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Greetings Sir Knights:

The summer is over and autumn is upon us. During the month of October, we will have four divisional inspections across the state. We need to support other commanderies as much as possible. New Sir Knights would benefit by observing the work conducted by other commanderies.

During the month of October, inspections and the Order of The Temple, will be conducted in Weston, Fairmont, Huntington, and Parkersburg. Please support other commanderies by attending as many inspections as possible. You can obtain specific information by contacting the recorders of the various commanderies.

All commanderies need to work on and improve their communication skills. When a commandery is scheduling work for conferral of the various orders, it would be extremely beneficial if the recorders would notify all commanderies throughout the state of the proposed conferrals. Utilizing email to contact other commandery recorders would be tremendously efficient. This would be beneficial to all that participate.

As we approach the new year, the scheduling of a "festival" in the spring, would be very beneficial to all commanderies. As previously implied, one of the items we need to improve is communication. We must improve open communication between commanderies. Many Sir Knights would be pleased to provide support and assistance, but without communication this cannot be accomplished.

We, as Knights Templar, should consider activities that will raise public awareness of Templary. Some commanderies in our state participate is annual parades, sponsor golf outings, and so forth. All commanderies should participate in activities that will raise public awareness of who we are and what we do. Be ready to inform the public about Templary and our objectives.

Always remember, we are "KNIGHTS TEMPLAR."

Yours in service,

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