

Ohio Pythian News

Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Domain of Ohio

CELEBRATING MORE THAN 155 YEARS OF PYTHIANISM!

Summer 2020

2020 Events CANCELLED

2020 Grand Lodge Session CANCELLED - As a result of the COVID-19 pandemic and exercising extreme caution to protect YOUR safety and health, the Grand Chancellor reluctantly cancelled the 2020 Grand Lodge session. All Grand Lodge officers, appointments, and committees will continue in-place. Mark your calendars now for the 2021 Grand Lodge session, which will be held September 2-4, **2021** in Fairborn. Note that it will be before Labor Day next year due to Rosh Hashana being on Sep 7th.

2020 Pythian Picnics CANCELLED – The Pythian Picnics North, Middle, and South have all been cancelled.

Fall 2020 Grand Chancellor's and Grand Chief's Reception CANCELLED – Since the Grand Officers will remain in place, there will be no new Grand Chancellor and Grand Chief this Fall and therefore, no Reception. Mark your calendars now for the 2021 Reception, which will be held October 9, **2021** in Columbus.

Brother Knights, this COVID-19 pandemic has caused a HUGE disruption in our fraternal affairs. Don't let it drive you away from our beloved Pythian Order. We are able to meet again as long as we are using the proper precautions to maintain our safety and health. Some Lodges have also learned to use electronic tools to stay in touch with members (including those in other states!). Get back into the habit of attending Lodge if your health permits! Stay in touch with your Brothers! Enjoy the fraternity and work to make us grow in the coming year!

DON'T LET PYTHIANISM FADE FROM YOUR LIFE!

Grand Chancellor's Charity

Grand Chancellor's Charity for 2019-2021 – American Red Cross:

The American Red Cross responds to a disaster every 8 minutes. These disasters range from local family house fires to national calamities like hurricanes.



THANKS!

Talmadge Lodge #194 - \$100
Owatonna Lodge #62 - \$250

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*"If brotherly love held all men bound,
what a beautiful world this would be."*

J.H. Rathbone

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Memorial



Charles N. Espich
Jan 10, 1938 – Jan 29, 2020



Ron E. Davis
Sep 28, 1945 – May 16, 2020

During the last 6 months, we lost 2 very dedicated Pythians who were former Grand Lodge officers and will be remembered for their service and their exemplification of friendship and fraternal brotherhood.

"Our joys will be greater, our love will be deeper, our life will be fuller because we shared your moment." –
Author Unknown

2020 Poster Contest Winners



1st Place – Merideth Risteff



2nd Place – Mitch Toops



3rd Place – Lexi Hayden

There were also 6 Honorable Mention awards. All posters can be viewed at the Grand Lodge website.

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