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OUR KEY TO NEW MEMBERS

DID YOU KNOW ... Transportation can be arranged for those who need a ride to our stated meetings, the Reunions, and Denver Consistory special events. All you need to do is **CALL THE OFFICE at 303-861-4261** and let us know you need a ride. You do not need to stay home because you do not have transportation to the Consistory.

PLANNING CALENDAR

NOVEMBER 2018

Fri, November 2	11:30 a.m.	Consistory Lunch (Fried Chicken)
Mon, November 5	6:30 p.m.	KSA Meeting (Lodge Room)
Wed, November 7	6:30 p.m.	Fall Reunion (53 rd consecutive) - @ Children's Hospital Colorado
Thu-Sat, November 8-10	7:00 a.m.	Fall Reunion (53 rd consecutive) Parking Garage Available
Sat, November 10	7:00 p.m.	Reunion Banquet
Fri, November 16	11:30 a.m.	Consistory Lunch (Sloppy Joe's)
Mon, November 19		Stated Meeting - Parking Garage Available
		Rocky Mountain Chapter of Rose Croix Ritual Opening/Closing
	5:30 p.m.	Red Room Business Meeting
	6:00 p.m.	Dinner
	7:00 p.m.	Entertainment (Veterans Recognition Program / Split Meeting)
Thu/Fri, November 22/23	3	Consistory CLOSED for Thanksgiving Holiday
Sat, November 24 9:00	-11:00 a.m.	Consistory Decorating Party—All members, officers, & wives are invited
Fri, November 30	11:30 a.m.	Consistory Lunch (TBD)

DECEMBER 2018

Sat, December 1	10 a.mnoon	SR Foundation & Consistory Children's Christmas Party Parking Garage Available
Mon, December 3	6:30 p.m.	KSA Meeting (Lodge Room)
Fri, December 7	11:30 a.m.	Consistory Lunch (Fried Chicken)
Fri, December 14	11:30 a.m.	Consistory Lunch (Baked Ziti)
Mon, December 17		Stated Meeting Parking Garage Available
	5:30 p.m.	Red Room Business Meeting
	6:00 p.m.	Dinner (London Broil, Chocolate Cake)
	7:00 p.m.	Entertainment
	7:30 p.m.	Split Meeting - Annual Election of Officers
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Consistory CLOSED TUE 25 DECEMBER (Christmas); NO LUNCH on Friday 21 & 28 DECEMBER (Holiday weekends)

JANUARY 2019

Tue, January 1		Consistory CLOSED for New Year's Holiday	
Fri, January 4	11:30 a.m.	Consistory Lunch (Fried Chicken)	
Sat, January 5	9:00-11:00 a.m.	UN-Decorating Party—All members, officers, and wives are invited.	
Mon, January 7	6:30 p.m.	KSA Meeting (Lodge Room)	
Fri, January 11	11:30 a.m.	Consistory Lunch (TBD)	
Fri, January 18	11:30 a.m.	Consistory Lunch (TBD)	
Sat, January 19	8:00 a.m noon	Officers' Breakfast and Installation Practice	
	6:45 p.m.	KSA Burns Supper Parking Garage Available	
Mon, January 21		Stated Meeting - Parking Garage Available	
	5:30 p.m.	Red Room Business Meeting	
	6:00 p.m.	Dinner (TBD)	
	7:00 p.m.	Awards and Announcements	
		Split Meeting	
		Annual Meetings of Corporations and Installation of 2019 Officers	
Fri, January 25		Consistory CLOSED for Grand Lodge Annual Communication	

53rd Reunion Fall 2018 Nov. 7 - 10, 2018

Wednesday Nov. 7, 2018 6:30pm Children's Hospital Candidates and Invited guests only Welcome - Rite Care Presentation Prolog to the Reunion Thursday Nov. 8, 2018 7:30am Registration/ Welcome/Class Instruction 8:00am Exemplify 4° 8:40am Communicate 5° 8:48am Communicate 6° 8:56am Communicate 7° 9:12am Exemplify 9° & 10° 9:50am Break 10:05am Class Instruction 10:25am Exemplify 11° 10:45am Class Instruction 11:00am Communicate 12° 11:05am Exemplify 13° 11:35am Lunch 12:35pm Exemplify 14° 1:30pm Secretary's Presentation 1:30pm Lecture/Instruction for members 1:55pm Committee Presentations/Tour 2:25pm Break 2:35pm Exemplify 15° 3:40pm Break 3:55pm Class Instruction 4:00pm Exemplify 16° 4:40pm Class Instruction 4:45pm Adjourn Friday Nov. 9, 2018 8:00am Class Convenes 8:30am Communicate 17° 8:40am Class Instruction 9:00am Exemplify 18° First & Second Section 9:35am Class Instruction 9:45am Exemplify 18° Third Section 10:20am Class Instruction 10:30am Knights of St. Andrew Presentation 10:40am Communicate 19° 10:48am Exemplify 20° Frist Section 11:10am Class Instruction 11:20am Break 11:35am Exemplify 20° Second Section 12:05pm Grand Master Address 12:20pm Lunch 1:05pm Prolog to 21° 1:10pm Exemplify 21° 1:45pm Communicate 22" 1:55pm Class Instruction 2:05pm Break

2:20pm Exemplify 23° 2:45pm Class Instruction 3:10pm Exemplify 24° 3:45pm Communicate 25° 3:52pm Communicate 26° 3:59pm Communicate 27° 4:07pm Communicate 28° 4:15pm Exemplify 29° 4:55pm Adjourn Saturday November 10, 2018 8:15am Class Convenes 8:30am Photography Committee 8:40am Shrine Presentation 8:50am S.G.I.G. Address & Class Photo 10:00am Class Instruction 10:10am Exemplify 30°/1st Apartment 10:28am Exemplify 30°/ 2nd Apartment 10:43am Exemplify 30°/3rd Apartment 10:58am Break 11:15am Class Instruction 1130am Exemplify 30°/ 4th Apartment 11:55am Lunch 12:55pm Communicate 31° 1:10pm Class Instruction 1:15pm Exemplify 32° First Section 2:03pm Class Instruction 2:13pm Break 2:30pm Exemplify 32° Second Section 3:22pm Patriotic Poem 3:27 pm Closing Ceremony 3:45pm Adjourn 6:00pm Banquet 25 & 50 Year Membership Awards 8:00pm Adjourn



Rev. 10/25/2018



You are cordially invited to attend the 53rd Consecutive Reunion Banquet and Awards Night Saturday, Nov. 10, 2018 at 6:00pm Denver Consistory 1370 Grant Street Denver, CO 80203 \$25.00 (Dinner by Reservation only) https://squareup.com/store/centennial-lodge-of-perfection Or by calling the office at 303-861-4261 RSVP by November 5 Please help us welcome the members of the 53rd Reunion class and help us honor the Brothers receiving

Twenty-five and Fifty year membership certificates

and pins.

EDITOR'S CORNER



BY: BILL HICKEY, 33° EMAIL: <u>WA3H@HOTMAIL.COM</u>



Freemasonry is Universal?

Well, hold on just a moment before we climb on board that train. If you want to see how the Mother Grand Lodge (United Grand Lodge of England) does things, hiaku over to Netflix and look up "Inside the Freemasons" - a five part series about the 300th celebration of the founding of the UGLE. Now, to be fair, you'll see a lot of pomp and circumstance, a lot of ornate buildings (all of which appear to be in fine condition, by the way), the beautiful and impressive Grand Lodge building, and the rather ornate aprons associated with Grand Officers, as well as lodge officers. Yes, this is EUROPE—and they do things differently over there. But stay with the program and you'll find that they have come up with (what they call) a "scheme" to attract younger men (under 30) into Masonry and it appears to be working. They target that group of university men as well as forming specialty lodges (including a "football lodge" - soccer to us - where the gavels are actually football shoes made of wood and there are a number of other unique things about that new lodge (#9921 on the rolls) see: https://www.facebook.com/FootballLodge/

But, more importantly, they focus on younger men by offering a "reduced" cost associated with membership. Remember, over there, a pound is about \$1.25 and they do not make as much money for a given profession as we do here. This "reduced" set of fees is covered in the 5th and last installment of the series: £215/year "subscription fee" (membership) and typically £24 for dinner, add another £5-6 if you want wine. And, while their university system is completely different from ours, students over there are just as concerned with their finances as we are.

Other aspects are the cost of their regalia - it will take your breath away. My £35 (\$70 at the time) rather ornate MM apron from my lodge today would run me about £450, and if I was in any other body (Royal Arch, Cryptic Council, KT, KM, etc) each of them would have similar aprons unique to that body.

Just the cost of belonging to a lodge over there is NOT the only difference. Ritual is completely different, my obligation is totally different from yours. AND ... you don't really have to look overseas to see differences in Masonry - you only have to cross a state line and sit in a lodge to find that ... as I like to say ... there is enough similar to make me feel like I'm not out of place, but there is enough different to make me sit up and take notice.

UNIVERSAL? Hardly. But, that's part of the wonder of Freemasonry—that we can travel in foreign lands and still be welcomed and feel comfortable in the midst of our Brothers. IT'S an EYE-OPENING series ... be sure to watch it all.





From the Secretary's Desk

Matt Raia, 33°

Thank you to the following Brothers who participated in the Calling Committee on October 13th: **Illustrious Brother Ron Birely, 33°; Brother Bill Skewes, 32° KCCH; Brother David King, 32°; Brother Loren Kohler, 32°; Brother Joe Mitchell, 32°; and Brother Danny Tomlinson, 32°.** Your assistance is appreciated. The Brothers you called really enjoyed receiving the phone call. The Calling Committee is a way to reach out to our members and let them know that we are thinking of them and appreciate them being a member of Denver Consistory. Our next Calling Committee will be held on February 16, 2019. We would love to have you join us.

Our October 15th Stated Meeting was a very busy meeting - with awards, presentations, the Feast of Tishri celebration, Ritual Opening and Closing by the Centennial Lodge of Perfection, and Masonic education by **Brother Eric Weddington**, **32**°, a member of Southern Colorado Consistory, who presented an informative lecture on the meaning of the symbols of the 32°. We also had orations by **Brother Joe Mitchell**, **32**°, Minister of State for Denver Consistory, and **Brother Larry Tygart**, **32**° KCCH, Orator for the Centennial Lodge of Perfection.



Illustrious Brother Gilbert Carlton, 33°, received a Certificate of Appreciation from the Supreme Council House of the Temple Preservation fund for his support.

Congratulations to Brother Michael Rowan, 32° KCCH, who earned his Double Eagle Ribbon.

Congratulations to the following Brothers who earned their Double Eagle Jewel and Passport Pin for completing their Passport: **Brother Bill Achbach, 32°; Brother Miguel Galvez-Estevez, 32°; Brother Ernie Miranda, 32°; Brother Andrew Newby, 32°; and Brother David Vaughan, 32°.** From the Secretary's Desk - Continued from previous page



Congratulations to the following Brothers who earned their Double Eagle Jewel: Brother John D. Culp, 32°; Brother Swen L. Hoffman, 32°; Brother Gary M. Prill, 32°; Brother Jaymie L. Vaughn, 32°; Brother Manuel-Vigo-Torres, 32°; and Brother Scott A. Weakley, 32°

Congratulations to the following Brothers who earned a Passport Pin for their Double Eagle Jewel, by completing their Passport: Brother Scott Bates, 32° KCCH; Brother Bart Corfee, 32° KCCH; Brother Ron Dunsmore, 32° KCCH; Brother John Gay, II, 32° KCCH; Brother Jeffrey Hasstedt, 32°; Brother Loren Kohler, 32°; Brother Tim Lambert, 32° KCCH; Brother John Peck, 32° KCCH; Brother Tom Repp, 32°; Brother Charles Curtis Robinson, III, 32°; Brother Danny Tomlinson, 32°; Brother Bart Wegner, 32° KCCH; Brother Dick Williams, 32°; and Brother Michael Zeff, 32° KCCH.





Congratulations to the following Brothers who earned their second Passport Pin for their Double Eagle Jewel by completing a second Passport: Brother Bill Skewes, 32° KCCH and Brother Michael Taylor, 32°

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Passport Jewels and Pins are awarded after you have completed your passport, by watching all 29 degrees being exemplified. Passport books are available in the office for \$5.



The following Brothers earned Master Craftsman Certificates and pins for completing the Master Craftsman Program: Brother Ian D. Greenwod, 32° *"History and Ritual";* Brother Randy J. Parsons, 32° *"History and Ritual";* Brother Wyatt Page, 32° *"Symbolic Lodge";* and Brother Jeremiah H. Weaver, 32° *"Symbolic Lodge."* Congratulations Brothers.

Patents and photos were presented to members of the Spring Reunion class who were in attendance at the Stated Meeting. The members of the Spring Class who did not attend the Oct. 15^{th} meeting may pick up their patent and photo in the office.



WOW! What a fantastic night!

It was cold Monday Night! Many of you are aware that major repairs to the building steam heating system have been taking place during the summer months. The extensive amount of work was time-consuming, and unfortunately, did not progress as planned. Thus, the boiler could not be turned on and the system charged prior to the cold spell we experienced. Consequently, it was *"a little bit brisk"* in the dining room and Cathedral room for our stated meeting. I apologize to you for the discomfort. The cold was not because we failed to turn on the boiler in time for the meeting - it was caused because the repairs were not yet complete.

The Ladies meeting project was preparing Halloween cards for the residents of the Eastern Star Masonic Retirement Community. The ladies enjoy their special time together while we conduct our business. (THEY had heat in the classroom!)

From the Secretary's Desk - Continued from previous page

2019 Dues Notices have been mailed by the Supreme Council. For only \$.30 per day, \$9.16 per month, \$110 per year, you can maintain your membership in Denver Consistory. One cup of coffee is more than \$.30. Isn't your Scottish Rite membership worth more to you than the price of a cup of coffee?

When Paying your dues, please consider making a tax-deducitble donation to your Scottish Rite Masonic Center. Your contributions help us maintain our historic building.

Life Memberships are an ideal way to avoid paying future dues increases. A Life Membership guarantees that you will never be suspended for non-payment of dues should your future financial situation change. It also ensures that should you no longer be able to take care of your finances, you will not be suspended for non-payment of dues because your Scottish Rite Membership is of little or no significance to the individual handling your finances. By purchasing a Life Membership, you leave a continuing legacy to Denver Consistory after your death.

Life Membership Fee:

75 years old and older – a single payment of \$1,000 62-74 years old – a single payment of \$1,500 Younger than 62 – a single payment of \$2,500 Extend payment terms may be arranged. Contact the office for details.

October 20th was the **EI Jebel Shrine/Denver Consistory Oktoberfest** at Denver Consistory. German food, German beer, and entertainment by the EI Jebel Shrine German Band was enjoyed by everyone in attendance. Those of you who did not attend missed a great party. Having fun, sharing Brotherhood and enjoying being with our friends is what makes it great to be a member of Denver Consistory. Thank you to **Illustrious Sir Rich Silver, 32 KCCH**, Potentate of EI Jebel Shrine, for planning this joint event with Denver Consistory. Thank you to the team from EI Jebel Shrine and Denver Consistory that made it happen.

Knights of Saint Andrew Fall Consistory Cleanup - The cleanup was held on October 27th. Thank you to the members of the KSA for shining up our building in preparation for the Fall Reunion.

Our **Fall Reunion** will be **November 8-10, 2018.** Get your petitions turned in. At the Saturday Night Banquet, we will present 25 & 50 year membership Awards.

Our Annual Christmas Decorating Party will be November 24th from 9:00-11:00 a.m. Everyone is invited to attend and help decorate the building for Christmas. It's always fun putting up the decorations and reminiscing about Christmases past, and remembering when ...



WHERE WERE YOU?



RíteCare Colorado News

"The Genesis of Colorado RiteCare"

Vernon B. Ingraham, 33° Grand Cross Executive Secretary, Scottish Rite Foundation of Colorado

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With this article we are beginning a series about the work of RiteCare Colorado, the tag name for the Scottish Rite Foundation of Colorado (SRF). This foundation is a 501(c)(3) tax exempt non-profit organization incorporated in 1953 in accordance with the laws of the state of Colorado.

SRF is one of the first organizations in the United States to financially assist families seeking speech therapy for preschool-age children. And most notably, it is the first such organization in the Scottish Rite Masonic Fraternity to do so. Today, Scottish Rite Masons in all 50 states support one or more aspects of work addressing childhood speech and language disorders through separate non-profit Masonic organizations.

SRF was organized five years after Children's Hospital in Denver opened a speech pathology clinic in 1948. In 1952, William G. Schweigert, 33°, the Almoner of Rocky Mountain Consistory in Denver, was contacted by a social worker at Children's Hospital. He was presented with the case of a widowed mother not being able to afford speech therapy for her young child. Her little boy could only utter unintelligible sounds. Wil began helping with the Almoner's fund while at the same time presenting the issue to the Sovereign Grand Inspector General for the Orient of Colorado, Haslett P. Burke, 33°, and the Almoner of Colorado Consistory in Denver, Gerald L. Schlessman, 33°.

After much study and discussion, the Orient of Colorado created the Scottish Rite Foundation of Colorado in February 1953. Sixty-five years later, we're still answering the call. Through 2017 we have served more than 20,400 children, spending more than \$40 million in making such care possible.

We currently support speech and learning therapies throughout Colorado by partnering with nine organizations. Seven of them provide speech pathology services and three provide early language and learning services. One of the three also provides speech pathology services.

Professional therapy and early language care is now available statewide with facilities in 16 communities. In addition, our lead partner, Children's Hospital Colorado, enables statewide coverage through telepractice, an internet-based platform for delivering speech therapy services to locations distant from clinic facilities.

From 1953 through 1985, we worked with one organization in just one location, Children's Hospital near downtown Denver. Seeking to serve children throughout the state, in 1986 we began to expand our speech pathology provider network. We now partner with four hospitals (clinic locations in Aurora, Broomfield, Highlands Ranch, Parker, Colorado Springs, Pueblo, Grand Junction, Montrose, and Gunnison), two universities (clinic locations in Boulder and Greeley), one non-profit speech therapy provider (clinic locations in Fort Collins and Loveland), and two early language programs (locations in Cortez, Dolores, Towaoc, and Grand Junction).

In future articles we'll provide more highlights about the various RiteCare Colorado programs.





The menu (gluten free) for our 2019 Burns Supper: Crisp Romaine & Spinach Salad (Pomegranate & Orange Vinaigrette) Fennel, Mint & Lemon Lamb Sausage with Whisky Cream Sauce Hasselback Potatoes Apples & Brambles with Vanilla Ice Cream And ... of course ... HAGGIS!

We will have the ever-popular Whisky College again, but seating is even more limited than the dinner, because we hold it in the classroom to avoid conflicts and noise with the dining room as people arrive for the dinner itself. Again, let's be pro-active and get reservations in early BECAUSE ... "Professor" Stan is planning something special for this 7th year (PhD equivalent) of the college. A trip around Scotland, revisiting the regions, reviewing their characteristics, and planning 4 Scotches for tasting - but BLIND - with your dissertation defense afterward! Should be a total BLAST!

Reservations are now available online, where prices are listed. **Reservations will only be** made online, NOT THROUGH THE OFFICE, and must be paid in advance.

REMEMBER—MARK YOUR CALENDARS, and MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS EARLY! Saturday, January 29, 2019 Whisky College - 6:00 p.m. Dinner - 7:00 p.m. Reservation Site (after 15OCT): <u>http://www.burnsnightsupper.com</u>

See the flyer at the end of this issue of RiteWorks - but FYI, the Whisky College this year will be \$20 and the dinner itself will be \$40. These are two separate functions, totally independent of each other.

I hope to see you all there!

http://denverconsistory.org/ksa.html



THE PRELATE'S PULPIT

Rev. Jim Harris, 33°



At our October stated meeting we observed the Feast of Tishri. Under the Statutes of the Supreme Council, the feast is considered an obligatory observance, a sharing of our fraternal spirit. Its origins are in Leviticus 23. It is also known as the Feast of the Tabernacle, celebrating the harvest. In the Scottish Rite it is associated with the dedication of King Solomon's Temple. In celebrating the Feast we celebrate the bonds between us. In the words of Thomas Carlyle, "Of a truth, men are mystically united: a common bond of brotherhood makes all men one."

Ten days later, the Day of Atonement is observed. That period of ten days is often called the Days of Awe. These days are a time of soul-searching, repentance, forgiveness, doing good deeds, and improving ourselves. I believe that the Season of Fall in Colorado is our equivalent to the days of awe. We have the cool days, blue skies, awesome fall colors, football, and pumpkin festivals. It is a time when the leaves fall, the snow comes, and Thanksgiving lurks just around the corner.

For me, it is a time to reflect on my life, enjoy the beauty of the days, enjoy the colors, the festivals, and the changing seasons. For Scottish Rite Masons, we have observed the Feast of Tishri, we will have a fall reunion, and we will enjoy the fellowship of being together at our meetings and activities. The reunion is a time for us to come together, watch and participate in the degrees, enjoy eating together and just being with one another. Take time to talk with someone, get to know them, and be a Brother.

We are blessed to be in a fraternity of brothers. Enjoy it, participate in it, and be a true Brother—be a friend. We all need each other.

The human animal is endowed with mighty powers of mind," according to Will Rogers. Thus, the human animal is able to come up with good arguments for or against anything, right or wrong. "You give us long enough to argue over something, and we'll bring you in proofs to show the Ten Commandments should never have been ratified."

"If you can start arguing over something, and get enough publicity, and keep the argument going, you can divide our nation overnight as to whether spinach or broccoli is the most nu-tritious"

MEMORIAL SCROLL-

Wayne R. Bray, 32° Robert W. Elliott, 32° Lyman F. Green, Jr., 32° Benjamin R. Hartman, 32° Robert L. Hartsock, 32° Ralph E. Lacy, 32° William R. Plant, Jr., 32° Hulbert E. Reichelt, 32° Hulbert E. Reichelt, 32° Kenneth W. Sharpe, 32° Alfred Steinert, 32° Charles A. Towner, Jr., 32° Alan D. Wheeler, 32° 09/08/2018 07/21/2017 06/23/2017 10/02/2018 12/16/2017 02/04/2017 08/19/2018 07/03/2018 09/28/2018 01/19/2018 10/08/2018 09/29/2018

ROSE CROIX FUNERAL TEAM

All Scottish Rite Masons in good standing are entitled to have a Rose Croix Funeral service at the time of their passing. Members should advise their families of their wishes to have this beautiful service. It is a very dignified service intended to help bring comfort to the family.

The current members of the Denver Consistory Rose Croix Funeral Team are: James C. Crenner, 32° KCCH - Chairman; Scott A. Bates, 32° KCCH; John H. Buchanan, 33°; Jerry L. Fenimore, 33° GC; M. Edward Johnson, 33°; Richard W. Mitchell, 33°; Matthew A. Raia, 33°; Daniel A. Rivers, 32° KCCH; Roy A. Snyder, 33°; John A. Warren, 33°; Richard M. Wenzel, III, 32° KCCH.

If you are interested in joining the Rose Croix Funeral Team and helping them, contact the office or James C. Crenner, 32° KCCH for more information.

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SPECIAL BIRTHDAYS NOVEMBER

102 Years - REALLY Young

Stanley Willard Henson, Jr.

90 Years Young

Floyd Sumner Feenie, Jr. Albert Milliken, Jr. Rockley Roger Stene Elwin Eugene Wescoat

80 Years Young

James Clay Ashley Robert Edward Barton William Bernard Buchtel Larry Charles Henry Jerome Arthur Lau Duane Elwood McGee Charles Dean Rhine

70 Years Young

Carl Vincent Anderson Marc Jay Dinerstein Russell Arthur Gray Otis Estus Hilbun William Frank Milnor Frank Stewart

60 Years Young

Mark Alan Ellsworth

30 Years Young

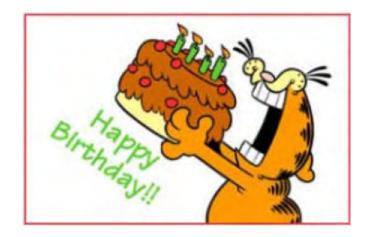
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This Month's "Old" Guy (24)

Nicholas Miller



November 10, 1775 (243 Years Old)



The next time you see our Birthday Brethren, please congratulate them, and especially thank them for being our Brothers in the Scottish Rite. Our "younger" Brothers are the future of the craft.

OUR SOCIAL MEDIA PRESENCE



Denver Consistory Web Page (New and Revised) <u>http://www.denverconsistory.org</u> **QUESTIONS/COMMENTS:** <u>Dan Conway, 32° KCCH</u>



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Denver Scottish Rite Consistory

http://www.facebook.com

You need to "LIKE" us to see what is going on.

QUESTIONS: Mike Brewer, 32° KCCH



Look for us (follow):

@DenvrConsistory

(Yes, the spelling is correct above)

QUESTIONS: Bryant Harris, 32° KCCH



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Donate Your Car, Boat, RV, Motorcycle - As a reminder, we have a program available for you to donate your vehicle to the <u>Scottish Rite Masonic Center</u>. Contact the office for details.





KING SOOPERS LOYALTY CARD

The SRMC receives a donation from King Soopers when you use your card. Money from the Loyalty Cards is used to help pay for maintenance and repairs to our building. This is an easy way for you to donate money to the Denver Consistory **Scottish Rite Masonic Center AT NO COST TO YOU!** If you do not have a card, you may obtain one from the office for a fee of \$10. The card is preloaded with \$10 credit, so the card actually costs you nothing. Take the card to any King Soopers service counter and add credit to your card and then use the card to pay for your purchases, including fuel at King Soopers fuel centers, and the SRMC receives a donation. You have to purchase food anyway, so why not do so utilizing a SRMC King Soopers Loyalty Card? As a side benefit—when you use this card at the King Soopers Gas stations, **there is NO PERSONAL INFORMATION about you on the card**, so even if there is an illegal skimmer at the station, it will not compromise your personal information like it would if you used your own credit cards. If you would like further information about the card, contact Brother Bill Skewes, 32° KCCH. Email: bill@skewes.com or 303-519-1240.



SCOTTISH RITE FALL REUNION 2018 Denver Consistory's 53rd Consecutive Reunion November 8, 9, 10, 2018

AN OPPORTUNITY TO REUNITE WITH YOUR BROTHERS REVISIT THE TEACHINGS



Preparation

Organization

Having Fun

First Line Signer Incentive Program: THREE petitions in a calendar year will pay your membership for a year. If you are a life member, it entitles you to receive stated meeting dinners for a year.

Denver Consistory 1370 Grant Street, Denver CO 80203

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303-861-4261

National Sojourners 2019 Essay Contest

THIS "AUTHORIZED COVER SHEET" MUST BE COMPLETELY FILLED OUT FOR THE ESSAY TO BE A WINNER !!!

Prizes

1 st Place	\$2000 Check and National Sojourners Plaque
2 nd Place	\$1000 Check and National Sojourners Plaque
3 rd Place	\$500 Check and National Sojourners Plaque

Theme – A More Perfect Union

BACKGROUND: David McCullough said "How can we know who we are and where we are headed if we don't know where we have come from? How can we call ourselves patriots if we know little of our country's past?" He goes on to say that "I have decided that the digital watch is the perfect symbol of an imbalance in outlook in our day. It tells us only what time it is now, at this instant, as if that were all anyone would wish or need to know."

Question

With the exception of July 4th, 1776, what would you say is the most pivotal event or moment in the history of our nation that has proven critical to what our country has become or what we hope our country will become and why?

Rules & Essay Details

Essay contest is open to students currently in the 9th to 12th grades, including home schooled students Submit essay to your local National Sojourners Chapter using this "Authorized Cover Sheet," filled out clearly and completely Each Chapter submits a maximum of 3 essays to National Sojourners Headquarters, received at National by Jan. 15th, 2019

Mandatory - Essay must satisfy the following requirements to be winners - Mandatory

Must be typed, 300 – 500 words long, & include word count; Must cite & footnote facts/quotations & include bibliography Must include student's name on first page of actual essay and on bibliography [for tracking purposes] Must be turned into and forwarded by your National Sojourners Chapter to be selected as winners

Student Information – Must Be Filled Out Completely

First Name, Middle Initial, Last Name:	
[Please use "nmi" for "no middle initial"]	
Home Telephone Number [required for contact]:	Word Count - Mandatory:
Home Mailing Address:	
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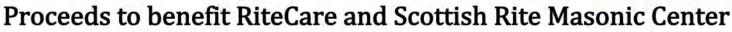
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