

SOCIAL FUNCTIONS

Reservations are necessary

**“STARS AND STRIPES FOREVER ~
LET FREEDOM RING” BANQUET**

Sunday, April 28, 2019 - 6:00 PM (\$55)

Make checks payable to the Grand Chapter of
Maryland (or GCMD) with
“Session Banquet” in memo line and mail to:

*Mary Lake, Sec/Treas
206 Mary Court
Glen Burnie, MD 21061*

(Deadline: April 18, 2019)

Guests shall be: Past Most Worthy Grand Matrons and
Past Most Worthy Grand Patrons, General Grand
Chapter Elected Line Officers, and Worthy Grand
Matrons and Worthy Grand Patrons.

PAGO LUNCHEON

(Past Appointive Grand Officers)

Sunday, April 28, 2019 - 12 Noon (\$26)

Make checks payable to PAGO and mail to:

*Carolyn Reel
17722 Daisy Drive
Hagerstown, MD 21740*

(Deadline: April 15, 2019)

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES LUNCHEON

Monday, April 29, 2019 - 12 Noon (\$36)

Make checks payable to:
Grand Representatives Club of MD, OES and mail to:

*Cheryl Johnson, PGM
1614 Parkman Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21230
Ph: 410-368-9514*

(Deadline: April 1, 2019)

Guests shall be: Past Most Worthy Grand Matrons,
Past Most Worthy Grand Patrons, and Grand
Representatives of Maryland in other Jurisdictions.

RAYNOVICH-SCHUPFER LUNCHEON
(Associate Grand Matron & Associate Grand Patron)

Tuesday, April 30, 2019 - 12 Noon (\$40)

Make checks payable to Raynovich/Schupfer Club.

*Mail to: Liz Collins
403 East Alpine Drive
Terra Alta, WV 26764
ldaniels0609@gmail.com*

(Deadline: April 15, 2019)

**PAST GRAND MATRONS AND PAST GRAND
PATRONS ASSOCIATION DINNER**

Tuesday April 30, 2019 - 5:30 PM (\$59)

Make checks payable and mail to:

*Claudia Eaton, GGCCM, PGM
1421 Hunting Wood Road
Annapolis, MD 21403
Ph: 443-822-6760, eatonz3@comcast.net*

(Deadline: April 10, 2019)

COMPLIMENTARY BREAKFAST

Tuesday, April 30, 2019 – 7:00 AM

Complimentary Breakfast for General Grand Chapter
Officers, General Grand Chapter Committee Members,
and spouses or one Traveling Companion.

Make Reservations with:

*Mary Adeline Bradford, PGM
GGC Ambassador to Brazil
1510 Teal Drive
Ocean City, MD 21842
410-218-4297, maryabradford@verizon.net*

(Deadline April 10, 2019)

COURTESIES FOR DISTINGUISHED GUESTS

The Most Worthy Grand Matron and Most Worthy
Grand Patron shall be the guests of the Grand Chapter
of Maryland for as many nights as they remain at the
Annual Session and all meals shall be included. For
other courtesies, please see individual functions.

**Grand Chapter of
Maryland
Order of the Eastern Star**

**121st Grand Session
“Stars and Stripes
Forever ~
Let Freedom Ring”**



April 28 – May 1, 2019

**Karen E. A. Calvert
Worthy Grand Matron**

**William R. Sanner
Worthy Grand Patron**

Clarion Resort Fontainebleau Hotel
10100 Coastal Highway
Ocean City, Maryland 21842

Dear Sisters and Brothers:

You are cordially invited to attend the 121st "Stars and Stripes Forever – Let Freedom Ring" Session in Ocean City, Maryland. We are celebrating Americanism and patriotism while recognizing all of our veterans and their families, especially those from the Vietnam era. We will be honored by your presence and hope you will enjoy your visit to Maryland, America in miniature.

Karen E. A. Calvert William R. Sanner
Worthy Grand Matron Worthy Grand Patron

TENTATIVE PROGRAM

SUNDAY, APRIL 28, 2019

10:00 AM - Church Service
Followed by Necrology Service

12:00 Noon - PAGO Luncheon

Registration – Hours will be posted
(Pre-registered members & guests only)

6:00 PM - "Stars and Stripes Forever –
Let Freedom Ring" Banquet
(Grand Ballroom - Doors Open – 5:15 PM)

MONDAY, APRIL 29, 2019

Registration: 8:00 AM – 11:45 AM
1:30 PM – 4:30 PM and 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM

9:00 AM - Grand Chapter Called to Order
Ritualistic Opening
Reports of WGM and WGP
Other Reports
50-Year Members Recognized
New Members Presented

12:00 Noon - Grand Representatives Luncheon

2:00 PM - Grand Chapter Called to Order
Reports

6:00 PM - Informal Opening
Emblem Ceremony
Flag Ceremony

7:00 PM - Formal Opening
Reception of Distinguished Members and Visitors

TUESDAY, APRIL 30, 2019

Registration: 8:00 AM – 11:45 AM
1:30 PM – 4:30 PM and 6:00 PM – 7:45 PM

9:00 AM - Grand Chapter Called to Order
Reports and Business

12:00 Noon – Raynovich–Schupfer Luncheon

2:00 PM - Grand Chapter Called to Order
Reports
Presentation of Secretaries & Treasurers
of Subordinate Chapters

5:30 PM - Past Grand Matrons/Patrons Dinner

7:00 PM - Grand Chapter Called to Order
Reports

8:00 PM - Election of Grand Officers

WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 2019

9:00 AM - Grand Chapter Called to Order
Farewell address of WGM and WGP

10:00 AM - Installation of 2019-2020 Grand Officers

GENERAL INFORMATION

Sandy Bonchu, Session Chairman
1604 Bramble Court
Bel Air, MD 21015
Ph: 410-515-0271

For information and reservation forms, visit
the Grand Chapter of Maryland website at
www.gcmd.org

HOSPITALITY SUITE – Third Floor

We look forward to providing our famous Maryland
Hospitality to all of our members and guests.

Sunday: 12 to 3 PM & one hour after close of banquet

Monday & Tuesday: continuous service from
6 AM to 1 hour after close of Evening Session

Wednesday: 6 AM to 1 PM

HEADQUARTERS

For All Session and Social Functions

Clarion Resort Fontainebleau Hotel
10100 Coastal Highway
Ocean City, Maryland 21842
800-638-2100, www.clarionoc.com

REGISTRATION

Your 2018 or 2019 dues card must be presented to
receive your Session packet. We encourage you to
register in advance. Please use one form for each
registration. Mail form with a check made payable to the
Grand Chapter of Maryland (memo line: Registration) in
the amount of \$12 (U.S. Currency) to:

Carol Geck, Sec./Treas.
PO Box 1604
Leonardtown, MD 20650

Deadline for Pre-Registration: April 14, 2019
Registration Fee if paid at Session: \$15

Questions to Nancy Ford, GGCCM, PGM, Chairman
443-835-7038, pohtig2816@comcast.net

ROOM RESERVATIONS

Guests will make room reservations directly with the
hotel. Please include your name, title and jurisdiction.
Nightly room rates are listed on the reservation form.
Contact the Reservations Department at 800-638-2100
or reservations@clarionoc.com. Group code: OE 0428.

The Grand Chapter of Maryland will pay partial hotel
accommodations for Past Most Worthy Grand Matrons,
Past Most Worthy Grand Patrons, General Grand
Chapter Officers, General Grand Chapter Committee
Members, Worthy Grand Matrons, and Worthy Grand
Patrons. The Distinguished Guests named above should
pay their hotel bill in full and send the receipted bill to the
Grand Secretary of Maryland within forty-five (45) days.
Reimbursement is allowed one time during the term of
office and shall not exceed \$45.

GRAND CHAPTER OFFICE

Donna Runyan, Grand Secretary
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Cockeysville, Maryland 21030
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grsec@gcoesmd.org