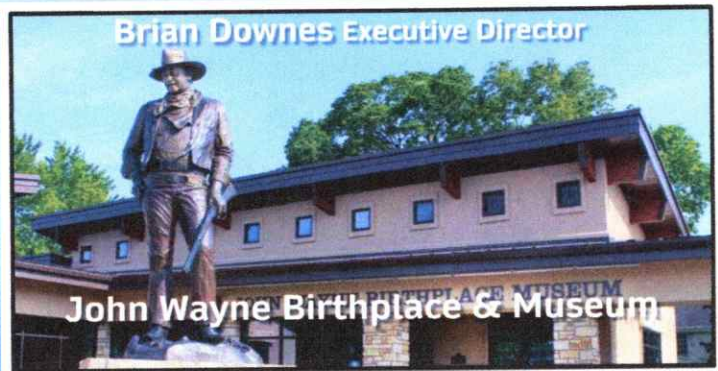


# John Wayne Sigma Chi Memorial Campaign

## The Monuments and Memorials of Sigma Chi



The Campaign's Mission is to forever preserve the legacy of one of the Fraternity's most prominent and acclaimed alumni at the Birthplace Home and Museum of John Wayne — American Icon.

There is nothing about Duke being a member of Sigma Chi Fraternity at this well patronized Museum. Museum Policy is that all memorabilia be restricted to the life and legend of John Wayne.

This Campaign's success will ordain the everlasting Bond of Brotherhood of John Wayne to Sigma Chi at his Birthplace Museum. For in perpetuity Sigma Chi will become eminently known at the Museum by the following:

- ✚ Sigma Chi will own naming rights to the Courtyard Plaza that fronts the Museum. The Plaza features an imposing one hundred-seventy-five-thousand-dollar **bronze of Duke** donated by the family of John Wayne.
- ✚ Included will be a robust display of John Wayne Sigma Chi memorabilia and collectibles from Sigma Chi Fraternity, its alumni, friends, and families in the Museum galleries.
- ✚ The name of every Founder Level donor will be included on the Museum's Donor Board. The names of these brothers will forever enshrine John Wayne as a Sigma Chi at his Birthplace Museum.
- ✚ Every Founder Level donor will receive a personally signed letter from Brian Downes, Executive Director and Curator of the Museum. Brian personally knew Duke. In 1977 Brian was John Wayne's personal guest at Duke's home in Newport Beach, California.

There have been many examples of the American Dream in our history. Very few will rival this true-to-life Horatio Alger story of the ex-newspaper carrier, ex-football player, ex-prop man, and USC dropout who became an Internationally distinguished Icon of the 21<sup>st</sup> century. **John Wayne — American**

**Brother Marion Robert Morrison / Significant Sig John Wayne - "All Honor to His Name"**

**Campaign Chairs — John Wayne Birthplace Memorial Campaign**

Campaign Alumni leadership:

*Kenneth L. Way*  
**Michigan State University**, Gamma Psi 1961  
**Lead Donor**, White Cross Trust, Significant Sig

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