



THE CROWN

WELCOME TO THE CROWN!

For years, the Texas DeMolay Association has stood as one of the premier youth organizations. We are so excited to announce that we are bringing back The Crown, our state newsletter, and the place to keep up with all things Texas DeMolay!



UPCOMING EVENTS

- August 11 District 2 Chevalier Investiture
- August 17-18 Grand Chapter-Order of the Eastern Star
- August 20 School Starts
- September 1 The Crown-September Edition

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MEET OUR NEW STATE OFFICERS!

NOAH P. BLAIR STATE MASTER COUNCILOR

Noah P. Blair was born on the 18th of September in the year 1999 in Hurst, Texas to Jenifer and Christopher Blair. He spent several years of his life moving around, but in 2009 his family moved to Midlothian, TX where he still lives to this day. In May of 2017, he graduated from Midlothian High School with distinction. He has dedicated hundreds of hours to tutoring and mentoring kids at Mission Midlothian, which provides free after school day car to children of single parent families. Additionally, a large portion of his life has been spent in service to organizations dedicated to helping children with disabilities, including the Deaf Blind Multi-Handicapped Association of Texas, For Maddie's Sake, and Special Olympics. Noah was an accomplished academic throughout his high school career, graduating in the top ten percent of his class and competing with the debate team all four years. He was a four-time regional qualifier for numerous speech and debater events and was the only student in Texas history to qualify for nationals in three separate events. He served as the Vice President of the Debate team for a year and served as the Speech Captain for three years. He was also a member of the Choral Department, getting the highest possible score at state Solo and Ensemble and serving as a Bass Section Leader. He lettered in both programs.



During his freshman year of High School, he was initiated into Legacy Chapter in Midlothian, where he served as the first line signer for his brother, Jonah. Then in February of 2016, he transferred his membership to the newly created Red Oak Chapter where he served as its very first Junior Councilor and a Charter Member. He also then served as the first line signer for his youngest brother, Jedidiah. In March of 2017, he was elected Master Councilor of Red Oak chapter and became its first Master Councilor to receive his PMC-MSA. He also received his Representative DeMolay Award, as well as several awards for his work in DeMolay Degree and COL. He was initiated into D/FW Priory at the 87th annual conclave, and in June of 2018 was installed as Illustrious Knight Commander. At the 2018 Session of the International Supreme Council, mere weeks before his election as State Master, Noah Blair was unanimously approved to receive the Degree of Chevalier.

In November of 2017, Noah Blair was initiated as an Entered Apprentice at Red Oak Lodge #461 under the Jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of Texas, AF & AM. In February, he was passed to the of Fellowcraft, and on April 7th of 2018, he was raised to the sublime Degree of Master Mason. He was installed as the Tiler of Red Oak Lodge on July 14th of 2018.

In July of 2017, Noah was elected to serve as the State Senior Councilor for the Jurisdiction of Texas under Brother Cody Jones, where he served faithfully throughout his term. Then, in July of 2018, he was elected to serve as the 89th State Master Councilor of Texas.

REX W. WUNSCHÉ DEPUTY STATE MASTER COUNCILOR

Rex William Wunsché was born on April 26, 2001 in Shenandoah, Texas to Paul and Becky Wunsché. He is currently a Senior at Klein High School, where he is very involved in the band, including playing the flute and serving as a flute section leader and head librarian. He is also involved in both the youth and music departments at Rosehill United Methodist Church where he is a member of the handbell choir, and serves on the youth leadership committee.

On May 25, 2013, Rex was one of the first members to be initiated into Lionheart Chapter #44167, and is a charter member. On January 24, 2015, after serving as Junior Councilor and Senior Councilor, Rex was installed as the fourth Master Councilor of Lionheart Chapter. On February 3, 2017, Rex was installed as the first active member of Lionheart Chapter to hold the office of Scribe.

Prior to his term as Master Councilor, Rex earned both his Lamp of Knowledge and his Representative DeMolay Award. During his term as Master Councilor, he earned his Past Master Councilor's Meritorious Service Award. He has also earned the Founders Membership Award, the Blue Honor Key, and numerous merit bars.

At the 50th DeMolay International Congress, Rex was honored to be elected to receive the degree of Chevalier. He was initiated into the Gulf Coast Court of Chevaliers on July 9, 2017, and was elected as Commander in the South on October 8, 2017.

On July 14, 2017, Rex was initiated into San Jacinto Priory at the 87th Texas State Conclave. He is also a dual and charter member of Golden Triangle Priory, where he currently serves as Prior.

Rex was honored to serve as District Deputy State Master Councilor for District Five, under State Master Councilor Chris Little, and State Junior Councilor for the Texas DeMolay Association under State Master Councilor Cody Jones. At the 88th annual State Conclave, he was honored to be elected to serve as the 73rd Deputy State Master Councilor. He looks forward to many more years serving the Texas DeMolay Association.



JONAH BLAIR STATE SENIOR COUNCILOR



Brother Jonah Blair was born December 14th, 2000 in Brownsville, Texas to his parents Jenifer and Christopher Blair. He spent several years of his life moving around, but in 2009 his family moved to Midlothian, TX where he still lives to this day. He was born with many health defects including, but not limited to, being born with half a heart and he was born with a bone missing in his thumb. He has had various surgeries for his heart and wasn't supposed to live past five years old. His health problems made elementary school hard with people not wanting to be friends with him because of his health problems and having to be absent through lots of grade school for surgeries and other procedures. In middle school he was still struggling and would get sick very often and would have to be sent home a lot of the time for not feeling well.

In 2014 his older brother Noah Blair was invited to DeMolay and loved it so much that he wanted Jonah to join. Jonah was initiated into DeMolay on April 5th, 2014 into Legacy Chapter. In early 2016 he transferred his membership and became a Charter Member of Red Oak Chapter. His older brother, Noah Blair, was elected and installed into the office of State Senior Councilor at the 2017 annual conclave. Jonah was installed as Master Councilor of Red Oak Chapter in November of 2017 and decided that he wanted to run for State Senior Councilor. At the 2018 Conclave, he was elected and installed as the State Senior Councilor for the Texas DeMolay Association. He is very honored to be elected into this position and will serve Texas DeMolay to the very best of his ability.

Throughout his time in DeMolay he has learned very valuable lessons and skills that will help him throughout his adult life. Skills including community service skills that helped him become an assistant volunteer for the Midlothian Special Olympic Basketball Team, the Ellis county Special Olympic swim team, and was a volunteer at a daycare for kids who have single parents called Mission Midlothian, and he is currently a helper at the Ellis County Adaptive Dance Crew where he helps as a teacher to teach dances to special needs kids. He has learned many good lessons over his years in DeMolay that he will carry throughout the rest of his life. He will do the best he can to serve DeMolay as the State Senior Councilor of Texas.

JUSTIN HANCOCK STATE JUNIOR COUNCILOR



Justin Hancock was born in June 15, 2000 in a small town outside of Waco called China Spring, Texas. He attended school Pre-K through 12th at China Spring ISD. He is now attending McLennan Community College where he plans on being there for two years to pursue music education. He plays trumpet in band. He was also a section leader for two years in high school. Justin is an outstanding musician. He made the Association of Texas Small School Bands jazz band and concert band in high school. He was a part of his school's top band two years in a row, one time being on a different instrument. He was named outstanding trumpet twice and was named the 2017-2018 outstanding male senior by the band directors.

Justin was initiated to Waco Chapter on October 17, 2013. Before his term as Master Councilor, Justin earned numerous merit bars, his lamp of knowledge, and his #1 pin. During his term and post term as Master Councilor he received his Founders Membership Award and Representative DeMolay Award. Justin was invested into priory on July 30, 2016 as a part of DFW Priory, now Michie Brouse Priory. Going into the centennial year of DeMolay Justin was elected to serve as the State Junior Councilor for the 2018-2019 term.

MEET OUR NEW STATE OFFICERS!

KENDAL CLARK STATE SWEETHEART

Kendal Danae Clark was born on August 2, 2001 in Arlington, Texas to Kevin and Shanna Clark. She is currently a Senior at Matthew Road Academy and finishing her Freshman year at Tarrant County College.

She was installed as H. Malvern Marks Chapter Sweetheart, beginning her service on December 3rd of 2016 at the Toys for Tots Dance. Kendal has completed her LCC's earning her Lamp of Knowledge as well as her Pink Honor Key while in service to H. Malvern Marks Chapter.

Kendal began her masonic journey when she was eight years old as a Pledge, once eleven she was initiated into Rainbow and has been very active. She has been recognized as a Rocking Rainbow Girl by Supreme for her service to the Scottish Rite Hospital in 2016. She also has completed membership challenges on a Supreme level for the last two sessions. She has served as Grand Patriotism 2016-2017, Grand Drill Leader 2017-2018 and is currently serving as Grand Musician 2018-2019 for the Grand Assembly of Texas International Order of the Rainbow for Girls.

Kendal's interest includes DeMolay, Rainbow, Church, ASL, Line Dancing and she is a huge fan of puppies! Kendal volunteers and mentors to youth believing it is the service given to others that has its biggest reward.



GAIGE HARVEY STATE ILLUSTRIOUS KNIGHT COMMANDER

Gaige Michael Harvey was born on August 27, 2000 in Port Author, Texas to Jennifer LEEAN Howell and Christopher Wayne Harvey. He is currently a Senior at Nederland High School and anticipates graduating in 2019. He joined Band in middle school and learned to play the Alto and Baritone Saxophone. He joined Jazz Band in his 8th grade year. In his first two years of high school, he was in Concert A Band and Jazz Band. During football season, he was part of the Loading Crew. Their job was to load and unload band equipment. During his Sophomore year, he play the saxophone for iRule, a local dance school, in their winter and summer performances. When becoming a Junior, he decided to join the Nederland Bulldogs football team.

Brother Harvey was initiated into the Nederland Chapter on March 18, 2015. After presenting his proficiency and receiving his Representative DeMolay Award, he was elected and installed as the Master Councilor on July 17, 2017. Since becoming a member, he was won 1st Place Ritual competitions and Athletic competitions at Conclave.



CHAPTER OF THE YEAR!

Texas DeMolay is super excited to re-launch the chapter of the year competition. We now have a point system to determine who wins the sword donated to us last year by the Grand Commandry of Texas.

Points are tabulated from July 1 until June 30 of each year. The Chapter with the most points wins, and receives the Chapter of the Year Sword on Sunday morning and State Conclave.

Here is a breakdown of how points are tabulated:

- State Events
 - *Attend State Conclave-25 points
 - *Attend Government Day-25 points
 - *Attend Masonic Youth Weekend-25 points
 - *Attend all three state events-25 points
- Chapter Involvement
 - *Each new initiate-10 points
 - *No net loss in membership-25 points
 - *Top 1st line signer on a Texas petition-5 points
 - *Electing a Sweetheart-10 points
- Honors and Awards
 - *Each new Chevalier-15 points
 - *Each Founder's Membership Award-5 points
 - *Each Blue Honor Key-10 points
 - *Each Past Master Councilor's Meritorious Service Award-10 points
 - *Each Representative DeMolay award-5 points
 - *Each Lamp of Knowledge-5 points

We hope everyone will strive their best to win this prestigious award, and wish every Chapter the best of luck!



STATE MASTER COUNCILOR'S MESSAGE

Century comes from the Latin *centum* meaning one hundred, and later *centuria*, which evolved into the modern English word, century. DeMolay International has existed for one full century. It survived through prohibition, the depression, Korea, Vietnam, the moon landing, and the cold war. DeMolay was founded three years prior to the foundation of the Soviet Union, but has outlived it by almost thirty years. DeMolay has seen countless generations of boys become men. It has seen youth fight wars, rise to positions of influence, and achieve prominence in the global marketplace. DeMolay has seen a lot in its one hundred years of existence, and all of its history has led us to this moment, DeMolay has a long and rich history, but the future is still far ahead of us. It is up to us to care for it, so that the next century may be just as rich and important. We have been given a very important task as heralds of the next century of DeMolay, and it will be a difficult one. The reward, however, well outweighs the cost. I was honored to be elected as the 89th State Master Councilor of Texas, and to be SMC during the centennial year. However, the most efficient officers who could be chosen would be ineffective without the loyal help of the members, and the most enthusiastic members would be powerless without intelligent and consecrated leadership. A great task awaits us, this is true, but together, our collective strength and dedication to our order, and to each other, will ensure our success. I am deeply honored to serve as the 89th State Master Councilor of Texas, and I look forward to a great year, working together with all of you!

“If you can dream it, you can do it!” - Dr. Seuss

JOHN WAYNE CHAPTER HOLDS FUN NIGHT

John Wayne Chapter recently held a bowling fun night to recruit new members. They had bowling, pizza, and a lot of fun, and look forward to initiating new members very soon!



DEPUTY STATE MASTER COUNCILOR'S MESSAGE

The week after State Conclave is always a time of reflection for me. I like to think back to all of the great experiences I have had during the past DeMolay year, and reminisce on memories from years before. I started attending in 2007, when my cousin was installed as State Junior Councilor. The boy who walked into his first DeMolay banquet over 10 years ago is completely different from the boy who is writing this article now. This is because of DeMolay. The DeMolay experience has changed my life, and made me a better person. It is something that I believe every young man between the age of 12 and 21 should experience. That is why I am so excited to be overseeing communications and public outreach this year! In the great words of the mysterious cornfield from the movie *Field of Dreams* “If you build it, they will come”. If you build up your DeMolay chapter and spread the word to everyone about the amazing experience you have had in DeMolay, they will come, and our order will grow. I am so excited to be serving Texas DeMolay again this year, and I know that with the help of every member, sweetheart, advisor, and friend of Texas DeMolay, we will achieve great things!



STATE SENIOR COUNCILOR'S MESSAGE

I'm excited and honored to be serving for this DeMolay year as State Senior Councilor. I can't wait to work with all the other state officers to make this year of DeMolay great. We have lots of great ideas, not only get DeMolay's involved, but to also get the Rainbow Girls, Sweethearts, and even Masons informed and involved. I hope to start to form and strengthen the bonds between the three organizations all throughout Texas. We are planning lots of events for this special 100 year anniversary of DeMolay International and I hope to make this special year one of the best years ever!



STATE JUNIOR COUNCILOR'S MESSAGE

Brethren, I want to thank you all again for giving me the honor of serving this position. As we go into the centennial year of our order, I look forward to working with you all. I am very excited to see what this year brings. As I said in my opening remarks at caucus, I want to try to significantly increase the number of individuals and chapters competing in ritual competitions at State Conclave and Frank Marshall. I also plan to continue "The Fantastic School of Instruction" started by my predecessor, as well as help younger members better understand the ritual by teaching the meaning behind it. Once again, thank you all for this great honor and I look forward to working with you all during this exciting year!



DISTRICT 3 SCORES BIG IN RITUAL

Several chapter in District Three participated in sports at conclave this year. While they didn't win, they still had a lot of fun, and look forward to playing again next year!

Ritual competition this year was intense! However, our district had a great showing. We won three gold medals and four silver medals. One brother even got a perfect score!

We are all excited for the new DeMolay year, especially since it is the centennial, and we already have plans under way to better communication and help our district grow!

There were many fun things about conclave this year, including record heat, and Cody "not crying" during his speech. What was most surprising to me, however, was the willingness of new members to try new things and do more in DeMolay, whether it be making new friends at the skate party or creating new bonds at the hotel or the sports and ritual competitions.

I look forward to working with these brother to help our district and order grow in the new term, and in preparation for the centennial year!

-Jackson Derrick

DDSMC-District 3



H. MALVERN MARKS CONTINUES NAME-SAKE'S LEGACY

As some may know, H. Malvern Marks Chapter meets in the Fort Worth Masonic Temple, the same building which hosts the Frank Marshall Ritual Competition, as well as the annual Toys for Tots dance, along with many other events. This building was completed in 1932 and as of 2017, has been federally observed as a historical landmark by the United States Department of the Interior. While the inside of the temple is full of past relics, on the east side of the temple, there are two very large oak trees planted on either side of the sidewalk. On November 8th, 1975, Fort Worth Chapter dedicated the south tree to Dad Frank S. Land by planting a granite stone at the base of the tree with his name and credentials etched in it, but there is not a stone for the northern tree. It has always been said they planted both for Dad Land and Dad H. Malvern Marks. Dad Marks was Executive Officer of Texas from 1940-1976, and Grand Master of DeMolay from 1953-1954. Almost 43 years later, H. Malvern Marks Chapter, has gotten together with our advisory council, as well as the Masonic Temple Foundation, and have purchased a matching stone that will soon be engraved in the memory of Dad Marks. We are currently planning a dedication ceremony in November. While he is not here to see it, we will not let his legacy be lost in the books, but make sure it lives on forever.

-Michael Cote II

DDSMC-District 2



STATE SWEETHEARTS MESSAGE

What an amazing time to serve as the Texas State Sweetheart! I cannot express the joy and blessings I feel to have received this honor. Please know my heart is full, and I will strive to serve the great state of Texas DeMolay with grace and purpose. Opportunity is defined as a set of circumstances that makes it possible to do something. I want to encourage you to make the most of every opportunity and share information about the best youth group in the world when each circumstance allows. It is my desire to visit every chapter and be a part of the growth of Texas DeMolay. I want to encourage and support my DeMolay brother's sweethearts to look for ways to unite and grow. I believe in family and know that the roots of family are not always established by DNA, but by those who share a common bond that strengthens as they work hand in hand for a higher purpose.



STATE ILLUSTRIOUS KNIGHT COMMANDER'S MESSAGE

Sir Knights, thank you for electing me as your State Illustrious Knight Commander! Priory is a great organization for young adults who want to hang out with brothers their age. If you are interested in continuing to delve further into aspects of what it means to be a DeMolay and exploring a new ritual that focuses on aspects of chivalric knighthood, then I urge you to join the nearest Priory. During my term, I plan to not only increase membership in the various Priorities of Texas, but to establish several new Priorities throughout the state. This year, I plan to visit every priory in Texas. I am also establishing plans to bring back the Mid-Winter Priory Convocation. I hope that everyone has a great year in Priory during the DeMolay Centennial!



EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S MESSAGE

Conclave 2018 is over. Athletic and Ritual competitions were conducted. The winners have been identified and rewarded. Now it is time to roll up our sleeves and get to work. The observance of the Centennial year of DeMolay has begun. Take time to visit the DeMolay International website. Check out all of the Centennial programs and plans for more information. There are several individual awards available this Centennial year. One of the awards available is Pro Fraternitas. "In honor of the 100th year of DeMolay, any jurisdiction which initiates 100 new members during the Centennial year will receive the award Pro Fraternitas. The insignia of this award will take the form of a battle streamer for a jurisdictional banner or flag, and is to be displayed proudly as an emblem of excellence in the field of membership during the Centennial year." This should be easy for the Chapters in Texas to accomplish. The Executive Officer, Dad Rushin, of Arkansas has challenged all jurisdictions to obtain the most LCC and Lamp of Knowledge awards. I challenge any Advisor, Active DeMolay or Chapter Sweetheart who has not completed the LCC course to get started now.



"If you fell down yesterday, stand up today!"
- H. G. Wells

STATE SCRIBE'S MESSAGE

As another year goes by, I want to thank those who have served Texas DeMolay and wish the officers for the upcoming year much success and joy! It has been my pleasure to serve as State Scribe for the last seven years, and I look forward to many more! A few years ago, oversight of The Crown was placed under the State Scribe and the Deputy State Master Councilor. I am looking forward to The Crown's fresh new look and seeing all the contributions in the issues ahead!

I am excited for the Centennial Year of DeMolay! We have some exciting news coming up, and I hope each Chapter is making plans to celebrate in some way. If your Chapter needs help, please let the State Officers and State Staff know. We would be happy to assist if at all possible!

Lastly, information on State Events will be coming out soon. Each of our three State Events have grown over the past two years. Let's continue that trend, grown DeMolay, and put all of our efforts into bettering the organization!



Waco Chapter had a blast at Conclave this year! Our chapter won 1st place in Chapter Proficiency. Lee Klump also competed in the Flower Talk and the Ceremony of Light, and got first place in both! We did not win any sports this year, but we are already planning more practices for next year. We had a marvelous time at Skate World on Thursday and at the Dance of Saturday. I want to wish our new State Master Councilor, Noah Blair, Deputy State Master Councilor, Rex Wunsch, State Senior Councilor Jonah Blair, State Junior Councilor, Justin Hancock, State Sweetheart, Kendal Clark, and State Illustrious Knight Commander Gaige Harvey good luck for a great term. This was honestly the best conclave yet! I got to meet a lot of new DeMolays, and it was quite an adventure!

-Krystal Hittle

Waco Chapter Princess



MEET OUR NEW STATE STAFF MEMBERS!

DAD PAUL CANALES
DIRECTOR OF THE TEXAS ALUMNI
ASSOCIATION

DAD MICHAEL PHILLIPUS
STATE HISTORIAN

DAD PAUL WUNSCHÉ
DIRECTOR OF MEMBERSHIP



OUR NEW ADULT STATE OFFICERS!

DAD DOUG VAN GRINER
STATE COMMANDER IN THE EAST
STATE COURT OF CHEVALIERS



DAD LARRY TUCKER
STATE DEAN
STATE LEGION OF HONOR PRECEPTRY



ANNOUNCEMENTS!

A MESSAGE FROM DAD CANALES:

It is a pleasure and an honor to have been selected as the Director of the Texas DeMolay Alumni Association by our Executive Officer. As I touched on briefly at Conclave, we are creating this organization for a multitude of reasons. The one closest to my heart is our dedication to creating a new scholarship opportunity for our young men.

As in all endeavors like this, it would be arrogant to believe such an undertaking could be accomplished alone. I am writing you to ask if anyone would be interested in serving on a board to assist with the oversight of scholarships and our financial expenditures. This board would ideally be consisted of members from across the state of Texas and would work with me to grow the Alumni Association at the state level then into the local level.

I want to thank all of you ahead of time for your assistance in this endeavor as we look to an even brighter future of Texas DeMolay. Please email me with your interest in serving on the board and we will proceed onto the next step in choosing who will serve on the initial board for 2018 – 2019.

Paul Alexander Canales
Texas DeMolay Alumni Association
Director



CROWN PUBLICATION SCHEDULE:

- September 1
- November 1
- January 5
- March 1
- May 1
- July 1

We would love to hear from everyone! Please submit your articles to crown.txdemolay@gmail.com no later than the 15th day of the previous month. We need your content and your stories!

DEMOLAY FUN FACTS

- DeMolay has chapters in several foreign countries, including Australia, Italy, and Japan, just to name a few
- DeMolay has nine different classes of membership, including active, emeritus, deputy, honorary, advisors, seniors, and squires-a full list can be found on page 2 of the DeMolay International Bylaws
- Sweethearts are eligible to earn the Pink Honor Key, which is the blue honor key, but for Sweethearts who are fundamental in bringing in 5 members.

BIG WINNERS!!!

Ritual:

- Chapter Proficiency-Waco Chapter
- DeMolay Degree-Teddy Roosevelt Chapter
- Fourth Section-John Wayne Chapter and Red Oak Chapter
- Team Ceremony of Light-Teddy Roosevelt Chapter
- Standard Ceremony of Light-Lee Klump (Waco Chapter)
- Novice Ceremony of Light-Jackson McKenzie (Richardson Chapter)
- Standard Flower Talk-Lee Klump (Waco Chapter)
- Novice Flower Talk-Layton Richards (Nederland Chapter)
- Initiatory Degree Master Councilor-Layton Richards (Nederland Chapter)
- Initiatory Degree Senior Deacon-Corwin Campbell (Grand Prairie)
- Initiatory Degree Marshal-Garrett Smith (Garland Chapter)
- Initiatory Degree 1st Preceptor-Christopher Burt (Lionheart Chapter)
- Initiatory Degree 2nd Preceptor-Carl Camp (Red Oak Chapter)
- Initiatory Degree 3rd Preceptor-Philip Eyre (Garland Chapter)
- Initiatory Degree 4th Preceptor-Gaige Harvey (Nederland Chapter)
- Initiatory Degree 5th Preceptor-Chance Brady (Nederland Chapter)
- Initiatory Degree 6th Preceptor-Carlos Ochoa (Albert Pike Chapter)
- Initiatory Degree 7th Preceptor-Ryder Brady (Lionheart Chapter)
- DeMolay Degree Jaques DeMolay-Dakota Schlieve (Teddy Roosevelt Chapter)
- DeMolay Degree Master Inquisitor-Yves Marquez (Teddy Roosevelt Chapter)
- DeMolay Degree Junior Inquisitor-Galen Mikel (John Wayne Chapter)
- DeMolay Degree Orator-Zach Hamilton (Red Oak Chapter)

Sports:

- Flag Football
 - 1st Place-Albert Pike Chapter
 - 2nd Place-Black Gold Chapter
- Volley Ball
 - 1st Place-Albert Pike Chapter
 - 2nd Place-Two Rivers Chapter
- Senior Five on Five Basketball
 - 1st Place-Albert Pike Chapter
 - 2nd Place-Nederland Chapter
- Senior Three on Three Basketball
 - 1st Place-Black Gold Chapter
 - 2nd Place-John Wayne Chapter
- Junior Three on Three Basketball
 - 1st Place-Reagan Chapter
 - 2nd Place-Black Gold Chapter
- Dodgeball
 - 1st Place-Albert Pike Chapter
 - 2nd Place-Two Rivers Chapter

We are all very proud of those who participated, and those who won. Congratulations on your victories, and we hope you will compete again next year!

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A NOTE FROM THE EDITORS

Thank you so much for reading! I am so excited to be bringing this newsletter back! As a big part of our communication and outreach push this year, this newsletter will serve as a way to show potential members what DeMolay is about. If you have someone you know who might be interested, please show them this publication, as well as some samples of what your chapter does beyond the chapter room walls. I am so honored to be serving Texas DeMolay this year, and I know we are going to have a great year! I am challenging each chapter to submit a Crown article this year! We would love to hear from each of you, and to hear your fun activities and upcoming dates. Please submit your articles to thecrown.txdemolay@gmail.com no later than the 15th day of the previous month. As always, God bless mother, God bless father, God bless the purposes of DeMolay, and God bless each and every one of you!

-Rex

In our September 2018 issue, we will be announcing two exciting events! Go ahead and mark your calendars for December 29, 2018 and April 27, 2019. These will be events that you do not want to miss!

-Dad Chance