

Grand Commandery Knights Templar



State of New York

MAY 2009



The Right Eminent Grand Commander Sir Knight David Lathers and His Lady Denise extends a cordial invitation to all Sir Knights to attend the One Hundred Ninety Sixth Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery Knights Templar State of New York to be held at the DoubleTree Hotel, 1111 Jefferson Road, Rochester, NY on September 18th 19th and 20th 2009.

RESERVATIONS: Hotel and meal reservation information forms are enclosed.

REGISTRATION: Friday, September 18, 2009: 8AM- 5 PM p.m. and Saturday, September 19, 2009 7:30-10:00 a.m. opposite the meeting room. Registration & Credentials will close at 10:00 a.m. on Sat., Sept. 18. Certificates of appointment as Proxies for the Commander, Generalissimo and Captain General bearing the Commandery Seal, should be presented to the Credentials Desk before the Opening of the Grand Commandery.

Schedule of Events

THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 17TH

7 PM FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 18th

10 AM GRAND LINE MEETING

1 PM - 5 PM Opening of the 196th Annual Conclave of Grand Commandery.

Dress code is Fatigue or Summer Uniform

1:30PM – 5:50PM Hospitality Room open

6:00PM – 7:00PM Cocktail Hour - Cash Bar

7:00 PM Dinner – Sock Hop bring your Leather Jackets, Poodle Skirts,
Saddle Shoes, Penny Loafers and etc.

9:00 PM Knights Preceptor

9:00 PM – Till? Hospitality Room Open after Sock Hop

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 19th

7AM – 8AM Breakfast on your own

8:15 AM Grand Line and Guests line up

8:30 AM ANNUAL CONCLAVE RECONVENES [Public Invited]

* DRESS CODE: Grand Council Officers Full Templar Uniform with swords S.K.'s Full Templar

Uniform less swords.

- 8:45 AM Reception of Distinguished Guests**
- 9:15 AM Necrology – Remembrance of our departed Sir Knights**
- 10:00 AM Recognition of Grand Commanders; Roll Call of Grand Representatives; Reports not given Friday Presentation of Honorary Memberships and Awards; Remarks from Visitors; Grand Commanders Address and Templar plan.**
- 11:30 AM ELECTION OF OFFICERS**
- 11:30 AM LADIES LUNCHEON**
- 12:00PM MENS LUNCHEON**
- 1:30 Drill Competition in parking lot weather permitting**
- 3:30 PM PUBLIC INSTALLATION Grand Commandery Officers**
- 5:30 – 6:30 PM Social Hour Cash Bar**
- 6:30 PM GRAND COMMANDER’S BANQUET**

BANQUET DRESS CODE: Full Templar Uniform less Sword and Chapeau

Ladies: Semi-Formal Short, Long Dresses or Pants Suits

- 8:00 PM Entertainment: Legend The Band from Taylor, Mich.**
- 9:30 PM Hospitality Room Open after Banquet**

Sunday September 20th

- 8:00 AM Divine Service**
- 9:00 AM Farwell Breakfast**



Friday Sock Hop Bring your Saddle Shoes Poodle Skirts Leather Jackets and Penny Loafers



Saturday Nights Banquet will feature Legend The Band from Taylor, Mich.



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