

Evergreen State Priory No. 41



Knights of the York Cross of Honour

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A Conclave of the Knights of the York Cross of Honour was opened at 1:07 PM by Eminent Prior Donald J. Beck, October 27, 2012 at the Ellensburg Masonic Center in Ellensburg, WA in due form. The meeting was held after a nice lunch arranged by the Ellensburg Lodge Brothers. There were ten (10) members in attendance which included the following officers:

Eminent Prior:	Donald J. Beck	Prelate:	Charley L. Chapman
Dep. Prior:	Anthony C. Schwab	Orator:	James H. Larson (Protem)
Warder:	Wayne L. Roberts	Herald:	Harold G. Rothgeb
Registrar:	Robert Johnston (Protem)	Sentinel:	- none -

Three Officers were absent: Knights R. Dale Fluaitt, Alfred Luberts Jr., and Skip Sanford.

An opening prayer was recited and the Pledge to the Flag was accomplished.

The usual introductions were made and also in attendance were Knight J. Rex Hartsfield, Personal Representative for District No. 24 of the Grand Master General. He was introduced and given Masonic honors.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. The minutes of the April 21, 2012 meeting were read and approved.
2. Financial report: The Registrar gave the balance of our checking account. There was one bill for rent, \$50.00.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. The registrar read three (3) proposals for membership (Edward Jeffrey Craig, Richard C. Kovak and Joseph Walter MacIntyre) and one for dual/affiliation membership (Corby Christensen) in Evergreen State Priory No. 41. These proposals were voted on successfully and the Registrar was instructed to send the invitation letter. If accepted the Brothers will be initiated at our next conclave.
2. Labor was suspended to perform the initiation of Michael Holland and Phillip Woodland. The initiation team consisted of the Elected Officers and the following members gave the special lectures: Knights Robert Wilson, Blue Lodge; Charley Chapman, Chapter; J. Rex Hartsfield, Council; Merle Iverson, Commandery; Jewel & Crown by Wayne Roberts and Knighting by Eminent Prior Donald J. Beck. When the initiation was completed the Eminent Prior opened the floor for all Members to congratulate our newest KYCH Members.

3. The Eminent Prior gave a brief report on his trip to the 77th Annual Conclave of the Convent General Knights of the York Cross of Honour held on September 6, 7 and 8, 2011 in Salt Lake City.

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS: It was reported that Knight Steve Guffy is now on dialysis.

GOOD OF THE ORDER: Personal Representative Knight J. Rex Hartsfield spoke on when the KYCH was founded (1930) and talked about our charity and the researched they are involved in.

PLEASE NOTE: THIS IS THE ABSOLUTELY THE LAST YEAR THAT KNIGHT R. DALE FLUAITT WILL SERVE AS THE REGISTRAR OF EVERGREEN STATE PRIORY #41. THIS PRIORY MUST FIND A PERSON BEFORE THE APRIL MEETING BECAUSE THAT IS WHEN OUR ANNUAL ELECTIONS ARE HELD. QUALIFICATION IS HE MUST HAVE ENOUGH COMPUTER SKILLS TO ACCOMPLISH TASKS OF THE OFFICE AND DO THE INTERNET BANKING.

Filing for office: If you aspire to leadership in this Priory, you must file a Statement of Availability (in writing and not email) with the Registrar prior to January 2013

Regular business was concluded and the Priory was closed in due form at 3:10 PM.

The next one (1) or two (2) Conclaves of Evergreen State Priory No. 41 will be determined at a later date.

Submitted

Approved

R. Dale Fluaitt, Registrar

Donald J. Beck, Eminent Prior