



UNITED STATES AMBASSADORS...FORGING FUTURE RELATIONSHIPS

Gamma Upsilon Graduate Chapter making a difference through military connections

OPERATION SCHOOL SUPPLIES is an outreach program supported by the men and women assigned to Kirkuk Regional Air Base and FOB WARRIOR in Iraq. Our Soldiers, Sailors, Marines, Airmen, and civilian contractors communicate the needs to their families, friends and organizations back home in order to make a



difference and win the hearts and minds of the Iraqi youth. When the donations arrive, they are packaged and distributed to the needy school children of Iraq. The 22d Logistics Readiness Squadron, the unit of Major(s) Johari Hemphill, who is a member of Gamma Upsilon, was requested to assist several new schools in the Northern part of Iraq to insure a viable education avenue. Bro. Hemphill took this opportunity and presented it to the brothers of the Chapter, who wholeheartedly supported this effort. These supplies will build strong, positive relationships across many generations of Iraqi families and our assistance is a partnership with us in building a brighter future for our friends here.

Gamma Upsilon has members who are active duty and have others who have faithfully serviced out great nation in all branches of military service. We would rather educate the youth of any country rather than destroy their country and not leave them with any hope. As we know in the United States our youth are the key to a vibrant future, however the only way to solidify



(l-r) Bro. Gray, Bro. Shaver, Bro. Willis, Bro. Duckett and Bro. Hemphill.

this is to provide them with a good education. The brothers of Gamma Upsilon wanted to do their part, therefore we provided school supplies that included: round-end scissors, metric rulers, pencil sharpeners, color pencils, 2-part folders, construction paper and color

markers. These items that most of parents buy for their children each school year without debate are not items

that most families in Iraq can afford nor have the opportunity to provide. These gestures by the brothers of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc are small peace treaties for the future of the world.

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