

~ Views from the News ~

Southern California DeMolay was represented very well this last weekend at Northern California DeMolay's Convention. Congrats to Nor-Cal's new Officers.



~ Events Column ~

Find more events and details at: http://scjdemolay.org/?page_id=959

- **Holiday Dance (Holiday at the Hall of Justice)**
 - Fri, Dec 1st, at 7:00 pm - 303 W Lincoln Ave, Anaheim - \$10 Admission
- **Sonora League Meeting & General Patton Chapter Visitation**
 - Monday, Dec 4th, at 7:30 pm - 51100 Jackson St, Coachella, CA 92236
- **Highland League Visitation to Rialto Chapter**
 - Fri, Dec 8th, at 7:30 pm - 260 S Palm Ave, Rialto
- **Dynasty League Ritual Competition**
 - Sat, Nov 18th, at 7:00 pm - 19620 Ventura Blvd, Tarzana
- **Phoenix League Meeting & Lock – in **** NEW date & location ******
 - Friday, Dec 8th, at 7:00 pm - 3858 Front St, San Diego, CA 92103
- **Paradise League Spark of Love Dance**
 - Fri, Dec 15th, at 7:00 pm - 9813 Beach St, Bellflower
 - \$10 Admission or New Unwrapped Toy (Value>\$10)

- **Sonora League Breakfast with Santa**
 - Sat, Dec 16th, Details: TBA
- **Dynasty League Meeting**
 - Sun, Dec 17th, at 3:00 pm - 1112 N Maclay Ave, San Fernando

~ Sports Column ~

- **Highland League Bowling**
 - Sun, Dec 3rd, at 9:30A.M. - Cost: \$13
 - Chaparral Lanes - 400 W Bonita Ave. - San Dimas CA 91773
- **Paradise League Bowling**
 - Sunday, Dec 3rd, at 4:00pm – Cost \$25, Includes pizza and soda after
 - Cal Bowl - 2500 E Carson St, Lakewood, CA 90712

The Green Lantern's Spotlight

This month we look at the Third Precept: Courtesy.

By John Logan, Diamond League President

What is Courtesy? Courtesy is defined by the showing of politeness in one's attitude and behavior toward others: A polite speech or action, especially one required by convention: Behavior marked by [polished](#) manners or respect for others.

In DeMolay we are told about Courtesy as the 3rd Precept. We are told that Courtesy should be part of our human character. We should not use this characteristic only when we have visitors in our homes, but with whomever we should meet. Everyone that we meet we should meet everyone with courtesy. There isn't a time limit on it, as no matter how old or young you are, you should always be courteous.

To me courtesy is an easy characteristic, as you should act with respect toward everyone. When I joined DeMolay 5 years ago, everyone was demonstrating Courtesy at every event. Everyone pitched in and helped to clean up after the event was over without being asked by an Advisor. Courtesy, like respect, goes hand in hand. You give it without the thought of getting anything back in return. The more you are able to act with courtesy, the more society will notice you as someone who they can not only count on, but respect too.

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