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In order to keep you better informed of the happenings in the jurisdiction, I will dedicate a portion of this column to upcoming events. Below are our events for January and beyond:

- Monday 6 January, Drill Team Practice, Portsmouth at 6:30pm (all SKs are welcome)
- Tuesday 7 January, Palestine Commandery Stated Conclave, Rochester at 7:00pm
- Tuesday 14 January, DeWitt Clinton Commandery Stated Conclave, Portsmouth at 6:30pm Dinner/7:30pm meeting
- Saturday 1 February, Trinity & St George's Commanderies, Order of the Red Cross
- Saturday 7 March, Mt Horeb & Northstar St Gerard Commanderies, Order of Malta
- Saturday 14 March, DeWitt Clinton & Palestine Commanderies, Order of the Temple

A New Year's Message from the REGC

Sir Knight's time flies as it doesn't seem like I am already over the halfway point in my first year as Grand Commander. I am pleased to see the all of the hard work that is being done to improve the Rite. Traveling around the State I have noticed that our Stated Conclaves are becoming more like an event than an old stale business meeting. Educational topics are being presented and discussed and the Sir Knights are regularly working to improve their ritual performance.

In the coming months the Commandry's will be presenting the spring orders and I look forward to seeing the hard work of the Sir Knights involved. On Saturday February 1, 2020 the Commandry's in Manchester and Nashua will put on a joint Order

of the Red Cross. Then on Saturday March 7, 2020 the Commandery's in Lancaster and Concord will put on a joint Order of Malta which will be followed up on the next weekend, Saturday March 14, 2020 with a joint Order of the Temple put on by the Portsmouth and Rochester Commandery's. I hope all of the Sir Knights will put these dates on their calendars and travel to witness our candidates being brought to further light.

Being a York Rite member for over twenty years it is a pleasure to see the Rite now growing with a significant increase in the amount of active participation. Sir Knights this is only happening because of the hard work of each and every one of you, for that I take off my chapeau off and bow to honor you. Onward and upward Christian Knights!

Yours in Knightly Courtesy,

Sir Knight David. S. Collins, Right Eminent Grand Commander Grand Commandery of New Hampshire

Reminder, dates of events are always subject to change -- York Rite Calendar posted on the website at https://nhyorkrite.org/calendars/

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