



Jack I. Redhair '58, '62

Has been elected to membership in the
Beta Phi Hall of Honor
Class of 2003

Prior to completing High School in Montana and Colorado in 1954, Brother Redhair worked on a guest ranch in Montana packing individuals into the Bob Marshall Wilderness- fishing, sightseeing, and big game hunting. Brother Redhair was offered a half-interest partnership in the Ranch if he would stay and continue working fulltime instead of going to college. Brother Redhair informed the ranch owner that he intended on playing football for two years and would then return and accept that offer to become a partner in the ranch.

After entering the University of Arizona in 1954 he pledged the Beta Phi Chapter of Sigma Chi Fraternity. Brother Redhair had been offered a football scholarship by the University, but he had told them that he only desired to play for two years and would then return to Montana. He ended up playing varsity football for four years and received a freshman letter for basketball.

Brother Redhair's leadership abilities were evident early in his college career. He was the sophomore class president, the junior class president, and became student body president as a senior. He was elected to Sophos, Chain Gang, Blue Key and was named a Bobcat during his senior year. He was nominated as the Beta Phi Chapter's International Balfour Award Nominee during his senior year.

Upon graduation in 1958, Brother Redhair entered the University of Arizona College of Law where he received a law degree in 1962. He was elected into Phi Delta Phi legal fraternity. After graduation he was admitted to the Arizona Bar in 1962 and joined the lawfirm in which he became a partner, Chandler, Tullar, Udall & Redhair LLP. He was named president of the Young Lawyer's Association during 1965-1966. He has served as president of the Arizona Bar Association for 1981-1982 and served on numerous Arizona Bar committees. He is a member of numerous legal societies, including ABOTA and was named a Fellow of the American College of Trial Lawyers. Membership into the American College of Trial Lawyers is limited to no more than three percent of the lawyers within a state.

Brother Redhair has been active with the Tucson Conquistadores, a Tucson philanthropic organization. After serving as on their Board of Directors and serving as chairman of numerous committees, he was elected as president of the Tucson Conquistadores for 1975-1976.

Brother Redhair credits Sigma Chi with helping him learn that achieving accomplishments in school and in life requires extraordinary effort. Watching other Brothers at the Beta Phi Chapter in those early undergraduate years showed him that to achieve academic excellence required studying hard. He states" The Sigma Chi Fraternity truly changed my life. It helped him to learn how to study and apply myself. Without the close friendships I forged as a Sigma Chi, I would not have been elected to many of the offices I have held in my life. The friendships I began in those undergraduate years with Brothers such as Leo Corbett, Paul Muscenti, Bob Mueller, Burt Kinerk and others have lasted over fifty years.