

"Hands of Friendship"

105th Annual Session
Grand Chapter of Idaho
Order of the Eastern Star
June 9 - 12, 2007
Coeur d' Alene, Idaho

To all members of the Grand Chapter of Idaho and our Distinguished Guests:

Plans for the 105th annual Idaho Grand Chapter in Coeur d' Alene are coming along nicely. On behalf of the Northern Hostess Chapters, we wish to extend to each of you an invitation to the "*Hands of Friendship*" session.

Enclosed in this packet are the forms for Registration, Meals, and the Tentative Program. We ask that you pre-register for the session to make things easier for our registration committee. Arrangements for your housing and meals must be taken care of prior to the deadlines stated on each form. We encourage you to stay at the Coeur d' Alene Inn with the Grand Family. Please fill out the housing form and mail to Andrea Storjohann PGM, so she can be aware you are attending.

Most of the Grand Chapter activities will take place at the Coeur d' Alene Inn, and any others will be noted in the Program.

We look forward to you attending Grand Chapter in 2007 so we can welcome you in style. Seeing old friends and meeting new ones enhances our "*Hands of Friendship*".

If you have any questions, please feel free to call me, fax me or e-mail me at the following addresses.

With Star Love,

Virginia R. Balser
General Arrangements Chairman
208-687-9262 Telephone
208-687-4101 Fax
vbals@earthlink.net

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To Grand Officers, Past Grand Matrons, Past Grand Patrons, Worthy Matrons, Worthy Patrons, Officers, Members of the Grand Chapter of Idaho and our Distinguished Guests:

Plans for the "Hands of Friendship" Session of the Idaho Grand Chapter, OES, are progressing rapidly. Each of the Hostess Chapters of the North extend to each of you a hearty welcome and will make every effort to see that your stay in the Lake City is a wonderful one.

HEADQUARTERS: The Coeur d' Alene Inn, 414 W. Appleway, Coeur d' Alene

REGISTRATION: The Coeur d' Alene Inn Convention Hall

Saturday, June 9	8:30 AM - 5:00 PM
Sunday, June 10	8:30 AM - 5:00 PM
Monday, June 11	8:30 AM - 5:00 PM

PLEASE PRE-REGISTER ON THE FORM PROVIDED HEREIN

HOUSING, MEALS AND MEETINGS:

The Worthy Grand Matron has requested all Grand Officers and members of OES stay at the Inn if possible. Grand Chapter will receive room credits and this goes toward our expenses of Grand Chapter. Your cooperation in this will be greatly appreciated. All of the meetings and meals have been scheduled at the Inn and you will find staying there to be very convenient.

INTRODUCTIONS: All ladies to be introduced are to be in Formal Dress
With the Gentlemen in Tuxedos or Dark Suits.

We are looking forward to greeting you at Grand Chapter. If there is any way we can assist you during your stay, please contact:

Virginia R. Balsler
Gen. Arrangements Chair
P. O. 1624
Hayden, ID 83835
208-687-9262

Andrea Storjohann, PGM
Housing Chairman
16458 N. Sitka Road
Rathdrum, ID 83858
208-687-6376

Judith Walsborn
Meals Reservations
2636 Sparrow Loop
Post Falls, ID 83854
208-773-2726



"Hands of Friendship" Session

**June 9-10-11-12, 2007
Coeur d'Alene, Idaho**



**Pre-Registration for the 105th Session of the Grand Chapter of Idaho
EVERYONE BEING INTRODUCED SHOULD REGISTER
Please complete one form for each person attending**

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ City _____

State _____ Zip Code _____

IDAHO JURISDICTION: (Chapter Name & Number) Primary: _____

Dual: _____

OTHER JURISDICTIONS: (Chapter Name & Number) _____

GENERAL GRAND CHAPTER TITLE: _____

PGM _____ PGP _____

GRAND OFFICER TITLE: _____

Escort Name: (Escorts must register separately) _____

GRAND REPRESENTATIVE OF _____ IN _____

WM _____ WP _____ AM _____ AP _____ PM _____ PP _____ SECRETARY _____

GRAND CHAPTER COMMITTEE TITLE: _____

GOLDEN STAR _____ NUMBER OF YEARS _____

**Registration fees are NOT required for the Most Worthy Grand Matron and
Most Worthy Grand Patron.**

A current dues receipt must be presented when registering.

**A fee of \$10.00 (ten dollars) must accompany your pre-registration form, please make checks
payable to "Grand Chapter of Idaho, OES" and mail to:**

**Lorene Barker, P.M., Chairman
2417 Elmcrest Lane
Boise, ID 83705**

If you have any questions, please feel free to call me, 208-344-4098.

DEADLINE FOR PRE-REGISTRATION AND REFUNDS IS MAY 18, 2007

MEAL RESERVATIONS FOR GRAND CHAPTER 2007

Hands of Friendship Session

Held at the COEUR D'ALENE INN, Coeur d'Alene, Idaho

<u>Date/Time</u>	<u>Event and Meal</u>	<u>Price</u>	<u>#of Tickets</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Friday 5:30 pm June 8	Grand Officers Banquet Herb roasted pork loin [at Scottish Rite Temple]	\$15.00	_____	_____
Saturday 11:30 am June 9	Secretary/Treasurer Luncheon Chicken Fajita Salad Crisp flour tortilla shell with shredded lettuce, grated cheese, olives, tomatoes, sour cream, fresh salsa and warm fajita chicken with sautéed peppers and onions and our own ranchero dressing.	\$17.95	_____	_____
Saturday 6:00 pm June 9	Past Grand Matrons/Patrons Banquet Chicken Cordon Blue [at Scottish Rite Temple]	\$15.00	_____	_____
Sunday 11:30 am June 10	Session Asst./Honor Stations Luncheon Captain's Seafood Salad Bay shrimp and crab meat atop a bed of greens with cucumbers, green onions, tomatoes, avocados, a boiled egg and smoked cheddar cheese. Served with a zesty French dressing.	\$19.50	_____	_____
Sunday 6:00 pm June 10	Grand Representatives Banquet Chicken Mediterranean Grilled boneless chicken breast topped with onions, garlic, tomatoes, olives, artichokes, feta cheese and a pesto cream sauce. Served with wild rice pilaf	\$19.50	_____	_____
Monday 12:00 Noon June 11	Distinguished Guests Luncheon Chicken Fajita Salad (see above description)	\$17.95	_____	_____
Monday 6:00 pm June 11	All Membership Banquet <i>Formal Dress</i> Roast Turkey and Honey Glazed Ham A traditional turkey and ham dinner with stuffing, whipped potatoes and rich gravy. Served with house green salad, dressing, seasonal fresh vegetables, chef's choice of rice or potato, rolls, butter, coffee, teas and dessert.	\$26.65	_____	_____
Tuesday 6:30 am June 12	Worthy Matrons/Patrons Breakfast Southwest Breakfast BBQ sausage with onions & bell peppers, Santa Fe potatoes, scrambled eggs, seasonal fresh fruit cup & muffin.	\$16.50	_____	_____
Tuesday 12:00 Noon June 12	Past Grand Officers Luncheon Chicken Mediterranean (see above description)	\$19.50	_____	_____

Total # of tickets Ordered and Total Amount Enclosed: _____

NOTE: For anyone having special dietary requirements (allergies, etc.) we will be happy to accommodate you but will need prior notice. Please let us know, on this form, if this applies to you and for which meal. Thank You.

DEADLINE FOR RESERVATIONS, CANCELLATIONS AND/OR REFUNDS IS MAY 25th, 2007

If you request a refund prior to May 25, 2007, please send a stamped, self addressed envelope. All meal reservations must be accompanied by a check (US funds only) payable to: 2007 OES General Arrangements. Complete the information below and mail this entire form to: Judith Walsborn, Meals Chrm. 2636 Sparrow Loop, Post Falls, ID. 83854 (Ph:208-773-2726 Email: bjwals@aol.com)

Please print or type:

Name(s): _____ Chapter & Number _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State _____ Zip _____

I wish to have my meal tickets mailed to me in the enclosed stamped, self addressed envelope.

I will pick up my meal tickets at Grand Chapter at the MEALS booth.

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Coeur d'Alene, Idaho

HOUSING INFORMATION

A block of rooms has been reserved at the Coeur d'Alene Inn. Room rate is \$89.00 plus tax – a very good rate for the Coeur d'Alene area during the summer tourist season. The block of rooms will be held until May 8, 2007 – please make your reservations by that date to receive the special rate.

Coeur d'Alene Inn
414 W Appleway
Coeur d'Alene, ID 83814
208-765-3200
FAX 208-667-1495
800-251-7829

RESERVATIONS: You are responsible for making your own housing reservations.

You should contact the Coeur d'Alene Inn directly. All reservations must be accompanied by first night's deposit. Please specify that you are with the Eastern Star or OES. Cancellations must be made with the Coeur d'Alene Inn 48 hours prior to arrival. After you have made your reservations, please fill out the housing form below and mail it to the housing chairman.

Grand Officers: You should make your own reservations with the Inn. You will be assigned a room near the Grand Chapter room by the Housing Chairman.

The Grand Chapter of Idaho receives complimentary room nights at the Inn based on the number staying at the Inn – this helps keep the cost down for the Grand Chapter sessions. Your stay at the Inn helps with the session costs. Other motels in the vicinity:

Ameritel, 323 W Ironwood Drive	208-665-9000	800-600-6001
Motel 6, 416 W Appleway	208-664-6600	
Shilo Inn, 702 W Appleway	208-664-2300	800-222-2244
Super 8, 505 W Appleway	208-765-8880	800-785-5443

RECREATIONAL VEHICLES: RV Parks available in Coeur d'Alene –

Bambi RV Park, 3113 N Government Way	208-664-6527
Blackwell Island RV Park, 800 S Marine Dr	208-665-1300
River Walk RV Park, 1214 W Mill Ave	208-765-5943
Tamarack RV Park, 3630 N Government Way	208-664-3087

HOUSING RESERVATION FORM: Please print or type

MR MRS MS _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State/Province: _____ ZIP/Postal Code: _____

Title: _____ Jurisdiction _____

Motel where registered: Coeur d'Alene Inn _____ Other: _____

List those occupying room: _____

PLEASE COMPLETE THIS FORM AND MAIL IT TO:

Andrea Paroni Storjohann
16458 N Sitka Road
Rathdrum, ID 83858

Questions call: 208-687-6376