

1:30 P.M. **Closing Business Session** Grand Ballroom
 State President Michael Bloss - Presiding

OPEN SESSION

SPOUSES AND GUESTS ARE INVITED AND URGED TO ATTEND

Call to OrderState President Michael Bloss
 Opening PrayerFather Michael Martine
 Trustee ReportVincent Morrell, Mchvl-Stlwr #1403
 ScholarshipWilliam Kerien - Oswego #271
 Emergency Grants.....Lisa Mitchell - Saranac Lake #1508
 Major Projects.....Lou Withiam, Ithaca #636
 PSP James Peace, CEO
 Announcements.....State Secretary Paul Erkinen

4:00 P.M. Catholic MassGrand Ballroom
 Non-Denominational ServiceLilac Room

6:15 - 7:15 P.M. **Cocktail Reception** Mezzanine

⇒ DRESS IS **SUMMER FORMAL** (White Tux Jacket) ⇐

7:30 P.M. **Gala State Banquet** Grand Ballroom

Closing Ceremonies
Installation of Officers
Presentation of Ritual Awards

RITUAL SCHEDULE

Friday, May 20			
Time	District	Team	Practice Time
9 AM	North Central	Carthage #1762	7:00 PM Thurs.
10 AM	State Capital	Colonie #2192	7:30 PM Thurs.
11 AM	North Hudson	Kinderhook #2530	8:00 PM Thurs.
1 PM	Southwest	Bath #1547	8:30 PM Thurs.
2 PM	Ontario	Liverpool #2348	9:00 PM Thurs.
Saturday May 21			
9 AM			7:00 PM Fri.
10 AM	Central	Illion #1444	7:30 PM Fri.
11 AM	West Central	Webster-Fairport 2396	8:00 PM Fri.
12 PM			

99th Annual Convention
 OF THE
 NEW YORK STATE ELKS ASSOCIATION
 AND Spring Meeting of
 NEW YORK ELKS MAJOR PROJECTS, INC.



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THURSDAY THROUGH SUNDAY

MAY 19 - 22, 2011

THURSDAY, MAY 19th

2:00 P.M. Major Projects Board Meeting Eastman
 4:00 P.M. Advisory Board Meeting Eastman
 4:00 P.M. Ritual Committee Meeting Gleason/Fitzhugh

Opening Ceremonies - Memorial Service

8:30 P.M. Grand Ballroom

All Hospitality Rooms are to be closed until after the Memorial Service

FRIDAY, MAY 20

8:00 A.M. Ritual Contest Gleason/Fitzhugh
 9:00 A.M. **Trustees' Meeting** **Eastman**
 9:00 A.M. **Opening Business Session** **Grand Ballroom**
 Michael Bloss, State President - Presiding
 Invocation - Father Michael Martine
 Pledge of Allegiance - Alan Sunukjian, Americanism Chm
 National Anthem - Johanna Baniak
 Roll Call - Paul Erkinen, Secretary
 Treasurer's Report - Chris M. Dock, Treasurer
 Remarks - PGER Peter T. Affatato
 Remarks - PGER Leonard J. Bristol
 Grand Lodge Convention Report
 Committee Reports

11:00 A.M. Nominations of State Officers for 2010 - 2011
 President, Secretary, Treasurer, SVPs and Trustees

12:00 Noon Newly-elected State Officers/SVPs/Trustees and newly
 appointed Committee Chairs remain in the Grand Ballroom for photos

DD Designates meet with PGER Bristol & PGER Affatato
 1:30 P.M. ♦ Lilac Room

1:30 P.M. Advisory Board Meeting **Eastman**

WORKSHOPS

1:30 P.M. National Veterans Service Anthony
 to Government Relations/CONPOR Bausch
 2:45 P.M. Business Practices Carlson
 Drug Awareness Douglas

3:00 P.M. All State Vice Presidents-Elect and District Deputies-
 Designate meet with 1:30 P.M. Chairpersons in the
 Lilac Room to review program for coming year.

3:00 P.M. Elks National Foundation Bausch
 to Youth Activities/Soccer Carlson
 4:15 P.M. Accident Prevention/Risk Management Douglas

SATURDAY, May 21

8:00 A.M. Ritual Contest Gleason/Fitzhugh
 9:00 A.M. All State Vice Presidents-Elect and District Deputies-Designate
 meet with Friday's 3:00 P.M. Chairpersons in the Lilac Room to
 review program for coming year.

WORKSHOPS

9:00 A.M. Empire Elk/P.R./Internet/Website Anthony
 to Membership/Membership Retention Bausch
 10:15 A.M. Scholarship Academic & Emergency Grants Carlson
 Community & Lodge Activities Douglas
 10:30 A.M. All State Vice Presidents-Elect and District Deputies-Designate
 meet with 9:00 A.M. Chairpersons in the Lilac Room to
 review program for coming year.
 10:30 A.M. Secretaries' and Treasurers' Workshop Anthony
 to Major Projects Bausch
 11:45 A.M. Bowling Carlson
 Americanism/Flag Day Douglas

*The 10:30 Chairpersons should have available a written summary
 of the coming year's program for presentation to
 State Vice Presidents-Elect and District Deputies-Designate.
 Time does not permit a meeting.*

This is a
TENTATIVE PROGRAM
 --- EXPECT CHANGES ---
 Pick up a new program at Convention.