

Wyoming Supplement

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As we have been enjoying the wonderful warm summer weather and all the wonderful past times this State offers us, the camping, fishing, the reunions and the family barbeques, we have to be thankful to live in such a place! As the gardens are beginning to deliver up their bounty, August brings thoughts of getting ready for the fall and winter to come. Remember to check on your senior members as the hot days of August can be as hard on them as the cold days of January. A kindly call or stop by for a visit can brighten their day! Check on your neighbors as well, and if help is needed by them try to give it. As an individual I cannot change much of what is or might be wrong with the world, but I can help to clean up and straighten up some of the things on my block. I can try to be an example of what a man and Mason can be and should be. If you have been keeping in contact with your apprentices and those you are apprenticing under, this is a good time to start revving up for the oncoming Masonic Year, working as a team in the Lodge, Chapter, Council, Commandery and Community. Let the York Rite be seen as a force for good in your community; may it attract some new interest and new members.

August also signals the start of a new Masonic Year, with the Grand Chapter Order of Eastern star having their annual meeting August 4th through the 7th at the Little America in Cheyenne. The annual meeting of The Grand lodge A.F. & A.M. of Wyoming will be in Casper on the 8th, 9th, and 10th. You should have already sent in your registrations for that event.

At this Time, I would like to give my wish of congratulations to the Incoming Worthy Grand Matron Diane Mickelson and Worthy Grand Patron Kraig Kobert. May your year be exciting and successful. I also wish to congratulate incoming Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand lodge of Ancient Free

& Accepted Masons of Wyoming Michael McGrady. I am sure it will be a fruitful, rewarding and illuminating year.

Next moth we will also have our annual Grand York Rite Sessions to be held at The Red Lion Inn, in Cheyenne on September 16th, 17th, 18th, & 19th. Remember the block of rooms for sessions will be released August 18th. So, please send in those Registrations and get those room reservations in as soon as possible.

Yours in Faith Jack C Cook REGC