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Saturday, October 25, 2014
Registration

Registration due October 4, 2014

 ADVISOR NAME: ________________________________________________________________

 CHAPTER: ______________________________________________________________________

 MAILING ADDRESS: ____________________________________________________________

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 CELL PHONE NUMBER: ___________________________ HOME PHONE: ________________

 EMAIL: ________________________________________________________________

 I HAVE BEEN DAD (PART I) TRAINED AND AM AN ACTIVE ADVISOR: YES NO

 The following questions are designed to assist the Director in accessing the level of DeMolay knowledge that you possess and to assist in identifying the areas that you may benefit most from during the conference.

 I AM A: SENIOR DEMOLAY PAST MASTER COUNCILOR CHEVALIER

 LEGION OF HONOR CROSS OF HONOR OTHER ______________________

 MY SON IS: CURRENTLY INVOLVED FORMERLY INVOLVED NEVER INVOLVED

 I SERVE THE CHAPTER AS: CHAIRMAN CHAPTER “DAD” ADVISOR

 RITUAL ADVISOR ATHLETIC ADVISOR OTHER: __________________________

 I AM INTERESTED IN LEARNING MORE ABOUT: __________________________________

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 DID YOU ATTEND THE ADVISORS CONFERENCE LAST YEAR? YES NO

 (If you did attend, please remember to bring along your notebook from last year. If you can’t find it, please note it on this form somewhere so we can get you a replacement.)

 Register online at: www.region1demolay.org or by mail to New Hampshire DeMolay. Please make checks payable to “New Hampshire DeMolay” in the amount of $25.00 and return to:

 Richard Melvin
 c/o Bektash Shrine Center
 189 Pembroke Road, PO Box 4086
 Concord, NH 03301-4086

 Late Registrations are welcome up to October 15th: $40.00

 Questions/Comments: Wayne Szretter — wayne.szretter@mademolay.org
Hotel Registration: Attendees who may need a hotel are responsible for their own hotel reservations. A hotel convenient to the Bektash Shrine Center is the Fairfield Inn Concord, NH (1-603-224-4011). Guest room rates are $109.00 USD/night (2 double beds or 1 king bed) which includes complimentary breakfast, wireless, and on-site parking. [http://www.marriott.com/hotels/hotel-information/travel/mhtfc-fairfield-inn-concord/] All reservations must be made directly with the hotel.

Saturday, October 25

8:00-9:00  Breakfast/Registration
9:00-9:15  Opening Session (Introductions, Conference Overview, etc.)
9:20-10:05 That Thing You Do!
10:05-10:20 Break
10:20-11:05 Using State Officers to Help Your Chapter
11:10-11:55 Social Media and DeMolay
12:00-1:00 Lunch Break (Luncheon speaker Grand Master Derek Sprague. Topic: The Communication Strategy of DeMolay International.)
1:00 - 2:30 Breakout sessions.
  • JO’s: Interactive discussion of regional/local programming and cooperation.
  • Advisors: New advisors, how to get them, how to keep them, how to use them.
  • EO’s: Meet with Region 1 Education Staff.
2:30 - 2:45 Break
2:45 - 4:15 Scenarios for the Real Life Chapter
4:15 - 5:00 Where Do We Go From Here? - An Interactive discussion
**That Thing You Do:** Thinking all the way back to 1919, DeMolay has a very serious purpose in view. What do we do and why do we do it that way?

**Using State Officers to Help Your Chapter:** A panel discussion with our Region’s Jurisdictional Officers. How can they help us? How can we help them?

**Social Media and DeMolay:** The most up-to-date research shows that people of DeMolay age don’t use email or voice-to-voice telephone communication much, if at all. So what DO they use and how can we, as advisors, join in?

**Jurisdictional Officers** get together to share ideas and swap methods. Successful jurisdictional programs are often based on the good practices of others. It’s time to learn from one another.

**Advisors** can be the critical factor in a successful chapter. Once we have addressed our membership needs, we are faced with finding, using, and keeping new advisors. We’ll look at three major sources of new advisors, getting our prospective adult workers to sign on the dotted line, training them beyond the basic D.A.D. program, and keeping them happy and engaged.

**The Executive Officers** meet with the regional education staff to continue developing the plans to better train and teach our members and advisors through JO education, LTC, and advanced advisor training.

- Review of 2013 and 2014 programs
- Organizational structure and staffing needs
- Program content and curriculum going forward
- D.A.D. training program options

**Scenarios:** We will take a hard look at a number of potential issues that can bog down a Chapter. Individual tables will come up with their solutions, then the whole group will discuss the problem and share differing ideas.

**Where Do We Go From Here?** Home is obviously the first answer, but if DeMolay is to grow, we must have a plan of action. What is it? What should we be doing in Kansas City, in the individual jurisdictions, and in the individual chapters?

**Meet the Grand Master of DeMolay:** Joining us this year is Bro Derek Sprague, a Senior DeMolay, Past State Master Councilor and a former Executive Officer. Derek’s years in DeMolay uniquely qualify him for his new job as the adult leader of DeMolay International. Join us to hear his inspirational words of encouragement.