

TIMELINE OF LSU'S ROCKY HISTORY WITH GREEK LIFE

'97	1997: Ben Wynne, member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon dies after heavy night of drinking with fraternity brothers to celebrate pledge night. SAE was kicked off of campus for a minimum of four years.	ΣΑΕ
'98	1998: Kappa Sigma frat kicked off campus after "barnyard party" involving cruelty to animals. One sheep died as a result of the party.	ΚΣ
'99	1999: Acacia found guilty of violating university policy after pledge was hospitalized for drinking so much he had a blood-alcohol content three times the legal limit to drive.	ACACIA
'01	2001: Kappa Alpha Psi kicked off campus after hazing incident that injured a pledge from paddling and caning enough that he had to have surgery to remove infected and dead tissue from his buttocks.	ΚΑΨ
'02		
'03	2003: Delta Chi removed from campus after hazing investigation. Separate lawsuit filed against the chapter alleged a pledge was stripped to boxer shorts in a sugar cane field, beaten and forced to inhale rubbing alcohol.	ΔΧ
'04	2003: Lambda Chi Alpha on probation for hazing, including incidents where new members were blindfolded and subjected to verbal abuse, forced to do pushups in trash, and forced to drink syrup and do other members' homework.	ΛΧΑ
'05		
'06	2006: Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity placed on interim suspension while investigated for improprieties with a goat at an initiation party. The school determined the fraternity did not violate the code of student conduct after a multimonth investigation but ordered fraternity to a two-year "introspection period"	ΔΚΕ
'07		
'08	2012: Sigma Alpha Epsilon suspended for hazing, sexual harassment and sexual misconduct and kicked off of campus until 2015.	ΣΑΕ
'09		
'10	March 2015: Acacia booted from LSU after allegations of hazing. School officials confirmed there was forced alcohol consumption and physical violence. The ban extends through at least 2018. Acacia members trashed their house before moving out.	ACACIA
'11	Dec. 2015: Sigma Chi shut down for at least three years after investigation into hazing and substance abuse.	ΣΧ
'12		
'13	March 2016: Lambda Chi Alpha on probation through 2019 by university, with restrictions on social events and recruiting. Hazing allegations included withholding medication and forcing sleep deprivation on pledges.	ΛΧΑ
'14	Feb. 2017: Kappa Sigma's national organization purges members from LSU fraternity after undertaking its own investigation. No information was provided about what violations occurred. LSU also announced five other fraternities were suspended.	ΚΣ
'15		
'16	Sept. 2017: Max Gruver, 18, died Thursday morning at the hospital. LSU officials confirm it is being investigated as a hazing incident involving alcohol. The incident is still under investigation. Phi Delta Theta is suspended by both university and national chapter.	ΦΔΘ
'17		
'18	Feb. 14, 2019: Nine members of LSU's now-closed Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity are arrested on hazing-related allegations. Arrest reports say some pledges, in the fall semester of 2018, were urinated on while lying face down on a basketball court covered with glass. Others were doused with gasoline, kicked with steel-toed boots and beaten with a metal pipe. DKE's national organization closed the LSU chapter last month.	ΔΚΕ
'19		

Notes: Based on news reports. Not completely comprehensive of all Greek discipline at LSU.