

GRAND YORK RITE OF MISSOURI
2019 Annual Grand Sessions
Capitol Plaza Hotel, Jefferson City, Missouri
GRAND SESSION DRAFT SCHEDULE

Tuesday, June 4, 2019

Vendor will be on site for the whole event, Wednesday through Saturday, second floor,
Springfield room

- 3:00 p.m. Early Registration (Credentials Committee) – All 3 Bodies – until 6:00 pm (*Atrium*)
4:00 p.m. Hotel Pre-Con Meeting – open to 2018-2019 and 2019-2020 Heads of Bodies and their
Ladies (*Jefferson A*)
7:30 p.m. Tall Cedars of Lebanon – Members Only (*Lincoln*)

Wednesday, June 5, 2019

- 6:30 a.m. Breakfast – On Your Own
7:00 a.m. Registration (Credentials Committee) – Chapter, Council and Commandery – until 10:30
am (*Atrium*)
8:45 a.m. Flag Presentation by Heroes of '76/Pledge/Anthem (*Capitol/Truman*)
9:00 a.m. Grand Council Reception of Distinguished Guests – Open to Ladies and Guests
(*Capitol/Truman*)
Introduction of the Grand Lecturer and the Regional Deputy Grand Lecturers
Introduction of the Regional Deputy Grand Masters
Introduction of the 2018-2019 Grand Council Officers
Brief Welcoming Comments by the Grand Master
Reception of the Past Grand Masters of Missouri
Reception of the Out of State Grand Council Officers
Recognition of the Grand Representatives
Reception of Heads of Missouri York Rite Bodies
Reception of National Body Representatives
Reception of the General Grand Council Officers
Reception of the General Grand Master or Representative & brief remarks
Reception of the Grand Lodge Officers
Reception of the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Missouri & brief remarks
Summary Address of the Grand Master
Necrology: Part of the Grand Master's Address
Grand Chorister Presentation (or as determined by GM)
Dismissal of the Ladies and the Non-Member Guests
10:15 a.m. Formal Opening of the 154th Annual Assembly of the Grand Council of Cryptic Masons
of the State of Missouri (*Capitol/Truman*)
Preliminary Report of the Credentials Committee
10:30 a.m. Election of the 2019-2020 Grand Council Officers
Report of the Committee on the Grand Master's Address
Report of the Jurisprudence Committee
Report of the Finance Committee
Report of the Grand Treasurer
Report of the Grand Recorder
Routine Business & Additional Committee Reports (as needed)

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- Report of the Election Committee
Acceptance of the Grand Council Officers Elect
Report of the Grand Master Elect – w/Appointments
Report of the Committee on Time and Place
Address of the General Grand Master or Representative
Address of the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Missouri
11:45 p.m. Grand Council Closed or Called from Labor until 3:00 pm
12:00 p.m. Grand Council Lunch and Learn – Open to All – Special Guest Speaker (*Lincoln*)
1:30 p.m. Order of the Silver Trowel (*Missouri*)
3:00 p.m. Grand Council Resumes Labor (concludes remaining business, if any)
All Grand Council Awards will be given at the Friday Grand York Rite Banquet
3:30 p.m. Installation of the 2019-2020 Grand Council Officers, Open to Ladies and Guests
4:30 p.m. Close of the 154th Annual Assembly of the Grand Council of Cryptic Masons of the State
of Missouri
Pictures
6:30 p.m. Rat Pack Dinner/Entertainment – Open Seating w/Cash Bar, Dinner @ 7:00 p.m.
(*Missouri*)
9:30 p.m. “Old Goats” Meeting (Past Grand High Priests) (*Joplin Room*)

Thursday, June 6, 2019

- 6:30 a.m. Red Cross of Constantine Breakfast Meeting – Members Only (*Lincoln*)
Others, Breakfast – On Your Own
7:00 a.m. Registration (Credentials Committee) – Chapter and Commandery – until 10:30 am
(*Atrium*)
8:00 a.m. Annual Meeting of Palmyra Historical Chapter No. 2 – Open to All Royal Arch Masons
(*Capitol/Truman*)
9:00 a.m. Grand Chapter Reception of Distinguished Guests – Open to Ladies and Guests
(*Capitol/Truman*)
Introduction of the Grand Lecturer and the District Deputy Grand Lecturers
Introduction of the District Deputy Grand High Priests
Introduction of the 2018-2019 Grand Chapter Officers
Brief Welcoming Comments by the Grand High Priest
Reception of the Past Grand High Priests of Missouri
Reception of the Out of State Grand Chapter Officers
Recognition of the Grand Representatives
Reception of Heads of Missouri York Rite Bodies
Reception of National Body Representatives
Reception of the General Grand Chapter Officers
Reception of the General Grand High Priest or Representative & brief remarks
Reception of Grand Lodge Officers
Reception of the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Missouri & brief remarks

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- Summary Address of the Grand High Priest
Necrology: Part of the Grand High Priest's Address
Grand Chorister Presentation (or as determined by GHP)
Dismissal of the Ladies and Non-Member Guests
- 10:15 a.m. Formal Opening of the 173rd Annual Convocation of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch
Masons of the State of Missouri
- 10:30 a.m. Preliminary Report of the Credentials Committee
Election of the 2019-2020 Grand Chapter Officers
Report of the Committee on the Address of the Grand High Priest
Report of the Jurisprudence Committee
Report of the Finance Committee Report of the Grand Treasurer
Report of the Grand Secretary
Routine Business & Additional Committee Reports (as needed)
Report of the Election Committee
Acceptance of the Grand Chapter Officers Elect
Report of the Grand High Priest Elect – w/Appointments
Report of the Committee on Time and Place
Address of the General Grand High Priest or Representative
Address of the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Missouri or Representative
- 12:00 p.m. Grand Chapter Closed or Called from Labor until 3:00 p.m.
- 12:00 p.m. Lunch Sponsored by Yeomen of York – Open to All – Special Presentation by Coyote
Hill Christian Children's Home (*Lincoln*)
- 1:30 p.m. Order of High Priesthood (*Missouri*)
- 3:00 p.m. Grand Chapter Resumes Labor (concludes remaining business, if any)
All Grand Chapter Awards will be given at the Friday Grand York Rite Banquet
- 3:30 p.m. Installation of the 2019-2020 Grand Chapter Officers – Open to Ladies and Guests
- 4:30 p.m. Close of the 173rd Annual Convocation of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of
the State of Missouri
Pictures
- 6:30 p.m. Distinguished Guests Banquet/Entertainment – Cash Bar – Open to All (*Jefferson and
Missouri*)
- 9:00 p.m. Grand Commandery Practice – Grand Line Officers (*Capitol/Truman*)
- 9:30 p.m. "Old Buzzards" Meeting (*Joplin Room*)

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Friday, June 7, 2019

- 6:30 a.m. KYCH Breakfast Meeting – Members Only (*Lincoln*)
Others, Breakfast – On Your Own
- 7:00 a.m. Registration - Commandery only – until 10:30 am (*Atrium*)
- 8:30 a.m. Opening Ceremonies and Reception of Distinguished Guests – Open to Ladies and Guests
(*Capitol/Truman*)
Formal Opening of the 158th Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery of Knights
Templar of the State of Missouri
Roll Call and Introduction of the 2018-2019 Grand Commandery Officers
Recognition of the Grand Representatives
Reception of the Regional Grand Commanders
Reception of the Past Grand Commanders of Missouri
Reception of the Out of State Grand Commandery Officers
Reception of Heads of Missouri York Rite Bodies
Reception of National Body Representatives
Reception of the Grand Encampment Officers
Reception of the Grand Master of the Grand Encampment or Representative & brief remarks
Reception of Grand Lodge Officers
Reception of the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Missouri & brief remarks
Summary Address of the Grand Commander
Necrology: Part of the Grand Commander’s Address
Grand Chorister Presentation
Holy Land Pilgrimage Presentation
Dismissal of the Ladies and the Non-Member Guests
- 9:30 a.m. Formal Reconvening of the 158th Annual Conclave of Missouri
Preliminary Report of the Credentials Committee
Report of the Committee on the Address of the Grand Commander
Report of the Jurisprudence Committee
Report of the Finance Committee
Report of the Grand Treasurer
Report of the Grand Recorder
Routine Business & Additional Committee Reports (as needed)
- 10:30 a.m. Election of the 2019-2020 Grand Commandery Officers
Report of the Election Committee
Acceptance of the Grand Commandery Officers Elect
Report of the Grand Commander Elect – w/Appointments
Report of the Committee on Time and Place
Address of the Grand Master of the Grand Encampment or Representative
Address of Grand Master of Grand Lodge or his Representative
- 11:45 a.m. Grand Commandery Called from Labor until 3:00 pm
- 12:00 p.m. Lunch Sponsored by Tall Cedars of Lebanon – Open to All (*Carnegie*)
- 12:00 p.m. Knights Templar Education Foundation Committee Lunch Meeting – Committee
Members only (*Joplin*)

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- 1:30 p.m. Past Commander's Association (*Missouri*)
3:00 p.m. Grand Commandery Resumes Labor – (concludes remaining business, if any) All Grand Commandery Awards will be given at the Friday Grand York Rite Banquet
3:30 p.m. Installation of the 2019-2020 Grand Commandery Officers
4:30 p.m. 158th Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of the State of Missouri Called from Labor
Pictures
6:00 p.m. Grand Officer Reception – Meet and Greet – Open to All (*Atrium*)
6:30 p.m. Open Seating for Banquet – Grand Officers Line Up (*outside Jefferson/Missouri*)
6:45 p.m. Introduction of Grand York Rite Officers
7:00 p.m. Grand York Rite Awards Banquet – Cash Bar – Open to All (*Jefferson/Missouri*)

Saturday, June 8, 2019

- 7:00 a.m. Breakfast - On Your Own
7:00 a.m. Formation of Drill Committee and Drill Judges (*Capital/Truman*)
Drill Team Waiting Room (*Missouri*)
Drill Team Practice Room (*Jefferson – priority according to who drills first*)
8:00 a.m. Grand Commandery of Missouri Asylum Drill Competition – Open to All (*Capitol/Truman*)
12:30 p.m. Missouri Lodge of Research Lunch & Lecture – Open to All (*Lincoln*)
3:00 p.m. Drill Committee Meeting – Members only (*Joplin*)
3:00 p.m. Grand Preceptory of Yeomen of York Meeting – Members Only (*Carnegie*)
5:30 p.m. Open Seating (*Jefferson*)
6:00 p.m. Family Fun Night Dinner/Entertainment (Magic Show) – Open to All (*Jefferson*)
Drawing for Raffle Winners
Drill Competition Awards Presentation

Sunday, June 9, 2019

- 8:00 a.m. Worship Service - Open to All (*Missouri*)
9:00 a.m. Grand Officers Breakfast – Open to all Past/Present Grand Officers, Deputy/Regional Grand Officers, Distinguished/Out of State Guests and their Ladies (*Lincoln*)
11:00 a.m. Hotel Post-Con Meeting – open to 2018-2019 and 2019-2020 Heads of Bodies and their Ladies (*Jefferson A*)