

# THE MERIDIAN SUN

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Happy Holidays 2018

## GRAND ORLANDO RESORT AT CELEBRATION



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Florida  
DeMolay

Mini Conclave 2019  
January 19 - 21, 2019

## Mini Conclave 2019

Don't miss out on the announcement of **NEW** programs for your Chapter, District and Florida DeMolay!

We will have **NEW** training for Chapter members, Councilors and



Advisors.



We will also hold a Youth vs. Adult Kickball game! Bring your A-Game and have a **TON OF FUN!** We also have plenty of **FUN** activities planned so **DO NOT MISS** this Mini-Conclave!!!

The **REGISTRATION** packet is now available via the link below.

Mini-Conclave 2019 Registration Packet

## Holiday Greeting from our State Master Councilor

Happy Holidays! I hope that you all get to spend this Holiday Season with friends and loved ones.



As 2018 comes to a close, we're closer and closer to celebrating 100 years of DeMolay.

2019 is just around the corner and so is Mini-Conclave. This year, our Mini-Conclave will be a great chance for everyone to be apart of taking the first steps into the future of our organization. We've got big things planned, and I can't wait to see you all there!

Safe travels and best wishes,  
Hunter Hancock

Happy  
Holidays

## Holiday Greeting from our Executive Officer

My Brother DeMolays, my fellow Advisors,  
and my Florida DeMolay family,

As another calendar year comes to a close, I am encouraged by the positive steps our jurisdiction has taken toward the foundation of a better DeMolay program in Florida. I see great things coming, and I consider myself very blessed to have each and every one of you on board as we venture across new terrain. The holidays are a time to reflect. But also, they are a time to

dream. My dream is for a growing, thriving jurisdiction, and I know that we can accomplish all of our goals - together. As our current Imperial Potentate states in his slogan: "Together, we can!"

I wish for each of you a very happy and blessed holiday season, irrespective of your particular faith and which type of celebration is embraced by your family. May it be happy, healthy and fulfilling, and may you be surrounded by your family and friends!

You make me proud, always.

Happy Holidays!

Dad Jody



## Univeral Trip with Knighthood

On Veteran's Day, Florida DeMolay took a trip to Universal Studios in Orlando. It was a great time for all who attended, and it's something we're looking forward to doing again in the future.

Our state has so many great attractions that people travel to from all across the world.

From our beaches to our parks, remember that some of the best destinations in the country, and the world, are right here in our backyard. We encourage all of the chapters to explore the various attractions our state has to offer when planning events or prospect parties.

If your chapter is interested in visiting a theme park and needs help planning, remember that you may contact the State Leadership at anytime for help making preparations. They're here to help you succeed, whether it's inside or outside the chapter room.







## Florida Squires

The Squires are working hard, learning, playing, and growing. They are making strides and we are proud of the all the great DeMolay and Advisors who are working so hard to make this happen. We are working on starting new Manors. The interest is out there and we are doing our best. We have new members and they are having a great time. If you have a Manor in your Chapter, please be sure to reach out and see what you can do to help, guide and participate with the Squires. You can include them in your service projects, fundraisers, and fun events.

We have stories from Chapters that the families will only let their older son join DeMolay if there are activities for their younger Squires age brothers. So this is exciting and is one of the reasons why Squires was started. DeMolay grows and prospers!

Check out more info on Squires at: [squires.fldemolay.org](http://squires.fldemolay.org).

Get familiar with this great program and let us see our Order **GROW**.

Visit Florida Squires

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## Manatee Chapter Education Project

Manatee Chapter with the help of Manatee Lodge #31 collected books for the Shriner Kids.

What a super job, the Shriners Kids will appreciate the books collected and your hardwork! Keep up the great work.





Master Councilor Zachery B. and Worshipful Master  
Tom Carter

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## Jupiter-Tequesta Marches in Parade

Jupiter-Tequesta Chapter marched in the 42nd Annual Jupiter Tequesta Athletic Association Holiday Parade.

Thank you for representing DeMolay and SHARING it with Jupiter Tequesta.



Pictured are State Senior Councilor Shawn L. II, Jocelyn L., Jenna L., and  
Master Councilor Aidyn L.



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