



WASHINGTON DEMOLAY'S Billboard Brotherhood

Making the Impossible, POSSIBLE

2014-2015

February 16th, 2015 Issue

Washington DeMolay and the Fellowship presents

STATE CHAPTER MEETING

Open Meetings to All, Open Meetings to Find, Open Meetings to Bring, Open Meetings to Stay, Open Meetings to Grow, Open Meetings to Live, Open Meetings to Die

MARCH 7TH, 2015
RITUAL COMPETITIONS BEGIN AT 10AM
MEETING BEGINS AT 5PM

CENTRALIA LODGE
218 NORTH PEARL STREET,
CENTRALIA, WA 98531
OVERNIGHT ACCOMMODATIONS ARE
AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST

RITUAL COMPETITIONS ~ STATE BY-LAW PROPOSAL PREVIEW ~ GAMES ~ DINNER

THE FOLLOWING RITUAL COMPETITIONS WILL BE OFFERED DURING THIS EVENT AND NOT AT CONVENTION:
ORATOR, CHAPLAIN, NINE O'CLOCK INTERPOLATION AND ARCH OF STEEL

PLEASE CONTACT THE DARK LORD SAURON (ANDREW J. EVERETT) WITH ANY QUESTIONS AT 253-720-0791

State Chapter Meeting

Join the Washington DeMolay State Chapter for their first meeting of the new year on March 7th, 2015! The day will be full of Ritual Competitions (Orator, Chaplain, Nine O'Clock Interpolation and Arch of Steel) which will not be offered at Convention. In addition, the proposed State Chapter By-Law Amendments will be presented and an overnighter with games will be available for those that want to stay. Please contact Event Chair Andrew Everett at DSMC14-15@wademolay.org if you have any questions!

Calendar

February 20th -
Proposed By-Law
Amendments Due

February 22nd -
Cascade Region
Conclave

February 25th -
Yakima Chapter
Official Visit
Yakima, WA

February 28th -
Adelphos Region
Conclave
Auburn, WA

February 27th-28th
St. Helens Region
Conclave
Olympia, WA

February 28th -
GM Dad Sprague
Reception

March 6th -
Appointed State
Chapter Applications
and Letters Due.

Bylaw Amendments

The last time the State Bylaws were amended and updated was 2010. Since that time many changes have occurred in Washington DeMolay. The hallmark of a healthy and functional organization is its commitment to and adherence of a meaningful process for our governance. Accordingly, all interested Washington DeMolay members are encouraged to submit proposed By-Law Amendments.

Proposed Amendments must be submitted in writing, POSTMARKED no later than Friday, February 20, 2015.



Cupid's Leader's Ball

Leader's Ball 2015 was an amazing time!!! From yummy food, flashy pictures, throwbacks to high school, to jaw-dropping dance moves, this year's annual dance will definitely not be one to forget. The roaming pictures are already on Facebook and the photo booth pictures will be coming soon!

State Officer Candidates

Congratulations to the candidates below for being approved to run for an Elected State Office. Voting will take place on Saturday morning of Conclave, make sure to be there if you want to vote!!!

March 7th -
State Chapter Meeting
Centralia, WA

March 10th -
Final Conclave
Payment Due

March 14th -
Spring WADA
Olympia, WA

March 20th -
Destiny Region
Conclave

Check out the [State Events Calendar](#) for more details and all the fun events happening!

BroBlips:

#449 ~
A journey of a thousand miles begins with a single step.

#860 ~
It's only awkward if you make it that way.

Members News

WA DeMolay is almost at 2,000 likes on Facebook, help us get there for a start to a great year!!

Congratulations to all those who survived Leader's Ball 2015!!!

DeMolay International has released the new Membership Cards! Keep your eyes out for yours, it may be in the mail already!

February 16, 2015



Re: Approved Candidates for the 2015-2016 State Chapter Officer Elections

To the Members of Washington DeMolay,

The 2015 Washington DeMolay Convention will be held at the Great Wolf Lodge in Grand Mound from Thursday, April 23 to Sunday, April 26. On Saturday, April 25th, the 2015-16 State Chapter Officers will be elected.

Pursuant to the Washington State DeMolay By-Laws and Executive Officer directive, the following brothers have submitted a Letter of Intent, met the qualifications, participated in a formal interview and with my approval are now eligible to run for the following Elected State Chapter Offices of Washington DeMolay.

Candidate for State Master Councilor ~ Andrew Everett, Olympia Chapter

Candidate for Deputy State Master Councilor ~ Luke Walker, Edward James Chapter

Candidates for State Senior Councilor (*in alphabetical order*) ~

Zachary Jablonski, Kitsap Chapter

Ferrest Llyr, Shoreline Chapter

Candidates for State Junior Councilor (*in alphabetical order*) ~

Colton Jenkins, Tacoma Chapter

Jarod Pickett, Vancouver Chapter

Samuel Walker, Edward James Chapter

Please note that formal campaigning is not permitted until the first day of Convention 2015.

We have a great slate of candidates, with diversity of thoughts, ideas, areas of expertise, and backgrounds. Please become an informed delegate and take an active role in knowing the people you will be placing your trust in for the future direction of Washington DeMolay. Invite them to your Chapter events and activities, talk with them, and share the brotherhood that makes us DeMolay.

Fraternally,

Dad Jeffery A. Brunson
Executive Officer

Conclave is 2 months away!! Don't forget about Project M3 and get those 6 members initiated!!!

SAVE THE DATE

WADA

March 14th,
Olympia, WA

Join Our Mailing List!

State Chapter Applications

All Washington State DeMolays interested in appointment to an Appointed State Officer position, must submit a letter requesting appointment and completed Application Form offering to serve postmarked no later than Friday, March, 6, 2015.

Applications can be found at www.wademolay.org

The SMC's Magical Missive

Greetings Washington DeMolay!

I hope all of you have recovered from Leader's Ball, I know my feet ache from all of the moves I was busting out Saturday night.

Leader's Ball was an absolute blast! From the catchy songs to the delicious refreshments, and the concession stand, Valentine's Day 2015 will surely be a day I will hold dear to my heart.

With our annual Convention is approaching close, we still have plenty of State Events before the year is finished out. Our third State Chapter Meeting will be on March 7th in Centralia, WA. If you would like to see the proposed by-laws or compete in several of our ritual competitions, then you will for sure. If you would also like some splendid leadership training, you should attend our Spring WADA on March 14th at the Olympia Masonic Center, the best of the best will be there, and I know many of you are the best.

Let's finish this year strong my brothers, it may seem impossible, but I can assure you it surely is possible.

Fraternally,
Thomas Rasar
State Master Councilor

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WA DeMolay Player of the Week



Austin Hendrix is one passionate DeMolay. Austin has only been in DeMolay for a few months, but has played an essential role in North Sound Chapter. Ever since joining at Grand Master's Class, Austin has been doing everything he can to learn about the DeMolay ideals and precepts and incorporate them into his daily life. He goes to any event he can, and is the "Super Deacon" in his Chapter, he loves the office because he knows he's playing a vital role in the opening and closing of his chapter. Austin is the perfect example of how even though you can be in DeMolay for a short time, you can bring an impactful change.