

GRAND YORK RITE OF MISSOURI
2021 Annual Grand Sessions
Capitol Plaza Hotel, Jefferson City, Missouri
GRAND SESSION DRAFT SCHEDULE

Wednesday, June 9, 2021

Masonic Vendor will be on site for the whole event, Wednesday through Saturday, second floor, Springfield room

Ladies Hospitality Room – throughout the session (Kansas City)

- 3:00 p.m. **Early Registration** (Credentials Committee) – All 3 Bodies – until 6:00 pm (*Atrium*)
4:00 p.m. **Hotel Pre-Con Meeting** – open to 2019/20-2021 and 2021-2022 Heads of Bodies and their Ladies (*Jefferson A*)
9:30 p.m. **“Old Goats” Meeting** (Past Grand High Priests) (*Joplin*)

Thursday, June 10, 2021

- 6:30 a.m. Breakfast – On Your Own
7:00 a.m. **Registration** (Credentials Committee) – Chapter, Council and Commandery – until 11:00 am (*Atrium*)
8:00 a.m. **Annual Meeting of Palmyra Historical Chapter No. 2** – Open to All Royal Arch Masons (*Capitol/Truman*)
8:45 a.m. **Grand Session Opening Ceremonies, Flag Presentation by Heroes of ‘76/Pledge/Anthem** (*Capitol/Truman*)
9:00 a.m. **Grand Chapter Introduction of Distinguished Guests** – Open to Ladies and Guests (*Capitol/Truman*)
Introduction of the Grand Lecturer and the District Deputy Grand Lecturers
Introduction of the District Deputy Grand High Priests
Introduction of the 2019-2021 Grand Chapter Officers
Brief Welcoming Comments by the Grand High Priest
Introduction of the Past Grand High Priests of Missouri
Introduction of the Out of State Grand Chapter Officers
Introduction of the Grand Representatives
Introduction of Heads of Missouri York Rite Bodies
Introduction of National Body Representatives
Introduction of the General Grand Chapter Officers
Reception of the General Grand High Priest or Representative & brief remarks
Introduction of Grand Lodge Officers
Reception of the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Missouri & brief remarks
Summary Address of the Grand High Priest
Necrology: Part of the Grand High Priest’s Address
Dismissal of the Ladies and Non-Member Guests
10:00 a.m. **Formal Opening of the 174th Annual Convocation** of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri
Preliminary Report of the Credentials Committee
Report of the Committee on the Address of the Grand High Priest
Report of the Jurisprudence Committee
Report of the Finance Committee
Report of the Grand Treasurer

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- 11:00 a.m. Report of the Grand Secretary
Routine Business & Additional Committee Reports (as needed)
Election of the 2021-2022 Grand Chapter Officers
Report of the Election Committee
Acceptance of the Grand Chapter Officers Elect
Report of the Grand High Priest Elect – w/Appointments
Report of the Committee on Time and Place
Address of the General Grand High Priest or Representative
Address of the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Missouri or Representative
- 11:45 a.m. Grand Chapter Closed or Called from Labor until 3:00 p.m.
- 12:00 p.m. **Lunch Sponsored by Tall Cedars of Lebanon** – Open to All (*Carnegie*)
- 1:00 p.m. **Ladies Paint the Town Event** (*Jefferson A/B*)
- 1:30 p.m. **Order of High Priesthood** (*Missouri*)
- 3:00 p.m. Grand Chapter Resumes Labor (concludes remaining business, if any)
All Grand Chapter Awards will be given at the Saturday Grand York Rite Banquet
- 3:30 p.m. **Installation of the 2021-2022 Grand Chapter Officers** – Open to Ladies and Guests
- 4:30 p.m. Close the 174th Annual Convocation of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the State of Missouri
Pictures
- 6:00 p.m. Dinner – On Your Own
- 7:30 p.m. **Grand Preceptory of Yeomen of York Meeting** – Members Only (*Missouri*)
- 9:00 p.m. Grand Commandery Practice – Grand Line Officers (*Capitol/Truman*)
- 9:30 p.m. **“Old Buzzards” Meeting** (*Joplin*)

Friday, June 11, 2021

- 6:30 a.m. **Red Cross of Constantine Breakfast Meeting** – Members Only (*Carnegie*)
Others, Breakfast – On Your Own
- 7:00 a.m. **Registration** – Council and Commandery only – until 10:30 am (*Atrium*)
- 8:30 a.m. **Opening Ceremonies and Introduction of Distinguished Guests** – Open to Ladies and Guests (*Capitol/Truman*)
Roll Call and Introduction of the 2020-2021 Grand Commandery Officers
Introduction of the Grand Representatives
Introduction of the Regional Grand Commanders
Introduction of the Past Grand Commanders of Missouri
Introduction of the Out of State Grand Commandery Officers
Introduction of Heads of Missouri York Rite Bodies
Introduction of National Body Representatives
Introduction of the Grand Encampment Officers
Reception of the Grand Master of the Grand Encampment or Representative & brief remarks
Introduction of Grand Lodge Officers

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- Reception of the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Missouri & brief remarks
Summary Address of the Grand Commander
Necrology: Part of the Grand Commander's Address
Dismissal of the Ladies and the Non-Member Guests
- 9:30 a.m. **Formal Reconvening of the 160th Annual Conclave of Missouri**
Preliminary Report of the Credentials Committee
Report of the Committee on the Address of the Grand Commander
Report of the Jurisprudence Committee
Report of the Finance Committee
Report of the Grand Treasurer
Report of the Grand Recorder
Routine Business & Additional Committee Reports (as needed)
- 10:30 a.m. **Election of the 2021-2022 Grand Commandery Officers**
Report of the Election Committee
Acceptance of the Grand Commandery Officers Elect
Report of the Grand Commander Elect – w/Appointments
Report of the Committee on Time and Place
Address of the Grand Master of the Grand Encampment or Representative
Address of Grand Master of Grand Lodge or his Representative
- 11:45 a.m. Grand Commandery Called from Labor until 3:00 pm
- 12:00 p.m. **Lunch Sponsored by Yeomen of York** – Open to All – Special Presentation by Coyote
Hill Christian Children's Home (*Lincoln*)
- 12:00 p.m. **Knights Templar Education Foundation Committee Lunch Meeting** – Committee
Members only (*Joplin*)
- 1:30 p.m. **Past Commander's Association** (*Missouri*)
- 3:00 p.m. Grand Commandery Resumes Labor – (concludes remaining business, if any) All Grand
All Commandery Awards will be given at the Saturday Grand York Rite
Banquet
- 3:30 p.m. Installation of the 2021-2022 Grand Commandery Officers
- 4:30 p.m. 160th Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of the State of
Missouri Called from Labor
Pictures
- 6:30 p.m. **Distinguished Guests Banquet/Entertainment** – Open Seating w/Cash Bar, Dinner @
7:00 p.m. – Open to All (*Jefferson/Missouri*)

Saturday, June 12, 2021

- 7:00 a.m. **KYCH Breakfast Meeting** – Members Only (*Lincoln*)
Others, Breakfast – On Your Own
- 8:00 a.m. **Registration** (Credentials Committee) – Council only – until 11:00 am (*Atrium*)
- 9:00 a.m. **Grand Council Introduction of Distinguished Guests** – Open to Ladies and Guests
(*Capitol/Truman*)

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- Introduction of the Grand Lecturer and the Regional Deputy Grand Lecturers
Introduction of the Regional Deputy Grand Masters
Introduction of the 2018-2019 Grand Council Officers
Brief Welcoming Comments by the Grand Master
Introduction of the Past Grand Masters of Missouri
Introduction of the Out of State Grand Council Officers
Introduction of the Grand Representatives
Introduction of Heads of Missouri York Rite Bodies
Introduction of National Body Representatives
Introduction of the General Grand Council Officers
Reception of the General Grand Master or Representative & brief remarks
Introduction of the Grand Lodge Officers
Reception of the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Missouri & brief remarks
Summary Address of the Grand Master
Necrology: Part of the Grand Master's Address
Dismissal of the Ladies and the Non-Member Guests
10:00 a.m. **Formal Opening of the 155th Annual Assembly** of the Grand Council of Cryptic
Masons of the State of Missouri (*Capitol/Truman*)
Preliminary Report of the Credentials Committee
Report of the Committee on the Grand Master's Address
Report of the Jurisprudence Committee
Report of the Finance Committee
Report of the Grand Treasurer
Report of the Grand Recorder
Routine Business & Additional Committee Reports (as needed)
11:00 a.m. **Election of the 2021-2022 Grand Council Officers**
Report of the Election Committee
Acceptance of the Grand Council Officers Elect
Report of the Grand Master Elect – w/Appointments
Report of the Committee on Time and Place
Address of the General Grand Master or Representative
Address of the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Missouri
11:45 p.m. Grand Council Closed or Called from Labor until 3:00 pm
12:00 p.m. **Ladies Luncheon** and Entertainment (*Carnegie*)
12:00 p.m. **Grand Council Lunch and Learn** – Open to All – Special Guest Speaker (*Lincoln*)
1:30 p.m. **Order of the Silver Trowel** (*Missouri*)
3:00 p.m. Grand Council Resumes Labor (concludes remaining business, if any)
All Grand Council Awards will be given at the Saturday Grand York Rite Banquet
3:30 p.m. **Installation of the 2021-2022 Grand Council Officers**, Open to Ladies and Guests
4:30 p.m. Close the 155th Annual Assembly of the Grand Council of Cryptic Masons of the State of
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Pictures
5:00 p.m. Regional Deputy Grand Masters/Lecturers meeting (*Capitol/Truman*)

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- 6:00 p.m. All Bodies Grand Officer Reception – Meet and Greet – Cash Bar – Open to All (*Atrium*)
6:30 p.m. Open Seating for Banquet – Grand Officers Line Up (*outside Jefferson/Missouri*)
6:45 p.m. Introduction of Grand York Rite Officers
7:00 p.m. **Grand York Rite Awards Banquet** – Cash Bar – Open to All (*Jefferson/Missouri*)
Drawing for Raffle Winners
Presentation of Charity Donations
Grand Chapter/Grand Council/Grand Commandery Awards Presentations

Sunday, June 13, 2021

- 8:00 a.m. **Worship Service** - Open to All (*Missouri*)
9:00 a.m. **Grand Officers Breakfast** – Open to all Past/Present Grand Officers, Deputy/Regional Grand Officers, Distinguished/Out of State Guests and their Ladies (*Lincoln*)
11:00 a.m. **Hotel Post-Con Meeting** – open to 2019/20-2021 and 2021-2022 Heads of Bodies and their Ladies (*Kansas City*)