

# THE MERIDIAN SUN

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**YEARBOOK**

**Florida DeMolay Yearbook**

**DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION IS JUNE 1st! GET YOUR CHAPTER  
INFORMATION IN ASAP!**

The Yearbook Ads are coming in! Let's have every Chapter represented in the Yearbook at Conclave 2019!

Please send the following:

- 10 Photos of your Chapter in action (at least one group photo, JPEG format)
- Your institution date
- A write up about your Chapter's history
- Anything you would like everyone to know about your Chapter

Let's make this a great memory for you to have for years to come, that piece of history you treasure forever.

Mom April Blankinship

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# GROWING FLORIDA DeMOLAY



## First Coast Initiation

On Saturday May 11, First Coast Chapter initiated 5 new members! Among the class was Bro. Nick S., the son of Athletics Director Dad Jason Sinnott.





## Sanford Chapter

Sanford Chapter recently obligated Jerami N.



To Our New Members,  
**WELCOME!**



### Tip from the State Scribe

Hey Brother Scribes, here's a tip to help you with your duties:



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Having an updated email list of all your Members is one of the important parts of any organization.

As Scribe, you should strive to have updated emails from all of your Officers and Members of your Chapter. Review this with them before or after meetings. You can have a sign-in sheet with the list and they can either confirm that it is correct, or provide an updated email address to you. This is vital in communicating with your members, advisors and supporters about upcoming events and information about your Chapter and State.

Just remember, a great Scribe must always be Accurate, Responsible, Dependable, and a Self-Starter!

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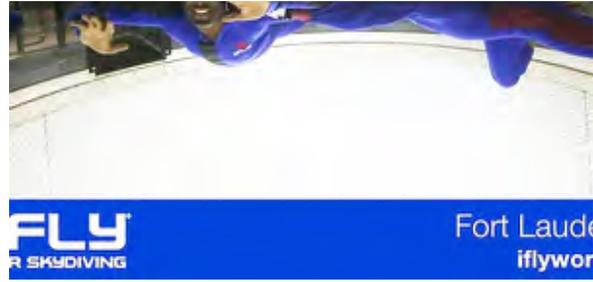
# CHAPTERS IN MOTION

## Westside Chapter - iFly

For Westside Chapter's quarterly fun activity: the boys, Dad Advisors, Mother's, and potential prospects had a night at iFly, an indoor skydiving facility.

They all had a fantastic night!





## Tenure Awards

Florida DeMolay would like to recognize Senior DeMolays for membership in the order for 10, 25, 50, 60, 65, 70, 75+ years.

If you or someone you know is owed and has not received a tenure certificate and pin, please send the following information:

- Name
- Year of Initiation
- Chapter and Location
- To: [alumni@fdemolay.com](mailto:alumni@fdemolay.com)

Florida DeMolay will assist in getting a Chapter near you to present it.

Remember, any and all requests and questions relating to Senior DeMolays and Alumni should be sent to: [alumni@fdemolay.com](mailto:alumni@fdemolay.com).



## Partnership

Leadership and teamwork go hand in glove. One is fully dependent on the other.

Leaders have learned the valued principle of partnership and they are always ready to team with someone who can contribute to a shared goal. Efficiency generally increases with participation.

As a leader in your Chapter, make sure you are including all your members in projects and activities.

Great leaders create an atmosphere in which others can succeed also. They are not afraid to

allow their associates to take responsibility and they are willing to give credit when they excel.  
Find the skills that each member can bring and let them run with that task.

When success comes, leaders celebrate a team victory.

“Coming together is a beginning, staying together is progress, and working together is success.”

- Henry Ford



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