



Executive Officer Briefing

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A Time To Learn is Upon Us...

You are one of the key leaders in your Chapter! We need you to share the information here with the Members and Advisors of your Chapter. It is our desire to ensure frequent communications are taking place throughout the jurisdiction. Thank you for your efforts in accomplishing this important mission. If you have feedback please share it with us at any of the options at the bottom of this email and we will endeavor to make it happen.



Important Dates to be Aware of

A few dates that you should keep an eye on...

As we move forward into the new year we wanted to make sure you were aware of a few dates coming up and deadlines you need to keep on top of.

You will find additional details below but we wanted to give you a quick preview into the dates with the most importance. As always you can find more information on the website under [State News](#) or you can click on the links to take you to the information.



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| Sept. 24th | Kitsap Chapter Initiation |
| Sept. 28th | HMJ Chapter Installation |
| Sept. 30th | Rainier Chapter Installation |
| Oct. 8th | Kitsap OV |
| Oct. 13th - 14th | Fall WADA |
| Oct. 20th | Investiture Day / Hockey Night |

A Big Congratulations to all the Honors Recipients

The Washington and Alaska Honors List for 2018...

“Those Who Honor Me, I will Honor.”

At the 2018 DeMolay International Session held in Alexandria Virginia, Washington DeMolay was well represented in the DeMolay Congress by SMC Samuel Walker and DSMC Colton Jenkins. Your International Supreme Council Delegates are pleased to recognize the 2017-18 Honors that were voted on favorably for the following list of recipients. Congratulations to all who received this recognition, and thanks for all you have done and will continue to do to further the purposes of DeMolay. We look forward to your investitures.



Chevalier

Owen Isaac Day, Vancouver Chapter
Drake William Mayhugh, Vancouver Chapter



Cross of Honor

Dorothy DiGiulio, Bellevue Chapter
James Corwin Taylor, Bellevue Chapter
Brenda Marie Johnson, Empire Chapter
Debra A. Morse, Empire Chapter
Melanie Eileen Copeland, Henry M. Jackson Chapter
Timothy Wayne McLean, Henry M. Jackson Chapter
Heidi Lee Jablonski, Kitsap Chapter
Jason Robert Jablonski, Kitsap Chapter
Jennifer Lynn MacNeill, North Sound Chapter
Tracy Elaine Parmenter, North Sound Chapter
Katherine Anne Backman, Olympia Chapter
Theresa Mae Marks, Vancouver Chapter



Legion of Honor (Active)

Bruce W. Kling, Anchorage, AK
John Paul Johnson, Fairbanks, AK
Christopher Scott Copeland, Henry M. Jackson Chapter
Raymond Louis Gehrig, North Hill Chapter
William Morgan Hart, Port Angeles Chapter
Christopher James Wheeler, Port Angeles Chapter

Legion of Honor (Honorary)

Gregory L. Jackson, Spokane Valley
Charles Edwin Wood, Centralia

Special Congratulations to Dad Jerrald R. Parton, PMC of TH Little Chapter, Past Chairman of Shoreline Chapter and current President of the Washington State DeMolay Foundation on his nomination and election as a Deputy Member of the International Supreme Council, Order of DeMolay.

Fall WADA 2018

Come spend a weekend learning about being a leader...

On October 13-14th we will again be having our extended WADA. The focus is directed to the Councilors in the Chapter as well as the Chapter Dad and Chairman. Attendance is required for these positions as we share information that you will all need to be successful at your jobs. Details and registration will be available very soon. If you have any questions you can reach out to the event chair [Dad Chris Wheeler](#). Looking forward to seeing you all there.



Pacific Northwest DeMolay Leadership Conference

2019 DLC dates are on the calender...

The PNW DLC 2019 will be held July 14-20, 2019 at Camp Sheppard once again. Registration will be open and available online beginning January 1, 2019.



We had one of our biggest and best Conferences in many years in 2018 with a nearly 80% attendance increase over the previous year. It was truly an amazing week by all who were there.

Please spread the word so that we can get even more youth there for 2019 and continue to make it one of the premier events we have to offer. We have continued adding content to the website and even more will be available in the coming weeks as we are creating options for the campers to contact and communicate with one another. The address is www.pnwdlc.org. The Facebook page is also another way to stay connected to the camp.

If you have any questions you can reach out to [Dad Chris Wheeler](#) or [Dad Brian Gross](#). Don't miss out on this amazing experience that will enhance your DeMolay journey beyond words, just ask anyone who has been previously. We can't wait to see you in 2019.

DeMolay International 2018 - 2019

Centennial Celebration begins...

Our leaders at DeMolay International are well into the planning and execution of our Centennial Celebration. In June of 2019 this celebration will peak with Ritual Competitions, the exemplification of the 1924 DeMolay Degree, and various other activities at our annual International Session in Kansas City, MO. Additionally, ahead of session, March 15-19, 2019, there will be a pilgrimage to France to visit the plaque recognizing Jacques DeMolay, among other scheduled activities. If you or anyone you know wants to attend and participate in the festivities and learn more about all the different things taking place please reach out to our local Coordinator in Washington, [Mom Nita Rinehart](#). She will be helping organize the Washington delegation on our trip back to Kansas City in June.



Hockey Night and Investiture Day 2018

Hand out Honors then some crosschecks...

On October 20th we will again be having our Investiture Day where we deliver the honors that were designated for this year including the Cross of Honor, Chevalier, and Legion of Honor. Immediately following we will be headed to the Seattle Thunderbird's hockey match that evening. There will be a meal provided between the events and that is where we plan to hand out the tickets. Registration and details will be available very soon so be sure to watch for that in the coming week. Tickets will be \$24 per person.



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WA DeMolay Online Google Calendar

Be sure that you are synced to the correct calendar...

Effective **IMMEDIATELY** our "**NEW**" **Google Calendar** is the only calendar we are updating and keeping current - so be sure you have the correct Calendar synced to all of your digital devices.

You will know that your are on the right calendar when you look at the TOP-LEFT of the correct google calendar and it says "**WA DeMolay - All Calendar**".



Let us help you promote your events!

Use the DeMolay Update App. From the home page use the "**Calendar**" button, then the top choice is "**Add Calendar Event**". Just complete all the required informational boxes. Be sure to mark which calendars you want it posted to and the type of event you are having. **IT IS THAT EASY!**

Don't forget to **email us a flyer (PDF or JPEG) of your events including the Who, What, Where, When, Why, and How much.** We will post it on the State Website, Facebook, Update App and other social media outlets. Email it to: office@wademolay.org.

Are you working on your Term Plan for the next 6 months? Trying to pick an event date?

Check out the **WA DeMolay - All Calendar** to see what is happening and what events are already posted. The State Chapter puts dates out as far as possible so you can plan when you want to do something. We also post other organizations major events so you can plan for those too. When you have your Installation date picked, let us know so we can put it on there! Go to [DeMolay State Calendar](#)!

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*Our work and our people are regularly
recognized as the best DeMolay has to offer.*



Contact us today!

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