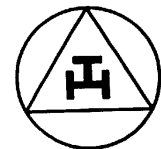
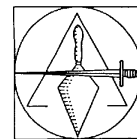
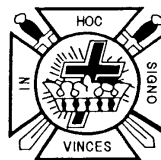


San Diego York Rite

Newsletter

SEPTEMBER 1, 2007



San Diego Chapter No. 61 held an excellent reception for Most Excellent Grand High Priest, Jerrold Wohlfarth on Thursday August 23, 2007. It was very well attended by various masonic groups, i.e., York and Scottish Rites.

San Diego Commandery No. 25 presented a York Rite Information Night on Tuesday, August 28, 2007 at the Scottish Rite Center [Morrison Lodge Room]. Sir Knight Jerry Wohlfarth, Grand High Priest, presented a talk on Royal Arch Masonry; Sir Knight Greg Maizlish talked about Cryptic Masonry; and Sir Knight Gary Miller [P.C.], Deputy Grand Commander talked on Knights Templary. A great thank you for their participation. There were approximately 30 persons in attendance with approximately 6 interested and eligible candidates for York Rite Masonry. Light refreshments were served afterward.

Fall York Rite Festival

The Royal Arch Degrees will be conferred on Saturday September 15th at Tyre Chapter No. 130 at the Escondido Masonic Center in Escondido commencing at 8 am. San Diego Chapter No. 61 will assist in the conferrals.

The Cryptic Degrees will be conferred on Wednesday September 19, 2007 commencing at 7

pm at the San Diego Scottish Rite Center by San Diego Council No. 23. They will be assisted by Helix Council No. 58.

The Orders of the Temple will be conferred on Saturday September 22, 2007 at the San Diego Scottish Rite Center commencing at 9 am. San Diego Commandery No. 25 will confer the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross; Riverside Commandery No. 28 will confer the Mediterranean Pass and the Order of Malta; and St. Bernard Commandery No. 23 of San Bernardino will confer the Order of the Temple.

San Diego York Rite Website

San Diego Commandery has launched a York Rite web site. It is ably tended by our Sir Knight Pat Wohlrabe. It is hoped that it will serve to inform not only our members and brothers in masonry, but also serve to inform the interested public of our presence and to give out general information that may induce others to join the Rite, or join masonry in order to join the Rite.

The site can be reached at yorkritesandiego.org. You are encouraged to visit the site and send any comments, suggestions or questions to the webmaster, Sir Knight Pat Wohlrabe, or communicate with the heads of bodies or secretaries directly.

Fall 2007 Schedule for York Rite Degrees and Orders: THE FALL FESTIVAL WILL COMMENCE AT ESCONDIDO WITH THE CONFERRAL OF THE ROYAL ARCH DEGREES ON SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 15TH AT 8:00 AM. THE CRYPTIC DEGREES WILL BE CONFERRED ON WEDNESDAY EVENING, 19 SEPTEMBER AT THE SCOTTISH RITE CENTER IN MISSION VALLEY. THE ORDERS OF THE TEMPLE WILL BE ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2007 AT THE SCOTTISH RITE CENTER IN MISSION VALLEY COMMENCING AT 9 AM.

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STATED CONVOCATION: Fourth Thursday, 7:30 pm
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15 Sept. 2007: Sat. 8:00 R.A. Degrees in Escondido, Ca
 27 Sept. 2007: Thurs. 6:00 pm Dinner
 7:00 pm Reception/Stated Convocation

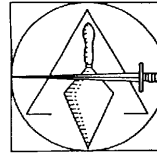
Companions:

San Diego Chapter hosted a reception for the Most Excellent Companion Jerrold A. Wohlfarth, Grand High Priest of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, State of California, on the 23rd of August. The event was well attended and it was a pleasure to have our Grand High Priest and his Lady, Norma, visit the Chapter and to hear his positive message about Royal Arch Masonry in California. He also recognized a few of San Diego Chapter's finest. PHP, Arnold Korey received the Meritorious Service Award for his untiring efforts in facilitating the consolidations last year. Dick Bullard, Chad Snyder, Jose De Luna and Beverly Lynn received the Keystone Award. The Keystone is a new award designed to recognize those hard working individuals that do so much to help Royal Arch Masonry and it is only presented by the Grand High Priest. I would like to thank all the Companions and Ladies that did so much to make this event a success.

Our Fall Festival is quickly approaching and our degree team is working hard to ensure we are ready to confer the Royal Arch Degree. The Festival will be held in Escondido on Saturday, September 15th and will start at 8:00AM. Please mark your calendars and plan to attend.

Lastly, our annual election of Officers will take place at our September, 27th meeting. I look forward to seeing you there as we select the Companions that will lead San Diego Chapter in 2008.

Sincerely and Fraternally
 Rick Baskin
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SAN DIEGO COUNCIL NO. 23
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19 Sept. 2007: Wed.: 7:00 pm Cryptic Degrees conferral S.D. Scottish Rite Ctr.
 27 Sept. 2007: Thurs: 6:00 pm Dinner at S.D. Scottish Rite Center
 8:00 pm Stated Assembly at S.D. Scottish Rite Center
 after S.D. Chapter #61 closes

Companions:

The Fall York Rite Festival is upon us. The Cryptic Degrees will be conferred in San Diego at the Scottish Rite Center on September 19th at 7PM. Please come out and support your Council and welcome our new companions.

Our next Stated Assembly is on September 27, 2007, immediately after the Stated Convocation of San Diego Chapter #61. There will be a dinner preceding these meetings, which I hope you all can attend. Please be sure to let Illustrious Companion Fred Kleyn know if you will be attending so we can give the caterers an accurate count. This will be our annual election meeting, where we will be electing the officers for 2008. Please come and support the Council, and if you are interested in holding office next year, please let me know.

Finally, I would like to congratulate the companions who Attended the Super Excellent Master degree in Pasadena on August 25th. We had a great group from San Diego Council go up for the degree, and Omega Council did a fantastic job putting it on. I would encourage all of you who have yet to go through this degree to do so at your earliest convenience. It is truly one of the most impressive degrees in Masonry.

Fraternally,
 Chad T. Snyder
 Illustrious Master



STATED CONCLAVE: Second Tuesday, 7:00 PM
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COMMANDERY SCHEDULE

04 SEPT: TUES. 7:00 PM NEWLSTTER PARTY/PRACTICE
11 SEPT: TUES. 7:00 PM STATED CONCLAVE
18 SEPT: TUES. 7:00 PM PRACTICE ILL. ORDER OF THE RED CROSS
22 SEPT: SAT. 9:00 AM CONFER ORDERS OF THE TEMPLE
25 SEPT: TUES. 7:00 PM NEWLSTTER PARTY/PRACTICE

Dear Sir Knights :

On Tuesday, August 28, 2007 at 7:00 p.m. in the Morrison Room at the Scottish Rite Center, we presented a York Rite Information Night to Masons and non-Masons. It was attended by approximately 30 persons, with approximately 6 showing great interest in York Rite Masonry. We hope to see these brothers in our ranks soon.

I wish to thank Most Excellent Companion Jerry Wohlfarth, Grand High Priest of Royal Arch Masons in California [and also our Generalissimo], and Very Eminent Gary Miller [Past Commander of this Commandery], Deputy Grand Commander of Knights Templar in the State of California for their excellent participation in the Information Night.

We will be conferring the Orders of the Temple on all eligible candidates on Saturday September 22, 2007 commencing at 9 am. San Diego Commandery will confer the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross; Riverside Commandery will confer the Mediterranean Pass and Order of Malta; San Bernardino Commandery will confer the Order of the Temple.

I urge all sir Knights to attend the Royal Arch and Cryptic degree conferrals this month to show prospective candidates the unity that exists in York Rite Masonry, and to encourage them to become Knights Templar.

I urge all Companions and Sir Knights to visit our web site at yorkritesandiego.org Please post any comments to the webmaster and help him better serve our beloved Rite.

Yours In The Faith,
Greg Maizlish, Commander

Note

If you are a caregiver for a recipient of this newsletter, who has moved or is in the process of moving, or he is no longer living, please notify any of the recorders or secretaries listed in this newsletter and advise them of the changes and/or the date of demise and next of kin. Thank you.

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Companion Knights

Our next meeting will be announced in ample time.

Sincerely & Fraternally,
 David C. Hollowell
 Preeminent Governor

YORK RITE NEWSLETTER COMPOSITE CALENDAR
SEPTEMBER 2007 SCHEDULE

- 04 SEPT: TUES. 6:00 PM COMMANDERY #25 NEWSLETTER/PRACTICE
- 11 SEPT: TUES. 7:00 PM COMMANDERY #25 STATED CONCLAVE
- 15 SEPT: SAT. 8:00 AM R.A. DEGREES CONFERRAL AT ESCONDIDO
- 18 SEPT: SAT. 7:00 PM COMMANDERY #25 PRACTICE ILLUSTRIOUS ORDER OF THE RED CROSS
- 19 SEPT: WED. 7:00 PM CONFER CRYPTIC DEGREES AT S.D. SCOT TISH RITE CENTER
- 22 SEPT: SAT. 9:00 AM ORDERS OF THE TEMPLE AT S.D. SCOT TISH RITE CENTER
- 25 SEPT: TUES. 7:00 PM #25 PRACTICE ADVANCE STATIONS
- 27 SEPT: THURS. 6:00 PM DINNER CHAPTER 61/COUNCIL 23
 7:00 PM STATED CONCLAVE/STATED ASSEMBLY

A quote from the *York Rite of Free Masons* pamphlet:

*“ . . . Thus the Masonic Orders of Christian Knighthood are the logical outcome of the Christian Mason’s belief in Christ as Lion of the tribe of Judah, whose hand will raise the dead to life and in whose Holy Name the True Word is found and restored at last - **In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.**”*

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