Theta Chi

Eta Alpha Chapter
Organization & Chapter History

- Nationally founded April 10th, 1856 at Norwich University
- Clemson chapter founded in 1970
- Our chapter has over 70 active brothers
- Nationally, Theta Chi has over 160 active chapters and over 185,000 current and alumni brothers
- Theta Chi was founded on the principle of friendship through the mutual assistance of every member
Philanthropy & Service

- The Theta Chi national philanthropy is the USO, which raises money for the United States’s Armed Forces.
- Our chapter holds our GI Theta Chi event every semester where teams race through an obstacle course.
- We are also involved with The Longest Day, a philanthropy that raises money for Alzheimer's research.
- We are also involved with the Walk A Mile In Their Shoes, which raises awareness for victims of Sexual Assault, as well as teaming up with Clemson ROTC to clean up the beaches on Lake Hartwell.
Events

- Parents Weekend
- Homecoming Float
- Mountain Weekend
- Beach Weekend
- Formal
- Brotherhood events (lowcountry boils, watch parties, etc.)
- Mixers & Date Functions
- Social Events
- Alumni Golf Tournament
- Spring Break
Membership Requirements

- Members are required to keep at least a 2.7 GPA to remain in “good standing” with the fraternity.
- Members are also expected to complete at least 8 hours of community service every semester, and join or sponsor a team for GI Theta Chi.
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Contact recruitment chairs for pre-rush event information!