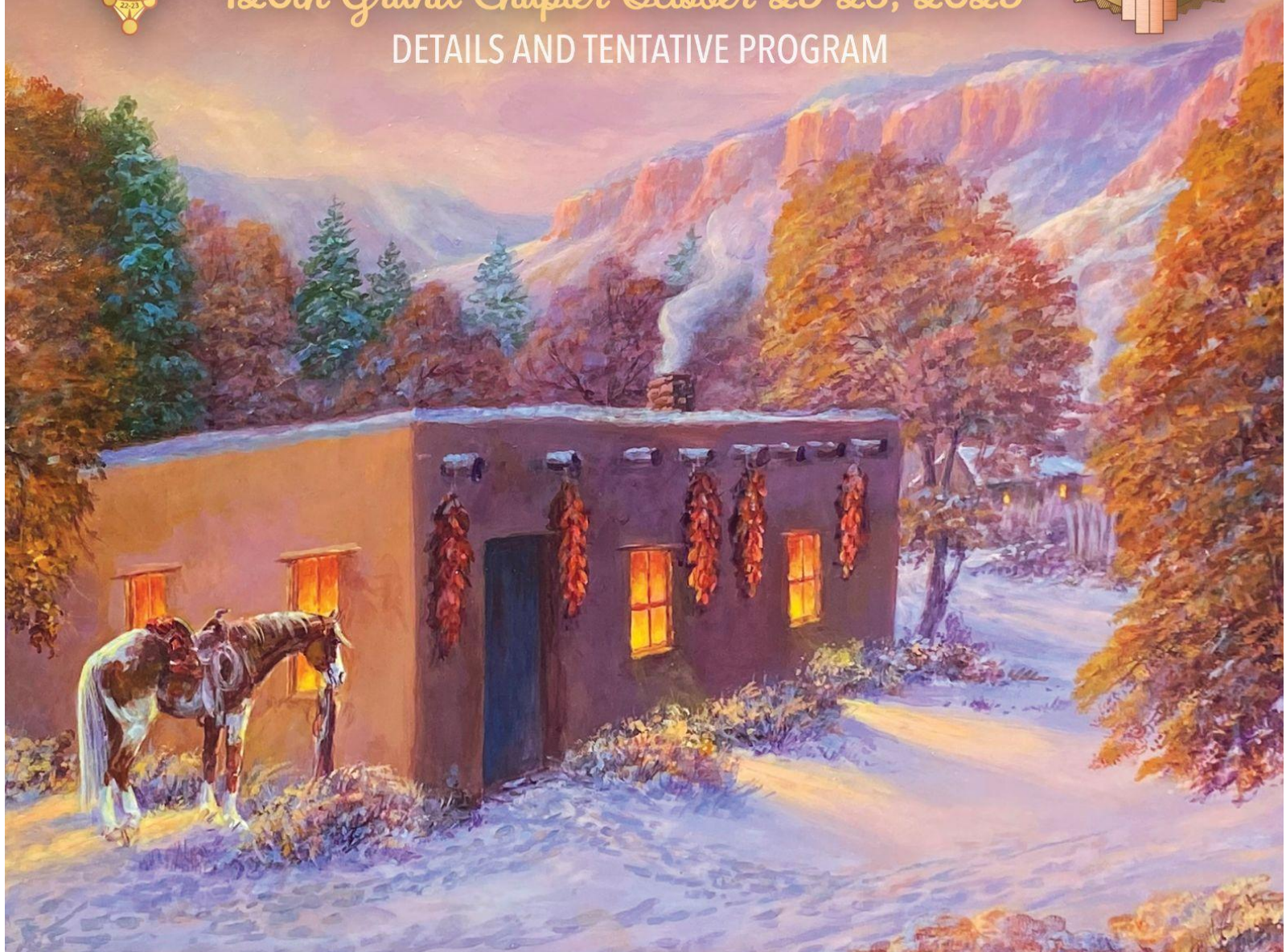


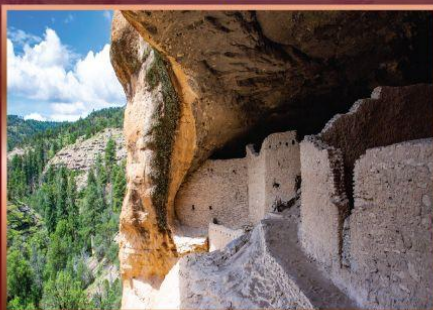


New Mexico Order of the Eastern Star
Light Tomorrow with Today
120th Grand Chapter October 25-28, 2023
DETAILS AND TENTATIVE PROGRAM



Sabrina Pack, Worthy Grand Matron
Robert Bradshaw, Worthy Grand Patron

Silver City is the place to be for Grand Chapter 2023!





Details and Tentative Program

“Light Tomorrow with Today” New Mexico Grand Chapter October 25-28, 2023 Silver City, New Mexico

Silver City Grant County Conference Center
3031 US Highway 180, next to Ace Hardware
Sabrina Pack-WGM 575-956-5428 | Diana Youngren-Grand Secretary 575-644-2012

Details

Registration (Signed/Sealed Dues Cards and Voting Credentials Required)

- The registration fee is \$35.00 for all NM OES members and visiting OES members. (You do not need to register if you are not a member and just attending open events).
- Please have 2023 or 2024 signed OES due’s card when registering and for NM members, in addition, please present voting credentials provided to you by your NM primary chapter secretary. Masons need to show 2023 due’s card.
- Since this is the first year moving to the all-member vote, new processes have been developed. Each NM member in good standing, who is attending, should be issued a “white” voting credential page that is signed and sealed by the NM member’s primary chapter’s secretary made out to them, given them prior to Grand Chapter so they can present their paperwork upon registration check in.
- There are still proxies in use for the top four NM officers of each chapter if they cannot attend. The proxy can only be given to a member of that top officer’s primary chapter. These are issued, as in the past, from the chapter secretary. If you are carrying one of these proxies, please present a “blue” voting proxy page and \$1.00 for each proxy brought to the Grand Chapter Session. (*see page 8 in regard to passed 2022 legislation)

All registration check in will be at the Silver City Grant County Conference Center foyer area. Correct change appreciated for proxies. Make checks payable to the Grand Chapter of New Mexico, OES.

Pre-registration deadline, October 6, 2023. (For questions or in the case of late registration needed, contact General Arrangements Co-Chairman for potential special accommodation: Tami James 575-318-6313 or Cheryl Martin 575-318-6648)

Registration Options: **Online (preferred) OESNM.org (Grand Chapter Events Page)** or by mail.

(Paper registration forms at the end of this document.)

If mailing:

NM OES Member Registration
Mary Beth Yeager
3100 Thunder Road
Alamogordo, NM 88310

Out-of-State OES Member Registration
Jim Davis, PGP
6004 Escondido
El Paso, TX 79912

Meal Registration
Marilyn Page
5775 Abeto Road SE
Deming, NM 88030

Tuesday, October 24, 2023

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- **Grand Chapter Set-up:** Tuesday
- **Pre-Session Meeting:**
 - 4:00 pm Board of Grand Trustees Meeting at conference center



Wednesday, October 25, 2023

Wednesday, October 25, 2023 (All functions Wednesday through Saturday at the Conference Center)

- **Pre-Session Meetings**
 - 8:30 am - 9:30 am Credentials and Registration Committees, WGM, WGP, Grand Secretary, and Chairman of the Grand Tellers
- **Hospitality Room Open** 10:00 am - 4:00 pm (Light refreshments and beverages-no charge) (Closed noon to 1pm)
- **Registration and Credentials Open** 10:00 am - 7:00 pm (closed during luncheon)
- **Rehearsal Schedule Begins**
 - 10:00 am - noon Grand Officers (Practice for marches, opening introductions, and initiation if applicable)

- **Owl and Penguin Free Luncheon** 12:00 noon to 1:00 pm *Break for Light Lunch on patio (provided by WGM and WGP, no charge, no reservation, open to all)*

- **Rehearsal Schedule Continues**
 - 1:00 pm - 1:45 pm Emblem Bearers Practice
 - 1:45 pm - 2:30 pm Grand Choir & special music (anyone who would like to participate in the choir is invited)
 - 2:30 pm - 3:00 pm Flag Bearers and Grand Marshal
 - 3:00 pm - 3:30 pm Cavalcade Flags (all current Grand Representatives, visiting and from NM)

- **Hospitality Closes** 4:00 pm
- **Lantern Glow Fellowship and Patriotism Welcome Dinner** 5:30 pm (Seating at 5:00 pm) Guest Speaker-Wayne Walker, PGP, (open to all) Meal will honor Veterans and have a special presentation by Randy Geck, PGP. Paid meal, Reservation needed to be able to attend dinner function.
- **Registration and Credentials Closes** 7:00 pm

- **Welcome Session (Session I)** (Informal Opening-open to all)
 - 6:30 pm Seating and line-up of Grand Officers and others
 - 7:00 pm Opening
 - Introduction of Grand Officers & their Escorts
 - Emblem Ceremony
 - Introduction of General Arrangements Committee
 - Introduction and Greetings of Masonic & Appendant Body Leaders
 - Presentation of Flags
 - **Special Veterans Tribute** (All veterans are requested to attend)
 - **Special Message from Marianne Shenfelt - Past Most Worthy Grand Matron**
 - **Special Message from Thomas Schenk - Grand Master of Masons in NM**
 - Charity Walk (Time of Giving) – Benefit “coin drill” for NM ESTARL, Education, Benevolent and General Fund (all proceeds will be split equally between these projects)
 - Opening welcome by WGM and WGP

- **Reception of WGM, WGP, NM GGC Committee Members and Other Distinguished Guests immediately following** (Open to all- no charge, no reservation)

Subject to Change (v1.6) as of 8-14-23



Thursday, October 26, 2023

Thursday, October 26, 2023 (In honor of New Mexico colors and jewelry—this is turquoise day, so if you have turquoise or Native American jewelry, please wear this day!)

- **Hospitality Room open** 7:00 am - 5:00 pm (Light refreshments and beverages-no charge) (Closed noon to 1pm)
- **Registration and Credentials open** 7:00 am - 5:00 pm (closed during luncheon)
- **Formal Opening of Grand Chapter 2023 (Session II)** (open to OES members)
 - 7:30 am Member Seating and line-up of Grand Officers and others
 - 8:00 am Call to Order
 - Entrance of Grand Officers
 - Emblem Ceremony
 - Ritualistic Opening
 - Initial Report of the Credentials Committee
 - Introduction of Distinguished Guests
 - Presentation and **Special Honor Ceremony of 2022-23 WMs & WPs**
 - Introduction of Patrons Association
 - Report of the Worthy Grand Patron
 - Report of the Worthy Grand Matron
- **Luncheons**
 - **Grand Representative Luncheon** 12:00 noon (Open to current and past Grand Representatives, friends and families) Paid meal, Reservation needed to be able to attend
 - **“Fiesta” Patio Luncheon** 12:00 noon (Open to all) Paid meal, Reservation needed
- **Thursday Afternoon (Session III)** 2:00 pm (Open to OES members, non members may remain in the room until after Cavalcade of Flags)
 - 1:30 pm Member Seating and line-up of Grand Officers and others
 - 2:00 pm Call to Order
 - **Cavalcade of Flags, AGC** (All current Grand Representatives of any jurisdiction)
 - Emblem Presentation
 - Introduction of Distinguished Guests (not previously introduced)
 - **Initiation** (if applicable)
 - **Special Remarks from Billie Bradfield – Right Worthy Associate Grand Matron**
 - Fraternal Correspondent Report
 - Report of Membership and Marketing Board
 - Introduction of Chapter Secretaries
 - Report of Grand Secretary
 - Introduction of Chapter Treasurers
 - Report of Grand Treasurer
 - Presentation of Grand Secretary Emeritus
 - Presentation of Grand Treasurer Emeritus
 - Report of Jurisprudence Committee
 - **Special closing Grand Star Point ribbon ceremony**



- **Hospitality Room closes** 5:00 pm
- **Registration and Credentials Closes** 7:00 pm
- **Thursday Evening Functions - Dinners** at 6:30 pm (Paid meal-reservation needed to be able to attend any of the evening's functions.)
 - Cinderella Banquet (Sisters and friends of sisters of OES) Paid meal, Reservation needed
 - PGMs/PGPs Banquet (PGMs and PGPs of any jurisdiction and their guest) Paid meal, Reservation needed
 - Patrons Association Banquet (Open to all OES Masons) Paid meal, Reservation needed

Friday, October 27, 2023

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- **Hospitality Room opens** 7:00 am - 5:00 pm (Light refreshments and beverages-no charge) (Closed for business session 9am through noon to 1p for lunch)
- **Registration and Credentials opens** 7:00 am - 8:00 am (CLOSED for business session and during luncheon) and re-opens 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm
- **Distinguished Guest Tour** 9:00 am - 11:30 am (Tour of historic downtown Silver City and museums for visiting members and friends of OES, who are not attending business session).
- **Friday Morning Business Meeting (Session IV)** (open to OES members)
 - 7:30 am Member Seating and line-up of Grand Officers and others
 - 8:00 am Call to Order
 - Emblem Ceremony
 - Introduction of Distinguished Guests (not previously introduced)
 - Final Report of Credentials Committee
 - **Election of Officers**
 - **Legislation**
 - Report of Grand Trustees
 - Ritual Recognition
 - Committee Reports
 - **Announcement of 2023-2024 Appointed Grand Officers**
- **Friday Treasured Memories Luncheon** (Open to all) 12:00 noon - 1:00 pm. Paid meal, Reservation needed to be able to attend function.
 - Grand Officer year's highlighted memories
 - Worthy Matron's and Worthy Patron's year memories
 - Special recognitions and awards presentations (special surprise recognitions of members around the jurisdiction)
 - Random Act of Kindness (special surprise recognitions)
 - Proficiency recognitions



- **Break-Out Sessions for Associations** 1:15 pm - 2:00 pm (Please attend if you are a line officer in your chapter, even if you don't have plans to advance. Anyone can attend any of these meetings, if desired.)
 - WMs/WPs Meeting
 - AMs/APs Meeting
 - Conductress/Sentinel/Associate Conductress Meeting (newly elected)
 - Secretary / Treasurer Meeting

- **Friday Afternoon (Session V)** (open to OES members)
 - 2:00 pm Member Seating and Line-up of Grand Officers and others
 - 2:30 pm Call to Order
 - Introduction of Distinguished Guests (not previously introduced)
 - Any unfinished legislation from morning session
 - Committee Reports
 - Necrology Report
 - **Memorial Service** (Open to OES members and friends/family)

- **Registration Closes** 3:00 pm
- **Practices and Meetings**
 - Installation Practice immediately following the close of the Friday afternoon session
 - Sunset Association Meeting following Installation Practice

- **Hospitality Room closes** 4:00 pm

- **Friday Evening Treasured Memories Banquet –TURNING BACK TIME** 6:30 pm (seating starts at 6:00 pm) Paid meal reservation needed to be able to attend any of the evening's functions. (open to all) **COSTUME–Turn Back Time–Late 1800's to early 1900's attire requested.**
- Very special event with Thomas Westhart as Master of Ceremonies, with KEY NOTE SPEAKER and many fun activities
 - **KEY NOTE SPEAKER: Marianne Shenefelt, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron**
 - Will complete drawings for special prizes and silent auction
 - Evening will conclude with entertainment with a live band and dancing

Saturday, October 28, 2023

Saturday October 28, 2023

- **Hospitality Room open** 7:00 am - noon (Light refreshments and beverages-no charge)

- **Registration** 7:00 am - 8:30 am

- **Saturday Morning (Session VI)** (open to OES members)
 - 7:30 am Member Seating and line-up of Grand Officers and others
 - 8:00 am Call to Order
 - Emblem Ceremony and special recognition of Emblem Bearers



- Introduction of Distinguished Guests (not previously introduced)
 - **Presentation of 50+ year Members** (New Mexico and any jurisdiction)
 - Special Honors of Grand Chapter Sweethearts
 - Committee Reports
 - WMs / WPs Hostess Chapters Announcements
 - Presentation of Grand Escorts
 - New Business
 - **Farewell Remarks: Worthy Grand Patron - Worthy Grand Matron**
 - Retiring of Grand Officer Badges Special Ceremony
 - Retiring of Emblems and Bible
- **Saturday PAGO Luncheon** (Open to Appointed Grand Officers, any Past Grand Officer from any jurisdiction and their guests) 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm
 - **Installation of 2023-24 Officers (6:00 pm)**
 - Installation of 2023-2024 Grand Officers
 - Closing of 2023 Grand Chapter
 - **Reception to follow of newly installed officers** no charge, no reservation

Sunday, October 29, 2023 (After Grand Chapter)

Post Session Meetings

Sunday, October 29, 2023 (Holiday Inn Board Room)

- Membership and Marketing Board 8:00 am - 9:00 am
- Board of Grand Trustees Meeting 9:00 am until through

REPORTS AND COMMITTEE MEMBERS

If you are slated to give a report, please limit reports to three (3) minutes. File an electronic copy as an attachment or typewritten double-spaced copies with the Grand Secretary prior to the report being given. Your name, committee name and the date must be included. Provide details in the submitted copy and give an overview in the presented report.

Committee Members – Report to your Chairman as soon as you arrive. If you are unable to attend Grand Chapter, please notify your chairman.

OUT OF STATE GUESTS

Welcome to the “Light Tomorrow with Today” Grand Session. The Grand Chapter of New Mexico extends a heartfelt welcome to all out-of-state guests. Please visit our Hospitality Suite upon arrival and receive your welcome gift. They are waiting to welcome you. (hospitality@oesnm.org). On Friday morning, there will be a special tour of historic downtown Silver City with a tour of the museum, Billy the Kid cabin, and famous “Big Ditch.” Please indicate if you would like to attend this FREE tour on your registration form.



HOSPITALITY

Hospitality Room Hours (Chairman: Marilyn Rogers)

- Wednesday 10 am - 4 pm (closed noon-1 pm for lunch)
- Thursday 7 am - 5 pm (closed noon-1 pm for lunch)
- Friday 7 am - 9 am and 1 pm - 4 pm (closed for business session 9am to noon, then noon to 1pm for lunch)
- Saturday 7 am - noon

REGISTRATION AND CREDENTIALS

Registration and Credentials Hours (**CLOSED during luncheons**)

Chairman: Registration of Members “this” Jurisdiction – MaryBeth Yeager

Chairman: Registration of Members and Visitors from “other” jurisdictions – Jim Davis, PGP

Chairman: Credentials – Heidi Moretti

- Wednesday 10 am - 7 pm (closed during luncheons)
- Thursday 7 am - 5 pm (closed during luncheons)
- Friday 7 am - 8 am (closed business session) (closed during luncheons) reopens 1 pm - 3 pm
- Saturday 7 am - 8:30 am

Chairman: Meals– Marilyn Page The meals committee will have a table set up at the beginning of session for pre-paid ticket distribution. After that timeframe, please inquire with registration for a meals committee member to be able to get pre-paid tickets.

MEALS AND SOCIALS

Meals / Socials Summary (Special Dietary Meals Upon Request –Please let us know at least two weeks in advance.)

- Wednesday
 - Lunch: (12:00 pm - 1:00 pm)
 - Owl and Penguin Luncheon (no cost / no reservation / open to all) (Host WGM and WGP, Chairman – RuthAnn Cooper)
 - Dinner: (5:30 pm) (doors open for seating 5:00 pm) **Lasagna Dinner Buffet: \$23.00** (included – green beans, green salad, garlic bread, beverage, and dessert)
 - Lantern Glow Fellowship Welcome Dinner (paid / requires reservation / open to all) (Host: Jeane Luft and Mary Carolyn Puckett, PGM)
 - Reception:
 - WGM / WGP and GGC Committee Members Reception (no cost / no reservation / open to all) (Host: Georgetown and Las Cruces Chapters)
- Thursday
 - Breakfast: Breakfast Burritos pre-ordered upon request and available in Hospitality. (Pre-order the day before with Hospitality and payment to hospitality upon placing the order. Pick-up during Hospitality hours.)
 - Lunches: (12:00 pm - 1:00 pm) **Taco Bar/Salad Bar Lunch Buffet \$18.00** (included – hard and soft shell options, ground meat/chicken, all toppings, salsa, beverage, and dessert)



- Grand Representatives Luncheon (paid / requires reservation / Open to current and past GR and guests) (Host: GR Association)
- Fiesta Patio Luncheon (paid / requires reservation / open to all) (Host: Jen Bedard and Tamara Miller)
- Dinners: (6:30 with doors opening at 6:00) **Baked Chicken Dinner Buffet \$23.00** (included steamed vegetables, rice, salad, beverage, and dessert)
 - Cinderella Banquet (Sisters and friends of sisters of OES) (paid / requires reservation) (Host: Cinderella Association)
 - PGMs/PGPs Banquet (PGMs and PGPs of any jurisdiction and guest) (paid / requires reservation) (Host: PGMs and PGPs Association)
 - Patrons Association Banquet (Any OES Brother) (Host: PP Association)
- Friday
 - Breakfast:
 - Breakfast Burritos pre-ordered upon request and available in Hospitality (Pre-order the day before with Hospitality and payment to hospitality upon placing order. Pick-up during Hospitality hours.)
 - Lunch: **Red and Green Meat/Cheese Enchilada Lunch Buffet \$18.00** (included – meat and non-meat options, rice, beans, salad, beverage, and dessert)
 - Treasured Memories Luncheon (paid / requires reservation / open to all) (Chairman/Host: Laura Hill)
 - Dinner: 6:30 pm (doors open for seating 6:00 pm) **Brisket Dinner Buffet \$30.00** (included – potatoes, salad/coleslaw, corn, beverage, and dessert)
 - Treasured Memories Dinner (paid / requires reservation / open to all) (Chairman/Host: Elisabeth Stowe)
- Saturday
 - Breakfast:
 - Breakfast Burritos pre-ordered upon request and available in Hospitality. (Pre-order the day before with Hospitality and payment to hospitality upon placing the order. Pick-up during Hospitality hours.)
 - Lunch: 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm **Pasta Casseroles with/without Chicken Buffet \$18.00** (included – steamed vegetables, salad, beverage, and dessert)
 - Saturday PAGO Luncheon (Open to Appointed Grand Officers and any Past Grand Officer from any jurisdiction and guests) (Host: PAGO Association)
 - Reception: Following Installation
 - Newly Installed WGM / WGP (no cost / no reservation / open to all) (Host: Host Chapters of Newly Installed WGM / WGP)

*ALL MEMBER VOTE Legislation passed Grand Chapter 2022:

This Grand Chapter shall consist of all members in good standing of any chartered chapter of this Grand Jurisdiction, and the proxies of Worthy Matrons, Worthy Patrons, Associated Matrons and Associate Patrons as shall be legally appointed and duly certified to this Grand Chapter by the secretaries of their respective chapter.

**PAID MEAL REGISTRATION FORM**

PAGE 1 of MEAL REGISTRATION FORM

**Registration for MEALS at the Grand Chapter of New Mexico
“Light Tomorrow with Today”
120th Grand Session**

Order of the Eastern Star October 25-28, 2023, Silver City, NM

Deadline, October 6, 2023

We worked VERY hard this year to keep the prices as low as possible. All meals are being catered as buffets by the Silver Shooters 4-H club in Grant County. All proceeds go to help these amazing youth attend state and national 4-H events.

ON-LINE registration preferred.

- Go to OESNM.org (Grand Chapter Events page–scroll down to find information and links)

If you desire to register by mail and paper form, please use this form – one form per person.

- For mailed meal registrations, make checks out to Grand Chapter of NM (US Funds only)
- Return form and payment to Meals Chairman: Marilyn Page, 5775 Abeto Road SE, Deming, NM 88030 (575-544-9019)

With either form of registration (online or by mail), ticket pickup will be done at Grand Chapter. Most likely there will be no tickets available for purchase at Grand Chapter or after deadline. If special circumstances arise, please reach out to the chairman to see if we can accommodate and sometimes people cannot make it and have tickets to sell.

(Special Dietary Meals Upon Request made at least two weeks in advance and should be noted when mailing in form or registering on line. No special requests at time of event.)

Meals are non-refundable after October 1, 2023.

ONE PERSON PER FORM

Name and Title/Office:
Address:
City, State, Zip Code:
Phone Number:
CHAPTER Name/#:
Email Address:



PAGE 2 of MEAL REGISTRATION FORM for TICKETED MEALS (Non-refundable after October 1, 2023)

<i>Date (PAID MEALS)</i>	<i>Meal (Details of what is included in the buffet meals—see section on “Meals and Socials”)</i>	<i>Meal Cost</i>	<i>Amount Owed</i>
Wednesday, October 25 Dinner-Lantern Glow (open to all)	Lasagna dinner Lantern Glow Patriotic Dinner (open to all)	\$23.00	
Thursday, October 26 Lunch -Grand Representatives	Taco Bar/Salad Bar Grand Representatives Lunch (open to GR, past GR, and guests)	\$18.00	
Thursday, October 26 Lunch -Fiesta luncheon (open to all)	Taco Bar/Salad Bar Fiesta Patio Luncheon) (open to all)	\$18.00	
Thursday, October 26 Dinner-Cinderella	Baked Chicken Dinner (open to Sisters, friends of Sisters of OES)	\$23.00	
Thursday, October 26 Dinner-Past Grands	Baked Chicken Dinner (open to PGMs, PGP, and their guests)	\$23.00	
Thursday, October 26 Dinner- Patrons’ Night	Baked Chicken Dinner (open to all OES Brothers)	\$23.00	
Friday, October 27 Lunch-Treasured Memories Luncheon	Red and Green Meat/Cheese Enchiladas (open to all—special recognition awards and other great all member / guests lunch)	\$18.00	
Friday, October 27 Dinner-All Member/Guest Banquet “Turning Back Time”	Brisket Dinner with all of the fixings including live entertainment and dance (Come in old west attire!) (open to all)	\$30.00	
Saturday, October 18 Lunch - PAGO	Pasta Casseroles with/without chicken (Open to Appointed Grand Officers of any jurisdiction, and any Past Grand Officer from any jurisdiction, plus their guests)	\$18.00	
<i>BREAKFAST</i>	<i>See hospitality the day before to order breakfast burritos if desired</i>		
<i>Special Dietary Needs:</i>			
	TOTAL Enclosed for all meal selections	<i>Total Cost</i>	

**GRAND CHAPTER REGISTRATION FORM****Registration for the Grand Chapter of New Mexico “Light Tomorrow with Today”
120th Grand Session**

Order of the Eastern Star October 25-28, 2023, Silver City, NM

On-Line registration preferred OESNM.org. If mailing paper form, only one person per form please.

New Mexico members mail to: Mary Beth Yeager, 3100 Thunder Road, Alamogordo, NM 88310

Out-of-State Registration mail to: Jim Davis, PGP, 6004 Escondido, El Paso, TX 79912

Name:
Grand Jurisdiction:
Title(s) as of October 25, 2023:
<i>Please Check Any and All that Apply:</i> <input type="checkbox"/> GGC – Indicate Title _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Grand Officer - Indicate Title/Jurisdiction _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Grand Officer Emeritus - Indicate Title/Jurisdiction _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Grand Representative of _____ in _____
For this section indicate all that apply with your Chapter # for that office. <input type="checkbox"/> WGM <input type="checkbox"/> WGP <input type="checkbox"/> PGM <input type="checkbox"/> PGP <input type="checkbox"/> PM <input type="checkbox"/> PP <input type="checkbox"/> WM <input type="checkbox"/> WP <input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AP <input type="checkbox"/> COND <input type="checkbox"/> ASSOC. COND. <input type="checkbox"/> SEC <input type="checkbox"/> TREAS
Other Officer Position: _____
Address:
City, State, Zip Code:
Phone Number:
CHAPTER Name(s)/#(s):
Email Address:
Cell:
Escort to: (If applicable)
Emergency Contact Person Name / Phone:
OUT-OF-STATE MEMBERS/GUESTS: Please indicate if you would like to go on the “Distinguished Guest Tour” Friday morning, downtown Silver City (no charge) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

*All members attending are required to **pay \$35.00** (US Currency) Non-Refundable. Registration fee must accompany this form and be received no later than **October 6, 2023.***



LODGING and AIR TRAVEL

Grand Chapter Hotel Information Host Hotel:

Holiday Inn Express in Silver City – HOST HOTEL



<https://www.ihg.com/holidayinnexpress/hotels/us/en/silver-city/svcnm/hoteldetail>

OES Discounted Room Rate: \$119.00 plus tax (normal rate \$167.00 Limited block -- Reserve Early -- OES rooms must be booked by 10/7/23 and only while room availability lasts in OES block.

This hotel is the closest hotel to the conference center (across highway .4 mile)
You have to call to get the OES rate. 575-538-2525

Additional Lodging:

LuLu Motel in Silver City (Very nice, modernized Retro motel, not far from conference center .4 of a mile)

<https://www.lulusilver.com/>

OES Discounted Room Rate:\$55.00 plus tax (normal rate \$85.00)
You have to call to get the OES rate. 575-574-7541

Other Lodging Options:

- Quality Inn (1.5 miles to conference center)
- Bear Mountain Lodge (Very neat lodge with several rooms on the edge of Silver City and the Gila National Forest. 5.9 miles to conference center)
- Palace Hotel (historic downtown Silver City, 2.8 miles to conference center)
- Murray Hotel (historic downtown Silver City, 2.9 miles to conference center)
- Copper Manor (recently completely remodeled, next to Denny's, 1.8 miles to conference center)
- Bear Mountain Cabins (stay in the Gila, only 5.9 miles to conference center)
- Motel 6 (1.8 miles to conference center)
- Drifter Hotel (2.1 miles to conference center)
- **Silver City KOA** (3.6 miles to conference center)
- **Rose Valley RV Ranch** (1.3 miles to conference center)

AIR TRAVEL OPTIONS:

- Grant County Airport is the closest “local-small” airport that is serviced by **Advanced Airlines**. <https://advancedairlines.com/> Connecting flights are from Albuquerque into Grant County.
- Local vehicle rentals are limited. Silver Rental 575-574-2350
- **International Airports:** El Paso (2 ½ hour drive to Silver City) or Albuquerque (4 ½ hour drive to Silver City)