Four authors receive the Reynolds Scholarship Awards, scholarships of \$500 each. These awards are endowed by the Donald W. Reynolds Foundation in Pine Bluff, Arkansas. They honor the memory of the late Donald W. Reynolds, founder of the Donrey Media Group.

Only Phi Theta Kappa members may submit manuscripts. Members may only submit manuscripts while enrolled in the two-year college.

The deadline for Nota Bene submissions is the first Friday in December each year. Qualitative and quantitative research papers, poetry, short stories, essays and drama are accepted for consideration.

No single entry may exceed 2,500 words.



New Leadership Studies Facebook Cohort 7

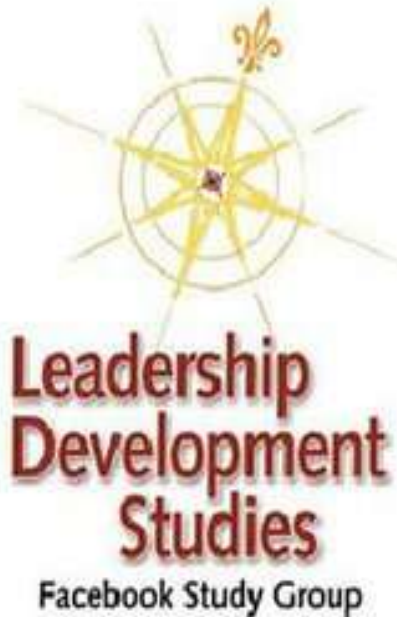
Join Cohort 7 of Phi Theta Kappa's internationally recognized Leadership Development Studies Program on Facebook and discover a key resource for effective leadership skills that encourage college completion.

Visit the Cohort 7 Facebook page to explore the opportunities and join the group. Monika Byrd, Phi Theta Kappa's Dean of Leadership Development, and other Phi Theta Kappa Certified Leadership Instructors will initiate and facilitate online dialogues on this Facebook Group's Discussion Board to explore key topics related to leadership with Phi Theta Kappa members and alumni, prospective members or anyone interested in participating.

Cohort 7 will dialogue about the readings and films in all 11 units of the textbook. Participants may earn a "Certificate of Completion." See the Cohort 7 Facebook discussion page for details. Phi Theta Kappa participants WHO RECEIVE A CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION may also earn 90 elective points in Five Star Competitive Edge.

Order the textbook, Phi Theta Kappa Leadership Development Studies: A Humanities Approach,

A 30 percent discount on textbook purchases is offered to participants. Purchase the book online here and enter the discount code LEADFB, or include the discount code and item number ZM4 when placing phone orders by calling 800.946.9996.



Honors Case Study Challenge

Phi Theta Kappa chapters and individual members are invited to participate in the Honors Case Study Challenge. Take the challenge for an opportunity to WIN \$500!

In an effort to encourage scholarship while promoting civic engagement among college students, USA TODAY and Phi Theta Kappa have issued the Honors Case Study Challenge. The Challenge provides chapters with the opportunity to supplement their Honors in Action research based on the Honors Study Topic, The Democratization of Information: Power, Peril, and Promise with the use of the USA TODAY newspapers. The Challenge also provides members an enhanced learning experience through the use of newspapers and encourages them to stay abreast of current events.



The Challenge:

USA TODAY and Phi Theta Kappa challenge you to read the newspaper daily and create a Case Study based upon your reading.

The Reward:

Be one of four winners of \$500!

Be recognized on stage at the 2012 Annual Convention in Nashville, Tennessee!

Have your winning entry published on the USA TODAY Collegiate Academic website!

Key Partners

Phi Theta Kappa has collaborated with the following organizations and institutions:
Phi Theta Kappa values the support our Corporate Partners provide to the organization and the unique benefits they offer members.

Bank of America

With every Bank of America MasterCard account opened and every purchase made, Bank of America contributes to the Phi Theta Kappa Scholarship Fund. Bank of America is also a 2011 Annual Convention Sponsor.

Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation

The Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation sponsors the Coca-Cola Community College Academic Team and Coca-Cola Leaders of Promise Scholarships. The Coca-Cola Leaders of Promise program offers a total of 180 scholarships of \$1,000 each, to members seeking associate degrees. Phi Theta Kappa, the Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation, community college presidents and community college state associations sponsor Community College Academic Team ceremonies in 38 participating states. The Coca-Cola Foundation, along with the Coca-Cola Scholars Foundation recognizes the New Century Scholars.



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Follett Higher Education Group

The All-USA Community College Academic Team is presented by USA TODAY and Phi Theta Kappa and sponsored by Follett Higher Education Group. Follett Higher Education Group offers members an average savings of 50 percent or more on the cost of textbooks with their text rental program. Follett Higher Education Group is a 2011 Annual Convention Sponsor.

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USA Today

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Relay for Life

From April 2002 through April 2006, Phi Theta Kappa worked closely with the American Cancer Society for our 2002-06 International Service Program, Conquering Cancer.

The Conquering Cancer Service Program was Phi Theta Kappa's most successful International Service Program to date, with nearly 800 participating Chapters of Service. In 2003 and 2005, Phi Theta Kappa was recognized as the top collegiate contributor to the American Cancer Society's signature fundraising event, Relay For Life®.

Relay For Life rallies communities to celebrate cancer survivors, remember loved ones lost, and raise funds to eliminate cancer. Lasting overnight as team members take turns walking around a track, Relay inspires, entertains, and touches the hearts of all who participate.

Phi Theta Kappa encourages chapters to continue to support Relay For Life as part of the Society's Civic Engagement Initiative. Our goal as an Honor Society is to raise \$10 million for the American Cancer Society by Phi Theta Kappa's 100th Anniversary International Convention in 2018. Phi Theta Kappa chapters have already raised more than \$2.3 million.

