



Itza New! Itza Here! Itza Pizza!

by Cathy Brown
Staff Reporter

Are you tired of walking all the way to Johnson Hall for a pizza and suddenly realizing you left your money back in your room? Well, starting Sunday night (Sept. 8), you can order a fresh, hot pizza from Itza - Pizza Shop! The new shop is located on Meredith's own campus in the Greenhouse Cafe. Itza Pizza will deliver directly to your very own dorm room!

The pizzas are made to order and are created with only fresh ingredients. They are available in 2 sizes - 12 inch and 16 inch. Fresh toppings for these pizzas in-

clude cheese, hamburger, sausage, and pepperoni. Two sizes of drinks are available to go along with your fresh hot treat!

The Head of Food Services, Connie Branch, feels the new pizza shop will be a huge success. The new promotion is in association with ARA Services.

Keep the extension to the Greenhouse by your phone! The extension for on-campus calls is 8328. The Itza Pizza Shop will operate from 6:00 to 11:00 p.m. Sunday through Thursday nights. Get ready for a fantastic new taste at a fantastic price!

Funny Name

Great Pizza

"Straight Up"

Bartender Offers Advice

by Cynthia L. Church
Co-editor

Many college students don't share their problems with a bartender because of the upbeat atmosphere. Usually the extent of the conversation is ordering a drink. However, at bars with a relaxed atmosphere seeking a bartender's advice is not foreign.

Beginning this week, *The Twig* will feature "Straight up with Steven the Bar-

tender." Like - Dear Abby, Steven J. Austin's column is an advice column, but with a different twist.

Austin was raised in New York and attended college there. Prior to moving to North Carolina in 1980, he lived in Florida. It was in North Carolina, at UNC-CH, that he met his wife Susan.

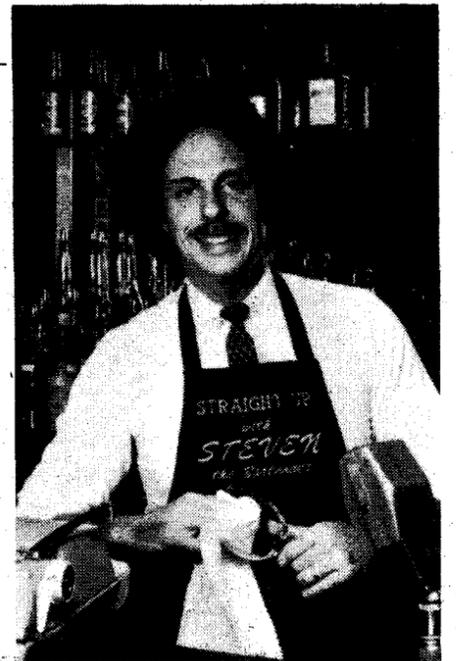
"Straight Up" began in September 1982 in *The High Point Enterprise*. Unlike other advice columnists, Austin extended

his image to radio, TV, and public speaking. He has been a guest on "hundreds of TV and radio shows nationwide" including DONAHUE and Merv Griffin.

As a bartender, Austin realizes the importance of not abusing alcohol and it is for this reason that he has worked closely with private and government groups to promote "safe and sane alcohol consumption."

Austin's column appears in publications around the country. Three college newspapers are currently running "Straight Up" — *The Daily Tar Heel*, (where it began last year), *The Technician* and *The Twig*.

If you have any questions or problems you would like answered, write to "Steven the Bartender", in care of *The Twig*.



Steve Austin
Bartender

The Threat Freshmen Pose to Fraternities

by Beth Blankenship
Co-editor

RUSH! That word conjures up thoughts of Greeks, frat rats, gatoring, and alcohol. It is once again time for fraternity rush, not only in Raleigh but in most colleges in the state.

A law enacted last year now makes it illegal for those under 19 years of age to drink any kind of alcoholic beverages.

This poses a special problem for fraternities because so many people are walking up and down the row, and in and out of houses, that it makes it difficult to keep underage people out.

Fraternities are forced to take precau-

tions in order to retain their alcohol license.

The Sigma Alpha Mu house thinks it has a system that is working effectively. "We set up a table at the doors," says SAM little sister Laurie Hastings, "and no one is permitted inside without showing the proper ID."

"They are then stamped and allowed to go in. No one gets in without proper ID."

Hastings explained that there are ABC officers who come to the frats working undercover.

Mr. Randy Knight, Deputy Director of the ALEH of the Crime Commission said that undercover officers are very seldom

sent in.

"We work mainly with the campus police," Knight said.

"I may," continued Knight, "get some complaints now that new students are coming in."

Knight commended most of the fraternities for implementing safeguards such as the ones taken by SAM.

For fraternities, however, who do not take such precautions the penalty is stiff.

A.W. Turner, Jr., attorney for the Alcohol Beverage Commission said that if a fraternity is caught serving alcohol to underage people they are brought before the board for discipline. "The board,"

Turner said, "holds hearings as if in a courtroom."

"If this is a repeated violation, the establishment (the fraternity) would lose its license."

If an establishment loses its license, it must wait three years before it is eligible to reapply.

The penalty for those caught using a fake ID is even more severe.

"In this case," Turner said, "the offense is treated as a general misdemeanor. The offender can get up to two years in prison or be served with an unlimited fine."

Best Frat Contest Winner

WHY GO SIGMA CHI?

NOTE: *The TWIG* would like to extend our many congratulations to the winners of the "Best Frat Contest; Sigma Chi.

The SIGMA CHI FRATERNITY was founded on the principle that friendship among members, sharing a common belief in an ideal, and possessing different temperaments, talents, and convictions is superior to friendship among members having the same temperaments, talents, and convictions. Sigma Chi believes genuine friendship can be maintained without surrendering the principle of individuality or sacrificing one's personal judgment.

Association with a fraternity provides a basis for friendships outside the Meredith Community. Fraternities also pro-

vide for growth as an individual. Sigma Chi not only sponsors social events, they also have a variety of other activities to serve the community. Some of these include: Derby Days to raise money for Cerebral Palsy (last year they raised over \$10,000), Bloodmobiles, sponsors for the Wallace Village for Handicapped Children in the Raleigh area.

Sigma Chi has also earned the respect and admiration of their fellow Greeks through the Interfraternity Council in which they held the presidency for two years.

The Brothers and Little Sigmas of the Sigma Chi Fraternity are genuine and sincere. I am proud to be associated with this organization and treasure the friends I have made.

Sigma Chi Rush Schedule

Tuesday, 3
Burgers on the Beach
5:00

Wednesday, 4
Formal Dinner
Speaker

Friday, 6
Caribbean Casino
Cruise

Saturday, 7
Midnight in the
Bahamas

Tuesday, 10
Little Sister
Laua

Friday, 13
Titanic Party