

The Twinkle



CHAPTER # 642, Newhall



May 2025

2025 Grand Chapter Emblems Tiffany
Rose and George, the Potbelly Pig



From the East ~

Thank you to everyone who participated in the Chili Cookoff and Brown Bag Auction! There was a lot of good chili (and cornbread from Sister Laura!) We had several of the Lodge guys there as well, I think we all had a great time.

Our first May meeting on the 8th will start with our monthly “pay-a-plate” potluck at 6:00pm. \$10 if you bring nothing, \$5 if you bring a side or drinks, free if you bring a main dish. Our regular meeting starts at 7:30PM with an “Honoring Our Moms” theme (since the following Sunday is Mother’s Day). Suggested attire for everyone is our usual business casual, but we’re encouraging people to come dressed “old fashioned” if they want to.

Our next “Patient Comfort” activity will be Thursday May 15th, making blankets for Project Linus and the Young Survivor Coalition. As always, this will start at 4:30PM and end at 9:00PM, but drop in when you can and leave when you have to. No sewing required – just some measuring and cutting. Friends and family are invited to come and help out! As a side note, we had a lot of Masons at our April blanket-making, we made NINE blankets!

Our second meeting on May 22nd will be our annual “Memorial Night”! We will start at 7:30PM as usual. Suggested attire is “business” (Ladies: Suit (skirt or pants), nice dress, nice pants and top, jacket optional; Gentlemen: Suit with tie). We are requesting the Conductresses and the Chaplain wear white, but otherwise any color is fine.

Our BIG EVENT is on the last day of May, the annual Tea and Purse Auction! See the flyer. This is one of our biggest fundraisers of the year, please invite your friends and family to come out and join us! Tickets are \$20 per person, and includes a luncheon with lots of tea, and then many name-brand purses will be up for auction. Doors open at 11:30, see you there.

Star Love with lots of doggie kisses and piggy squeals!

Diane and Doug



Old West Chili Cookoff winners!

Upcoming OES Activities:

Saturday, May 03

Old West Masonic Family.
Relay for Life 9am-9pm
SCV Central Park
27150 Bouquet Canyon
Santa Clarita, CA 91350
Casual dress/comfortable shoes

Thursday, May 8

Pay A Plate Dinner 6:00pm
prior to our meeting
Bring a main course: free
Bring a side dish/salad/dessert: \$5
Bring just your appetite: \$10

Thursday, May 8

Stated Meeting at 7:30pm
Old West Lodge - Long form
(Please come to our Pay-a-plate
dinner fundraiser prior to mtg!)

Thursday May 15

Patient Comfort: blanket making
4:30-9pm at Old West Lodge
All are welcome, no sewing skill
needed.
Bring a snack to share.



Thursday, May 22

Memorial Night Meeting at 7:30pm
Short form, Attire suggestion:
officers - white/suit
Refreshment chair: Rochelle H and
Dana B

Wednesday, May 28

Dine out at: **Hook Burger**
4:00pm - 9:00pm (20% donated to
OES) 21369 Magic Mountain Pkwy,
Valencia CA 91355
SEE ATTACHED FLYER

Saturday, May 31

Tea and Purse Auction/Fundraiser
Old West Lodge Doors open 11:30;
Luncheon served at noon.
SEE ATTACHED FLYER





Old West Lodge Report

Several Lodge members joined with us on April 17 to help make blankets for Project Linus and Young Survivors Coalition. We made a record NINE blankets and I think everyone had a great time.

The Lodge continues to do degrees. Unlike Star, there are three initiations - Apprentice, Fellowcraft, and Master Mason. As soon as any person finishes the Master Mason initiation, I give them a petition for the Eastern Star. By the time you read this, we will have had one in April, and I am expecting

several more to become Master Masons very soon.

The Lodge is going to the Ren Faire in Irwindale on May 10. Our big event is that we are going to spend a weekend up at the Union City Masonic Home June 27-29. We will be leaving the Lodge at Noon on the 27th, doing a degree at Union City on the 28th, and arriving back at the Lodge late on the 29th. We have a special room rate at the Hyatt Place near Union City, and everyone is invited.

The Lodge stated meeting dinner is the first Tuesday of every month and is \$15. Suggested attire is business casual or higher (the Lodge officers will usually be in suit and tie). Everyone is always welcome. Doug Kelley. (Past Master)



Pistol Marksmanship with OW DeMolay



Solmonson as Junior Councilor.
We had a great night and are
really happy to have a line of
officers again.

Kevin McHorney, Chapter Advisor

DeMolay Report

Hello Old West Eastern Star
from Old West DeMolay—

We want to thank you for
coming to our Instillation of
Officers on the 25th,, and we
really loved seeing so many of
our Star members show up to
support the DeMolay. We
installed 7 boys total, including
Morgan McHorney as Master
Councilor, Sean Freeman as
Senior Councilor and Raleigh



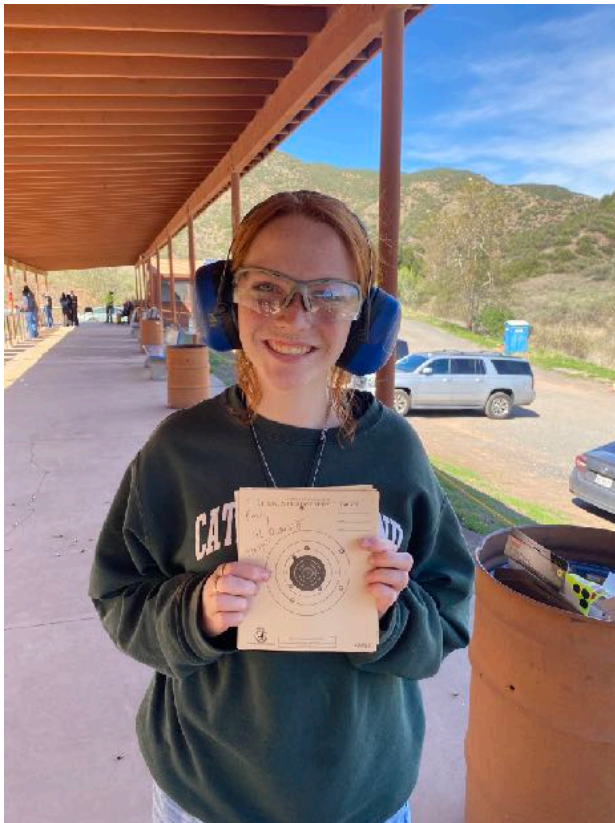
Sweetheart's Ball 2025

April Birthdays:

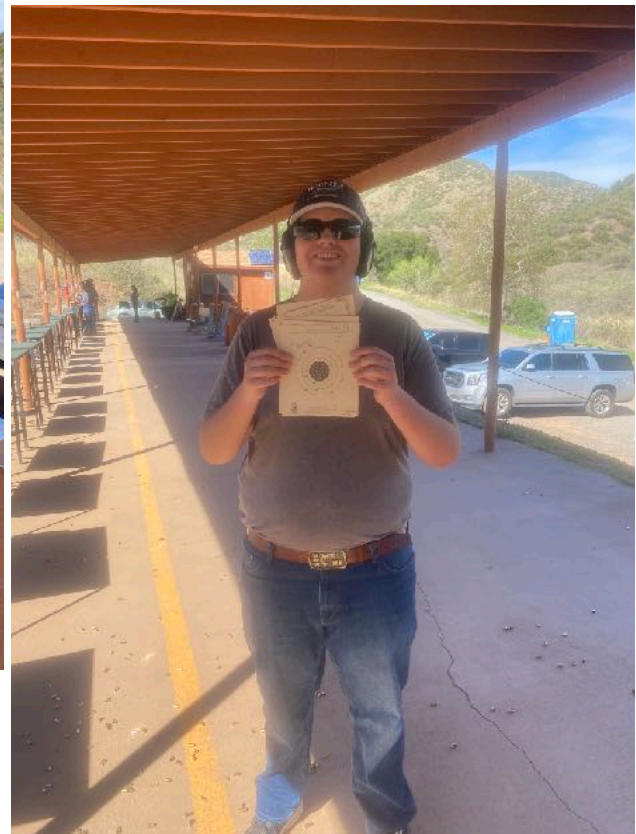
9: Tara Magee
13: Holly Winter
14: Lauren Thomas
16: Erin McHorney
30: Dana Bosworth

May Birthdays

7: Melanie Schrock
14: Rochelle Haller
16: Annette Heins
(HI ANNETTE!!!)
19: Sharon Bowles
21: Debra Calvo
30: Carole Haggart
31: Doug Kelley



More Old West DeMolay Pistol
Marksmanship awards





Blanket Making Project!!

(Patient Comfort Committee)

Project ♥ Linus



We have been gifted with a large quantity of fleece and want to use it to make blankets for Project Linus and for the Young Survival Coalition (a breast cancer support group for young adults).

Worried that you don't have the skills? Don't!

NO SEWING NEEDED!

We will be assembling at the Old West Masonic Lodge approximately once a month.

Next meeting: Thursday, May 15

4:30pm – 9pm Come by anytime!

19310 Avenue of the Oaks, Newhall, CA
(within the Friendly Valley Housing Community)

Organized by the Patient Comfort Committee of Old West Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star.
Contact info: Laura Kelley 661/400-2686, lewlew4444@yahoo.com.

**Please join us in 2025! We will meet every 3rd Thursday in 2025
(January-October) from 4:30 – 9:00 PM.**

<u>June 19</u>	<u>Jul 17</u>	
<u>Aug 21</u>	<u>Sep 18</u>	<u>Oct 16</u>



Old West Eastern Star Chapter 642

**Get together with family and friends to help us,
Enjoy some great food and at the same time support the**

Old West Eastern Star

**Enjoy a Great Evening at Hook Burger
While supporting the community...**

**Hook Burger will donate 20% to our cause!
Please bring this flyer to the location listed below**

Date: Wednesday, May 28th, 2024

Time: 4:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Where: 24369 Magic Mountain Pkwy, Valencia CA 91355



OLD WEST



MASONIC LODGE VENTURE

The Original

RENAISSANCE

PLEASURE  FAIRE

SATURDAY MAY 10TH 2025

**15501 ARROW HIGHWAY
IRWINDALE CA 91722**

7A PARKING OPENS ADULT ADMIT \$44

10A FAIRE OPENS CHILD ADMIT \$22

7P FAIRE CLOSES UNDER 5 FREE

8A - CARPOOL DEPARTS LODGE

\$12 Parking Fee Not Included

SHOW YOUR MASONIC PRIDE

Luncheon @ the Food Court 10A-11A

**MAKE YOUR OWN VENTURE OR
TRAVEL WITH THE LODGE**

Tea With The Queen @ 4P

Bring Funds to Avoid ATM Fees



**Old West Chapter
#642's
Tea Party and
Purse Auction**



Please join us for a fun afternoon of tasty treats and tea, as we shop our amazing selection of purses!

Saturday, May 31

(no, it's not on Memorial Day weekend...)

Doors open at **11:30 am**, Luncheon served at Noon

Old West Masonic Center

19310 Avenue of the Oaks, Newhall

(please tell the guard at the gate that you're going to the Masonic Lodge)

Some brands
featured:
Vera Bradley
Coach
Louis Vuitton
Kate Spade

Tickets available from Chapter members or at the door for \$20 each.

Want to buy a whole table of 6 to 8 seats?
You'll get a discount if you do!

Contact Chairman Laura Kelley for details
(lewlew4444@yahoo.com).

Proceeds will benefit the Chapter and the philanthropic programs we support.

OLD WEST

MASONIC LODGE VENTURE

THE INAUGURAL TRIP TO THE MASONIC HOMES IN UNION CITY



JUNE 27TH THRU 29TH

**IT'S A THREE DAY ADVENTURE TO
THE PREMIERE CARE FACILITY
OF THE MASONS OF CALIFORNIA**

Arrive at OWL @ 12P to Load Up
Carpool Caravan Departs Lodge @ 1P
Breakfast, Lunch, & Dinner Provided
Hyatt Place Newark/Silicon Valley

The Twinkle Old West Chapter #642

19310 Avenue of the
Oaks, Newhall, CA 91321

Inside:

Check out our website:
www.OES642Newhall.com

Join Old West Masonic Family in fellowship at the
SCV Relay for Life on May 3rd!

Pay-a-plate Potluck May 8th at 6pm

Patient Comfort Committee (Blanket making) 5/15

Eat out at Hook Burger May 28th

OES Tea & Purse Auction May 31st!

MORE DETAILS IN THIS EDITION OF THE TWINKLE!