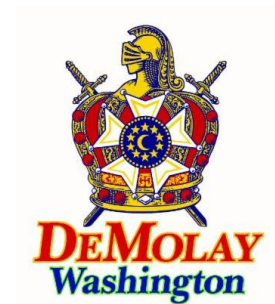


Where has the summer gone...

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.



<u>Dates:</u>	<u>Event:</u>
August 14th	Chuckanut Chapter OV
August 16-18th	Destiny Region Gull Dummy on Fox Island
August 23-24th	WACUP 2019 at Centennial Park in Cle Elum
Sept. 4th	Sodalis Region Initiation
Sept. 6-9th	Peninsula Bro-Treat
Sept. 11th	Evergreen Region Initiatory degree
Sept. 11th	Tacoma Chapter Initiation
Sept. 13th	Evergreen Region DeMolay Degree
Sept. 14th	Tacoma Chapter Installation
Sept. 16th	Olympia Chapter OV
Sept. 20th	Puyallup Chapter OV

2019 Pacific Northwest DeMolay Leadership Conference

What a great time...

The PNW DLC 2019 was held at Camp Sheppard once again this year and we had a great time. Although we had a lot of rain we learned how to adapt to it and make the most out of it. Congrats to all who went and those who earned their RD's or LCC Lamp of Knowledge. It truly was a great EXPERIENCE for everyone there. You can go the [PNW DLC](#) website if you would like to see a little more. Next year's dates are July 12-18, 2020 and we hope to see even more of you there.



Washington Cup 2019

How's your volleyball game?

WACUP is August 24th this year and will feature Volleyball as the sports competition.

The event will be held in Cle Elum this year at Centennial Park, so please start planning for that now. Overnight accommodations will be made available for all those who need them. Simply reach out to [Colton Jenkins](#), who is the event chairman. The cost is \$40 per team, and then \$25 per player. For those not playing it is only \$18 to attend the event.



Registration is due by **August 14th** and can be found by [clicking here](#). Additionally the N2K packet is available with all the details by [clicking here](#). We look forward to seeing you all there.

Washington DeMolay Announcement

State Junior Councilor...

August 11, 2019

Greetings DeMolay in Washington,

Being a State Officer is not easy. Ten percent of the job is travelling, the other ninety percent requires significant time, energy, resources, and effort that unfortunately, no one ever sees. The duties are demanding and requires an all-in attitude, but sometimes the timing of life and personal struggles gets in the way.



Following a lengthy discussion, your current SIC Brian C. Rivers has decided that he needs to focus on his personal goals for the future. State Dad Advisor Luedke and I have agreed it was time for him to step out of the position of State Junior Councilor and put his efforts into himself.

All previously assigned responsibilities will be reassigned to other State Officers by the State Master Councilor until such time as the position is filled for the balance of the term.

We all wish the best for Brian in his future endeavors and thank him for his service to DeMolay.

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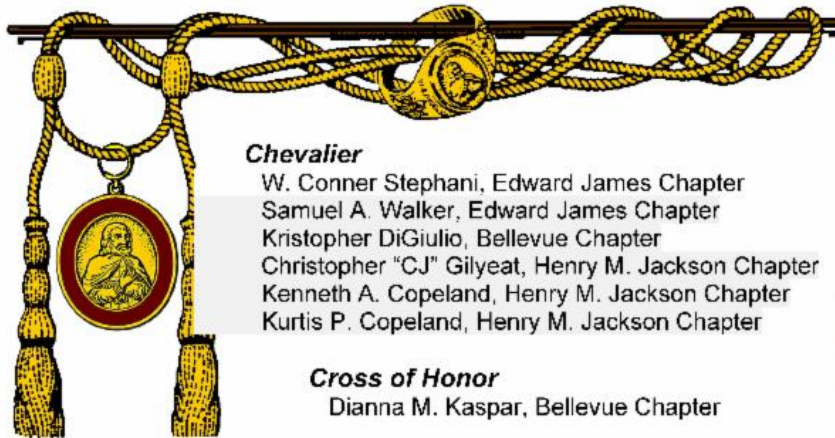
Dad Jeffery A. Brunson, Executive Officer
DeMolay in Washington

2019 Honors and Awards

Long awaited announcement after ISC...

“Those Who Honor Me, I will Honor.”

At the 2019 DeMolay International “Cenntenial” Session held in Kansas City, Missouri, Washington DeMolay was well represented in the DeMolay Congress by SMC Colton Jenkins, SSC Kenneth Copeland, and SScribe Kurtis Copeland. Your International Supreme Council Delegates are pleased to announce the 2018-19 Honors that were voted on favorably for the following list of recipients. Congratulations to those 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

W. Conner Stephani, Edward James Chapter
Samuel A. Walker, Edward James Chapter
Kristopher DiGiulio, Bellevue Chapter
Christopher “CJ” Gilyeat, Henry M. Jackson Chapter
Kenneth A. Copeland, Henry M. Jackson Chapter
Kurtis P. Copeland, Henry M. Jackson Chapter

Cross of Honor

Dianna M. Kaspar, Bellevue Chapter

Legion of Honor (Active)

Barry L. Blumenthal, Anchorage, AK
Joe C. Darnell, Wasilla, AK

Legion of Honor (Honorary)

David W. Colbeth, Edward James Chapter
William H. Stephani, Edward James Chapter
Brian K. Wheeler, Henry M. Jackson Chapter
Alan R. Sawyer, Rainier Chapter



Special Congratulations to Dad Walter J. Collins, Past Master Councilor, Past Chapter Dad Advisor, and Past Chairman of Puyallup Chapter, current Destiny Region Deputy and Youth Protection Director of DeMolay in Washington on his

nomination and election as a Deputy Member of the International Supreme Council, Order of DeMolay.

IRS Change for Group Exemption

Chairman please read and submit...

Earlier this year, the IRS notified DeMolay International of a change in procedure for registering our subordinate units as part of the group exemption process for 501(c)(3) status.

We want to make sure that every DeMolay entity in the United States (Chapter, Manor, Priory, Jurisdiction, Court, Preceptory, Alumni Organization, etc.) that is entitled to be part of the group exemption is included when the new list is filed later this fall. To help facilitate this, we are requesting that the Advisory Council Chairman or adult presiding officer of each entity **complete the Group Exemption Request Form no later than August 31, 2019.**



The form can be found at DeMolay.org under Resources/Downloads or by [clicking here](#). You will need the organization's Federal ID number to complete the form. If you have any questions you can contact [Dad Gross](#) for assistance.

Updated Protocol (Introductions) Guide

Be sure to review the updated version...

Greeting MC's and Chapter Dad's,

With the passing of the legislation at Conclave that changed the titles of the State Corps, we needed to do a bit of editing to the Protocol (Introductions) Guide. It has been completely updated with a few other changes and uploaded to the State Website under the Resources tab, Online Resources, and then Policies.

Click here: <https://www.wademolay.org/forms-resources-policies.html>



This is effective immediately, so toss all the old ones you have printed and begin using this newest version. A little hint, before your next big meeting/event where you will need to do formal introductions, spend a few minutes doing a practice with your MC and Marshal. Remember ~ it's the small things that make a huge impression.

Thank you!
Dad Brunson, EO

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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AmazonSmile is a website operated by Amazon that lets customers (you) enjoy the same wide selection of products, low prices, and convenient shopping features as on Amazon.com. The difference is that when you shop on AmazonSmile (smile.amazon.com), the AmazonSmile Foundation will donate 0.5% of the price of eligible purchases to the Washington State DeMolay Foundation.

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When first visiting AmazonSmile, you are prompted to select a charitable organization from almost one million eligible organizations. In order to browse or shop at AmazonSmile, first select the "Washington State DeMolay Foundation".

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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 you 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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Anyone can help support WA DeMolay - family, friends & neighbors...

Your support can help lower the cost of our Events and Programs



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- If you do not have a Rewards Card, they are available at the Customer Service desk of any Fred Meyer store.
- For more information, please visit www.fredmeyer.com/communityrewards.

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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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