

*Exec. Officer Briefing* May 13, 2019 Vol. 6 Issue 1

## Hope Everyone Had a Great Mother's Day...

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 <u>State News</u> or you can click on the links to take you to the information.

May 15th	Vancouver Chapter Initiation @ 7pm
May 18th	State Paintball @ KC Crusaders in Prairie Ridge
May 19th	Services for Dad David Compton @ Shoreline Community College at 1pm
May 22nd	First OV of the term at Tacoma Chapter @ 7pm
June 5th	Port Angeles Chapter OV
June 11th	Rainier Chapter OV
June 17th	Olympia Chapter Installation @ 7pm
June 18th	Edward James Chapter OV
June 19th	Vancouver Chapter OV
June 22-23rd	Empire Chapter OV

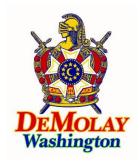
## **Dad David S. Compton**

Services to be Sunday May 19th at 1:00pm...

Long time contributor to DeMolay in Washington and DeMolay Internationally, our forever State Dad Advisor, Dad Dave Compton recently passed after a long battle with Parkinsons.

We hope that everyone can join us on Sunday May 19th at Shoreline Community College in the main dining room





as we celebrate his life. The services will start at 1:00pm. Please come help us celebrate all the wonderful things Dad Compton did and how much he meant to all of us who were so privileged to have worked with him over the years.

## "Stop The Bleed" at Convention 2019?

Immediate response training for all in attendance...

If you were at Convention you had the opportunity to participate in a new training that we offered this year. "Stop The Bleed" is a 90 minute RED CROSS certification training that addresses the immediate responders in an emergency situation and how they can help before the professionals arrive on scene.

With the unfortunate reality of situations becoming more common in our world it was determined that this was appropriate information for our members to have. Below is a link to an article on CNN talking more about this training and its value to those who find



themselves in this type of situation. Please share this with your members, especially those who were unable to attend Convention this year. The more we all do to educate ourselves, the better we can help save lives.

https://www.cnn.com/2019/05/12/health/stop-the-bleed-emergency-training-initiative/? utm\_medium=sundayedition.ads.20190512.421.2&utm\_source=email&utm\_content=article&utm\_campaign=10for-today---4.0-styling

## State Paintball 2019

Are you ready for the battles ...

This Saturday May 18th will be the Annual State Paintball event. It will again be at KC Crusaders in South Prairie. Registration has already passed, but if you have someone you would like to add please contact the event Chairman SMC Colton to see if you can have them added.

Friday night May 17th will be Puyallup Chapter's Installation and overnight accommodations will be available there for those who need it. The lodge is about 20 minutes from the fields. We hope to see you all there.



## 2018 Annual Reports in eScribe

We have a couple Chapters who still need to complete theirs...

A <u>big thank you</u> to everyone who got their Annual Reports completed. We are down to only 3 Chapters who have not yet submitted their reports for approval by the EO for 2018. This is a very important task that we must do and it is very much appreciated how several of you got this taken care of so quickly.

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## 2019 Pacific Northwest DeMolay Leadership Conference

Are you registered yet ...

The PNW DLC 2019 will be held July 14-20, 2019 at Camp Sheppard once again. <u>Registration</u> is open and available online right now.

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. The address is <u>www.pnwdlc.org.</u> The Facebook page is also another way to stay connected to the camp.

If you have any questions you can reach out to <u>Dad Chris Wheeler</u> or <u>Dad Brian Gross</u>. 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.

## **Galloping Gavel Program**

Do you want to take the traveling gavel?

Washington DeMolay's Galloping Gavel is a program that will be used to increase traveling within the jurisdiction. This will encourage traveling and turn travel into a type of friendly competition.

Traveling is something that many say is the reason they are as active as they are. This will not only help strengthen bonds within a Chapter but also, it will help people see how other Chapters do certain things and what can be improved on in their own home Chapter. In addition, this will help in strengthening the bonds between our brothers no matter where they are from.



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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 " <u>Calendar</u>" 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: <u>office@wademolay.org</u>.

#### 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 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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