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MISSOURI PRIORY NO. 17 KNIGHTS OF THE YORK CROSS OF HONOUR

Minutes, June 8, 2024

Following the 6:30 a.m. breakfast at the University Plaza Hotel in Springfield, Missouri, the meeting was opened with the following officers present:

Prior pro-tem..... Loren Dale Lloyd
Deputy Prior pro-tem Michael Edward Day, PP
Registrar Kevin Brian Sample, PP
Warder..... William Clyde Woolsey
Prelate Aaron Michael Shoemaker
Orator Harold Franklin Coots
Herald pro-tem William Gene Snyder, PP

The opening prayer was offered by Knight Shoemaker. There were a total of 46 members and guests in attendance. Visitors were Knight Robert Milton Loflin – Past Prior of Texican Priory No. 78; Knight John Lewis Logan – Past Prior of Oklahoma Priory No. 9; Knight Duane Lee Vaught – Past Prior of Robert A. Woods Priory No. 62; Knight Michael Arnold Watts of Louisiana Priory No. 43; and Camille Joseph (Buddy) Guidry, Jr. of Louisiana Priory No. 43 were introduced and welcomed. Although not really a guest, Knight Rusty Martin Ludlam – Registrar of Door-to-Virtue Priory No. 78 in Jacksonville, FL was also present.

Eminent Prior Lloyd called for the election of candidates. All of the proposed candidates were elected to membership:

NAME OF CANDIDATE	CITY	NAME OF PROPOSER(S)
Bell, Frank Owen	Smithton	Wasson
Davis, Brian Eric	Palmyra	McGregor
Emile-Ergas, Laurent Paul	Kansas City	MacCormick
Estright, Michael Joseph	Waynesville	Eberharter, Fryer
Iwanow, Adam Michael	Warrenton	Young
Schneider, Kyle Leigh	Palmyra	McGregor
Schroff, Nikolaus Alexander	Kirksville	Young
Story, Christopher Leroy	Springfield	Anderson, Day, McManigle, Smittle
Townley, Jr., Ronald Lee	St. James	Fryer

The minutes of the July 15, 2023 Annual Meeting and the Financial Report will be presented at the July 20, 2024 Annual Meeting.

Regrets were received from Eminent Prior Brown who was off getting installed as the Most Illustrious Grand Sovereign in the United Grand Imperial Council of the Red Cross of Constantine, and Knight Smothers sent his regrets to everyone except the Registrar, due to some weather and contractors or something sketchy like that. Knight Schlichter also sent his regrets due to health issues and travel restrictions.

Eminent Prior pro-tem Lloyd called for the report of the Nominating Committee. Knight Snyder provided the report, recommending advancement of the line of officers, recommending Knight Jerry Lynn Miles as Harold. A motion was made and seconded to accept the report of the Nominating Committee and the motion was unanimously approved. All of the officers present accepted.

Knight Lloyd did a good job of hocking Eminent Prior Brown's coins and the Registrar made available the new rituals.

The Registrar reminded the By-Laws and Audit Committee of their need to report at the Annual meeting.

No further business remaining, the Priory was closed in short form at 7:40 a.m.

Fraternally submitted,
Kevin B. Sample, Registrar/Treasurer