



# Spring 2010 Newsletter

Iron Arrow 2009-2010

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## A Message from the Chief

Greetings Tribe Members:

Happy New Year! The officers and I send you and your families all the best wishes for the New Year - We look forward to making and sharing memories with you in 2010!

With this new year upon us, we look forward to all the exciting activities and events planned in the upcoming months. Besides the traditional selections and tapping days, we have planned additional activities this semester --- we will have a Family Day later this semester and we have organized Honor Courts for Women's Basketball, Men's Basketball, and Baseball throughout the semester. We will also be planning community service activities as well as social events throughout the upcoming months. Make sure to mark your calendars with the dates we have provided in this newsletter and be on the lookout for emails providing information about other events we have planned throughout the semester! You may also visit our website - [www.ironarrow.com](http://www.ironarrow.com) - for more information about upcoming events.

One exciting thing we will be initiating this semester is the Iron Arrow Lecture Series. The lecture series will feature Iron Arrow tribe members who have volunteered to present informative lectures and workshops to members of the University of Miami community and community at large. Our first lecture will take place on Monday, February 1st at 7:30PM in the Coral Gables Wellness Center Classrooms. "Nutritional and Lifestyle Guide to Cancer Prevention" will be presented by tribe member Dr. Orlando E. Silva, Director of Breast Cancer Education and Associate Professor of Clinical Medicine at the University of Miami School of Medicine. We look forward to seeing you at the lectures this semester and invite you to provide us with any feedback or suggestions regarding our first lecture or any future lectures.

Finally, I would like to thank you all for trusting and allowing me to serve as your Chief this year - It has been a wonderful and inspiring experience and I look forward to continuing to lead our tribe in 2010. It has been my goal this year for us to embrace the spirit, history, and traditions of our tribe and Alma Mater and I look forward to continuing to unite us in this purpose this year.

I invite you all to contact me with any suggestions or advice you would like to share with the officers. Please feel free to contact me anytime at 305-495-6620 or [ESDoyle052@yahoo.com](mailto:ESDoyle052@yahoo.com).

Yours in the Arrow,

Elena S. Doyle  
Chief, Iron Arrow

# Iron Arrow Member Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Were you an Officer? Y/N Position and year: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Year(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Degrees: \_\_\_\_\_

Semester/Year Tapped: \_\_\_\_\_ Semester/Year Initiated: \_\_\_\_\_

If you work at the University of Miami, please provide your Campus Address:

Department: \_\_\_\_\_ Building & Room Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Locator Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone Extention: \_\_\_\_\_

## Iron Arrow Member Invoice

| Item   | Quantity | Price (each) | Total    |
|--|----------|--------------|----------|
| *Annual Dues (2009-2010)   | 1        | \$50.00      | \$ _____ |
| *Spring Tapping Luncheon (Thursday, March 25, 2010)  | _____    | \$25.00      | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Please check here if you need a vegetarian meal                             |          |              |          |
| Please note that the Luncheon Ticket will be \$30 after March 14                                     |          |              |          |
| *Spring Initiation Breakfast (April 11, 2010)  | _____    | \$20.00      | \$ _____ |
| *Iron Arrow Polo Shirt   | _____    | \$35.00      | \$ _____ |
| *Iron Arrow Medallion  | _____    | \$20.00      | \$ _____ |
| *Iron Arrow Lapel Pin  | _____    | \$10.00      | \$ _____ |
| *Iron Arrow: A History Book  | _____    | \$25.00      | \$ _____ |
| *Leather Bound Limited Edition Book  | _____    | \$100.00     | \$ _____ |
| *Operating Expense Contribution  |          |              | \$ _____ |
| IA Endowment Fund ( <i>All donations go towards the Iron Arrow Sophomore Leadership Award</i> )      |          |              |          |
| - This requires a separate check made payable to: University of Miami - IA Endowment                 |          |              | \$ _____ |
| IA Gift Fund - This requires a separate check made payable to: University of Miami - IA Gift Account |          |              | \$ _____ |

Please include this page along with the following information in your return envelope:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Check Number \_\_\_\_\_ for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for the above \* items:

-For Polo Shirts, please include: Qty: \_\_, Size (circle one): S M L XL XXL, Color: White Black Heather Hunter Green

2. Check Number \_\_\_\_\_ for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ towards the Endowment Fund.

3. Check Number \_\_\_\_\_ for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ towards the Gift Account.

Some contributions may be tax deductible. Please check with your financial advisor.

Please make checks payable to *University of Miami - Iron Arrow*.

Credit Card Form - NOTE: DONATIONS MAY NOW BE MADE BY CREDIT CARD!

Please circle: Mastercard Visa Credit Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

I authorize Iron Arrow to charge me for the total of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for membership invoice.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## Reflections from members of the Fall 2009 Tapping Class

Drum beats....marching processions...surprise...  
jackets...orange, green, white paint....luncheon.  
Bonfire...elders...history. Study meetings....new  
people...amazing background....brownies...laughter.  
Time capsules....Tuttle...Millar...founders. 1926...  
Ashe...hurricane....cardboard university...Hail to  
the Spirit. Initiation...fears...hopes...togetherness.  
Sunrise....hugs...smiles...tears...friendships forever.....  
Alma Mater...University of Miami....Iron Arrow...  
SO VERY SPECIAL FOREVER!

- Judge Stan Blake  
(Alumni)



It took awhile to be able to articulate just how I felt after initiation. Although it was nothing but joy, pride in University of Miami and my peers, and a humbleness for having been chosen among such a group of benevolent, accomplished, and dynamic individuals, I was struck by how I had never quite felt so many things all at once in such a short span of time. For a while, I would sometimes stop to question whether it all actually happened or if it was maybe just a dream.

It was easily one of the most special weeks in my time here at UM - from tapping to initiation I had the opportunity to learn about things I'd seen often and yet rarely questioned. I was asked to step out of my law school roles, and into one that required I be resourceful in other ways. Most importantly, I have come to know such amazing people - I am a better person for the experience and I am fortunate to have shared it with those that I hope to call my friends from now on.  
- Khari Taustin (Law Student)



## NEW: Iron Arrow Lecture Series

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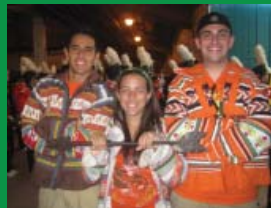
For more information on how you can get involved, or to suggest a future lecture or presenter, please contact us [ironarrow@miami.edu](mailto:ironarrow@miami.edu)

## Luncheon Speaker: Antonio T. Coley

Tony is a graduate of the University of Miami, where he earned a Bachelor of Science degree. Tony was a starting linebacker on UM's football team, which won 3 conference championships and played for 2 national titles. Tony earned numerous accolades for academics, athletics and community service. Among his honors were selections to the College Football Association's Academic All-American Team as well as to Iron Arrow. Tony also earned a place on the NCAA Good Works Team, a national award recognizing outstanding service to the community. In September of 2009, Tony was named City Executive of BB&T's Broward Region. He serves as BB&T's senior banking officer in Broward County and has direct responsibility for all of BB&T's commercial lending activities. Tony joined BB&T through its acquisition of Colonial Bank in August of 2009. Tony Coley was President & CEO of Colonial Bank's South Florida Commercial Lending Unit. Tony resides in the South Florida with his family - he has remained very active in the community, holding a seat on two local boards: Community Blood Centers of South Florida and Community Partnership for Homeless in Miami. Tony is also a United Way of Broward County Community Ambassador. We are honored to have Tony Coley as our Luncheon Speaker!



## Memorable Moments in Fall 2009



## Giving to the Tribe

Along with each level of giving, contributing members will be recognized with a designated lapel pin, along with a letter of appreciation. Please remember, contributions to the Iron Arrow Gift Account count towards your level of giving for the University of Miami. For more information, please contact [ironarrow@miami.edu](mailto:ironarrow@miami.edu)

Below are the different giving categories:

|               |                     |
|---------------|---------------------|
| Bronze Arrow  | \$50.00 - \$99.99   |
| Silver Arrow  | \$100.00 - \$249.99 |
| Gold Arrow    | \$250.00 - \$499.99 |
| Wheel of Life | \$500.00 and above  |





“He who would know the Arrow, must as an irrefutable rule, have openly and without thought of reward, shown obvious love of Alma Mater.” - The Founding Nine

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## Spring 2010 Tribal Calendar



**Iron Arrow Lecture Series:  
 Nutritional and Lifestyle Guide to  
 Cancer Prevention**  
 Monday, February 1 - 7:30PM  
 Wellness Center Classrooms


-  **Honor Court- Men's Basketball \*\***  
 Wednesday, February 10 - 7:00PM
-  **Pre-selections Meeting \***  
 Monday, February 15 - 7:00PM  
 MEA 202, McArthur Engineering Annex
-  **Honor Court- Women's Basketball \*\***  
 Sunday, February 21 - 3:00PM


**NOMINATIONS DUE!**  
 Monday, February 22nd at 5:00PM  
 [Turn in to 21-H (Attn: Gayle) or email  
 nomination to ironarrow@miami.edu]

-  **Spring Selections Meeting \***  
 Sunday, March 7 - 8:00AM  
 Wellness Center Classrooms
-  **Medical School Tappings \***  
 Week of March 22  
 Meet at the Medical Circle
-  **RSMAS Tappings \***  
 Week of March 22


 **Gables Tappings/Luncheon \***  
 Thursday, March 25  
 Tapping Day Schedule:  
 7:00AM - 12:00PM - "The Mound"  
 11:45AM - Tribal Picture at "The Mound"  
 12:30PM - Tapping Luncheon in the  
 University Center Ballrooms  
 RSVP by March 22  
 (\$25 Pre-paid/\$30 after March 14)

-  **Honor Court- Baseball \*\***  
 Saturday, April 3 - 7:00PM
-  **Spring 2010 Initiation \***  
 Saturday, April 10 - 6:00PM

 **Initiation Breakfast \***  
 Sunday, April 11

 **Elections and Business Meeting \***  
 Wednesday, April 21 - 7:00PM  
 MEA 202, McArthur Engineering Annex

 **Family Day**  
 Saturday, April 24 - Time and Location TBA

-  = Denotes that you must wear your jacket to participate
- \* = Denotes that this is a members-only event
- \*\* = Denotes that you must acquire your own ticket to event



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