

One-of-a-Kind Bingo

This is	An activity in which participants share little know facts about each other.
The purpose is	To think more deeply about yourself and get to know others in your chapter.
Use this when	You need an ice-breaker or have a large amount of new members at your meeting.
Materials you'll need	Pens/markers and paper A small prize or two
Here's how	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Each participant receives a piece of paper and a pen. • Fold the paper in half, then in half again, then in half one more time in order to come up with 8 squares. • In each square try to think about and write down something that is unique about you and you know that no one else in the room has owned or experienced. You have 10 minutes. • Next, give the group 10 minutes to mingle and find someone else in the room who can match something on your sheet. Have that person sign his/her name next to that item. See who can fill up the most boxes. • After the 10 minutes are up, have group members share a few of their boxes.
Ask these questions	<p>Who was able to find a match for all 8 boxes, 7 boxes, 6 boxes, etc.?</p> <p>Who had no matches at all?</p> <p>Who thinks they have the most unique item in one of their boxes?</p> <p>Please share</p> <p>Why is creativity, diversity, and a variety of life experiences important to our chapter?</p>
Tips for success	<p>Award a prize to someone who had the most boxes signed.</p> <p>Award a prize to someone who had the most unique item in a box.</p> <p>Remind participants that these must be real-life experiences or belongings.</p> <p>If someone has a unique talent, have him/her demonstrate it for the group.</p> <p>Discuss the diversity of the group and the importance of respecting everyone.</p>
Try these variations	<p>You can use four squares on your paper instead of 8.</p> <p>Give the group more or less time depending on the size of your chapter meeting.</p> <p>Include your chapter advisor!</p>