

## REGISTRATION

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WEDNESDAY, March 17 2 PM -5 PM & 7 PM - 8:30 PM  
THURSDAY, March 18 8 AM- 9 AM & 12:30 PM -1:30 PM  
FRIDAY, March 19 8 AM - 9 AM & 12:30 PM -1:30 PM  
SATURDAY, March 20 8 AM - 9 AM

## CREDENTIALS

H.L. Bonnie McCroskey  
PO Box 12555, Mill Creek, WA 98082-0555  
(425) 337-9448

## PRACTICES

WEDNESDAY, March 14

7:30 PM Opening & Closing: All Grand Officers, Royal Matrons and Royal Patrons  
8:30 PM Crowning: GRM, GRP, Grand Marshals, Conductresses, Standard Bearer, Crown Bearer, Sword Bearer, & Page  
9 PM Necrology: All Grand Officers, Royal Matrons & Royal Patrons or their representatives  
9:30 PM Pages: Grand Page & Associate Matrons

## From the Grand Lecturer

Assistant Grand Lecturers: Please be available to assist with all practices

## MEALS & Special Activities

### **Wednesday, March 14**

Mt St Helens Tour 12 noon

Dinner 5:30 PM H.L. Lorie Johnson, JPGRM  
(253) 862-5542

### **Thursday, March 15**

Lunch 12 noon H.L. Virginia Anicker, PGRM  
(360) 427-6827

Dignitary Reception ~ 9:30 pm Royal Hearts & Court Jesters  
Following session

### **Friday, March 16**

Lunch 12 noon H.L. Karin Lawson, PGRM  
(360) 867-1885

Banquet 6 PM H.L. Jennifer McGilvery, PGRM  
(360) 899-5000

### **Saturday March 17**

Lunch 12:30 PM H.L. Ramona McNeil, DSRM  
(425) 481-2171

## HOTEL INFORMATION

Reservations should be made directly with the Kelso Red Lion Hotel (1-360-578-4004) by February 21, 2012. Room rates are \$90.00 (plus tax) for Standard (South) or \$110.00 (plus tax) for Deluxe (North), all single - Quad occupancy. Be sure to mention Amaranth for the special rate.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

Your 2012 dues card must be presented to the Registration and Credentials Committees as well as upon entering the Grand Court Session.

Royal Matrons and Royal Patrons: Royal Matrons please bring your crowns; Royal Patrons, please bring your swords. If the Royal Matron and/or Royal Patron of your Court is unable to attend Grand Court for the Necrology on Friday, March 16th, please be sure your Associate Matron and/or Associate Patron or a Past Royal Matron and/or Past Royal Patron is asked to represent the Court during the Necrology ceremony. The representing Royal Matron shall wear a crown during the Necrology ceremony.

Grand Floor Officers: Honored Ladies, please wear your official Grand Officer dress and gloves. White dresses are to be worn for Necrology and Memorial on Friday. Sir Knights, please wear your black tuxedos and vest.

Committee Chairs: Send a full copy of your report to H.L. Virginia Anicker, Addresses and Distributions Chair (Gini@hctc.com); and, the Grand Secretary (grdsecwa@comcast.net) no later than February 15, 2012. Please use Arial font #11 as your report format. All reports must be on the Grand Secretary's desk prior to the opening of Grand Court on Thursday, March 15, 2012. If your report does not include Grand Court money, please keep your verbal report 2-3 minutes in length. To expedite the proceedings, have a copy of your report in your possession at all times.

Subordinate Court Secretaries: Please send the names of your deceased members to the Grand Secretary no later than March 1, 2012. Additional names may be added by contacting the Grand Secretary and H.L. Kim Knutsen PGRM, Necrology Chair.

## SPECIAL INVITATION

GRM Linda and GRP Darrel invite all Grand Royal Matrons, Grand Royal Patrons, Supreme Officers, Past Supreme Royal Matrons, Past Supreme Royal Patrons and Grand Representatives to Washington to share the Throne.

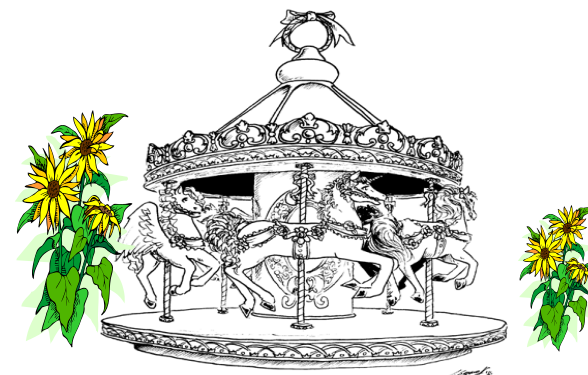


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AND  
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TO THE ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST ANNUAL  
SESSION OF  
THE GRAND COURT OF WASHINGTON

March 15, 16 & 17, 2012

Kelso Red Lion Hotel  
510 Kelso Drive  
Kelso, WA  
(360) 578-4004

*Amaranth State Fair:  
Celebrate Serving*



H.L. Linda Millo Grand Royal Matron  
S.K. Darrel Smith Grand Royal Patron

Grand Secretary  
H.L. Kären Ekrem  
1402 Auburn Way North, Suite 446  
Auburn, WA 98002  
(253) 833-3761  
grdsecwa@comcast.net

Arrangements Committee  
H.L. Judy Tate, PGRM, Chair  
H.L. Cathy Groff, PGRM  
S.K. Richard Moulden, PGRM  
Contact: SK Richard @ 253 797-6350

**Thursday, March 15 2012**

**FORMAL OPENING**

8:30 AM Musical Prelude  
9:00 AM Entrance of Grand Marshal  
Entrance of Hostess and Host  
Entrance of Bible and Wreath  
Entrance of Grand Royal Matron and  
Grand Royal Patron  
Entrance of Supreme Conductress  
Presentation of Flags  
Welcome by Hostess and Host  
Credentials Report  
Ritualistic Opening  
Roll Call of Officers  
Escort  
Welcome  
Communications  
Filling Vacancies  
Reports  
Recess

Noon Luncheon  
1:30 PM Musical Prelude  
2:00 PM Entrance of Grand Marshal  
Entrance of Hostess and Host  
Entrance of Grand Royal Matron and  
Grand Royal Patron  
Entrance of Supreme Conductress  
Welcome by Hostess and Host  
Reading and Approval of Minutes  
Reports Continued  
Recess

**MASONIC FAMILY NIGHT**

7:00 PM Musical Prelude  
7:30 PM Entrance of Grand Marshal  
Entrance of Hostess and Host  
Entrance of Grand Royal Matron and  
Grand Royal Patron  
Entrance of Supreme Conductress  
Entrance & Introduction of Distinguished Guests  
Welcome by Hostess and Host  
Reading and Approval of Minutes  
Responses, Addresses, Presentations

***Dignitary Reception Immediately Following***

**Friday, March 16, 2012**

8:30 AM Musical Prelude  
Entrance of Grand Marshal  
Entrance of Hostess and Host  
Entrance of Grand Royal Matron and  
Grand Royal Patron  
Entrance of Supreme Conductress  
Welcome  
Reading and Approving of Minutes  
Reports Continued  
10:00 AM Election of Grand Officers  
Recess  
Noon Luncheon  
1:00 PM Musical Prelude  
1:30 PM Entrance of Grand Marshal  
Entrance of Hostess and Host  
Entrance of Grand Royal Matron and  
Grand Royal Patron  
Entrance of Supreme Conductress  
Welcome by Hostess and Host  
Reading and Approving of Minutes  
Reports Continued  
Business  
Necrology  
Memorial  
Recess  
6:00 PM Social Hour  
7:00 PM Banquet

**Saturday, March 17, 2012**

8:30 AM Musical Prelude  
9:00 AM Hawaiian Dress (if you choose)\*\*\*  
Entrance of Grand Marshal  
Entrance of Hostess and Host  
Entrance of Grand Royal Matron and  
Grand Royal Patron  
Entrance of Supreme Conductress  
Welcome by Hostess and Host  
Escort of those not previously presented  
Reading and Approval of Minutes  
Reports  
New Business  
Recess

\*\*\*Dresses must be floor length, men may wear a Hawaiian shirt with their dark suit or tuxedo.

12:30 p.m. Luncheon Honoring the New Officers

An afternoon session will be held only if needed to complete business.

1:00 PM Musical Prelude  
1:30 PM An Entrance of Grand Marshal  
Entrance of Hostess and Host  
Entrance of Grand Royal Matron and  
Grand Royal Patron  
Entrance of Supreme Conductress  
Welcome by Hostess and Host  
Reading and Approval of Minutes  
Reports  
New Business  
Recess

Practice for installation will be 1/2 hour following the New Officer luncheon; or, if needed, the close of the afternoon session.

**INSTALLATION OF 2012 - 2013 GRAND OFFICERS**

6:30 PM Musical Prelude  
7:00 PM Entrance of Grand Marshal  
Entrance of Hostess and Host  
Entrance of Grand Royal Matron and  
Grand Royal Patron  
Entrance of Supreme Conductress  
Final Reports and Presentations  
Farewell Remarks of GRP  
Farewell Remarks of GRM  
Uncrowning  
Retiring of 2011- 2012 Grand Officers  
Recess  
Entrance of Installing Officers  
Entrance of 2012-2013 Elected and  
Appointed Grand Officers  
Installation of Grand Officers  
Coronation  
Presentations  
Remarks



Reception Immediately Following the Installation

Registration, Meal & Activity Reservation Forms