Iowa News for February 2023



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Knightly Greetings from Iowa:

Today I write about up coming events here in Iowa. First, there is a York Rite school of instruction at the Des Moines Scottish Rite Consistory 519 Park St Sat Feb 4th, all day.

Second, there will be Chapter & Council degrees at Spencer on Sat June 24th, all day.

Third, the Commandery orders will be Sat August 5th at Spencer, all day.

Please check the calendar for starting times. If you have a candidate who needs the work, get them signed up by contacting Grand Recorder Tim Anderson at <u>eauto3gmail.com</u>.

For those of you who can attend, you are most welcome. You can always learn more and pick up lessons missed or not fully understood each time you experience the work. Forth, the Chapter & Council degrees and orders will be presented at a York Rite festival at the Des Moines Scottish Rite consistory on Sat Mar 25.

Bring on the Candidates! Fifth, Commandery Orders will be Sat May 6th 9:00 AM at the Des Moines Consistory.

Sixth, The Combined Iowa Grand York Rite sessions will be held May 31st-Jun 3rd at Honey Creek Resort, a part of Lake Rathbun near Moravia. This is the first time for Iowa to conduct joint sessions.

The setting is beautiful, there is boating, out door activities and golf available on site. Ladies program and meals to be determined. To book your room call Vanesa Deitz at 641 724 1406.

Committees will meet Wed, Chapter on Thu with tail gate supper in the evening, Commandery on Fri with joint banquet in the evening and Council on Sat. More information such as meals, ladies program and daily schedule will soon be announced. Lawrence Tucker, Grand Recorder, Grand Encampment of Knights Templar, will be one of our honored guests. I am happily looking forward to ALL of these events.