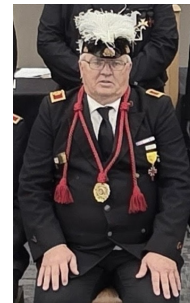


# 2026 South Dakota Grand York Rite Sessions September 17, 18, 19

Huron Event Center and Crossroads Hotel, 100 4th St. SW, Huron SD 57350



**Most Excellent Grand High Priest Derek Runge**, **Most Illustrious Grand Master Tony Larsen**, and **Right Eminent Grand Commander Gary Waack** cordially invite you to the **2026 Annual South Dakota Grand York Rite Sessions**.

**Grand Chapter** meets on Friday the 18th; **Grand Council** and **Grand Commandery** meet on Saturday the 19th. *Illinois Masonic Regalia will be on-site for all your regalia needs.*

The Recognition Dinner is Friday evening; acknowledging York Rite programs, Constituent Bodies, and other Masonic organizations who represent and promote Masonic Values to others.

The formal Awards Banquet is Saturday evening; personally recognizing individuals who have contributed significantly to York Rite Masonry in South Dakota.

Brothers, this is our time to gather, discuss, and plan for York Rite Masonry in South Dakota. Build and renew friendships, learn from each other, select Grand Officers, set directions, and confirm our commitment to making York Rite Masonry in South Dakota bigger and better!

**Registration is now open. Don't wait!**

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(SCHEDULE SUBJECT CHANGE BECAUSE SOMETIMES THE UNEXPECTED REALLY DOES HAPPEN)

all meetings and activities held at Huron Convention Center unless noted

### Thursday 17 September

12 noon - 6:00 p.m.	Credentials Pickup
10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	Trustees Annual Meeting (closed meeting)
2:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.	SD KYCH ( <i>members only</i> )
2:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	SD HRAKTP ( <i>members only</i> )
3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	SD Colleges Joint Session ( <i>members only</i> )
5:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.	Welcome Dinner at Huron Masonic Lodge ( <i>meal ticket required - limited assisted transportation available</i> )
7:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.	Order of the Silver Trowel ( <i>members only</i> )

### Friday 19 September

8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Credentials Pickup
9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Hospitality Room
9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.	<b>Ceremonial Grand Opening</b>
10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	Illinois Regalia
11:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	Public Memorial Service
11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	Lunch Buffet ( <i>meal ticket required</i> )
1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.	Ladies Program
1:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.	SD Grand Chapter Session, (tiled)
4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.	Public Installation of SD Grand Chapter Officers
5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.	No Host Social Hour
6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.	<b>Grand Recognition Banquet</b> (meal ticket required)
8:00 p.m. - ?	Order of High Rollers ( <i>outside hotel - very casual</i> )



### Saturday 20 September

7:30 a.m. - 12 noon	Credentials Pickup
6:30 a.m. - 7:30 a.m.	Past Commanders Association Breakfast ( <i>meal ticket required</i> )
8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Illinois Regalia
9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Hospitality Room
9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.	Ladies Program
8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.	SD Grand Council Session (tiled)
10:30 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.	Public Installation of SD Grand Council Officers
11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	Lunch Buffet ( <i>meal ticket required</i> )
1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.	SD Grand Commandery Session (tiled) 10 Man Opening
3:45 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Public Installation of Grand Commandery Officers
5:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.	No Host Social Hour
6:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.	Formal <b>Grand Awards Banquet</b> (meal ticket required)



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## **LODGING:**

The Crossroads Hotel is offering a special rate to Companions and Sir Knights attending SD Grand York Sessions. When you call identify yourself as Grand York Rite attendee. Limited number of rooms are available. **Reserve rooms directly with the hotel at their front desk number only; 605-352-3204.** (DO NOT use the national reservations number listed on-line and elsewhere; reservations made at that number do not get the discount and are not refundable) If the Crossroads is full, there are a number of motels in Huron.

## **MEALS**

### **Thursday**

**Welcome Dinner at Huron Masonic Lodge**  
**Taco Buffet**



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### **Friday**

#### **Lunch Buffet**

Baked Potato Bar - baked potato, chilli, broccoli, cheese, butter, sour cream, bacon

#### **Recognition Dinner *plated***

Roast Beef Dinner - oven roasted top round beef

Chicken Marsala - grilled chicken breast with mushroom marsala sauce

(both served with house salad, dressing, potato, vegetable, dinner rolls, and dessert bars)

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### **Saturday**

#### **Past Commanders Association Breakfast Meeting (all Past Commanders)**

Hot Breakfast Buffet - scrambled eggs, bacon, breakfast potatoes, juice

**Lunch *Pasta* Buffet** - pasta with marina meat sauce, garlic toast, salad

#### **Grand Awards Banquet *plated***

Chicken Divan - broiled chicken breast with broccoli cream sauce

Roast Pork Loin - oven roasted pork loin w/marsala mushroom gravy

(both served with Top Floor house salad, vegetable, potato, roll, and New York Style cheesecake)

# 2025 South Dakota **Grand York Rite** Annual Sessions

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100 4th Street SW, Huron, SD 57350

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Registration Name \_\_\_\_\_ (PLEASE PRINT)

Guest/Significant Other Name \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

(Our **primary** means of communication is email. Email addresses are not shared or distributed.)

MEALS (no on-site meal sales)	QUANTITY	COST	TOTAL \$
<b>THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 17</b>			
<b>Evening Welcome Reception at Huron Masonic Lodge. #31 4th St. SE in Huron</b>			
<b>(3 blocks from Convention Center)</b>			
Taco Buffet: _____		\$31	_____

<b>FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 18</b>			
<b>Lunch</b>		Baked Potato Bar: _____	\$27 _____
	<i>(circle recipient)</i>		
<b>Recognition Dinner</b>	Registered / Guest	Roast Beef Dinner: _____	\$38 _____
	Registered / Guest	Chicken Marsala: _____	\$38 _____

<b>SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 19</b>			
<b>Past Commanders Assoc. Breakfast Meeting</b>			
		Hot Breakfast Buffet _____	\$27 _____
<b>Lunch</b>		Pasta Buffet: _____	\$28 _____
	<i>(circle recipient)</i>		
<b>Awards Banquet</b>	Registered / Guest	Chicken Divan: _____	\$40 _____
	Registered / Guest	Roast Pork Loin: _____	\$40 _____

**Total Payment** \_\_\_\_\_

Any food allergies we need to be aware of? \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks out to **SD Grand York Rite**. Mail Registration and check to:  
**SD Grand York Rite, 520 South First Ave, Sioux Falls SD 57104-6902.**

You can also scan your registration, email it to [sd.gyroffice@gmail.com](mailto:sd.gyroffice@gmail.com), then mail your check.

**Registration and payment must be received by August 30. No refunds after August 31.**

## **Chapter**

We introduce current/past leadership Officers and Grand Officers from SD and other states/jurisdictions. Please fill in your information and how you prefer to be introduced. Introductions are done at the beginning of each constituent body meeting.

**PLEASE PRINT READABLY.** Return this sheet with your preregistration please.

Name:

Introduce as:

From:

Chapter membership:

Current position (if applicable)

Past positions / honors:

Other (involvements, memberships, accomplishments, things you want noted, etc)

## Council

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Name:

Introduce as:

From:

Council membership:

Current position (if applicable)

Past positions / honors:

Other (involvements, memberships, accomplishments, things you want noted, etc)

## **Commandery**

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Name:

Introduce as:

From:

Commandery membership:

Current position (if applicable)

Past positions / honors:

Other (involvements, memberships, accomplishments, things you want noted, etc)