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OF MINNESOTA



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Alexandria, Minnesota

Beth Bohlmann, Acting GG

Jimmy Harris, AGG

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2011 – 2012 Grand Officers

Grand Guardian.....	Wanda Thompson June 18, 2011- March 12, 2012
Acting Grand Guardian....	Beth Bohlmann March 12, 2012 – June 16, 2012
Associate Grand Guardian.....	Jimmy Harris
Vice Grand Guardian.....	Beth Bohlmann
Vice Associate Grand Guardian.....	Tim Dixon
Grand Guide.....	Michelle Jensen
Grand Inner Guard.....	John Jubala
Grand Marshal.....	Jill Cotton
Grand Outer Guard.....	Emilio Munoz
Grand Secretary.....	Clare Haugen
Grand Treasurer.....	Gerry Brandt
Grand Chaplain.....	Katie Jackson
Grand Librarian.....	M'Lyse Haugen
Grand Director or Music.....	Marlene Nevala
Grand First Messenger.....	Toni Murray
Grand Second Messenger.....	Leslea Partridge
Grand Third Messenger.....	Sherri Jaeger
Grand Fourth Messenger.....	Lisa Peterson
Grand Fifth Messenger.....	Debbie Sigsbee
Grand Senior Custodian.....	Doug Brase
Grand Junior Custodian.....	Travis Gergen

Deputies

Bethel 1.....	Jill Cotton
Bethel 9.....	M'Lyse Haugen
Bethel 11.....	Jim Billig
Bethel 13, 16, 32.....	Joanie Peterson
Bethel 17, 85.....	Clare Haugen
Bethel 19.....	Rosemary Guntzel
Bethel 28.....	Jean Shelpersky
Bethel 39.....	Pam Leech
Bethel 41.....	Deb Niederhaus
Bethel 48.....	Gayle Johnson
Bethel 53.....	Sue Goebel
Bethel 76.....	Bobbie Lampi
Bethel 93.....	Michelle Jensen

**Minutes of the 86th Annual Session
Friday Morning Business Meeting
Friday, June 15, 2012**

Grand Officers were seated informally in the East. Grand Marshal, Jill Cotton, presented the Flag of our Country – the Pledge of Allegiance was said. Grand Chaplain, Katie Jackson attended at the altar and offered a prayer.

Beth Bohlmann #32: Good morning and welcome to 86th Annual Session of the Grand Guardian Council of Minnesota. We have come together to give the reports of 2011-2012 year. Thank you for traveling to Alexandria to gather with us for this session.

Jimmy Harris #17: Welcome everybody I hope we have a good and honest session. Remember why we are here for this session.

Beth Bohlmann #32: Val Day please give a partial report of the Credential Committee.

Val Day #93: This is an official report of the Credential Committee. As of 10:00 a.m. Friday, June 15, 2012 there are 16 Bethels represented with delegates in attendance. There are 7 active Bethels, 9 is an inactive Bethel. There are 49 voting members from 10 active Bethels.

Beth Bohlmann #32: A quorum for the transaction of business of this Grand Guardian Council consists of at least 15 voting members, of which at least 10 shall be representing different active Bethels. There being a sufficient number of voting members representing a sufficient number of Bethels to constitute a quorum, I proclaim the 86th Annual Session of the GGC of Minnesota, Job's Daughters International open for the transaction of business which may legally and properly come before it. Grand Marshal, you will make the proclamation.

Jill Cotton #53: By direction of the Grand Guardian, I proclaim the 86th Annual Session of the GGC of MN, JDI, legally open for the transaction of business.

Beth Bohlmann #32: I would like to thank Pam Leech as Acting VGG and M'Lyse Haugen as Acting Grand Librarian, thank for being willing to serve. During this session, all members and Majority Members of Job's Daughters are invited to assume the attitude of prayer when the Chaplain attends at the altar. Members of other Masonic Family organizations are welcome to assume that organization's attitude of prayer, if desired. These business sessions are open to anyone who has paid the registration fee. All voting members have to pay a fee. The tables are reserved for Voting delegates and visitors sit in the back. Voting delegates must use their voting cards. Only voting delegates are privileged to address this body. Non voting delegates may speak only if invited to do so by the Acting Grand Guardian or other presiding officer. When addressing the assembly, please use one of the microphones. Give your name and Bethel # before making any remarks.

Any motions that you will put before this body, must be done in triplicate. There are forms available at the Jurisprudence desk and at the Grand Secretary's desk.

Beth Bohlmann #32: I would like to introduce Carol Gillett as parliamentarian

Carol Gillett #32:

**Standing Rules of the 86th Annual Session of the Grand Guardian Council of Minnesota
Session Parliamentarian: Carol Gillett, PGG, Bethel #32**

1. The Acting Grand Guardian will be the presiding officer during the business meetings and may allow qualified officers to preside.
2. The Acting Grand Guardian may: (1) limit discussion on any item of business; (2) limit recognition during discussion; and/or (3) change the order of business as may be beneficial to the proceedings.
3. Voting cards will be used in all meetings. For the initial vote on an issue, voters will raise voting cards while remaining seated. The presiding officer will direct other voting procedures (such as a standing or counted vote) as necessary for verification of results.

If a voter is unable to stand, raising the hand shall be considered the same as standing when a standing vote is taken.

4. All members of this Grand Guardian Council, as provided in the Manual of Rules and Regulations, who have duly registered, received voting cards, and are present at the Annual Session, shall have the privilege of taking part in discussion and voting.
5. Anyone requesting the floor shall address the presiding officer from a microphone, and, upon recognition by the presiding officer, shall state name, title, and Bethel number before continuing.
6. Main motions shall be in writing on the triplicate forms provided and signed by the maker. The original and one copy shall be forwarded to the Grand Secretary and presiding officer before consideration; one copy shall be kept by the maker of the motion.

7. The maker of a motion shall have the right to speak first on such motion. The parliamentary rules of debate will apply by allowing the pro and con speakers to be recognized alternately, insofar as practical.
8. A maximum of two (2) minutes shall be allowed each speaker to a motion, unless special permission is granted by a majority vote of the Grand Guardian Council. If the speaker has not finished a sentence when time is called by the appointed timekeeper, the speaker will be allowed to complete the sentence.
9. No one will speak twice to the same motion until everyone else who desires to speak on the motion has been heard, provided that the time limit allowed for the particular item of business on the floor has not been exceeded. The presiding officer may establish a time limit for debate for any item, subject to approval of the members.
10. The presiding officer will receive reports not containing recommendations without action of the delegates. Reports with recommendations shall be referred to the Jurisprudence Committee prior to being presented for a vote of the delegates. Suggestions made within reports are not considered recommendations.
11. During election of officers, only one office shall be voted on at any one time, with the exception of the offices of the Grand Guardian and Associate Grand Guardian, which may be combined in a motion to elect vive voce.
12. The Annual Session of the Grand Guardian Council of Minnesota will follow Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised for the deliberation of business, unless they are in conflict with the Constitution and Bylaws of Job's Daughters International and/or the Manual of Rules and Regulations of the Grand Guardian Council of Minnesota.

“Friendly Amendments”

Robert's Rules do not allow for “friendly amendments,” but they will be allowed at this Annual Session, if they are dealt with in this way:

- a. A motion is made, seconded, and discussion begins.
- b. Someone proposes an amendment or asks if the maker of the motion will accept an amendment. (The seconder is not consulted.)
- c. The presiding officer asks the maker of the motion if the amendment is acceptable. If it is acceptable to the maker, the presiding officer asks the members if there is any objection. If not, the amendment is accepted without debate or vote. If there is an objection, either by the maker of the main motion or by another member, the amendment can be made only by having a formal motion to amend, which is seconded, debated and voted on before the original motion is voted on.

Moving to a vote – “Call the question”

The presiding officer may determine that the members are ready to vote on a motion. If the presiding officer is uncertain, the members will be asked,

“Are you ready for the question?” If the presiding officer has already determined readiness to vote, the motion will be restated and a vote will be taken immediately. If a member wishes to close debate before the presiding officer acts to do so, the member must be recognized by the presiding officer and say,

“I move to vote immediately on the motion” (current preferred phrasing) or “I move the previous question” (old style phrasing).

Such a motion requires a second and must be voted on as a motion before the main motion is voted on. A member who calls out “Question!” in the middle of the debate, without being recognized by the presiding officer, is out of order. If the presiding officer determines that the members are ready to vote, the presiding officer should ignore the member who is out of order and call for the vote according to proper procedures.

Requesting information or assistance

There are several ways to stop debate on a motion so that procedural questions or comfort issues can be addressed. All these may interrupt debate and must be ruled on by the chair before business continues:

- a. “point of inquiry” to clarify procedures about which a member has questions
- b. “point of order” to correct a mistake the member has observed
- c. “point of personal privilege” to call attention to an issue of comfort (such as room temperature) or convenience to the member(s)

RULES GOVERNING THE CONSIDERATION OF MOTIONS

Requires Requires Vote May Be

Name of Motion Recognition? a Second? Debatable? Amendable? Required? Reconsidered?

Privileged Motions:

1. Adjourn yes yes no no majority no
2. Recess yes yes no yes majority no
3. Raise a question of privilege no no no no -- no
4. Call for the orders of the day (agenda) no no no no 2/3 (1) no

Subsidiary Motions:

5. Lay on the table yes yes no no majority no
6. Previous question yes yes no no 2/3 yes
7. Limit or extend debate yes yes no yes 2/3 yes
8. Postpone to a certain time yes yes yes yes majority yes
9. Refer to a committee yes yes yes yes majority yes
10. Amend yes yes yes yes majority yes
11. Postpone indefinitely yes yes yes no majority affirmative (2)

Main Motions yes yes yes majority yes

Motions that bring a question again before the assembly:

Reconsider no yes yes (3) no majority no

Discharge a committee yes yes yes majority or 2/3 (4) negative (5)

Rescind yes yes yes majority or 2/3 (4) negative (5)

Take from the table yes yes no majority no

Incidental Motions:

Point of information * no no no no -- no

Parliamentary inquiry * no no no no -- --

Division of the assembly * no no no no -- no

Division of a question yes yes no yes majority no

Withdraw a motion yes yes no no majority negative (5)

Objection to consideration * no no no no 2/3 negative (5)

Suspend the rules no no no no 2/3 no

Appeal the chair's ruling * no yes yes no majority or tie yes

Point of order * no no no no -- no

Note 1: Must be enforced on the demand of one member unless it is set aside by a two-thirds vote.

Note 2: Only an affirmative vote may be reconsidered.

Note 3: The motion to reconsider is debatable only if the motion to be reconsidered is itself debatable.

Note 4: Requires either a simple majority (with prior notice), or a two-thirds vote.

Note 5: Only a negative vote may be reconsidered.

Begin a motion with the words "I move that..." or "I move to..." and add what you want done.

* Exceptions: If a member wants to have a standing or counted vote, "Division" must be called out immediately after the presiding officer announces the results of a vote. Incidental motions noted with * can interrupt the proceedings simply by saying the words themselves

Beth Bohlmann #32: Grand Secretary, you will read the minutes of the 2011 Annual Session.

Clare Haugen #1: The minutes of the 2011 were printed in the proceedings which will be handed out tomorrow.

Bobbie Lampi #11: I move to table the accepting the 2011 minutes until the proceedings have been distributed. It was seconded and carried.

Beth Bohlmann #32: Grand Secretary – you will read the communications.

Clare Haugen #1: There are none.

Beth Bohlmann #32: All reports that are read at this session will be handled in the following manner. I will say, "If there is no objection, this report is received. Hearing none, this report is received and will be printed in the Proceedings." Once you have read your report, please give three (3) copies or a CD or disc to the Grand Secretary unless you have already done so. If there is no objection the printed reports will be received. Hearing none, this report is received.

The following reports were read and received at this business session:

Alumni Committee, Lynnae Thompson
Grand Secretary, Clare Haugen
Jurisprudence Committee, Bobbie Lampi

Joy Erickson #32: I move that only the new section be read for each amendment. It was seconded and carried.

Amendment #1

MC-GGC 1, Article V Officers

Action: Changes the GIG and GOG from elective officers to appointive officers.

Now Reads:

Section 1. Elective Officers

- A. The elective officers of this GGC shall be: GG (a woman), AGG (a Master Mason), VGG (a woman), VAGG (a Master Mason), GGde (a woman), GM (a woman), GIG (a Master Mason), GOG (a Master Mason), GS and GT.
(1) All men holding office shall be Master Masons. (SI 2)

Section 2. Appointive Officers

- A. The appointive officers shall be: GC, GL, GDM, G1M, G2M, G3M, G4M, G5M, GSC and GJC.
(1) All men holding office shall be Master Masons. (SI 2)

Amend to read:

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Reason: With fewer active Bethels in the state, we are generating fewer men per year who are eligible for election into the grand line. Due to a variety of reasons, many of our ABGs and PABGs find it difficult to make a 4-year commitment to the grand line. If we make the male grand line shorter, men may be more able to “test the waters” as an appointive GOG or GIG before making a commitment to the offices of VAGG and AGG.

Proposed by: Diane Ritchie PGG 18

Diane Ritchie #18: After I received many calls from people, I was asked to submit this Amendment again.

Emilio Munoz #93: Working from the outside starting in 1995, now working with the Grand Line. I have learned quite a bit. I don't think that appointing the positions will get the commitment that we need. You need to become very knowledgeable and being in the Grand Line helps you learn. Having men in the Grand Line will help generate more men to help. Right now CAV is the biggest deterrent for men joining..

Michelle Jensen #41: If we are having that much trouble getting men, we are also having that much trouble getting the woman. I would like to have a partner the whole time and be able to work with them the whole 4 years.

Pam Leech #76: I'm in support of this, many jurisdictions have gone this route. Supreme is even talking about doing this also. There may be some men that take these appointed positions and then go full force.

Jimmy Harris #17: I have been in opposition of this for many years. Now I'm a little leery. I have been saying for years that we need to let the men do more. We have 6 Bethel's this year with no ABG. The things we are allowed to do we are not doing. We are important, regardless of our feelings for other members, we should be doing our job. I'm not convinced that this is the answer, but I would like us to work together to find out the answer. There are jurisdictions that have done this, I have seen this in Kansas. It has not solved their problems, its delayed the issues. We don't need the problems delays for the VAGG, AGG. I think we should continue this discussion and thank you Diane for bring this up again.

Wanda Thompson #65: I am against this, I have seen in the past where the Grand Line was cohesive, it was all 8 members. We became friends and a team. Not lately has the Line been the same team, but you need to work out your differences and work together.

Diane Ritchie #18: The supreme law says we have to elect 4 woman and elect 2 men. That is just what the law says.

Jean Shepersky #95: I think that with camp it would be very difficult. They would be elected in June and then have camp in August. I worked with camp starting as Grand Marshal and this would be difficult for them to do catch up. I am opposed to this.

Defeated

Housekeeping Amendment #1 (if and only if Amendment #1 is carried)

MB-GGC 3.0, Article IV Committees, Section 2

Now Reads:

Section 2. Restrictions

A. No spouse or other family member of any elective officer of the GGC shall serve on the Appeals and Grievances, Jurisprudence, or Finance Committees, except that a spouse or family member of the newly elected GMar and/or GOG who is already serving on one of these committees shall be allowed to complete the remainder of her/his unexpired term, provided it does not coincide with a spouse or family members serving as GG or AGG.

Amend to Read:

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A. No spouse or other family member of any elective officer of the GGC shall serve on the Appeals and Grievances, Jurisprudence, or Finance Committees, except that a spouse or family member of the newly elected GMar who is already serving on one of these committees shall be allowed to complete the remainder of her/his unexpired term, provided it does not coincide with a spouse or family members serving as GG or AGG.

Further Action: If the GIG and GOG become appointive officers, then wording needs to be changed regarding the camp

committee. Amendment #2 changes the camp committee leadership to be the VGG and GGde (at the time of camp), and changes the wording to indicate that the GIG is not an elected officer.

Amendment #2 (consider if and only if Amendment #1 is carried)

MB-GGC 3.1, Article IV Committees, Section 4 Standing Committees—Duties, A(5)

Now Reads:

- (5) Exception
 - (a) Daughters Camp Committee
 - (1) The VGG is Chairman, the VAGG is Vice-Chairman, the GGde and the GIG elected at the AS GGC are members.
 - (2) The GM and GOG shall assist the Committee.
 - (3) The Chairman and Vice-Chairman shall act as Director and Assistant Director, respectively, of the Daughters Summer Camp and have the responsibility with the approval of the GG to arrange and direct all details of the summer camp.
 - (4) Immediately after the termination of the current year's camp session, the GGde and GIG shall become the Chairman and Vice-Chairman, respectively, and the GM and GOG shall become members of the committee.

Amend to read:

- (5) Exception
 - (a) Daughters Camp Committee
 - (1) The VGG is Chairman, the GGde is Vice-Chairman, the VAGG and GIG are members.
 - (2) The GM and GOG shall assist the Committee.
 - (3) The Chairman and Vice-Chairman shall act as Director and Assistant Director respectively, of the Daughters' Summer Camp, and have the responsibility with the approval of the GG to arrange and direct all details of the summer camp.
 - (4) Immediately after the termination of the current year's camp session, the GGde and GM shall become the Chairman and Vice-Chairman, respectively, and the GIG and GOG shall become members of the committee.

Proposed by: Diane Ritchie PGG #18

Amendment #3

MB-GGC 3.0, Article IV Committees, Section 1 Eligibility, New E

Amend by adding new subsection E to read:

E. No member of a GGC Standing Committee and hold elective office in the SGC or Board of Trustees. If a member of a GGC Standing Committee is so elected at the SGC AS, the GG shall appoint a replacement.

Reason: The GG and all executive members of the GGC need counsel from all members of their committees with no worries of full disclosure, conflicts of interest, or restrictions of confidentiality.

Proposed by: Jimmy Harris AGG 17

Jimmy Harris #17: I proposed this amendment for the same reasons that the VGG, VAGG, GG and AGG cannot serve on the Executive BGC. The decisions that are made at they higher executive level provide certain restrictions, conflict of interest and the inability to serve those Bethels in a way that they deserve. It is the same for someone who is serving on the SGC.

Diane Ritchie #18: In the last 50 years this has only happened 1 time. We've had a SG during that time also. I am not sure that this is a good idea to have this. It does not happen very often.

Joanie Peterson #41: Over 30 years I have never had an experience where people's integrity not been able to manage. I am opposed.

Lisa Cherry #11: Rather than wait for a problem to occur it is better to have this in the law now. If you are to busy in office for another, then take the time away and come back to the position later.

Joy Erickson #32: I was a member of a standing committee and served as a supreme appointment and was very busy on that committee. I had to make that decision for myself to know if I was capable of doing both. There are things that people who are serving on the Board of Trustees that you must keep confidential. I would think that we should put people on those committees that can be confidential, the same as those we appoint on Appeals and Grievances.

Dorothy Fuller #13: I am opposed to this. We are in enough trouble getting people on committees. We don't have enough people who are willing to work and who are competent.

Jimmy Harris #17: This is not a point of anyone's integrity. This year this has been an issue, with the issue with Wanda I have been in touch with Bobbie who has told me that we cannot discuss this any further, because of confidentiality. This by no means says anything about her integrity, but this means that we should be able to fully discuss in any way with this committee. They are their advisor.

Gayle Johnson #18: Could the GG not ask someone to serve on this position. Rather than not have it as an amendment then could be asked to not serve.

Joy Erickson #32: Reminder that anything with CAV is confidential. So we are not privy to know what or why this happened. It was just that Bobbie knew what happened and also served on the Jurisprudence committee.

Defeated

Amendment #4

MB-GGC 3.0, Article IV Committees, Section 1 Eligibility, New F

Amend by adding new subsection F to read:

F. No member shall be appointed to a Standing Committee having served three (3) of the previous five (5) years on that committee.

Reason: For the sake of sharing institutional knowledge, responsibilities must be distributed. None of these appointments were intended to be lifetime appointments, yet we have made them that way by re-appointing the same individuals in a round-robin.

Proposed by: Jimmy Harris AGG 17

Jimmy Harris #17: I would like to encourage more participation for others to serve on the committees.

Joanie Peterson #41: This similar motion was passed when I was GG. This was a disservice to us. There are limited people that can do things. We had 40 active Bethels helped us with the pool of people that we had to choose from. And there were still a limited number of people that could serve in certain positions.

Wanda Thompson #65: We need to give others the opportunity to serve on these committees.

D Hennebry #32: I agree that we need new people to work on these committees, unfortunately we do not get volunteers. Is anyone standing up and saying they want to be on Jurisprudence except me, no one knows the law better than those three people. They are extremely willing to teach, instead of passing this amendment we need to assign assistance to learn the law. I asked people to serve and no one wanted to do that.

Carol Gillett #32: I did serve on this committee for 3 years. It was not a continuous circle. I do know that there are only a few people that can attend to the law as these people to. You should be in training and bring that up to the VGG each year. It is a tough committee. It's not just the VGG's job to ask to be on committees, you need to go and ask.

Diane Ritchie #18: Remember that these committees are appointed by the GG, she can appoint other people to take them. You need to be willing to serve the 3 years and to do the work.

Thera Wiersma #60: It is nice to have the 3 years. One year to train in and then 2 years to understand the committee and train the next people. It is surprising that people don't know that they can serve in the committees.

Pam Leech #76: You need to have people that are willing to serve and put in a lot of time for the standing committees. Lots of times people say they are going to serve and don't do the work on the other committees, how are they going to serve on a standing committee when they MUST do the work.

Emilio Munoz #93: One thing in Masonry is to educate our brothers to carry on the principals of Masonry. We are not doing ourselves a favor by not educating the younger people. We need to try and educate as many as possible about Masonry. We need to get people interested and carry on so that we can make Job's Daughters better than it is today. They in turn can do the same.

Lisa Cherry #11: First I agreed with this, but putting this in law is tough because we don't have the people to choose from. I've never been asked to serve on a committee until now. Send out the information today so that we can look it over and decide what we would like to help with.

Defeated

Amendment #5

MB-GGC 3.1, Article IV Committees, Section 4 Standing Committees – Duties, E (1)

Now Reads:

E. Finance Committee shall:

- (1) Audit, or cause to be audited, the books and accounts of the GS, GT, and GB.

Amend to read:

E. Finance Committee shall:

- (1) Audit, or cause to be audited, the books and accounts of the GS and GT.

Reason: Since Grand Bethel is a self-supporting Bethel, we feel they should audit their own books and accounts, just like all the other Bethels do; that is, the GBAG with two other people should do it. As the law now reads, Finance can ask this to be done and has, without success.

Proposed by: Dorothy Fuller PGG 83 & 13, Greg Lane PGG 76, Mary Gursky PGG 19

D Hennebry #32: I think that the finance committee should still audit the GB Books after the AGBG, reason they are a committee of the GGC. I just want things to be safe.

Diane Ritchie #18: Do you audit the Camp books also? Yes they should be audited by the Finance committee because they are committees of the GGC.

Dorothy Fuller #83: I think it is fine that we re-audit after the AGBG. We didn't consider the GB a committee, we consider them a Bethel. They should do them first then we can look at them after.

Diane Ritchie #18: We can have the AGBG audit the books and then have the finance committee look at them.

Gayle Johnson #18 It sounds that you wanted this removed because you didn't get them in time.

Dorothy Fuller #83: We would have had to make another trip to the cities and that would have been an expense.

Gayle Johnson #18: So did you have to ask for them multiple times.

D Hennebry #32: She did not, I did.

Dorothy Fuller #83: The law states that we audit or cause to be audited. We feel that if we ask the AGBG to audit, we are causing them to audit.

M'Lyse Haugen #1: The GB does have an EIN # and files a 990. The GB has never been part of the Grand Secretary's financials like the camp.

Lisa Cherry #11: Can't we have the books done on the internet so can't we share them together.

Joy Erickson #32: Dorothy, are you saying that the finance committee has asked the GB to audit the books, have they? So by putting this in the law you are trying to force them to do their own.

Deb Niederhaus #39: The GB books are audited.

Carried

Housekeeping Amendment #2 (if and only if Amendment #5 is carried)

MN Grand Bethel 7, Article XV Grand Bethel Guardian Council, Section 2 Duties, C

Now Reads:

Section 2. Duties

C. Duties of the GBGS and GBGT

- (1) To close the books of the GB within thirty (30) days following the AS GB and turn them over to the MN GGC Finance Committee for auditing.

Amend to Read:

Section 2. Duties

C. Duties of the GBGS and GBGT

- (1) To close the books of the GB within thirty (30) days following the AS GB and turn them over to the AGBG for auditing.

D Hennebry #32: I would like to amend this to or GBG. Reason being we do not have an AGBG this year. It was seconded and carried.

Carried

This concluded the morning session. Grand Chaplain, Katie Jackson attended at the Altar and closed the Bible. The Proclamation was made by Grand Marshal, Jill Cotton. The Grand Officers dismissed informally.

**Minutes of the 86th Annual Session
Friday Afternoon Business Meeting
Friday, June 15, 2012**

Grand Officers were informally seated in the East. Grand Chaplain, Katie Jackson attended at the altar and offered a prayer. Grand Marshal, Jill Cotton, made the proclamation.

Announcements: If you would like to order a directory, 6th messenger, yearbook and proceedings please go to the registration desk. Any Daughters who are here please be at the practice to be in each event, the times are listed in the sessions book.

Beth Bohlmann #32: These business sessions are open to anyone who has paid the registration fee. All voting members have to pay a fee. Voting delegates must use their voting cards.

When addressing the assembly please use the microphone. Give your name and Bethel number before stating your business

All reports that are read at this session will be handled in the following manner. I will say, "If there is no objection, this report is received. Hearing none, this report is received and will be printed in the Proceedings." Once you have read your report, please give three (3) copies to the Grand Secretary unless you have already done so.

Continuation of Reports:

Housekeeping Amendment #3

Appears throughout the Manual of Rules and Regulations

Amend:

Change all pronoun references of the Grand Secretary from "her" to "her/him".

Proposed by: Jimmy Harris AGG 17

Carried

Amendment #6

MC-Bethel 2, Article VI Eligibility, Section 1, new C and D

Amend by adding new item C and D:

- C. The ExBGC shall determine if any Daughters are not eligible due to campaigning/electioneering.
 - (1) Campaigning/electioneering shall be interpreted to mean soliciting votes for or against any member for elective office, and/or authorizing any other member(s) to do so.
 - (2) Any Daughter determined to be in violation of such campaigning/electioneering as defined in (1) above shall not be eligible for election to any elective office in the upcoming election.
 - (3) The ExBGC shall investigate any allegations carefully and, if necessary, interview any/all witnesses to the violation.
- D. The BG shall announce, during the meeting at which the election is held, the names of all members who are eligible for election.

Reason: The above section, if passed, will also be added to the MN Bethel Bylaws M-BB 3, Art VI, Sect 1. If not passed, any Bethel may wish to add this to their guidelines, voted upon in the proper manner, and reconfirmed with the acceptance of the Bethel Term

Proposed by: Diane Ritchie PGG 18

Diane Ritchie #18: There are too many Bethel's that don't realize that this is not in the Bylaws. In order to enforce this properly it needs to be in the law somewhere. Most Bethel's don't have this in their guidelines, this would help those Bethels.

Joanie Peterson #41: This is in Bethel #41 guidelines. All they see is that, campaigning and electioneering. This would help them understand that we do not do that.

Carried

Amendment #7

MN GRAND BETHEL 1, Article V Eligibility, Section 1 GB Line Officers

Now reads:

- A. Any Bethel, except the Bethel of the incoming GBHQ, is eligible to send delegates to the AS GB for the selection of the GB Line Officers. These delegates shall be PHQ's, who are at least sixteen (16) years of age at the time of the AS GB, whose record, in the Bethel's judgment, would entitle them to serve as GB Line Officers.

Amend to read:

- A. Any Bethel is eligible to send any number of delegates to the AS GB for the selection of the GB Line Officers.
- (1) GBSP and GBJP. These delegates shall be PHQ's, who are at least sixteen (16) years of age at the time of the AS GB, whose record, in the Bethel's judgment, would entitle them to serve as GB Line Officers.
 - (2) GBGde. These delegates shall be Members who are serving or who have served as Guides, who are at least fourteen (14) years of age at the time of the AS GB, whose record in the Bethel's judgment, would entitle them to serve as a GB Line Officer.
 - (3) GBMar. These delegates shall be Members who are serving or who have served as Marshals, who are at least fourteen (14) years of age at the time of the AS GB, whose record in the Bethel's judgment, would entitle them to serve as a GB Line Officer.

Proposed by: Approved at the 2012 AS of the Grand Bethel and forwarded to the GGC for consideration.

Joy Erickson #32: Did we come close to not having enough PHQ's to fill the stations.

Lynnae Thompson #16: This year we had to turn girls away. We did not want to not include everyone.

Carried

Amendment #8

MN GRAND BETHEL 3, Article VII Selection of GB Officers, Section 2 Selection Procedure; add new D

Amend to read:

- D. If a delegate indicates an ability to play the Bethel music, the GB Musician shall be drawn following the GB Marshal. If no one indicates the ability to play, the GB Musician shall be drawn following the GB Librarian.

Proposed by: Approved at the 2012 AS of the Grand Bethel and forwarded to the GGC for consideration.

Lynnae Thompson #16: If we have two girls then those who play would be drawn first.

Carried

Amendment #9

MN GRAND BETHEL 5, Article XI Meetings, Section 2 Minnesota Job's Daughters Congress, B (1); add new (a) and (b)

Now reads:

- B. Congress shall be held at such time and place as may be selected by the GBHQ and GBGC.
- (1) Members shall be given the opportunity to submit items for discussion.

Amend to read:

- B. Congress shall be held at such time and place as may be selected by the GBHQ and GBGC.
- (1) Members shall be given the opportunity to submit items for discussion.
 - (a) Items for discussion shall be submitted to the GBGC by September 15.
 - (b) Submitted items shall be distributed to each Bethel by October 1.

Reason: Daughters have expressed frustration at not having time to properly discuss topics before being expected to render an opinion of them.

Proposed by: Jimmy Harris AGG 17

Lynnae Thompson #16: Working with the GBGC many of the things are like session, the GBGC has been coming up with the items for congress. I don't like the dates, but I'd like the dates to be at the time of registration.

Gayle Johnson #18: Do girls have to submit the information to the BG or the GBGC?

Joy Erickson #32: It is not specified in law if the girls need to submit their items to the BG and the BG sending it on, or if they can just submit it on their own. The girls are getting what is discussed only minutes before congress. This would give them an opportunity to form opinions about them before congress. The wording for dates should be given and so many days before the event.

Jimmy Harris #17: That is exactly right Joy, they would like to have them before they arrive at the event.

Gayle Johnson #18: Can we just have the GBGC do this without legislating it.

Jimmy Harris #17: We do lots of things with requesting and it does not get done.

Bobbie Lampi #11: The best way to make the change to this is to make an amendment to change the dates.

Joy Erickson #32: Typically the ideas have been going to the Jurisprudence committee, but this step has been skipped in recent years and they have been typed up and after congress

Jimmy Harris #17: The original amendment was shall be distributed 30 prior to Congress.

Joy Erickson #32: After congress then the Jurisprudence committee will change them into amendment form.

Lynnae Thompson #16: Our registration is due 45 days prior to the event, if we put in A) will be 45 days prior to the event and then distributed 30 days prior to the event.

Joy Erickson #32: I move that we amended this to (a) Items for discussion shall be submitted to the GBGC by 45 days prior to congress. (b) Submitted items shall be distributed to each Bethel 30 days prior to congress.

Jimmy Harris #17: I accept that amendment as the maker of the amendment.

Michelle Jensen #41: Can they still bring things up on the fly.

Joy Erickson #32: It is written into the congress guidelines, that those items that were sent out are brought up first, then items can be brought up on the floor.

Joanie Peterson #41: When you get back from Labor Day we have a lot of communications. Can we have an hour at camp to mention these items.

Bobbie Lampi #11: The best time to bring things up is right after Grand Bethel. They are fresh in their minds to make changes.

Carried

Amendment #10

MN GRAND BETHEL 5, Article XI Meetings, Section 2 Minnesota Job's Daughters Congress, D

Now reads:

D. Delegates.

- (1) Each Minnesota Bethel shall select delegate(s) to vote on resolutions on behalf of the Bethel.
 - (a) Bethels with 10 or fewer members are entitled to one delegate.
 - (b) Bethels with more than 10 members are entitled to two delegates.
- (2) Before voting on a resolution, delegates shall be given time to caucus with the Bethel members.

Amend to read:

D. All members of Minnesota GB shall be entitled to vote on resolutions.

Proposed by: Approved at the 2012 AS of the Grand Bethel and forwarded to the GGC for consideration. If passed the Guidelines for Minnesota Job's Daughters Congress will be revised to reflect the change.

Joy Erickson #32: At the time we started this we had 50 girls in some Bethels and then smaller bethels. That is not the case now.

Carried

Amendment #11

MN GRAND BETHEL 6, Article XIV Finance, Section 5 GBHQ Expenses, C

Now reads:

C. The GB shall allow one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for decorations at each Fall-Inn and AS GB, payable to the GBHQ after the receipt of itemized receipts.

Amend to read:

C. The GB shall allow one hundred seventy-five dollars (\$175.00) for decorations at each Fall-Inn and AS GB, payable to the GBHQ after the receipt of itemized receipts.

Proposed by: Approved at the 2012 AS of the Grand Bethel and forwarded to the GGC for consideration.

M'Lyse Haugen #1: It was 5 years ago that we added an expense of \$100. The GBHQ does get her way paid to GB and Fall Inn, so she could be saving money for the decorations. I move to amend the dollar amount to \$125. It was seconded and carried.

Carried

Amendment #12

MN GRAND BETHEL 6, Article XIV Finance, Section 5 GBHQ Expenses, add new D

Amend to read:

- D. When meeting the chaperone requirements set by the SGC and when itemized receipts are approved by the GBGC, the GBHQ shall be reimbursed for her attendance at the AS GGC for:
- (1) Two (2) nights accommodations based on four (4) people per room.
 - (2) The cost of the Formal Banquet.

Proposed by: Approved at the 2012 AS of the Grand Bethel and forwarded to the GGC for consideration.

Rosemary Guntzel #39: What happens when the girl becomes CAV, she has to room with adults. Will she still get the same amount. - Yes

Pam Leech #76: Who is paying for this - GB

Carried

Amendment #13

MN GRAND BETHEL 7, Article XV Grand Bethel Guardian Council, Section 1 Members, A, new (1)

Now reads:

Section 1. Members

- A. The GG and AGG, or persons appointed by the GG, shall serve as Guardians of the GB with three (3) additional ExGBGC members (GB Guardian Secretary, GB Guardian Treasurer, GB Guardian Director of Music) and one (1) Associate GB Guardian Council member (GB Guardian Director of Epochs) appointed by the GG for one (1) year.

Amend to read:

Section 1. Members

- A. The GG and AGG, or persons appointed by the GG, shall serve as Guardians of the GB with three (3) additional ExGBGC members (GB Guardian Secretary, GB Guardian Treasurer, GB Guardian Director of Music) and one (1) Associate GB Guardian Council member (GB Guardian Director of Epochs) appointed by the GG for one (1) year.
- (1) The GG shall give the AGG the first right of refusal to serve as AGBG.

Reason: To not appoint an AGG brings dishonor upon the office of the Grand Guardian and disgrace upon the Order.

Proposed by: Jimmy Harris AGG 17

Jimmy Harris #17: This was written when I felt more passion about this. The concept is the same. We need to learn to work with those that we don't like and we should be teaching our girls the same idea.

Gayle Johnson #18: I did not appoint myself or my partner to the GB. I asked two other people at the time to fill those positions. The ability should be with the GG, we don't need to legislate this.

Bobbie Lampi #11: I chose not to continue as GBG, I appointed Gayle as she had not done that and her husband. At that time I think if I would have appointed Roy it might have been a disservice. To legislate it places difficulty that we would place people on there that would not work out that well.

Jimmy Harris #17: I see your point but I think that the first right of refusal should be given to the AGG who has done his job. Not saying that the GG cannot appoint someone else just that he has the option to refuse. Just like the GBHQ has to ask the PHQ they have the right to refusal.

Joanie Peterson #41: The GG has to make a lot of appointments. This should remain at the pleasure of the Grand Guardian.

Ward Gillett #32: I would like to hear from the PAGBG, before I give my remarks.

John Murray #1: I heard the word choice mentioned that the GG has the choice. You are putting a gentleman who has served the last 4 years into service, no choice. If he doesn't want to do it, that's his choice. Being the AGBG it was fun, a downslope to the previous 4 years. It is not a right, but an option that we earn.

Chuck Anderson #45: I did not feel dishonored or put down that I was not appointed.

Larry Jensen #41: I agree that being the AGBG was great. You should not have a right but it should be appointed.

Ken Carroll #41: I agree leave it the way it is.

Ward Gillett #32: We say to our daughters that you are not automatically going from position to position you have to earn that, we do not say it is automatic. This is an opposition to the way I view that. I do not support it.

Larry Jensen #41: It's not a right it is a privilege.

Thera Wiersma #28: You should be talking to the GG well in advance to let them know you are interested.

Don DeMars #28: I was appointed by Sarah and she did not want to the GBG she appointed LeeAnn Hill. I was very excited to serve.
Defeated

Amendment #14

MN GRAND BETHEL 7, Article XV Grand Bethel Guardian Council, Section 1 Members

Now reads:

- A. The GG and AGG, or persons appointed by the GG, shall serve as Guardians of the GB with three (3) additional ExGBGC members (GB Guardian Secretary, GB Guardian Treasurer, GB Director of Music) and one (1) Associate GB Guardian Council Member (GB Guardian Director of Epochs) appointed by the GG for one (1) year.

Amend to read:

- A. The GG and AGG, or persons appointed by the GG, shall serve as Guardians of the GB with four (4) additional GBGC members (GB Guardian Secretary, GB Guardian Treasurer, GB Director of Music, and GB Guardian Director of Epochs) appointed by the GG for one (1) year.

Proposed by: Approved at the 2012 AS of the Grand Bethel and forwarded to the GGC for consideration.

Joy Erickson #32: I suggest guardian be stricken from the GB D of M. If we want to keep Guardian for GB D of M and GB D of E then we keep it. We just need to keep them both the same.

Diane Ritchie #18: We have taken out executive GBGC. Supreme would only say we can only have 5 on the executive council.

Lynnae Thompson #16: There were a lot of inconstancies about who had a vote. This would help.

Carried

Amendment #15

MN GRAND BETHEL 8, Article XVII Amendments, Section 1, new B, re-letter B to C and C to D

Amend by adding new subsection B to read:

- B. Proposed amendments, approved by one of the methods in A above, shall be submitted, in writing, to the Chairman of the Jurisprudence Committee by December 15 for consideration at the AS GB.

- (1) When put in proper form by the Jurisprudence Committee, such amendments shall be forwarded to the GBGC to be included in the mailing for the upcoming AS GB.

Proposed by: Diane Ritchie PGG 18

Diane Ritchie #18: This is in the same light as congress. This really does need to have a date. We don't know exactly when the mailing will go out for GB, We do know when the mailing for Session will go out. This way it can be put into proper form before the mailing goes out.

Carried

Amendment #16

MN GRAND BETHEL 10, Guidelines for Minnesota Job's Daughters Congress

Now reads:

1. The Congress session is informal. Only the Bethel delegates are required to attend. Casual clothing is encouraged. Daughters and adults may enter or leave at any time, as long as they do so quietly so as not to disturb the proceedings.
2. Bethels are requested to sit together as a group to assist their delegate(s) who must caucus with the Bethel before voting on any issue. Adults are requested to sit in the back rows.
3. Any current member of MN JD may speak on any issue. Adults and visiting JD may speak only if their opinion is specifically requested by a MN JD.
4. An adult parliamentarian is available to answer any question regarding parliamentary procedure. The Jurisprudence Committee is available to answer any question regarding the current JD law. Any speaker may request assistance from the parliamentarian and/or the Jurisprudence Committee.
6. When an agenda item is first introduced for discussion, the proposer of the item will be permitted to speak first. If the proposer of the item is an adult, this rule supersedes rule #3 above.

Amend to read:

1. The Congress session is informal. Only the Bethel delegates are required to attend. Casual clothing is encouraged. Members may enter or leave at any time, as long as they do so quietly so as not to disturb the proceedings.
2. Bethels are requested to sit together as a group to assist their delegate(s) who must caucus with the Bethel before voting on any issue..

3. Any current member of MN JD may speak on any issue. Visiting JD may speak only if their opinion is specifically requested by a MN JD.
4. Adults attending the Congress session shall include only the following: GB Guardian, ABG Guardian, GB Guardian Secretary, and one member of Jurisprudence Committee or a designated representative. Any speaker may request assistance from the Jurisprudence Committee member.
6. When an agenda item is first introduced for discussion, the proposer of the item will be permitted to speak first.

Proposed by: Approved at the 2012 AS of the Grand Bethel and forwarded to the GGC for consideration.

Deb Niederhaus #39: If we have a guest, like the SG can she attend? No but maybe we should put invited guests. So we can allow them to attend.

Joy Erickson #32: I think it is to bad that we are not allowing adults to attend. I loved sitting in the back and watching the girls making wise decisions for their organization. I believe that it was one GBHQ that was not comfortable with one adult not attending, so I think that the adults should sit and watch and keep quiet.

Deb Niederhaus #39: Lets say I am saying something and Joy you are looking at me with a look of disapproval, I don't think that I could say anything. Because we wanted to take that intimidation factor out that is why the adults are not invited.

Joy Erickson #32: I think that is too bad that we have adults who are intimidating the girls on our councils.

M'Lyse Haugen #1: I got to be present in the room, I admit that we miss out on things when we are not there. They really do feel more comfortable without the adults present.

Carried

Continuation of Reports

Grand Outer Guard - Emilio Munoz

Promotion - Beth Bohlmann

Grand Marshal - Jill Cotton

Grand Inner Guard - John Jubala

Grand Guide - Michelle Jensen

Grand Treasurer - Gerry Brandt

Vice Associate Grand Guardian - Tim Dixon

Vice Grand Guardian - Beth Bohlmann

Supreme Session 2011 - Beth Bohlmann

Camp 2011 - Beth Bohlmann

The Grand Chaplain attended at the altar and offered a prayer. Grand Marshal, Jill Cotton, gave the proclamation.

Minutes of the 86th Annual Session Friday Banquet Friday, June 15, 2012

Beth welcomed all.

Membership
Jimmy Harris

Scholarship Award
Larry Jensen

The recipients that received the Scholarship are: Sarah Jensen, Anne Burlingame, Mariah Benn, Melissa Van Cleve, Kellie Seberson

The Grand Lodge sent the GBHQ and the GG \$ each for their family projects. Thank you to the Bethel's that participated.

Minutes of 86th Annual Session Formal Opening Friday, June 15, 2012 8:00 PM

Melissa Van Cleve, Miss MNJD danced to "Stronger"

The Royalty for the last year escorted all the Grand Officers into the room.

Distinguished Guests were escorted into the room by Melissa Van Cleve, Miss MNJD and Jackie Niederhaus, GBHQ

Cynthia McDonald, Worthy Grand Matron, Order of the Eastern Star
Curt Spellar, Worthy Grand Patron, Order of the Eastern Star
Janice Believeau, Past Royal Grand Matron, Amaranth
Jane Gross, Rainbow for Girls
Clare Haugen, Supreme 4th Messenger, Grand Secretary, PGG, GBS #1
Ed Halpaus, Grand Senior Stewart, Grand Lodge

FLAG CEREMONY

Presented by Jill Cotton, Grand Marshal.

Narrator: Tonight we present and honor the Flags that are important to Job's Daughters. These flags represent the countries where there are Job's Daughters, the religious heritage of the majority of our members and our heritage.

The Flag of the United States of America is presented by Sara Golder, GBSP.

(Music - America the Beautiful?)

Narrator: Please join in singing our National Anthem.

(Music – The Star Spangled Banner)

Narrator: Flag bearer, you will place the flag of our country in the East.

*After the flag is posted the lights go off and 4 flashlights are aimed at the flag.
(Adults will be manning the flashlights)*

Narrator: What you see here tonight represents the past, present, and future. The stripes of Old Glory stand for the original thirteen colonies. The stars represent the present 50 states. The light and warmth of the four lights you see shining remind us of the four great freedoms – Freedom of the Press, Freedom of Assembly, Freedom of Speech and Freedom of Religion. Eliminate any one of the freedoms and our world would become darker and colder.

Call out 4 Freedoms slowly. As each is called a flashlight is turned off until the room is again in total darkness.

Freedom of the Press
Freedom of Assembly
Freedom of Speech
Freedom of Religion

In this world of potential cold and darkness, of rule by a few, stands the United States of America. Here the Four Freedoms do exist and are an example of warmth and light for all.

Turn flashlights back on directed at the flag.

All citizens of the United States please join in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Turn lights back on in the room.

The National Flag of Canada is presented by Sheila Galvin, PGG

(Music – appropriate music)

Narrator: In his speech at the national flag inauguration ceremony, Prime Minister Lester Pearson said: “Under this flag may our youth find new inspiration for loyalty to Canada; for a patriotism based not on any mean or narrow nationalism, but on the deep and equal pride that all Canadians will feel for every part of this good land.” Please join me in singing ‘O Canada’.

(Music – O Canada)

Flag bearer, you will place the National Flag of Canada in the East.

(Music – appropriate music)

(Music – appropriate music – Let There Be Peace On Earth)

The Australian Flag is presented by Kaitze Tarbell, PHQ #85

The Flag of the Philippines is presented by Brittney Jaeger, 2nd Messenger #16

The Flag of Brazil is presented by Marietta Herarra, JP #48

(Music – Let There Be Peace on Earth)

Narrator: The colors on the Australian flag represent the following:
Blue – vigilance, truth and loyalty, perseverance and justice
White – peace and honesty
Red – hardiness, bravery, strength and valor

The colors on the Flag of the Philippines represent the following:
Blue – patriotism and justice
Red – valor and the blood spilt for freedom and independence
White – peace and purity

The colors on the Flag of Brazil represent the following:
Yellow – the Brazilian gold reserves, Brazil’s mineral wealth
Green – the Amazon Rainforest, the Atlantic Jungle.

Flag Bearers, you will place the flags in the East.

(Music – Faith of Our Fathers)

The Christian Flag is presented by M’Eisha Jackson, PHQ #53

The Flag of Israel is presented by Kandace Ness, SP #76

Narrator: These two flags represent the religious beliefs of the majority of the members of Jobs Daughters. We share the belief in one Supreme Being. May we continue to strive for peace and understanding. Flag bearers, you will place these flags in the East.

(Music – appropriate music)

The Minnesota Flag is presented by: Miss MN Melissa Van Cleve, PHQ #32

Narrator: We love our state for it’s beauty and it’s people. May Job’s Daughters always be a part of Minnesota. Flag Bearer, you will place the Minnesota Flag in the East.

(Music – Masonic Parade March)

The Grand Lodge of Minnesota Flag is presented by James McNeely, PAGG

Narrator: The square and compass is the symbol of Freemasonry, the largest fraternal organization in the world. “Bless and protect, we pray Thee, the Master Masons who give us heritage.” This is said in every Bethel during every meeting. May we always remember and honor the Masons. Flag bearer, you will place the Grand Lodge Flag in the East.

(Music – appropriate music)

The Job’s Daughters Flag is presented by GBHQ Jackie Niederhaus, PHQ #39

Narrator:
“May this emblem, though the ages,
For our Daughters wave on high
Ever upward, onward striving
‘Til love shall rule in earth and sky,”

Mr Mattrup Jensen , PAGG of California, PASG wrote that poem as the designer of our Flag. He also wrote, “This completed the arrangement; giving us a flag composed of three white stripes, five stripes emanating from the triangle and seven stripes in all,

across the entire width. I present it to the 'Fairest in all the Land', and may it lead our Daughters upward and onward, that their influence may be the means of promoting and preserving the highest ideals of life." Daughters and Majority Members please rise and join in singing the Bethel Flag Song.

(Music – the Bethel Flag Song)

Bethel Flag Bearer, you will place the flag in the East.

(Music – appropriate music)

Narrator: Thank you to everyone that participated in this ceremony. This concludes the ceremony.

(Music – You're a Grand Old Flag)

Beth Bohlmann: Grand Chaplain, you will attend at the Altar.

Grand Chaplain Katie Jackson attended the Altar and opened the Bible.

Grand Marshal, Jill Cotton made the Proclamation.

Escort and Introductions were performed by Grand Guardian D.

Necrology Ceremony

Beth Bohlmann: The Necrology Ceremony was designed by Grand Chaplain, Katie Jackson and will be conducted under her direction.

Necrology Ceremony: 2012

Golden Triangle Ceremony:

The Golden Triangle was awarded to Ken Carroll #41.

Librarian's Report:

Grand Librarian, M'Lyse Haugen gave a report.

Jimmy introduced his family: Wife Sarahle, Daughters Aimee, Savanna, Emma. Mom – LeeAnn, Grandma Dorothy

Masonic Heritage Award

Bob Armagost

Spirit Award

Toni Murray

Foundation

Joanie Peterson

Grand Lodge Scholarship

Jim Billig

Recipient is Mariah Benn, #11

Remarks

Remarks were given by Beth Bohlmann, Acting GG

Jimmy Harris, AGG

Jackie Niederhaus, GBHQ

Melissa Van Cleve, Miss MNJD

Ron Johnson, Vice Associate Supreme Guardian

Cynthia McDonald, Worthy Grand Matron, Eastern Star

Jane Gross, Rainbow for Girls

Janice Believeau, Past Royal Grand Matron, Amaranth

Ed Halpaus, Grand Senior Stewart, Grand Lodge
Curt Spellar, Grand Worthy Patron, Eastern Star

Grand Chaplain Katie Jackson attended at the Altar and closed the Bible.

Grand Marshal, Jill Cotton made the Proclamation.

Please stay for the reception afterward.

Closing Ceremony

The Grand Officers left to the song "Stronger".

Minutes of the 86th Annual Session Saturday Morning Business Session Saturday, June 16, 2012 9:00 AM

The Grand Officers entered informally and were seated in the East. Grand Chaplain, Katie Jackson, attended at the Altar and offered a prayer. Grand Marshal, Jill Cotton, gave the proclamation.

Beth Bohlmann: During this session, all members and Majority Members of Job's Daughters are invited to assume the attitude of prayer when the Chaplain attends at the altar. Members of other Masonic Family organizations are welcome to assume that organization's attitude of prayer, if desired. These business sessions are open to anyone who has paid the registration fee. All voting members have to pay a fee. Voting delegates must use their voting cards. Observers are asked to sit at the tables in the center and toward the back of the room.

When addressing the assembly please use the microphone. Give your name and Bethel number before stating your business.

Reports:

Associate Grand Guardian, Jimmy Harris
Acting Grand Guardian, Beth Bohlmann
Finance Committee, Dorothy Fuller

Dorothy Fuller #83: I move the approval that the mileage be .25 per mile. It was seconded and carried.

Beth Bohlmann #32: We decided that it would be easier to have a storage unit here in Alexandria with all the flag stands, the big flag case, the Altar and pedestals. We only use them at this time and it is very difficult for people to tote them around to their homes, which could flood, have a fire or have squirrels. If the flags need to be used for Supreme that can be arranged.

Gayle Johnson #18: What about the purchase of a trailer.

Pam Leech #76: Great idea, there has been sessions that paraphernalia being forgotten at someone's home. This would eliminate that problem.

Dorothy Fuller #83: I move that we accept the budget.

Carried

Credentials

Val Day: Grand Guardian and Associate Grand Guardian and members of the Grand Guardian Council. This is the final report as of 9:00 am on Saturday, June 16, 2012. There are 21 Bethels represented with 17 Grand Officers, 13 PGG, 8 PAGG, 9 BG, 1 ABG, 7 PBG, 3 PABG, 2 GS, 2 GT, 1 Dir of E, 64 Voting Delegates.

Beth Bohlmann: AGG Jimmy, you are invited to preside during elections.

Jimmy Harris: The tellers for this morning are James McNeely, Chuck Anderson, Ken Carroll, John Murray, Larry Jensen - substitute, Jim Billig - Chair.

Those people are directed to go to the back of the room to the designated area. AGG Jimmy Harris then proceeded to inform the voting members the procedures that would be used for the elections.

Bobbie Lampi #11, I move to elect the GG & AGG by viva voca. It was seconded and carried.

Election results were as follows:

Grand Guardian.....Beth Bohlmann
Associate Grand Guardian.....Tim Dixon
Vice Grand Guardian.....Michelle Jensen
Vice Associate Grand Guardian.....John Jubala
Grand Guide.....Jill Cotton
Grand Secretary.....Clare Haugen
Grand Treasurer.....Gerry Brandt
Grand Inner Guard.....Emilio Munoz

Bobbie Lampi #11: I move that that we keep the office of Grand Marshal vacant. It was seconded and carried.

D Hennebry #32: I move that we keep the office of Grand Outer Guard vacant. It was seconded and carried.

Reports during elections:

Grand Bethel Honored Queen, Jackie Niederhaus
Miss Minnesota Job’s Daughter 2011-2012, Melissa Van Cleve
Education/Loan, Larry Jensen
Scrips, Jimmy Harris
JD Dance, Jean Shepersky
Raffle 2011, Jean Shepersky
Solicitations, D Hennebry
Grand Guardian’s Project, Jimmy Harris
The Sixth Messenger, Katie Jackson
Irregularities, Beth Bohlmann
Cookbook, Clare Haugen
Conditions of the Bethels, Beth Bohlmann
Grand Bethel Guardian, Deb Niederhaus
Twins Game, Deb Niederhaus

Joy Erickson #32: I move that the ballots for the elective officers of the Grand Guardian Council be destroyed. The motion was seconded and passed without discussion.

AGG Jimmy Harris continued with the election of a Trustee for the Job’s Daughters Foundation (3 year term).

Board of Trustee.....Gerry Brandt

Diane Ritchie #18: I move that we destroy the ballots to the Board of Trustee. It was seconded and carried.

The Grand Chaplain attended at the Altar and offered a prayer. Grand Marshal, Jill Cotton, gave the proclamation.

**Minutes of the 86th Annual Session
Saturday Afternoon Business Meeting
Saturday, June 16, 2012
1:40 PM**

The Grand Officers entered informally and were seated in the East. Grand Chaplain, Katie Jackson, at the Altar and offered a prayer. Grand Guide, Michelle Jensen, made the proclamation.

Beth Bohlmann: During this session, all members and Majority Members of Job’s Daughters are invited to assume the attitude of prayer when the Chaplain attends at the altar. Members of other Masonic Family organizations are welcome to assume that organization’s attitude of prayer, if desired. These business sessions are open to anyone who has paid the registration fee. All voting members have to pay a fee. Voting delegates must use their voting cards. Observers are asked to sit at the tables in the center and toward the back of the room.

When addressing the assembly please use the microphone. Give your name and Bethel number before stating your business.

Continuation of Reports
Plans and Locations, Beth Bohlmann
Continuation of the Finance Report, Dorothy Fuller
Recommendation Report, Beth Bohlmann

Beth Bohlmann #32: I move that we accept the plans and locations for the 2012-2013 year. It was seconded and carried.

Beth Bohlmann #32: Clare has a lot of items from closed Bethel's. We are going to have a garage sale. Let your Bethel's know so that they can look at their inventory to see if they need anything.

Dorothy Fuller #83: If there are any donations that come in, from other bodies, that money would go into the Misc. Income/Donations. This is separate from the Solicitation item.

Dorothy Fuller #83: I move that we accept the estimated income. It was seconded and carried.

Dorothy Fuller #83: I move that we accept the Promotion Fund budget. It was seconded and carried.

Dorothy Fuller #83: I move that we accept the Promotion Fund income. It was seconded and carried.

Beth Bohlmann #32: I move that we accept these recommendations. It was seconded and carried.

Recommendations

1. Spirit Award recommendation to have the budget be \$70.

Bobbie Lampi #11: I move that we accept this recommendation. It was seconded and carried.

2. Education committee recommended to have scholarships up to \$1200.00.

Diane Ritchie #18: We do not need a recommendation for the amount, but need to recommend how many you would like to give out this year.

Larry Jensen #48: I move that the education committee have a maximum number of 5 scholarships for next year. It was seconded and carried.

Jean Shepersky #95: I have a request that with the items that we have in our Iron Range Bethels we keep one set at our lodge to use in case we open up the Bethel again. I would like to work on opening the Bethel again.

Jimmy Harris #17: I move that we allow one set of paraphernalia be left at Bethel #95 to be used if they open again. It was seconded and carried.

Bobbie Lampi #11: I move that we remove from the table the motion for the proceedings. It was seconded and carried.

Clare Haugen #1: I move that we approve the minutes from the 2010-11 GGC year. It was seconded and carried.

It has been a tradition that we take up a collection for our Miss MNJD.

NEW BUSINESS

Wanda Thompson #1: I move for the adoption of the following resolution whereas the report submitted to the Grand Lodge of Minnesota AF & AM distributed to every Mason in Minnesota and available on the Grand Lodge Website and is herein reprinted. I will skip to the paragraph that is in question.

On March 13, 2012 the Office of the Grand Guardian became vacant; according to our Bylaws the Vice Grand Guardian shall assume all duties and prerogatives pertaining to that office. The Supreme Board of Trustees takes all Youth Protection Program Violation Reports very seriously and does not take this action lightly. All Violation Reports are investigated by a member of the Supreme Board of Trustees to the best of their abilities. The then GG had a chance to discuss the violation report PRIOR to the Board acting. And then she has the opportunity to appeal the decision of the Board. The specifics of the violation have not been disclosed to myself and I can not share them if even if I knew. This decision was made by our Supreme Board of Trustees and is not a decision made by an individual or individuals in Minnesota.

Whereas, Beth Bohlmann's remarks regarding the removal of me as GG were unnecessary, incomplete and were presented the allegation in a manner that brought shame upon this Order and has besmirched me as my character. Be it now resolved that this body censure Beth Bohlmann, Acting Grand Guardian, be it now further resolved that a retraction be submitted to the Grand Lodge of Minnesota AF & AM, be it now further resolved that this resolution be read in full in every Bethel within this Jurisdiction.

Beth Bohlmann #32: Acting VGG will you preside please.

Bobbie Lampi #11: I move that we take each of these action items in this resolution in three parts. It was seconded and carried.

The paragraph that was written to the Grand Lodge.

Pam Leech #1: We will discuss – be it now resolved that this body censure Beth Bohlmann, Acting Grand Guardian.

Wanda Thompson #65: It is my understanding that there was an email sent out from the Board of Trustees that this was not supposed to be discussed. This was published and given the opportunity to be sent to 5000 Masons before I was totally removed and dismissed. This caused several phone calls to me because I am known by a lot of Masons, questioning, quite frankly what the hells going on in Minnesota Job's Daughters.

Michelle Jensen #41: It is my understanding and Beth you can correct me if I'm wrong, what Beth published was provided to her from Supreme. These are not Beth's words, these are the words, when she asked, this is what she was told to say.

Beth Bohlmann #32: – On Friday, April 6 I received a phone call from Michelle Jensen at 8 am that said, did you check your email yet this morning, I said no why? I got/sent something from you. Doug Campbell emailed the Grand Guide email and he put in the subject line Beth Bohlmann, Grand Guide. It was requested on April 5, Doug Campbell wrote:

Hello Beth,

About a month ago I offered Wanda the opportunity to have a report in our Annual Communication preprinted report booklet. Since that time I have learned that Wanda is no longer in office and you are the acting person in charge. So I give you the same opportunity but I would need such a report within 24 hours otherwise it will not be able to be included in the preprint booklet. This year more than ever it is probably a good idea to have a one page report so that you can offer a reason for the actions taken recently.

Sorry for the short notice but that is the way it is sometimes.

Doug

So at that point I had 3 hours to write a report. Typically when I write a report, I do send it to other people. The line when Doug requested that this is probably a good year to have a one page report, I looked for a communication that I had had with Karen Willard, who is the Chairman of the Board of Trustees. The email that I have from her was dated in March when I requested prior to going to Grand Bethel, Karen I need some advice. You put us in a bad spot, what can I say to not breach the confidentiality of Wanda? What I was told by Karen is up on the screen and almost verbatim was in the report. I did not see a need, in the report that I wrote for the Grand Lodge, to put Wanda's name in there. That was not fair. I copied what the Board of Trustees Chairman had given me and that's what I had put in there. I would not have written this report and included that had it not been requested by the Grand Lodge that we do something in that. I did after this after doing this at the Grand Lodge counsel with the Jurisprudence Committee on the report that I had originally submitted and we did do a few edits of changing the words around. It has been submitted to Doug and it was accepted by the Grand Lodge.

Hi Beth,

I think you are asking what you can say to everyone about Wanda's CAV card being taken away. Unfortunately, Wanda does have a right to her privacy and you cannot go into any details about this - which you do not have anyway.

I think you tell anyone that asks that the Board of Trustees takes all YPP Violation Reports very seriously and does not take this action lightly. That all Violation Reports are investigated by a member of the Board of Trustees to the best of their abilities. And that Wanda had a chance to discuss the violation report PRIOR to the Board acting. And that she has the opportunity to appeal the decision of the Board. The specifics of the violation have not been disclosed to you and you cannot share them even if you knew. The person who filed the violation report is kept confidential to protect them from retaliation. You do not know who filed the report and it will not be disclosed to you.

Can you share the letters you have received from me to the EGGC? Absolutely.

Hope this helps!

Karen A. Willard

Chairman, Board of Trustees

Job's Daughters International

Lisa Cherry #11: This isn't about attacking one person we're here for the girls. What Beth did or didn't do, she stepped into a position that we elected her to and she responded the best she could and whether you can go to the date and time of this email and that email, it doesn't matter. The fact is, she stepped up and did a job that she certainly wouldn't have volunteered for had she known what she'd be getting herself into. So stop attacking one person, and realize this is bad for everybody and every situation for the Job's Daughters, the reflection on Job's Daughters, the Masons the reflection on Masons. Whatever happened happened, but don't attack one person. That one person your attacking is the person who had to fill the shoes because they took an obligation and whether they liked it or not she filled those shoes. Please do not attack one person.

Gerry Brandt #65: I was at Grand Lodge where this was presented, and the issue that I seem to have with it is that in the reading of it I was asked by several of my brothers what had happened or what took place, what specific action that Grand Guardian didn't do. It seemed to me then that she did something that violated CAV. I think the verbage coming out of Supreme was inadequate.

Jimmy Harris #17: I have to agree with Worshipful Brother Gerry, in that the wording was probably poorly chosen. Having had some conversations with our Grand Master and with Right Worshipful Brother Doug Campbell, I think that the request could have been honored with a simple Wanda Thompson has been removed from office, any further questions or inquires can be forwarded to the Supreme Office, International Order of Job's Daughters. Because we are told that this program was supposed to be administered solely by the Board of Trustees, and yet the Board of Trustees placed Beth Bohlmann in a position of being their spin doctor and frankly whoever wrote it, it was Beth Bohlmann's name at the bottom of the report.

Emilio Munoz #93: There's no doubt that Wanda is well known amongst the Masons. She's recognized as a lady with good character. And many Masons approached me and asked me what was going on as well. It was no doubt, what so ever, that all Masons knew for sure who the subject in question was.

Jimmy Harris #17: I don't believe that further discussing this is going to be productive and I move that the question be called. It was seconded and defeated.

Karen Willard, Chair of the Supreme Board of Trustees – As the highlighted section states the board investigates every YPP violation record that we receive, we take this very seriously. We investigate them, the person who makes the report is not disclosed, for their confidentiality. The person that's investigated, excuse me is investigated by a number of the Board of Trustees. They are allowed the opportunity to correct any of incorrect information that we have, to defend themselves, basically. This opportunity is awarded to everyone that we investigate. I will tell you that not every investigation ends in the pulling of CAV cards, many of them do not. The actual allegations that are made are not disclosed because that's persons right to privacy that we cannot disclose. That's something the Board cannot stand up and say Suzie Smith did X, and that's why we removed her. That is not our place, because the person has the right to privacy. That person, who reports, can tell us what they wish about what happened about what their perception is. I will tell you that each investigation is, each report is investigated. It's discussed lengthly at the Board of Trustees meetings. We are all PGG or PSG on the Board, we clearly understand the ramifications of every decision that we make, and it's not taken lightly. It's something that we agonize over sometimes. Because we understand the consequences, we really do. Our actions are not taken lightly, the decision is communicated back to that person. I'm going to say something right now, that I probably shouldn't, but I'm going to. I keep hearing that Beth Bohlmann is the one who made the violation report, she did not, and that needs to stop. I won't tell you who made the report, but it was not Beth, and you need to believe me when I tell you that. I won't tell you who did it, because really that is not important. Who made the report is not critical in our investigation. Every investigation we spend time on, we spend time on the phone. We are to far in distance to do it face to face. I wish we had the money to be able to come and talk to everybody, face to face, but we don't have that kind of money. So it's all done over phone or email or fax. I don't know what else to say except, we really do understand the consequences of our actions. Each report is taken critically, we really consider it before making a decision. I guess I am open to questions if you have any.

Carol Gillett #32: What Beth wrote, Karen, was that approved.

Karen Willard: Approved by whom? Actually that is almost word for word what I told Beth to say. When she asked me, we had talked on the phone, she said what do I say, I sent her an email, it's almost verbatim, exactly what I sent her in an email. Did I approve that she could repeat it? Absolutely. I gave her permission to spread that message to anyone who asked. I think what I didn't say before is that once we made a decision, that person has the right to appeal. That person has the right to send us a letter and say hey by the way did you consider A, B, C and D, maybe you didn't know that information. That opportunity is given to everyone and then we take that into consideration and then we reinvestigate if we have to, reconsider, we make more phone calls and we come back to another decision.

Joanie Peterson #41: I'm a CAVT, meaning trainer, which says that I have the opportunity to spend a lot of hours in classrooms in CAV training. Mostly we talk about what happens with kids when they take drugs and all of that sort of thing. One of the things we do in the class, and I pulled this out before I came, and it talks about all of our responsibilities as CAV people. One of

our obligations as a CAV person is to report to the Supreme Office through Susan Goolsby, the Executive Manager, any suspected type of violation. One of the things we say in the class, and I always kind of make a joke about it, and we talk about not talking about not discussing these violations among ourselves, at a Bethel Council meeting, don't call your Bethel Guardian, don't call your Grand Guardian and I always so for God's sake don't call me. I received two phone calls from individuals that I will not disclose their names, that they are sharing with me concerns about the situation, and to both of them I said please call Susan Goolsby, don't call me. I had to share that with you all. Whether they did it or not I don't know, because I'm not going to ask them and if they come and I think their going to tell me, I don't want to know because it's not for me to know. But I want to share with you, because each of you get a slide set, and in their on slide 112 -113 it says if there ever is a question about whether that something should be reported contact the Executive Manager or the States Abuse Reporting hotline. On slide 113 it says CAV is required to report any known or suspicious violations of the JDU Youth Protection Policy. If someone did and they did it in good faith they should not be damned forever.

The motion was defeated.

Jimmy Harris #17: I move that the other two motions be removed from the consideration as they no longer make any sense if we are no longer going to censure Beth's actions. It was seconded and carried.

Supreme Amendments

Authorize a jurisdiction for a neighboring jurisdiction to petition to join another jurisdiction.

Adding a signature of a Master Mason in good standing to sign a petition.

Adding to have a member of their Lodge in attendance at a Bethel meeting

Adding how to sew a cord on the robe.

If a Bethel or Jurisdictional wants to join another jurisdiction they can still have their own Miss.

That a GGC can add our own instructions to Escorts.

That a GGC can have provision for fulfilling elective officer vacancies.

The supreme line officers must be at least 16 and not reached their majority by the date of Installation.

Diane Ritchie #18: I move that our GG vote in the affirmative to have a Master Mason sign a petition. It was seconded and carried.

Jimmy Harris #17: What are the ramifications of a jurisdiction joining a jurisdiction? It could potentially be a cost to a deputy and our jurisdiction. Could we decline that petition.

Diane Ritchie #18: It doesn't say, it says that they can petition. If they wanted to join another Jurisdiction they would have to petition us.

We raised \$205 for the Miss MNJD for her travels. Thank you.

The Grand Chaplain Katie Jackson, attended at the Altar. The Grand Marshal, Jill Cotton, made the proclamation.

Minutes of the 86th Annual Session Installation of Officers Saturday, June 16, 2012 8:00 PM

Musical prelude was played by Bobbie Lampi.

Installation of the officers of the Grand Guardian Council of Minnesota was held on Saturday, June 16, 2012, at 8:00 pm at the Holiday Inn in Alexandria.

Inviting Officer Jenna Larson PSBHQ, PHQ, MM #48 escorted the Installing Officers to the East.

Retiring Associate Grand Guardian, Jimmy Harris, PABG #17, was escorted to the East, introduced, and seated in the East.

The Installing Officers were escorted and introduced:

Installing Officer	D Hennebry, PGG, BG, PHQ #32, RP
Assisting Installing Officer	Larry Jensen, PAGG, PABG #48
Installing Guide	Joy Erickson, PGG, PBG, PJP, MM #32, RP
Installing Marshal	Carol Gillett, PGG, PBG #32
Installing Chaplain	LoAnn Ramlo, PGG, PBG #32, PHQ, RP
Installing Secretary	Anita Florest, PGG, PBG #19, MM
Installing US Flag Bearer	Dexter Pehle, PAGG, PABG #40
Installing Musician	Bobbie Lampi, PGG, PBG #11, PHQ, MM #67, RP
Installing Sr. Custodian	James McNeely, PAGG, PABG #17
Installing Jr. Custodian	Don DeMars, PAGG, PABG #28
Installing Canadian Flag Bearer	Heather McIsaac, PGG, PBG, PHQ Manitoba
Installing Bethel Flag Bearer	Joanie Peterson, PGG, PHQ, #41, MM, RP

The distinguished guests were escorted into the room by Miss MNJD, Melissa Van Cleve and GBHQ, Jackie Niederhaus.

Ron Johnson – Vice Associate Supreme Guardian, PAGG MI
Janice Beliveau- Past Grand Royal Matron, Amaranth
Ed Halpaus – Grand Senior Stewart, Grand Lodge
Al Niederhaus – Chief Rabban, Zuhrah Shrine
Rick Oberg – Potentate, El Zagal Shrine
Melissa Van Cleve – Miss MNJD, PHQ, MM #32
Jackie Niederhaus – GBHQ, PHQ #39

The Grand Officers were escorted into the room, by:

2012-2013 Officers of the Grand Guardian Council

Grand Senior Custodian, Larry Jensen, PAGG, PABG #48
Grand Junior Custodian, Chuck Anderson, PAGG, PABG #45
Escorted by Ashton Gergen, HQ #19, PHQ #11
Grand 1st Messenger, Janet Wyman PBG #53
Escorted by Kelsey Wyman, Miss MNJD 09-10, PHQ #53
Grand 2nd Messenger, Lisa Cherry, BG #11, MM
Escorted by Jay Cherry
Grand 3rd Messenger, Kristie Ness, BGT #76
Escorted by Kandace Ness, PHQ #76
Grand 4th Messenger, CJ Brase, PBG, PHQ, MM #17, PGBHQ
Escorted by Doug Brase, ABG #17
Grand 5th Messenger, Jackie Benn, PBG, PHQ, MM #11
Escorted by Marilyn Benn, PHQ #11
Grand Librarian, Jeanne Whetstone, PBG, MM #1, RP
Escorted by Marlene Nevala, PBG, MM #19, RP
Grand Chaplain, D Hennebry, PGG, BG, PHQ, MM #32, RP
Grand Treasurer, Gerry Brandt, PABG #65
Escorted by Wanda Thompson, PBG #1 & #65
Grand Secretary, Clare Haugen, PGG, PBG #1
Escorted by Kellie Seberson, PHQ, #85, Miss MNJD 10-11
Grand Inner Guard, Emilio Munoz, ABG #93
Escorted by Val Day, BG #93
Grand Guide, Jill Cotton, PBG #53
Escorted by Joyce Cotton, PHQ, MM #53, PGBHQ
Vice Associate Grand Guardian, John Jubala, ABG #28
Escorted by Gail Jubala, PBG #28, MM
Vice Grand Guardian, Michelle Jensen, PBG #48 & #41, MM
Escorted by Sarah Jensen, PHQ #48, MM
Associate Grand Guardian, Tim Dixon, PABG #76
Escorted by Christine Dixon
Grand Guardian, Beth Bohlmann, PBG, PHQ, MM #32, Miss MNJD 91-92, RP
Escorted by Lane Bohlmann

The Holy Bible was presented by LoAnn Ramlo. After the Installing Chaplain approached the altar and was seated, Thera Wiersma signed the song "You Raise Me Up" while Melissa Van Cleve danced.

The American Flag was escorted by Dexter Pehle. The Canadian Flag was escorted by Heather McIsaac and the Bethel Flag was escorted by Joanie Peterson. Each was followed by singing of their respective National Anthems.

Escorts & Introductions

A prayer was given by Installing Chaplain, LoAnn Ramlo.

The 2012-2013 Grand Officers were installed.

Associate Grand Guardian, Tim Dixon was installed. "Blue Bayou" was played and Thera Wiersma signed.

Grand Guardian, Beth Bohlmann was installed. "The Climb" was played as Thera Wiersma signed.

Grand Guardian announced the appointments of the Acting Grand Marshal, Gayle Johnson and Acting Grand Outer Guard, Ken Carroll.

After all had been installed, the proclamation was made by Installing Secretary, Anita Florest.

Presentation of Jewels: D Hennebry presented the Harriet Hoover jewel (the Grand Guardian's pin) to newly installed Grand Guardian, Beth Bohlmann. Jimmy Harris presented the Clarence Krahmer Jewel (Associate Grand Guardian's pin) to newly installed Associate Grand Guardian Tim Dixon. Beth Bohlmann presented the Past Associate Grand Guardian a certificate in his honor of a donation to the Masonic Charities to Jimmy Harris. Michelle Jensen presented Beth and Tim a gift from the Grand Officers to use this year. D Hennebry presented gifts to Beth and Tim from the Installing Officers to use this year.

Associate Grand Guardian Tim Dixon gave remarks and thank yous and introduced family.

Grand Guardian Beth Bohlmann gave brief remarks and thank yous and introduced family.

Beth's parents gave her a gavel that was made from pine trees planted by Beth and Bapa when she was young.

Grand Guardian introduced the ideas of service and the project they have chosen to receive our help for the coming year. HIKE and Acts of Kindness will be the two projects. A video from Life Vest was shown.

Acceptance Address

GG Beth

Good Evening,

A few weeks ago, I was at an Initiation at my home Bethel. Now, I have heard the initiation several times over the years it was not until this last Initiation that the words really stuck with me. When a girl joins she is taught many virtues.

The first virtue is to be a true and loyal friend to all members of the order. Yes in Job's Daughters we have many friends, in fact that is used most often when we sell Job's Daughters to others. But to have true and loyal friends that is an accomplishment, it is an even bigger accomplishment to be that true and loyal friend.

The second virtue is truth always spoken, if we are not truthful with each other, in the end, we are not truthful to ourselves. As adults in this Order, we need to lead by example, when we make a mistake we need to admit it.

The final virtue is to do at least one useful act each day. At first that may seem like a lot, but the acts do not need to be big acts, they can be of simple deed.

Our theme this year is Dare to Stand Out. Please join with us when we

Dare to Stand Out by being true and loyal friends.

Dare to Stand Out by speaking the truth

Dare to Stand Out by doing at least one useful act each day

By joining with us in promoting these virtues this year, we will not only make Job's Daughters a better organization, but we would make the world a better place to live in.

AGG Tim Dixon

I would like to thank those who put their confidence in me to elect me into the Vice Grand Guardians position. To me this is a great honor and I really appreciate and accept this honor.

I would like to thank Bethel # 76 of White Bear Lake for starting me on this journey.

Those who are from Bethel # 76 please stand.

Through Greg Lane Saint Johns Lodge # 1 of Stillwater were invited to an initiation. I was one of the 7 or 8 members of Saint Johns Lodge to attend. After the initiation Saint Johns members were invited to come back and attend more Jobies meetings. At a future meeting I was asked if I would like to attend Bethel Guardian Council meetings. Some time later I accepted the Bethel Treasurers position, and then went on to be Associate Bethel Guardian.

While attending a Grand Session meeting, I was asked if I was nominated for the Grand Outer Guards position would I accept? I had to think fast as nominations were coming up fast. I accepted, I was not elected by 2 or 3 votes. As it turned out the person elected as Grand Outer Guard decided he didn't want to continue and dropped out of line. I was asked at Grand Bethel if I would like to join the line as Grand Inner Guard if elected into the position. I answered in the affirmative. I met with Beth and was grilled for about an hour, Beth was checking me out to see if I would be a compatible partner.

I would like to thank Beth for the grilling and picking me to be her partner. Beth is a very strong, capable, organized, and hard working woman, who is a credit to the Jobs' Daughters organization. Thank you very much Beth.

I would like to thank Cheryl, my beautiful wife.

Cheryl please stand.

Cheryl stands besides me, helping me, with phone calls, messages, remembering things, shopping, and being a traveling buddy.

I would like to thank my daughter, Christine.

Christine please stand.

Christine is the light in my dark tunnel. I still remember Christine as a little girl standing in the back of a fishing boat, between my legs, holding a cane pole pulling in sunfish, pleading with me to help her, "Help me Dad, help me." Christine has always out fished me.

I look forward to this coming year and all of the exciting things that are planned. I look forward to traveling to far and exotic places like Canada, Boston , Northern and Southern Minnesota, and to Munchkin Land.

Remarks were given by those called upon by the Grand Guardian.

A closing prayer was given by Installing Chaplain LoAnn Ramlo, followed by the Closing Ceremony. Acting Grand Marshal, Gayle Johnson gave the proclamation.

While Past Associate Grand Guardian Jimmy Harris signed the Bible at the Altar, Past Grand Guardians and Past Associate Grand Guardians formed a circle around the Altar.

The Grand Officers retired to the song "Brighter Than the Sun"

The 87th Annual Session will convene on June 14, 2013 at the Holiday Inn in Alexandria, MN.

REPORTS

Sixth Messenger Report

Katie Jackson

During the 2011-2012 Grand Guardian Council year 4 issues of The Sixth Messenger were printed and mailed out to the Daughters of Minnesota and also adults that have a subscription. Issues included articles from the Bethels in Minnesota, adds for upcoming state and Bethel functions from both the Minnesota Job's Daughters and the Minnesota DeMolay and then also special recognition to individuals around the state of Minnesota.

Below is the cost for each issue printed and mailed out.

June 2011 \$8.55 Postage Returns for March 2011

Sept. 2011 \$307.95 August 2011 Issue

Nov. 2011 \$351.15 October 2011 Issue

April 2012 \$337.80 March 2012 Issue

Total cost June 2011-April 2012: \$1005.45

I have had a great time doing this again this year. Thank you all for this opportunity.

Katie Jackson

Sixth Messenger Editor

Arts and Crafts Competition

Kara Berzelius

This year, the Arts and Crafts Competition had 70 entries with 35 different girls competing; all but 5 were pre-registered. Suggestions for next year would be to keep pre-registration open until closer to the Grand Bethel weekend—maybe a week prior—to hopefully avoid too many walk-ins. Another thought is since competing in arts and crafts is up in numbers compared to the last two years, collecting all entries Friday night upon arriving at GB so Saturday we can begin judging bright and early instead of waiting around for those final stragglers who sleep until 10:30 to turn in their entries. I think with the earlier check-in, it will be less stressful Saturday morning for the daughters and for the judges to make sure there is enough judging forms, etc. when taking account how many walk-in entries are received.

We also need to emphasize that the girls need to label their art with their name somewhere on the entry as there were quite a few that didn't have names.

A fun change we did this year, which I thought turned out to be a great idea, was presenting the ribbons on the actual pieces in the viewing room after the banquet—"fair style", so everyone could see what fabulous artwork placed. I heard girls and adults alike who thought it was such a neat idea! I also believe that we had the most traffic through that room after the banquet then we ever had.

Thank you to the judges who spent part of their time at Grand Bethel looking at the great entries—Chris Devore, Sherri Jaeger, and Nancy Berzelius—thank you so much for your time!

Thank you for the opportunity to organize this fun competition!

Arts and Crafts Competition Results

Handicrafts

Original Ceramics	1 st	Ashton #19
	1 st	Mady #17
	2 nd	Brittney #32
	3 rd	Alyna #19
Painted Ceramics 1 st		My'Eisha#53
	2 nd	Kori #32
	3 rd	Paige #32
Glasswork	1 st	Kori #32
Stuffed Animals	1 st	Brittney #32
Jewelry	1 st	Kaitze #85
	2 nd	Olivia #32
	3 rd	Jessie #17
Mixed Media	1 st	Nina #32
	1 st	Kori #32
	2 nd	Mady #17
	3 rd	Sarah #48

Needlework

Counted Cross-Stitch	1 st	Kaity #39
	2 nd	Paige #32

Picture/Media Graphics

Original Painting	1 st	Kori #32
	2 nd	Kaite #11
	3 rd	Cara #48
Painting from Kit	1 st	Kori #32
	2 nd	Tiana #17
Drawing	1 st	Sierra #76
	2 nd	Rosangela #48
	3 rd	Alyna #19
	3 rd	Nadia #19
Color Photograph	1 st	Kellie #85
	2 nd	Brittney #32
	3 rd	Rosangela #48
B&W Photograph	1 st	Nina #32
	2 nd	Kori #32
	3 rd	Kellie #85

Scrapbooks

Honored Queen/Term	1 st	Megan #39
	2 nd	Kaity #39

	3 rd	Lauren #28	Specialty (non JD)	1 st	Kellie #85
Pillows	1 st	Kaitze #85		2 nd	Kristen #28
	2 nd	Paige #32	Specialty (Do it yourself)	1 st	Zoe #28
Rugs	1 st	Kellie #85			
Finger Knitting	1 st	Ivy #28			
<u>Creative Arts</u>			<u>6th Messenger Art</u>		
Made From Pieces	1 st	Brittney #32	Job's Daughter Art	1 st	Kori #32
Basket Weaving	1 st	Ivy #28	Miscellaneous Art	1 st	Kori #32

2012 Grand Bethel Baking Competition

For the 2012 Grand Bethel Baking Competition I received 48 entries. This year we added Category 6 Adults. I really enjoyed getting to see what the girls and adults like to bake. Every entry was delicious and I am thankful for being given this opportunity. Below is who placed in each category.

Ages 10-14 Ages 15-19 Category 1 Cakes Sub category A- Sheet/Layer/Bundt 1st: Sophie Anderson #76 1st: Mary Kipp #39
2nd: Olivia Taylor #32 2nd: Nina Volk #32 3rd: Tiana Moore #17, Jamie T. #48 3rd: Sierra Bieniek #76

Sub category B- Pan Bars/Cupcakes

1st Savanna Harris #17
1st Marilyn Benn #11
2nd Bailey B. #48
2nd Melissa Van Cleve #32
3rd Alyna Peterson #19
3rd Jena Muntifering #11

Category 2 – Cookies Sub Category B-Drop Ball

1st Emily Miller #17, Kori Hennebry #32
1st Sara Golder #48, Jenifer Weyer #11
2nd Nina Volk #32
3rd Nika Kingdon #48

Category 3- Pastries

1st Karen Ketola #76
1st Shavonia Jones #53
3rd Olivia Taylor #32

Category 4 Snacks Sub Category A- Cereal/Cracker/Pretzel

1st Lauren Duncan #17

Category 5 – Candy Sub Category A- Hard Candy-

2nd Marissa Beauchane #32

Sub Category B- Soft Candy

1st Lauren Duncan #17
2nd Marietta Herrera#48

Category 6- Adults

1st Teresa Jensen #28, Beth Bohlmann #32
2nd Kellie Sebersen #85
3rd Kellie Sebersen #85

Camp 2011

Beth Bohlmann

I had the pleasure, and I do mean pleasure, of serving as the Camp Chairman this past year. Camp was held on August 19-21st, 2011 at Camp Lake Hubert in Brainerd, MN. The camp was decorated with the theme of North Pole. Many adults assisted me on Wednesday night in preparation for the Members and Adults to arrive the next day.

Many of the usual camp activities were held. This year we brought back the bonfire, tried tug of war on the first day, moved canoe races to Saturday morning, and there was a tour of cabins to see the wonderful decorations that the Bethel had done. It was my partner, Tim's, vision to have a real life Indian lead the Daughters for wishing on the water. Tim arranged for his friend, Cy to attend camp, speak of the Native American traditions and lead the Daughters to the canoe beach. Although Tim was unable to be there in body, I sensed his presence that night while standing on the beach.

The cost for Camp was \$130.00 per camper; this cost was due in part to the generous donation from the MN Job's Daughters Foundation and the Grand Lodge of MN. Had we not received their donations, the cost per camper would have been around \$190.00. The Camp books were turned over to the Finance Committee on September 9, 2011 for audit. The Finance Committee found the books in order. The Camp Checkbook was turned over to Clare Haugen Grand Secretary at the October 7th, 2011 Executive Council Meeting.

I was extremely fortunate to have an outstanding camp staff that helped to make things run so smoothly for myself and the campers. We would not be able to offer the Job's Daughters Camp without all of the volunteers. I would also like to thank the adults and members of Bethel #32 for all of their hard work; I am blessed to have such an amazing Bethel!

I have attached a copy of the schedule and the list of the Camp Staff to this report.

Camp Staff

AREA	Person in Charge	Bethel
4 Wheeler	Mike Hennebry	32
Bingo	Jeannie Whetstone	1
Bon Fire	Ward Gillett	32
Cabin Check In/Out	Joy Erickson	32
Cabin Decorating	Joy Erickson	32
Camp Store	Deb Niederhaus	39
Canoe Beach	Mike Hennebry	32
Chapel	Bethel #32 & #76	32 & 76
Cookie Decorating	Katie Jackson	76
Craft Cabin	Barb Kroshus	32
Decorations	D Hennebry (Lead)	32
Donners Dance Off	D Hennebry (Lead)	32
Flag Raising/Lowering	Bethel #32 & #76	32 & 76
Gingerbread Houses	Pam Leech	76
Golden Santa	Megan Coon	32
Karokee	Shawn Torrance	76
Low Ropes	Wanda Thompson (Lead)	16
North Pole News	Emily Niederhaus	39
Nurse	Joanie Peterson	41
Nurse	Lisa Ketola	76
Polar Plunge	Teresa Jensen	28
Registration	DeAnna Hennebry	32
Sand Sculptures	Jackie Benn	11
Secret Bethels	Kjersten Berzellius	16
Secretary	Lynnae Thomspen	16
Security	Cliff Isley	9
Skit Night	GBHQ Kellie & Miss MNJD Kellie	76 & 85
Snow Mail	Kjersten Berzellius	16
Sports	Angela Lane	76
Star Gazing	Larry Jensen	41
Tug of War	Megan Peterson	9
Unnature Trail	Angela Lane	76
Volunteer Sign Up	Carol Gillett	32
Water Front	Megan Peterson	9
Water Weenie	Jr. Miss MNJD	85
Wishing Adults	Toni Murray	1
Wishing Canoes	Ward Gillett	32
Wishing Singers	Sue Goebel & Jan Carlson	93
Wreath Judging	Joy Erickson & Anita Florest	32 & 19

JOB'S DAUGHTERS CAMP SCHEDULE - DAILY
2011 "NORTH POLE" CAMP

TO ACHIEVE THE BEST POSSIBLE CAMP EXPERIENCE,
 WE ENCOURAGE EVERYONE TO THE EVENTS LISTED ON THIS SCHEDULE.
 ITEMS THAT ARE IN BOLD (MEALS, FLAG RAISING & LOWERING) REQUIRE YOUR ATTENDANCE.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 18, 2011

<u>TIME</u>	<u>ACTIVITY</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
9:00	GATES OPEN	ENTRANCE
9:00-11:30	REGISTRATION	SR. LODGE

12:00		FLAG RAISING		FLAG POLE
12:30		LUNCH		JR. LODGE
1:30		NEW CAMPER ORIENTATION		JR LODGE DECK
		UMPIRES MEETING		SR LODGE SKIT DECK
1:30-3:00		GINGERBREAD HOUSES & BINGO		SR. LODGE INSIDE
1:30-3:00		CRAFTS		BASS LAKE CRAFT CABIN
1:30-3:00		SWIMMING		WATERFRONT
1:30-3:00		CANOEING & SAND SCULPTURE		CANOE BEACH
1:30-5:45		STORE OPEN		
3:00-5:00		TUG OF WAR		WATERFRONT
5:30		DINNER BELL WARNING		
6:00		DINNER		JR LODGE
7:15-11:00		STORE OPEN		
7:30-8:30		SOFTBALL		UPPER & LOWER FIELDS
9:00-10:30		BONFIRE		BONFIRE AREA
11:00		TO CABINS		
11:30		LIGHTS OUT		

FRIDAY AUGUST 19, 2011

<u>TIME</u>		<u>ACTIVITY</u>		<u>LOCATION</u>
7:00		POLAR BEAR SWIM		WATERFRONT
7:30		WAKE UP BELL		
8:30		BREAKFAST		JR LODGE
9:30-12:00		GINGERBREAD HOUSES & BINGO		SR. LODGE INSIDE
9:30-12:00		CRAFTS		BASS LAKE CRAFT CABIN
9:30-12:00		SWIMMING		WATERFRONT
9:30-12:00		CANOEING		CANOE BEACH
9:30-11:30		VOLLEYBALL		VOLLEYBALL COURTS
9:30-12:15		STORE OPEN		
12:00		WARNING BELL		
12:30		LUNCH		JR. LODGE
1:45-2:45		WREATH & CABIN JUDGING		
1:45-3:30		SAND SCULPTURE		CANOE BEACH
1:45-3:45		SOFTBALL		UPPER & LOWER FIELDS

1:45-4:30		CRAFTS		BASS LAKE CRAFT CABIN
1:45-4:30		SWIMMING		WATERFRONT
1:45-4:30		CANOEING		CANOE BEACH
1:45-4:30		GINGERBREAD HOUSES		SR. LODGE INSIDE
1:45-5:45		STORE OPEN		
4:30		MEET FOR TOUR OF CABINS		JR LODGE DECK
4:40-5:30		TOUR OF CABINS		AROUND CAMP
5:30		DINNER BELL WARNING		
6:00		DINNER		JR LODGE
7:30		SKIT NIGHT		SR LODGE DECK
9:30		STAR GAZING		CANOE BEACH
9:00-11:00		STORE OPEN		
11:00		TO CABINS		
11:30		LIGHTS OUT		

SATURDAY, AUGUST 20, 2011

<u>TIME</u>	<u>ACTIVITY</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
7:00	POLAR BEAR SWIM	WATERFRONT
7:30	WAKE UP BELL	
8:30	BREAKFAST	JR LODGE
9:30-11:30	CANOE RACES	CANOE BEACH
9:30-11:30	SWIMMING	WATERFRONT
9:30-11:30	BINGO	SR LODGE INSIDE
9:30-12:00	COOKIE DECORATING	SR LODGE INSIDE
9:30-12:15	STORE OPEN	
12:00	WARNING BELL	
12:30	LUNCH/PICNIC	UPPER FIELD
1:45-3:30	LOW ROPES	LOW ROPES COURSE
1:45-3:30	VOLLEYBALL	VOLLEYBALL COURTS
1:45-3:30	OPEN CANOEING	CANOE BEACH
1:45-3:30	GINGERBREAD HOUSES	SR. LODGE INSIDE
1:45-3:30	SAND SCULPTURES	CANOE BEACH
1:45-4:45	SOFTBALL/KICKBALL	UPPER & LOWER FIELDS
1:45-5:00	CRAFTS	BASS LAKE & SR LODGE

1:45-5:00		SWIMMING	WATERFRONT
1:45-5:45		STORE OPEN	
3:45-5:30		ADULT ROUNDTABLE	SR LODGE Skit Stage
5:30		DINNER BELL WARNING	
6:00		BANQUET/HIDEOUS HOLIDAY ATTIRE	JR LODGE
7:00-8:45		STORE OPEN	
7:00-8:30		REINDEER GAMES	UPPER FIELD
9:00		CHAPEL	SR LODGE Skit Stage
IMMEDIATELY AFTER CHAPEL		WISHING ON THE WATER	CANOE BEACH
10:30-11:30		KARAOKE	STORE AREA
10:30-11:30		STORE OPEN	
11:30		IN CABINS	
12:00		LIGHTS OUT	

Conditions of the Bethels

March 12, 2012- May 2012

Beth Bohlmann Acting Grand Guardian

Bethel #1: The Council and Members work well together, they have a strong council but are in need of new members.

Bethel #9: Meets regularly, with the average number of girls attending is 10. They continue to raise money for HIKE.

Bethel #11: The Daughters are progressing along with their memory work and the learning of the Ritual. They have a good attitude even though the Daughters do not visit from other Bethels for Friendships or programs. This Bethel travels but no other Bethels return for a visit.

Bethel #13: The little Bethel that could is coming along nicely. They have added new council members and are working on gaining new members.

Bethel #16: Has grown leaps and bound this year and with just a few more things to check off the to do list, they should be able to come out of reorganization this next year!

Bethel #17: Continues to do well, they are one of the largest Bethels in the state.

Bethel #19: Are growing and are in hopes of coming out of reorganization in the upcoming year.

Bethel #28: Bethel #28 is a very young, energetic Bethel, whose average age is about 12-years old. They have a hunger to learn all they can about Job's Daughters and want to do a good job. They have a very dedicated group of council members, and quite a few of the new initiate's parents are PHQ's. Many of them are going to be on the council for 2012-2013. They work diligently with their daughters to learn their parts, square corners and floor work.

Bethel #32: Has added new members this year, they have a strong council. They have been active in the community this year along with their Masonic Family.

Bethel #39: Is one of our larger Bethels, they are working on effective communication and will soar once this has been achieved

Bethel #41: Is struggling to get Bethel and Council Members, they have not been holding regular meetings, but are hopeful that the new term will bring new members!

Bethel #48: This year has been a learning year for the Council and the girls. They are struggling with their membership numbers but with their Jobie to Bee Program they have a bright future.

Bethel #53: The remainder of the Bethel Guardian Council was assigned in late January, the girls continue well with their Ritual parts. They have initiated some new members this past year.

Bethel #76: Has very supportive and positive adult working with the Bethel. The members are working hard to learn their parts for their meetings. Bylaws, record and cash books are in order.

Bethel #85: Has wonderful participation by the daughters at the meetings. They need both Bethel and Council Members.

Bethel #93: Has had a few struggles this year, but the daughters have been doing a wonderful job with their memory work. Even though this Bethel is small in size their enthusiasm is huge!

**Cookbook Fundraiser Report
Clare Haugen**

Income	\$846.00
Expenses	\$269.63
Profit	\$567.37

All Cookbooks Have Been Sold.

**Daughter HIKE Coordinator
Mary Kipp #39**

Over the year I have raised \$246 dollars from selling car decals, JDI Silly Bandz, and silent auction items. Specifically for Fall Inn I made \$58 dollars by selling car decals and JDI Silly Bandz. Grand Bethel I made \$87 dollars by selling car decals, and 5 silent auction items. Plus also at Grand Bethel we held Snack for HIKE where \$101 dollars were raised by everybody who participated. For camp I will be bringing back the HIKE jail but it will instead be the wicked witch's castle. I thank you for the opportunity to serve the state of Minnesota as Daughter HIKE coordinator. This has been a wonderful experience for me to help the state and raise awareness for HIKE.

Fall Inn - made \$58 for selling car decals and JDI Silly Bandz
Grand Bethel - made \$87 selling a car decal and 5 silent auction items
Snack for HIKE - \$101

**Directory
Jean Shepersky**

The directory this year was again created from the access database file that was started in 2005. Each year, I am adding more people to this database, and I have been trying to get everyone to update their information annually. Because of family problems this year, I was unable to ask everyone to update their database information. Maps and directions to the Bethels were again included on each Bethel's page, as were directions and maps to the locations for state-wide events. Again this year were blank "notes" pages for you to write on and the CAV Names/Expiration Dates list effective at the time of printing.

Because the directory is for the use of the Grand Guardian Council and Bethel Councils, the media release information does not apply. We did, however, honor your requests if you did not want some of your information printed in the directory. This database has been made available to the executive line to use for planning purposes, and I believe it has become a very valuable tool for them.

Again and yet again, I am still noticing that even though we ask that no mail be sent to the Bethels, mail is still going to the Bethels instead of the Bethel Guardians-please talk to anyone who sends out mail to make sure it goes to the correct addresses.

This year, 104 directories, with 54 pages printed on both sides, were printed by me on my home copier. I also did the binding. Thank you to Malton Electric Company, Virginia, MN, for the use of their binding machine. The total printing/binding costs were \$175.94, which is an approximate cost of \$1.69 each. The directories sold for \$7.00 each. One free copy was given to each Bethel. The directories were not ready to be distributed at camp because of CAV certifications not approved in time. They were distributed at the Area Conference/Executive meeting held at Bethel #41, St. Louis Park, on Saturday, September 10, 2011 and by Clare Haugen-thank you Clare!!

Thank you to GG Wanda and AGG Jimmy for the appointment to this committee.

**Education Report
Larry Jensen**

To the Acting Grand Guardian Beth, Associate Grand Guardian Jimmy, Grand Guardian Council, members and friends.

This is the report of the Education Committee. The Committee met on March 17th to discuss and determine the available scholarships. We had 5 applicants this year. All 5 daughters met or exceeded the criteria that the Scholarship Committee had set in its applications. The committee is very proud of these daughters and feels it is a testimony to the caliber of daughters that this

organization has. The committee was proud to award scholarships to each of these applicants. This year's recipients were: Kellie Seberson, Melissa Van Cleve, Sarah Jensen, Mariah Benn and Anne Burlingame.

Based on the funds that were raised through the Three Way Split, it is the recommendation by the Education Committee that 2012-2013 GGC Scholarship Fund be set at \$1,200.

I would like to thank fellow Education Committee members, PGG Gayle Johnson, PGG Pam Leech and PAGG John Murray for their assistance and time. I would also like to say a special thank you to Grand Secretary Clare Haugen for her help in sending out letters and handling payment of our Education Loans.

As Education Committee Chairman and on behalf of the members of this committee, we would like to thank Acting Grand Guardian Beth Bohlman, Associate Grand Guardian Jimmy Harris and Wanda Thompson for their support in allowing us this opportunity to serve this committee.

Family Event Report
M'Lyse Haugen

There were 9 Bethel's who submitted Family Event reports from 2011-12 by the February 15th deadline: Bethels # 1, 11, 16, 17, 32, 48, 65, 85 and 93. The Grand Guardian's Project, Suicide Awareness, and the Grand Bethel Honored Queen's Project, Toys for Tots, each received a check in the amount of \$450.00 from the Grand Lodge of Minnesota. Thank you Bethel's for writing up your Family Events and to the Grand Lodge for the financial contribution to our Projects! Also, thank you to Wanda Thompson for asking me to coordinate the Family Events this year.

Finance Report
Dorothy Fuller

	EXPENSES AS OF MAY 31, 2012				PROPOSED
	CATEGORY	BUDGET	DISBURSED	BALANCE	2012-2013
1	GG & Deputy Travel	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 520.40	\$ 1,479.60	\$ 3,500.00
2	GG Supreme Session Expenses	\$ 650.00	\$ 650.00	\$ -	\$ 1,250.00
3	GG Office Expenses	\$ 200.00	\$ 75.00	\$ 125.00	\$ 200.00
4	AGG Travel	\$ 600.00		\$ 600.00	
5	AGG Supreme Session Expenses	\$ 650.00	\$ 650.00	\$ -	
6	PGG Jewel	\$ 200.00		\$ 200.00	\$ 50.00
7	PAGG Jewel	\$ 150.00		\$ 150.00	\$ 150.00
8	GS Office Rent	\$ 3,500.00	\$ 3,500.00	\$ -	\$ 4,000.00
9	GS Office Expenses	\$ 1,600.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ (400.00)	\$ 2,000.00
10	GS Equipment Maint. Accrual	\$ -		\$ -	
11	Form 990 Tax Preparation	\$ 1,750.00	\$ 1,666.10	\$ 83.90	\$ 1,750.00
12	Grand Treasurer Office Rent	\$ 599.00	\$ 599.00	\$ -	
13	Grand Treasurer Postage/Telephone	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00	\$ -	\$ 100.00
14	Grand Treasurer Safe Deposit Box	\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00	\$ -	\$ 20.00
15	Printing Directories	\$ 200.00	\$ 175.94	\$ 24.06	\$ 350.00
16	Per Capita/GB Dues/Insurance	\$ 7,500.00	\$ 7,284.79	\$ 215.21	\$ 7,500.00
17	Supreme Visit	\$ 200.00	\$ 163.70	\$ 36.30	\$ 306.00
18	GGC Installation/Reception	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00	\$ -	\$ 200.00
19	Father Job/Mother Mick	\$ 300.00		\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00
20	Committee Expenses	\$ 700.00	\$ 143.75	\$ 556.25	\$ 700.00
21	Executive Meetings	\$ 700.00	\$ 421.00	\$ 279.00	\$ 500.00
22	Miscellaneous Expenses	\$ 250.00	\$ 155.12	\$ 94.88	\$ 150.00
23	Miss MNJD/Supreme Pageant	\$ 250.00	\$ 250.00	\$ -	\$ 250.00
24	Miss MNJD/Registration/AS SGC	\$ 55.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 5.00	\$ 55.00
25	* Miss MNJD Supreme Expenses	\$ 700.00	\$ 700.00	\$ -	\$ 700.00
26	Miss MNJD Name Badge	\$ 10.00		\$ 10.00	\$ 10.00
27	Miss MNJD/Lodg, Reg Banq/AS GGC	\$ 75.00	\$ 75.00	\$ -	\$ 75.00
28	Miss MNJD Fall Inn Registration	\$ 110.00		\$ 110.00	\$ 115.00
29	Miss MNJD Tack/Charm (Past)	\$ 200.00	\$ 174.00	\$ 26.00	\$ 200.00
30	MN Charities Re-Registration	\$ 25.00	\$ 25.00	\$ -	\$ 25.00
31	Website	\$ 15.00	\$ 12.99	\$ 2.01	\$ 25.00
32	Adult Training/YPP	\$ 650.00	\$ 261.01	\$ 388.99	\$ 500.00
33	Bethel Reorganization	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 319.39	\$ 1,680.61	\$ 1,500.00
34	ScottishRiteBldg&MuseumFound.Inc.	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00	\$ -	\$ 300.00
35	ASGGC - PROPERTY STORAGE				\$ 350.00
	TOTAL	\$ 26,659.00	\$ 20,692.19	\$ 5,966.81	\$ 27,131.00
	(20) Jurisprudence Committee (10-11)				
	\$22.00				
	*(25) Assist with Expenses 2012				

INCOME AS OF MAY 31, 2012					ESTIMATED
	CATEGORY	BUDGET	RECEIVED	BALANCE	2012-2013
1	Interest and Investment Income	\$ 500.00	\$ 1,120.54	\$ 620.54	\$ 1,250.00
2	JDI Per Capita/GB Dues/Insurance	\$ 7,500.00	\$ 7,744.52	\$ 244.52	\$ 7,500.00
3	Supreme Rebate on Jewelry	\$ 250.00	\$ 617.56	\$ 367.56	\$ 250.00
4	GGC Membership Fees	\$ 1,200.00	\$ 1,200.00	\$ -	\$ 1,000.00
5	Grand Session Net Receipts	\$ 500.00	\$ 1,344.42	\$ 844.42	\$ 500.00
6	Sale of Directories	\$ 400.00	\$ 556.50	\$ 156.50	\$ 400.00
7	Special Dispensations	\$ 125.00	\$ 225.00	\$ 100.00	\$ 125.00
8	Inventory Sales/GS Office	\$ 50.00		\$ (50.00)	\$ 1,000.00
9	Yearbook 2011/2012 Net Receipts	\$ 2,000.00		\$ (2,000.00)	
10	GG's Special Projects-Cups&Backpacks	\$ 300.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 700.00	\$ 100.00
11	Money Raffle Net Receipts	\$ 2,600.00	\$ 1,883.75	\$ (716.25)	\$ 1,175.00
12	Twins Game Net Receipts	\$ 1,515.00	\$ 952.20	\$ (562.80)	
13	Scripts Net Receipts	\$ 3,000.00		\$ (3,000.00)	\$ 500.00
14	Cookbook Net Receipts	\$ 300.00	\$ 576.37	\$ 276.37	
15	SnoBall Dance Net Receipts	\$ 300.00	\$ 308.57	\$ 8.57	\$ 300.00
16	Hibbing Dance Net Receipts	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,105.81	\$ 105.81	\$ 2,000.00
17	Misc. Income/Donations	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 8,184.31	\$ 5,184.31	\$ 3,000.00
18	PreviousGG/DepTravelRefund (11-12)	\$ 400.00		\$ (400.00)	
19	PreviousGG/DepTravelRefund (10-11)			\$ (400.00)	\$ 400.00
20	SolicitationofLodges&Chapters 12-13				\$ 2,700.00
21	Alumni Donations 12-13				\$ 1,000.00
22	GG'sSpec.Proj.-GS GarageSale 12-13				\$ 1,000.00
23	Tables DuJour 12-13				\$ 3,000.00
	TOTAL	\$ 25,940.00	\$ 27,819.55	\$ 1,879.55	\$ 27,200.00
	Lines 9, 12, 14 to be Removed 2012-2013				
	Unbudgeted Warrants				
	(5)* Warrants already deducted from Grand Session Net Receipts				
	(5)* Warrant #11 Pam Anderson - GS Expenses	\$ 150.87			
	(5)* Warrant #12 Carol Gillett - GS Refund	\$ 10.00			
	(5)* Warrant #13 Linda Harmon - GS Refund	\$ 110.00			
	(5)* Warrant #15 HolidayInnAlex-GS Hotel Bill	\$ 2,533.97			
	(5)* Warrant #93 CornerstoneCopyCenter-Printing 2011 Proceedings	\$ 337.66			
	Warrant #46 Beth Bohimann - Mileage Pickup Remaining Para from Closed Bethel #26	\$ 26.80			
	(10)* Warrant #69 Wanda Thompson - Cost of Cups and Backpacks	\$ 1,004.57	(10)* Expenses	\$ 1,004.57	
			(10)* Income	\$ 1,000.00	
	(14)* Warrant #88 Wanda Thompson - Cookbook Expenses	\$ 269.63	(14)* Income	\$ 846.00	
			(14)* Expenses	\$ 269.63	
	(5)** Warrant #78 Jean Shepersky - Printing 2008-2009 Proceedings	\$ 102.03			
	Grand Session 2009 Adjusted Net Receipts	\$ 516.23			

EXPENSES AS OF MAY 31, 2012					PROPOSED
	CATEGORY	BUDGET	DISBURSED	BALANCE	2012-2013
1	MissMNJD Promotion Travel/Activities	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00	\$ -	\$ 300.00
2	Spirit Awards Certificates	\$ 25.00		\$ 25.00	\$ 25.00
3	Miscellaneous Promotion	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 509.50	\$ 490.50	\$ 500.00
4	\$50 Per Bethel Promotion Event	\$ -	\$ 50.00	\$ (50.00)	\$ -
5	Plus Five	\$ 50.00		\$ 50.00	\$ -
6	JD2B Program	\$ 300.00		\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00
	TOTAL	\$ 1,675.00	\$ 859.50	\$ 815.50	\$ 1,125.00
	Lines 4 & 5 to be removed 2012-2013				
INCOME AS OF MAY 31, 2012					ESTIMATED
	CATEGORY	BUDGET	RECEIVED	BALANCE	2012-2013
1	Donations	\$ 500.00	\$ 695.10	\$ 195.10	\$ 500.00
2	Bethels' 3 Way Split	\$ 1,300.00	\$ 1,220.85	\$ (79.15)	\$ 1,300.00
	TOTAL	\$ 1,800.00	\$ 1,915.95	\$ 115.95	\$ 1,800.00

**Job's Daughters Foundation of Minnesota
M'Lyse Haugen, PBG #1, Trustee**

The Job's Daughters Foundation of Minnesota has met its goal of assisting Minnesota Job's Daughters and their activities during 2011-12.

A total of \$15,000 was given to the Camp Fund to reduce the cost of camper registration (daughters and adults) for Camp in 2011. The Foundation contributed \$5,000, applied for a \$5,000 matching grant from MN Masonic Charities, and requested \$5,000 from the Grand Lodge. The same totals have been budgeted for 2012.

Continued support was provided for the Sixth Messenger, which is provided free of charge to each member in the state and mailed to her home. JD You was again supported by the grant the Foundation received in 2006 from MN Masonic Charities. There is \$2,467 remaining to use for future JD You sessions.

The first Annual fundraising social event, "Mostly Minnesota Renaissance", was held on October 29, 2011 at the Paul Revere Masonic Center. Delicious food and beverages were enjoyed and the silent auction was a success. Everyone had a great time and the Foundation is in the planning stages for the next event.

Income from the Lodges, OES Chapters and Individual contributions has remained steady. The Foundation is looking to increase the number of Century Club participants in addition to increasing United Way contributions by GGC members and other supporters. A Facebook page was set up for the Foundation and the Board is diligently working on establishing a website. Along with launching the website, new contribution vehicles are being considered including PayPal and credit card donations.

**Grand Bethel Guardian
Deb Niederhaus**

Acting Grand guardian, AGG, Member and friends;
I'm reporting today about the Grand Bethel of MN. It was my great pleasure to serve as GBG this past year. I started this report about ten times, not really know how to explain what happens during the year.

Nothing in this world is more important to me than my family, and all things that they are involved in. The grand Bethel of Minnesota holds a special place in my heart. It was there that I have built lifelong friendships that I still hold very close to me. I was very excited when Amanda asked Al and I to serve as the Guardians'. Not knowing that my daughter Jackie would be picked for GBSP. This just added one more small challenge to an ever changing group of beautiful young women that sometimes need guidance to and ever changing world that we all know and love. We all know that our Jobie world has it's ups and downs. It's smiles and tears. It's challenges and frustrations, and of course all our rules.

Grand Bethel HQ Kellie Jackson did a good job this past year presiding over her fun event, GB fall inn and GB session. I told Kellie on more than one occasion, that the Grand Bethel was hers to run and that we were here to help her, to advise her, and to assist her. Kellie had great help with the wonderful people that made up the GB council. The Grand Bethel only happens because of the hours and hours these terrific women give of themselves to make the girls shine. My job was easy. All the thanks go to Lynnea, Deb, Lisa and M'Lyse for your countless times you made it happen for Kellie and all the GB girls.

I had the pleasure to travel to Duluth, where it was cold, get stuck in and snow storm. I also drove for what seemed like hours thought Iowa, in the fog, and countless miles with girls being girls, with them giggling and talking endlessly. Those are the memories that I take with me.

Like I said, this report was difficult for me to write. My focus was to only share the positives that come from our beautiful order. We all need to remember that we are here for the girls. It's their order. We are here to guide and advise them, and help them make this order what they want it to be, not what we think it should be

Please note, not once during this report, have I referred to myself as a Leader, I held a leadership role. If we, and I think the majority of the people in this room would agree, if we really and truly want this to be a "Girls Organization" then we must let them lead it. This must start with us as Adult volunteers.

CAV stands for Certified Adult Volunteer. Not Certified Adult Leader

We need to stop referring to ourselves as "Leaders" and truly letting the Girls LEAD their organization. We must as adults be there to Guide them, Assist them, nurture them, Mentor them, and most importantly we must provide an example and follow the teachings of our order.

This means when we make a mistake, we must stand up and say, I am sorry, I was wrong. The girls will soon forget the mistake, but respect you for admitting it, and they will learn it is OK to make mistakes.

When asked by a Daughter in a leadership role to do something, or not do something, then we must follow the wishes of that Daughter, she is the leader. Not following the wishes of a Daughter in a leadership role is a direct slap in the face of that Daughter. You just told her, her wishes are meaningless.

We must put aside our egos, and our personal agendas and work towards the common goal, making Job's Daughters the premier organization in which the Fairest in the Land, can grow into the future leaders of our order, our community, and our Nation.

Therefore, in conclusion, if I ever have the opportunity to work with a Bethel Council, or a committee of the GGC or GBGC, I will not refer to myself as an Adult Leader of a youth organization, I will refer to myself as a Youth Mentor, or Youth Advisor. And I would encourage you all to do the same.

Thank you for the opportunity to work with the girls this year and serve as GBG.

Grand Bethel Honored Queen, 2010-2011 Kellie Jackson

Over the last 2 years of my life I have opened and closed a very important chapter in my life; the opportunity I had being Grand Bethel Honored Queen 2011- 2012. This experience has shown me so many things about myself as well as Job's Daughters that I think I may not have had the chance to see if it not for my name being called out on my 9 year in Job's Daughters Anniversary in April 2010. I learned so much and made so many new memories and I am very thankful for it.

Since my days as GBSP I visited many Bethels, Chapter events for both the OES and DeMolay in Minnesota, Lodge Installations, and Amaranth Grand Court. During all of my visits I met new people, made new friends, gave remarks and raised money not only for the Minnesota Job's Daughters but also for my service project for the year. Thank you to everyone that helped raise money or donated toys to Toys for tots this year. I was so ecstatic that we had the opportunity to be on Kare 11 and give over 300 toys that night. Every little bit helps. We donated over 300 toys and over \$50 in giftcards. As I mentioned before I have opened and close a very important chapter in my life. There are only so many opportunities presented in a persons life and I am delighted that I had the chance to live out this one and that I get to add it to my completed list. The things I have learned and the experiences I went through were well worth my time and effort that I put into this order. I will always remember the lessons and friendships that I made along the way.

Here is a list of my travels during the year.

- 12 Bethels
- 10 MNJD State Events including GB, Fall inn, Camp, GGC Session, JD you, Exemplifications, Memorial Day at Acacia, GB Summer Fun Event and Sno-Ball
- 10 DeMolay State and Chapter functions (not counting all the chapter Meetings)

- 5 Masonic Events including pancake breakfasts and Grand Lodge
- 1 OES Grand Chapter
- 1 Supreme Session in St. Louis MO.
- 1 Amaranth Grand Court

In the end I traveled 11,108. I would like to say thank you again to everyone that helped make this last year of my life possible. Without the daughters and adults support and the adults driving and chaperoning everywhere this last year would not have been possible for me. Thank you all again for everything you have done in the last year and for your support.

Grand Bethel Honored Queen 2011-2012

Jackie Niederhaus

Acting GG, AGG, GGC, Family and friends

I have only been in office for a few months and so far I have learned a lot, about the order, and about myself. And as Mr. Feeny from the show Boy Meets world always said “every day teaches us something new”. I still have a long way to go and a lot to learn. At the beginning of my year I made a list of charges for myself, some of them are the same as every other PGBHQ such as go to every bethel at least once, be a good role model for the girls. However, as I am the third GBHQ in my family, and have been around for a while I have seen a lot of girls in action and created charges for myself that are different. I want to make the girls voices heard, I want to make the GB feel like a regular a bethel with regular communications and with the officers to have an opinion in the activities that are planned by the GB. I am making my line hold more responsibility, as they are able to. I want to create events that girls of the state want to come to, to pull registration at state events up. “Things Change... and that’s a good thing”. I hope to make a difference in this state. I know that I will hit a bump or two but I have people who people who believe in me and great start to my year that I am going to keep building on. My motto for this year is one voice makes a difference, and I hope to make this happen. Believe in yourself, Dream, try, do good.
Thank you

GRAND BETHEL GUARDIAN TREASURER'S REPORT		2011-2012		
Submitted by Debra Sigsbee				
Bank Balance Forward (4/30/11) - Wells Fargo			\$5,839.31	\$6,173.01
Funds Balance Forward - Oppenheimer			\$5,500.00	
Total Balance Forward			\$11,339.31	
Designated Funds at Start of Year:				
Cape Fund			\$960.00	
Crown Fund			\$485.00	
Paraphernalia Fund			\$350.00	
		RECEIPTS	WARRANTS	EXCESS
				LOSS
<i>Grand Bethel Fun Event</i>				
		\$290.63	\$222.08	
Total		\$290.63	\$222.08	\$68.55
				\$0.00
<i>Grand Bethel Fall Inn - Cragun's-2011</i>				
Registration Fees		\$0.00		
GGC-#28 pd JDU and FI registration together		\$705.00		
Cragun's			\$35.00	
GBHQ Hotel & Registration Reimburse			\$103.13	
Cert of Participation/GB Pins			\$108.00	
Supplies			\$56.00	
Room Damage		\$0.00		
Postage			\$0.00	
Decorations			\$100.00	
Total		\$705.00	\$402.13	\$302.87
<i>Grand Bethel - Cragun's 2012</i>				
Cragun's 2011 refund \$5/person registration		\$16,292.00	\$16,457.11	
Decorations		\$655.00	\$0.00	
Name Tag			\$100.00	
Copies, paper, ink			\$4.29	
Rep Postage			\$126.11	
Flowers				
Three New Sashes and Cleaning				
Cert of Participation/GB Pins				
Postage			\$0.00	
Special Ceremony-Food/Flowers		\$10.00	\$35.34	
New GBHQ Installation Exp			\$0.00	
GB Officer Binders, Supplies & Medallions		\$40.00	\$44.61	
Total		\$16,997.00	\$16,767.46	\$229.54

<i>Exemplifications</i>				
Bethel 39 (10/9/11) food		\$123.70		
Bethel 28 (11/18 & 11/19) sleepover & food	\$144.76	\$341.46		
Total	\$144.76	\$465.16		\$(320.40)
	RECEIPTS	WARRANTS	EXCESS	LOSS
Dues - 2012	\$1,210.00			
GBHQ Project 2011-2012	\$183.26	\$241.26		
2011-2012 GB shirts	\$426.00	\$554.00		\$(128.00)
Flashdrive, pencil case sales	\$96.00			
Zuhrah Shrine Horsemen Donation	\$0.00	\$300.00		
Dry Cleaning		\$0.00		
GBHQ Supreme Trip Expenses (refunds)	\$0.00	\$425.00		
HIKE Flag	\$0.00	\$55.00		
Updated Ritual, Music Ritual & Proficiency		\$19.55		
Crown Repair & Jewel Setting		\$0.00		
Flag poles and stands		\$224.45		
Crown Replacement		\$0.00		
Altar Cloth Fabric		\$17.89		
PGBHQ Pin	\$0.00	\$0.00		
Total	\$1,915.26	\$1,837.15		\$78.11
MIOJD & SBHQ Camp				
Multi-state food purchase-camp committee	\$69.93			
Multi-state plaque for Scottish Rite		\$54.61		
Multi-state 2012 in Illinois	\$200.00	\$200.00		
Check Printing		\$0.00		
Supreme Amendments				
GGC Supplies		\$3.00		
Misc Office Supplies		\$8.26		
Postage				
Wells Fargo Service Fee				
Copier Toner		\$0.00		
Returned Check replacement	\$0.00	\$0.00		
Annual Filing Fee		\$25.00		
Annual Filing and IRS copies and mailing		\$4.13		
Savings/Oppenheimer Dividend	\$0.10			
Total	\$270.03	\$295.00		\$(24.97)
4/30/11 Balance Forward	\$5,839.31			
2011- 2012 Total Receipts	\$20,322.68			
2011 - 2012 Total Warrants		\$19,988.98		
Balance in Bank (6/1/12) - Wells Fargo			\$6,173.01	
Balance in Funds - Oppenheimer			\$5,500.00	
Total Grand Bethel Funds			\$11,673.01	
Transfer to:				
Cape Fund		\$60.00		
Crown Fund		\$40.00		
Paraphernalia Fund		\$25.00		
Crown Fund Deduction		\$0.00		
Designated Funds:				
Cape Fund		\$1,020.00		
Crown Fund		\$525.00		
Paraphernalia Fund		\$375.00		
Transfer completed for 2011-2012 Year				
Available Balance			\$9,753.01	

Grand Outer Guard

Emilio Munoz

About this time last year I was asked to join the line. I learned quite a bit. Even though I've been around Jobs since 1995. Last year actually enlighten me quite a bit to the different requirements and so forth, that I thought I knew most of them, but in fact I did not. Anyway I educated myself somewhat I know a lot more than this time last year. I thank you so serving as GOG one of my duties work out with the Father Job and Mother Mick. I did have some requests that I would like to applaud the ladies that served as Mother Mick. They did a wonderful contribution and dedication and lots of traveling, especially during inclement weather and they really support the girls. There was a total of 4 actual requests for Mother Mick and 1 for Father Job. Amongst them, what I was really impressed by that some of the girls actually did the requesting themselves. I was invited to see that they took the job on themselves because they carry on the process rather than have the adults do it for them. So I was very impressed with the girls as well. With the Bethel's it was a timely notice for the most part so it was a pleasure to do it. I currently do have we have 2 Mother Micks of course and we have 1 Father Job. I really I hope that we can get additional both Mother Micks and additional personal to fulfill these requirements. Other than that, well camp was pretty good and we have a fun raiser going on for this next camp well that of course, my own Bethel. There going to do something too me, I don't know exactly what. The other day one of my brothers gave \$50 for this fundraiser for the girls to do something to me at camp so it will be rather surprising. What is worth \$50 I don't know. I'm afraid to see what's going to happen, however, I'm sure the girls have a want it to be pretty much a fundraiser for Hike. So it's going to be pretty good if you talk to a lot of people the latest thing to contribute to of course is the Rev Up for the girls for camp for 2013 and we've got some pretty good support on that as well. We thought we would have additional support but unfortunately we have to many conflicts at that time and most of the fellows from the MMCI at least were unable to go. Well, the weather was ok, I rode back in the rain from camp on my bike and well that was interesting too. But we did have a good time and the expenses were not all that much, Jill did pull together by the time it's all over we should have a total of \$1240 in support of this endeavor. So it's a pretty successful thing. I would like to see next year that this amount be at least double for the following camp so whatever the endeavor of the people because it can happen all we have to do is spend a little bit more time and better coordination and time. So there it is my report for the most part as my computer quit.

Grand Marshal

Jill Cotton

Acting Grand Guardian, Associate Grand Guardian, Grand Guardian Council and Distinguished Guests

Here is my report for the year as Grand Marshal.

My first job as Grand Marshal was to be in charge of the Hospitality Room at Camp. Unfortunately I was unable to get the time off work. If you were at camp you saw that my daughter Joyce filled in for me. I am also part of the Camp committee.

I enjoyed taking the reservations for the CAV classes. I got to interact with new friends and talk to some old ones. Unfortunately we could not accommodate all requests. It is still a work in progress. Combining the classes with some of our larger events seemed to work well. We had classes during JDU and Snoball.

I am responsible for the Grand Guardian Councils' Flags. Unfortunately I was not given all the flags, and some disappeared for a while. Fortunately we ended up not needing the flags I did not have during Multi-State. Fortunately we have all the flags now.

My partner, the Grand Outer Guard, and I were responsible for Rev-Up for Camp-Up this year. There were fifteen of us there and plenty of hamburgers and hot dogs. One of our Jobie's-to-be caught a bass off the dock. She was very excited. We had difficulties with the gas grill and Greg Lane helped us get the charcoal grill going.

I was lucky enough to be the Deputy to Bethel 1. I really enjoyed going to their meetings, Friendships and Installations.

Of course the Grand Guardian Council Meetings were an important part of the position of Grand Marshal. Some of the meetings were difficult to get to since I work full time nights, and the rest of the Council (and world) does not. I have learned a lot this year.

Grand Inner Guard

John Jubala,

Serving on the Grand Guardian Council this past year as Grand Inner Guard has been rewarding and enjoyable.

The term started last June when I was installed as Grand Inner Guard. As my first official act, I presented our new Grand Inner Guard, Emilio Munoz, with the Golden Plunger, emblematic of that esteemed office. As much as I appreciated the honor of guarding the plunger for a whole year, it was time to give it up.

After Grand Session, the first event I attended was the Minnesota Twins baseball game at Target Field, after helping coordinate Bethel 28's visit to the game. Although the Twins lost, the Job's Daughters in attendance were invited to sing "Take Me out to the Ballgame" for the seventh inning stretch. They were featured on the giant video screen viewed by all in attendance. It made everyone's day.

Towards the end of summer we enjoyed Jobie Camp at Camp Lake Hubert. The weather was perfect and the mosquitos were nowhere to be found. At camp I served as sports coordinator which meant that I was responsible for ensuring that the required sports equipment was available for each game, and that the teams were ready to play at the assigned times. I was helped by other adults who were available to do so. I didn't even have to ask. I was impressed with the sportsmanship shown, especially by the older daughters helping the younger girls. There was great sportsmanship between the teams as well.

At Camp, one impressive event was the burning of the prayer wishes after chapel at the bon fire. We were honored to have a Native American gentleman prepare the fire and show us how to approach the fire and offer our prayers. It's important to perform the ceremony correctly as each part of the ceremony has a sacred meaning. After the bon fire the daughters continued down the path to the "Wishing on the Waters" which holds special meaning to the daughters.

On the last day of Camp, Michelle and I had our reveal for the "Wizard of Oz" Camp. We were admirably assisted by the daughters from Bethels 28, 41 and 48, and by others wishing to help.

The next major event of the term was Fall Inn at Craguns. The weather was terrific and we had a great turnout. I was very impressed with the arts and crafts that were entered. The gentlemen of the Grand line were asked to escort the daughters competing in the Miss Minnesota Job's Daughters competition, which is an honor and enjoyable.

In the winter I attended a dinner/wine tasting/auction event at Bethel 41, sponsored by the Job's Daughters Foundation, to raise money to benefit our Job's Daughters. We all had a fun time. I hope this event becomes an annual event.

The Mid-Winter Meeting, which I attended, was held at Bethel 41. The turnout and the discussion was informative

This past Spring I attended Grand Bethel at Cragun's Resort. I am always impressed with the daughters' personalities and talent. I most recently attended a Finance Committee meeting and a Jurisprudence meeting in Minneapolis. I appreciated the opportunity to be exposed to the workings of both committees. The day was topped off with a casual dinner at a local restaurant, attended by our Supreme Guardian, Bobbie Hogle, and Associate Supreme Guardian, Randy Hansen. It was nice to socialize after a full day of meetings and to get to know our Supreme officers better.

During the past year I was required to attend the regular meetings of the Grand Guardian Council. The meetings are primarily held in the Twin Cities area and in conjunction with other events. I attended all meetings but one due to family matters.

I am looking forward to the upcoming year. On June 30 I will be attending the Reinstitution of the Bethel in Farmington. I know that the adults in Farmington have worked very hard to make this happen. Several weeks ago I met with Jean Sheperski in Virginia to pick up some paraphernalia formerly of five different Iron Range Bethels. These were donated to Farmington with best wishes for a successful future.

I have made plans to attend the Supreme Session in Baltimore, Maryland this August. I'm sure it will be fun and interesting. I will be arriving back in Minnesota one week before Jobie Camp. Michelle Jensen has done a lot of work to make the camp enjoyable for everyone, so I better show up.

As I progress through the GGC line I plan to do more traveling and visiting throughout the state. I need to brush up on the Rules that govern our order as well. My wife, Gail, will be joining me when she is able to, especially on those long evening trips when my eyelids have issues with the extra weight. The Jensens have offered the Jensen Motel as an overnight stay for when I am too tired to drive. I have stayed there twice already, choosing the sofa for a bed. It's very comfy and the dogs love my company.

This past year has gone by very quickly. I am confident in the future of Job's Daughters in Minnesota. With everyone pitching in, Job's Daughters will prevail. Thank you for the opportunity to serve this beautiful order.

Grand Guide

Michelle Jensen

Acting Grand Guardian, Associate Grand Guardian and Members of the Grand Guardian Council:

Serving as Grand Guide this past year has been an honor and a privilege. I traveled to many Bethels for installations and meetings. I attended Camp, Fall In, and Grand Bethel. This year I have continued to learn and improve, in an effort to be an effective member of the Executive Grand Guardian Council.

GIG John and I have been very busy planning and getting ready for Wizard of Oz camp 2012 August 18th to 21st at Camp Lake Hubert. We hope that every one is shining up their ruby slippers and plan on attending this fun event. I know that the daughters look forward to this event and meeting up with friends from all over the state.

We have had many challenges this year that have tested this state as Job was tested. We must find a way heal and come together. If we can not work together and continue to fight amongst ourselves then we might as well close up shop now as we will not survive as an order. However I know that if we come together and work as a team we can tackle the important issues facing the state and succeed. I am excited for the year ahead and working with the talented team of adults on the Executive Grand Guardian Council as we focused on the issues that face Job's Daughters in Minnesota.

To all the adults in the state of Minnesota thank you for all you do for this order and the girls. You are the ones that are making a difference in the daughter's lives and making Job's Daughters in Minnesota work. Thank you for all your support this year.

**Vice Associate Grand Guardian
Timothy R. Dixon**

Grand Guardian, Associate Grand Guardian, Members of the Grand Guardian Council, Bethel Guardian Council members, and all others...

Being elected to serve on the Executive Committee of the Grand Guardian Council has been one of my most pleasurable duties in the Masonic Fraternity. I thoroughly enjoy being on the Executive Committee of the Grand Guardian Council. I enjoy meeting people from different parts of the country, with the same interests as mine. I enjoy seeing and participating in all of the hard work that makes the machine run smoothly.

Although this year has really been a new experience, it is also one I would not like to repeat.

At the end of February or the beginning of March I noticed a lump on the bottom of my right jaw. I visited with a doctor who gave me a prescription for penicillin, and told me to come back in three weeks to see if the lumps had gone away. When asked if I had a chance of cancer, the doctor told me that he guaranteed me that I had no chance of cancer.

When the penicillin didn't take care of the lumps, the doctor sent me to an ears, nose, and throat doctor. I had to wait till June to get in to see the ears, nose, and throat doctor. The ENT Doctor took a biopsy of my throat and said I believe you have throat cancer. The biopsy proved him correct. I asked the doctor for a referral to the Mayo Clinic, to which he agreed to.

I went to the Mayo Clinic on 15 June to have tests on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday. I was then sent home for the weekend. I was admitted to Saint Marys' Hospital at 5:00 A.M. on Monday 20 June. My operation was to be five hours long, but turned into twelve hours and 25 minutes. Most of my soft pallet, right tonsil, and part of my tongue was removed and some of the vacancy was replaced with a muscle from my right upper chest.

Second operation... After eight days the doctors agreed I needed another operation because the muscle used for transplant had died. So back I go for another bout with the surgeons, to remove the dead muscle from my neck.

Third operation... was to place a "G" tube into my stomach, replacing a tube through my nose into my stomach, so I could receive nourishment.

Fourth Operation... This time they took a muscle from my right side and stretched it up into the vacancy from the prior transplant. On 15 July... I was sent home after 26 days in hospital.

On 18 August... I started radiation therapy that continued for 33 treatments, Monday through Friday. I also had 3 treatments of chemotherapy to kill any remaining cancer cells. I continue going to speech and physical therapy.

I would like to thank the Grand Guardian Council for standing by me in my time of recovery. I would like to thank Beth Bohlmann for picking up the dropped ball (by me) while I was in hospital and recovering. Beth covered not only her job, but mine also. I would also like to thank those who came and visited me in hospital and all of the prayers said for me in my time of need I want to thank the young ladies of Jobs' Daughters, who attended North Pole camp, and sent me Christmas cards to speed my recovery, and Bethel # 13 for making me a blanket to which the young ladies said prayers for me while tying knots finishing the blanket.

Please find attached a list of the few meetings, and places I traveled during my term as Vice Associate Grand Guardian 2011-2012.

2011

9-12 June... at Alexandria MN, Grand Session, where I was elected Vice Associate Grand Guardian

17 August... at Camp Lake Hubert, Jobs' Daughters Camp, deliver sound equipment

20 August... at Camp Lake Hubert, Jobs' Daughters Camp, deliver trophies and visit.

2012

13 January... at Fargo ND, Bethel # 32 Honored Queens' Installation

15 January... at White Bear Lake MN, Bethel # 76 Honored Queens' Installation

29 January... at Saint Louis Park (Paul Revere Masonic Center) GGC meeting

18 February... at Saint Paul Scottish Rite, GGC meeting

30 March-01 April... at Brainerd, MN, I attended Grand Bethel at Craguns' Resort

12 May... at Burnsville, at Clares' H. house Finance meeting

12 May... at Bethel # 1 for Jurisprudence meeting

12 May... at Edina, Tavern on France, with Supreme members
28 May... at Acacia Cemetery Mendota Heights... Memorial Day Ceremony

Vice Grand Guardian Beth Bohlmann

This year I had the honor to serve this Grand Guardian Council as Vice Grand Guardian. I attended and participated in all Executive Grand Guardian Council Meetings that were called. I attend Supreme Session were I was able to be a voting delegate. I also planned the MN Thursday Night Dinner, which was well attended by our delegation.

This year was a year for me to continue to become even more familiar with the Laws of our order, the Bethel Guardian Councils, the Grand Line Officers Handbook and our Finances.

A task that has been assigned to the VGG is updating the Media Release Form Database. I emailed each Bethel Guardian and asked them to please provide an updated membership list once the lists were received from the BG I made the changes to the master list. This list is shared with the Executive GGC, Bethel Guardians, the Webmaster and the editor of the 6th Messenger.

In December, I was asked to update the Promotional Brochure that is available for Bethels. These brochures were updated, printed and given to Clare.

A letter was prepared and sent to the Bethels about the Form 222's and the process in selecting Council Members. Also a communication was sent to the Bethels informing them on Supreme Session 2012 and outlining the Bylaws pertaining to financial assistance from the GGC.

The ultimate task this year was that of assuming the office of Acting Grand Guardian. I hope that I have fulfilled my duties as Vice Grand Guardian to the best of my abilities according to the Law.

All of this would not have been possible with out the support from many individuals and one individual in particular and that is Tim. Tim, this past year you have shown your love and dedication to the Order. Thank you for the encouragement and support that you have given me this year I am extremely lucky to have you by my side!

Associate Grand Guardian Jimmy Harris

Acting Grand Guardian, Members of this Grand Guardian Council, Distinguished guests, Friends, and Family, Greetings!

I would like to begin by thanking a few people. The very first and greatest of which is my wife, Sarahle. She is the smartest and most loyal of all of my supporters. Without her love and devotion, there is no chance I would have survived these last three years with a shred of sanity. To my daughters, thank you for sharing the time and attention you rightfully deserved so unselfishly with others. To Wanda Thompson, I say thank you. You asked me to join you on this journey; you who became my friend, and my family. We may not have completed the grand line together; however, I will always think of you as my partner. To Bethel 17, thank you for your love and commitment; you have always freely given above and beyond what any PABG could expect. To all of the members who agreed to serve as Grand Officers and Bethel Guardian Council members, thank you. Your service and commitment are appreciated. Many were willing to listen and offer very sage counsel and enthusiastic support and encouragement; among the very best I want to thank Worshipful Brothers Jim Billig, Gerry Brandt, James McNeely, Doug Brase, Emilio Munez, Sisters Leslea Partridge, Jean Shepersky, Lynnae Thompson, Jill Cotton, Anna Partridge, and Most Worshipful Brother Brian Beermann. There are many others I have failed to mention; I ask your forgiveness and assure you your kindnesses will never be forgotten.

I made the usual trips to the usual places and ate the usual dinners with the usual people and made the usual conversations. I do not want to be too hackneyed and bore you with a summary of events that have been recounted to you numerous times before me and enumerated in various other reports. I am grateful for the privilege to have represented the Daughters of Minnesota and to have fulfilled to the best of my ability my duty to speak on their behalf representing their best interests to each of our fraternal brothers and sisters across Minnesota, in the jurisdiction of Kansas, and at Supreme Session in St. Louis.

To paraphrase Bill Wilson, I am here to sweep off my side of the street realizing nothing good can be accomplished until I do so. I am not here to tell you what you should do. One of the first lessons taught me in Lodge was that I am here to learn to subdue my passions and to improve myself in Masonry. I am not here to subdue your passions.

Rather than hide behind the convenient bromides of "being here for the girls", I encourage each of us to honestly and fearlessly assess our own lives. We cannot fix this Order until we have the courage to first admit we ourselves are broken and then to take steps to change that. I pray that God may grant each of us the courage and integrity to take an honest appraisal of where we are individually. I pray that God will remind each of us of our commitment to the girls, our duties to Him, and our obligations to each other.

I will always cherish the very high privilege and honor I have been given in serving this jurisdiction. Thank you all so much for allowing me to be a part of this very great and important undertaking. I ask that you do not judge me harshly and I hope that you will also not judge each other harshly. May God bless each of you and heal this jurisdiction.....for the girls.

Acting Grand Guardian
Beth Bohlmann

March 12, 2012 - June 14, 2012

As a Daughter my favorite Messenger lecture to recite was that of the 3rd Messenger.

During this lecture Job has been tortured, his friends have accused him unjustly, and he longs to die. To sum it up, his life was hell. Every time I have heard that part or recited that part I wondered how anyone who has gone through such turmoil could still remain faithful.

It has not been until these past few months that I have come to understand how an individual can still believe in something after enduring such turmoil. I now have come to understand why Job remained faithful, for you see I have felt like Job these past few months and if it was not for my love and belief in this order I would have fallen.

Since assuming the Office of Acting Grand Guardian on March 12, 2012 I have done the following:

1. Edited items for the packet handed out at Grand Bethel
2. Appointed the Grand Bethel Guardian Council
3. Coordinated with the Supreme Guardian regarding the Supreme Team's visit to Minnesota. I would like to thank the Jensen and Niederhaus families for hosting our Supreme Team.
4. Contacted the Grand Lodge Secretary to request a promotional table at Grand Lodge
5. Contacted the Grand Chapter Secretary to request a promotional table at Grand Chapter
6. Contacted the deputies for an updated status on their Bethel(s)
7. Granted 28 Special Dispensations to Bethels as requested
8. Added events to the calendar on the MNJD website when requested to do so or when I received an invitation to the event
9. Became familiar with and performed the duties of the Grand Guardian pertaining to CAV. The CAV list is sent from Supreme at the beginning of each month, typically arriving in Minnesota on the 3rd or 4th of the month. The Grand Guardian must check the list against all BGC and committee appointments to make sure all appointees are current with their CAV status. If any member of a committee or BGC is not current, the Grand Guardian must remove them from office and, if possible, appoint a replacement.
 - b. The Grand Guardian or an individual appointed by her must then remind those whose CAV will soon terminate to renew.
 - c. The Grand Guardian then condenses the list so that it shows only people from Minnesota. The condensed list is shared with our BGs and Ex GGC.
 - d. Contacted the Supreme Office as necessary to check on individual's CAV status. For example, an individual whose CAV expires on April 20, may not have sent in their renewal by April 1, when the April list is sent. That individual may have renewed their CAV in early April, however. The Grand Guardian must check to see if this was done before removing the individual from her/his appointment.
10. Registered the MN Messenger Team for Supreme
11. Informed the Supreme Team Coach Lisa Cherry that there would not be a Messenger Team representing MN at Supreme due to the fact that one of the individuals on the team would not be able to attend. Unfortunately, at the time of the team's selection an alternate was not chosen.
12. Requested a Masonic Youth Day Flyer from the DeMolay to be included in the packet that was handed out at Grand Bethel.
13. Requested the addresses for the Lodges and OES from their respective Secretaries for the Solicitation letter that was mailed on March 16, 2012.
14. Contacted committee members to see who was on their committee and if they had a certificate.
15. Appointed committee members to standing committees that did not have 3 members
16. Requested a work status for all committees.
17. Issued 7 Certificates of Appointments to various committees
18. Addressed Council and Bethel Concerns over elections
19. Appointed 2 Grand Deputies to Farmington. Provided information to Farmington as requested.
20. Wrote a letter to dispose of the Bethel property of Bethel #95
21. Issued Certificates of Appointment to Bethel Council members and to the GBGC.
22. Held an adult round table at Grand Bethel
23. Sat at the Promotional Table with GBHQ Jackie and Miss MNJD at Grand Lodge
24. Sat at the Promotional Table with Miss MNJD Melissa at Grand Chapter
25. Brought remarks on behalf of the JD of MN at Grand Chapter
26. Attended the Annual Finance Meeting
27. Prepared the Financial Reports of the Acting GG and submitted them to the Finance Committee and GS by the deadline.
28. Attended the Jurisprudence Committee meeting
29. Signed and mailed copies of the Bethel Bylaws to 2 Bethels

30. Reviewed the Grand Guardian's files when received. On April 27 I contacted Bethels 9, 16, 41, 48 and 76 to report that their Bethel's 2011 Form 222 was missing from the Grand Guardian's File and requested that a copy be made and sent to me by May 15, 2012. A reminder was sent out again on May 22 and May 30. Bethel #41's Form 222 from 2011 has now been received. Bethel #48 is in the process of completing the form. The other Forms have still not been received.
31. Reviewed the remarks of the Miss MNJD
32. Wrote a report, as requested by the Grand Lodge, about Minnesota JD for the Annual Communications Book
33. Worked with Jean Shepersky Sessions Chairman to make arrangements for this GGC Session.
34. Compiled the list of reports to be given at Grand Session, sending out numerous reminders to those who needed to submit a written report
35. Wrote the following reports for Session: Promotion, Masonic Events, Mid Winter Meeting, Irregularities, Recommendations, Special Dispensations
36. Contacted the 2011-12 Grand Officers about Session and what their duties were
37. Was able to attend the following events during my term as Acting Grand Guardian:
 - a. March 30-April 1st Grand Bethel in Brainerd, MN
 - b. April 12-14 Grand Lodge in Bloomington MN
 - c. May 1 attended a Council Meeting in the Minneapolis area
 - d. May 4-5 Grand Chapter in St. Cloud, MN
 - e. May 6 JD Foundation Meeting in St. Cloud, MN
 - f. May 11 Past Grand Guardian's Dinner with the SG and ASG in Andover, MN
 - g. May 12 Finance Meeting & Jurisprudence Meeting in Minneapolis
 - h. May 13 Farewell to SG and ASG Andover
 - i. May 26 Meet with Grand Deputies about Farmington
 - j. May 27 Acacia Cemetery Wreath Laying Ceremony

Number of miles driven from March 12 to today: 2,600

Number of emails sent and or received from March 12 to today: 2,626

I am proud of what I have been able to accomplish despite all the turmoil I have endured.

Grand Secretary Clare L. Haugen

Acting Grand Guardian Beth, Associate Grand Guardian Jimmy, and Members of the Grand Guardian Council.

This past year has been busier than ever for the Grand Secretary. There is never a dull moment.

The Annual Report was filed on time with the Supreme Guardian Council. All but one of the Bethels filed their reports on time. The late one did come in the next week. Thanks to all the Bethels for the work they put in.

Our Annual Report showed 18 Bethels with 241 Job's Daughters at the beginning of 2011. We initiated, reinstated, and affiliated 59 new members for a total of 300 and lost 58 due to Majority, demitted, resigned, or suspended. This leaves us with 242 active members with 16 active Bethels and two closed Bethels, one with one member and the other with three members as of December 31, 2011. **This was a gain of one member.**

The largest Bethel in the state is Bethel #17, Owatonna, with 27 members. This was a gain of 3 members. In second place is Bethel #39, Robbinsdale, with 26 members, 1 more than last year. Bethel #9, Mankato, is in third place with 23 members, 6 less than the previous year.

The Tax Form 990 was prepared by Messerli and Schadow and filed with the IRS before the deadline. All of the Bethels filed their Form 990-N(e-Postcard) prior to the deadline. A copy of each receipt also had to be submitted to the SGC with the Annual Report.

In March my job became more challenging with the sudden change in leadership. I sent personalized and sealed letters to all the Bethel Guardians, Bethel Guardian Secretaries, Elected Grand Officers, Appointed Grand Officers, and Committee Chairs as well as the Grand Lodge, Grand Chapter, DeMolay, and MN Masonic Charities notifying them of the change in leadership. This was a total of 55 letters.

Two letters were sent at different times to Wanda Thompson requesting the return of stated items. Upon receipt of items in two deliveries, all items were signed for by both she and I and then a copy given to her. Later everything was inventoried, cleaned if necessary, and then new lists were made and the items signed over to Acting Grand Guardian Beth Bohlmann.

My books have been audited by the Finance Committee and found to be in order. I filed all beginning of the year reports with the SGC. The Minnesota Sales Tax was paid and the report was filed. The Doc Morgan Sales made it more challenging. I also paid the Minnesota Charities yearly re-registration.

Special thanks to those Bethels who always pay their invoices within 30 days. It took until this past week to finally receive payment for all those from this past year which meant they are a part of the new year's income.

The \$2370.00 from the Grand Lodge in the Revolving Fund was used last Fall to help cover the cost of the new Rituals for each Bethel Daughter.

In May I hosted the Annual Finance Committee Meeting with the Executive Grand Line.

Dorothy, thanks really isn't enough for your continued support and guidance.

Gerry, thanks for being so great to work with.

To all my family, especially Bob, M'Lyse, and Gavin your continued assistance when asked is so much appreciated.

To the Members of the Grand Guardian Council, again thank you for the continued support you have given me and to the confidence you have placed in me.

Grand Treasurer

Gerry Brandt

Greetings Distinguished.....

First of all, I need to thank my sidekick, GG Sec. Clare. She continues to make the Treasurer's position easy and painless one. And she also answers ALL my questions..... The good news is I am always able to tie out my reports to Clare's. I also want to thank Wanda and Jimmy for their counsel and Acting GG Beth for her "cheerful advice".

I would like to thank both Dorothy Fuller and Greg Lang for ALL their years on the Finance Committee. Their knowledge has been invaluable. I would especially like to thank Dorothy for keeping me "completely" balanced and grounded. And thanks to new Finance Committee member Mary Gursky for her support.

The position of the Grand Guardian Council is detailed in the Financial Report that is included in your packets with the Treasurer's Report available at Session. Change in fund balances between last year and this year shows an increase of \$17,383, including Prudential investment income \$760 for the year. .

The GGC PayPal account is still open but have received limited use. (The Scripts Account has been closed due to tight margins when paying both PayPal and Scripts). This does give us the capability to process credit card payments. There is a PayPal "donation button" on the website. Check it out and make a donation to your favorite charity, Job's Daughters. Our fee for PayPal transactions is the 501 (3) c rate of 2.2% plus 30 cents per transaction. We also added a checking account to facilitate the activity for the Scripts Account.

One budget item that I recommend next year's budgeting process review. Currently, for Supreme Session in 2012, Miss MNJD Supreme Registration and Travel are paid from the 2011-2012 fiscal year while the GG Supreme Registration and Travel are paid from the 2012-2013 fiscal year. For simplicity purposed, I would recommend that they both be paid from the same fiscal year.

Also, per my recommendation, the Grand Treasurer Office Rent was reduced to zero and the Grand Treasurer Postage/Telephone was reduced to \$100.

I thank you for allowing me to serve you during this past year.

Grand Lodge Scholarship/Grant

Jim Billig

The 2012 recipient is Mariah Benn. She is the daughter of Jeff and Jackie Benn. She will be attending Gustavus Adolphus College working towards a B.B. Degree to teach Social Studies and History with an emphasis on history to work at the Secondary level. She is an honors student ranked at sixth in her class at Annandale High School.

One of her instructors states:

She has a determined work ethic, a sincere personality and succeeds in whatever she attempts. She gives her best effort inside and outside of class. She is determined to do well and it shows.

We congratulate Mariah on her many successes and know that her future will be bright.

Hibbing JD Formal Dance Fundraiser

Jean Shepersky

Hibbing Job's Daughters has been sponsoring a Formal Dance Fundraiser for many, many years. Since Bethel #95 closed, not wanting to lose this profitable fundraiser, we approached the Executive GGC in the Spring of 2011 and asked that a checking account be set up for these dances, and we would continue them, with the profits going to the GGC. The Execs approved this, and we have a checking account, which keeps a balance of \$1000 to use to keep the dances going. The start-up money for this account came from the funds of Bethel #95, so there has been no cost for the GGC.

Just a few notes about how our dances work. We meet to plan the date and the theme. Approximately a month before the dance, we presell tickets, giving them a copy of the rules, an envelope from the photographer, and they must fill out a registration form giving us their names, high schools, grades, ages, and parents' home/cell phone numbers. We verify with the high school that at least one of them is from Hibbing High School in 9th-12th grade. We do not allow anyone under 9th grade or anyone 21 or over to attend and the dance is chemical free. We enter all the names into the computer and when they come to the dance, they must sign their names and write down the time they came. If they leave before 11:45 pm, they must write down the time they left. We

have a professional photographer who takes photos, collects the money, and delivers the pictures to the kids at the high school. We make each couple a name tag that they take home and decorate according to the theme. We hire a DJ. We hire cadets from the law enforcement program at the college to help chaperone-they are there in uniform. We have a coat check area where each couple has a cardboard grocery box-the boxes are numbered and we give each couple a key chain with their box number on it. We sell pop and water, and provide popcorn at no charge. The dance is formal.

We have been investing in decorations that can be used for future dances, which will keep the cost of the decorations lower. Because the dances are for 9th-12th graders, we will be able to recycle the decorations and themes every 4 years. The costs will also vary depending on the number of couples we have. Usually the numbers are down in the Spring, because of Hibbing having a prom in the Spring also.

Bethel #28, Duluth, has been helping us with the dances for a couple of years now, and we share in the profits. The Hibbing All-Nite Grad Party committee also helped with the dances, but it was decided that we use Masonic organizations to work the dance. A letter was sent to the All-Nite Grad Party thanking them for their help. We also get support and help from the Masons of Mesaba Lodge, Hibbing.

The Fall JD Dance was held on October 29, 2011, the theme was "The Dance", with the photography background and decorations being a cemetery background, with spider webs, and tombstones for the name tags for the couples. 164 couples attended, costing \$25 per couple. Total ticket sales were \$4,100.00, pop/water sales \$190.50; expenses totaling \$1,624.69; profits shared with groups working \$1,407.00; giving a profit paid to the GGC of \$1,258.81.

The Spring JD Dance was held on February 18, 2012, the theme was "The Dance of Sweets", with the photography background and decorations being a CandyLand type background, with a huge gingerbread house, giant suckers, gumdrops, and cardboard candy cutouts for the name tags for the couples. 90 couples attended, costing \$30 per couple. Total ticket sales were \$2,700.00, pop/water sales \$97.00; expenses totaling \$1,478.00; profits shared with groups working \$472.00; giving a profit paid to the GGC of \$847.00.

The total profit for the GGC for 2011-2012 was \$2,105.81. Detailed reports have been sent to Clare Haugen, Grand Secretary, as well as the monthly bank statements and copies of the checkbook register.

Hike Report Chris Devore

This year has been both rewarding and challenging. I was great to have a Daughter HIKE Coordinator (Mary Kipp) after a year of not having one. There were many great thoughts ideas that seemed to quickly lose momentum. One award was made to a child after the check from HIKE, Inc was lost in the mail. As of 5/1/12, there is still one child awaiting funds to purchase the hearing assistance device. Communication from HIKE, Inc also seemed to be lacking this year. Donations from Bethels are down this year. Seven Bethels made at least one contribution this year and one of those had donations for both terms. This year Bethel #93 made the largest donation. As of 5/20/12, the total funds from Bethel donations was \$470.63 and funds raised include \$102 from Snack for HIKE, \$87 from the Silent Auction at Grand Bethel and \$58 from sales of HIKE decals and the YCJCYAD pins. The total raised from 7/1/11 to 5/20/12 is \$717.63.

Bethel Irregularities Beth Bohlmann Acting Grand Guardian

The following is a list of irregularities that have been compiled from the Deputies through out the state of MN. They have been sorted by daughter and council/adult. Please note: there are some items that both daughters and adults do that are only listed in one category.

Many of these items can be easily corrected; let's work together this next year to shorten this list.

DAUGHTERS IRREGULARITIES

1. Daughters & adults using non existing titles, ex. (Miss Congeniality (year), PGBG, PAGBG, LOV, Golden Triangle
2. Bethel Officers should not be crossing legs, or having feet and knees spread apart, sitting slumped in chair, or playing with tassels.
3. Bethel officers not voting on GB Delegates.
4. Posting pictures & publications without media release forms.

5. Copying the Ritual.
6. Campaigning.
7. HQ not aware what abbreviations for titles mean.
8. Referring to Honored Queen as Honor Queen
9. Not using the new Ritual as of May 1
10. Installing Officer reading Installation part
11. Not abiding by the dress code set
12. Not asking PHQ from your Bethel to serve as Installing Officers
13. HQ Elect sending out Installation invitations prior to election of Officers
14. Chaplains not turning at half way point
15. Square Corners
16. HQ asking for Special Dispensation when not needed
17. HQ asking for Ballot on Petition when not needed
18. Bible not being opened correctly
19. Not singing the new words in Open the Gates of the Bethel and Now Our Work is Over
20. HQ rapping before minutes are signed
21. HQ waiting to rap when the National Emblem enters the room
22. Bethels not familiar with the changes to Escort and Introductions
23. Not attempting to sing initiation songs
24. Not auditing the Bills prior to the meeting
25. Attending events without a BGC approved Chaperone
26. Placing prayers on the Bible to read at the altar

COUNCIL/ADULT IRREGULARITIES

1. Books not being audited at the end of each term.
2. Chaplain or Installing Chaplain having prayers on the Bible.
3. Dispensations not being paid.
4. Dispensations not being requested
5. Councils not voting on GB Delegates.
6. Communications not being read in proper order.
7. Not reading all the communications.
8. Flash pictures during Installations.
9. Presenting the old copies of the Bylaws during Installation.
10. Not presenting bylaws during Installation
11. Serving on Council without certificate
12. Adults speaking during the meeting who are not on a council or a Majority Member of that Bethel.
13. Improper remarks by council members.
14. Not having regular council meetings.
15. Bethel's not meeting deadlines.
16. Books, minutes, record of dues, permanent record book not up to date.
17. Not allowing council members to do their job.
18. Non Majority Member adults performing the Ritual during a Bethel meeting.
19. Council Minutes not including dates, times and those attending
20. Bethels not holding meetings
21. Not abiding by the dress code set
22. Secretary Financials not being printed each meeting
23. BGC Minutes not done in proper order
24. Bethel checks not stating JDI but instead individuals home address and information
25. Minutes not showing the individuals that were introduced during the meeting
26. Bethel Guardians not signing council minutes
27. Not having monthly BGC meetings
28. Not having BGC minutes
29. BG not rapping before their beginning speaking part
30. Adults using cell phones or texting during meetings
31. Adult conversations being carried on during Bethel meetings
32. Negative adult attitude towards the GGC and Supreme
33. Not turning in Form 222 on time

		JD "YOU"	FINANCIALS
		8-Oct-11	
INCOME	Registration/Food		\$700.00
	JD Foundation Reimburse		
	Suicide Prevention Speaker		\$200.00
		TOTAL	\$900.00
EXPENSES	Food		\$186.61
			\$72.00
			\$152.32
	Replace Torn Plastic		
	Tablecloths		\$6.41
	Suicide Prevention Speaker		\$200.00
		TOTAL	\$617.34
		NET PROFIT	\$282.66

**Junior Miss Minnesota Job's Daughter 2010-2011
Kaitze Tarbell**

I want to start off with a thank you. I would again like to thank the Job's Daughters organization of state of Minnesota for the opportunity to be the Junior Miss Minnesota Job's Daughter 2010-2011.

During the past year I have visited 8 different Bethels- Installations and meetings, and assisted in a Majority Ceremony as well as Initiations. I also assisted in three different Masonic installations and Grand Lodge. My home Bethel made dinner for our lodge and before there meeting I promoted Job's Daughters. I went to 2 different Jobie-to-be meetings. And post Jr Miss Term still actively being invited to JD2B meetings, and was able to assist in a service project for Gillette Children's Hospitals. Finally I have spoken three times at school about Job's and how wonderful the organization is for the development of girls into young women.

Since beginning the year I had wanted to plan a JD2B state event. Also adding JD2B component at JDU to help them get involved, develop a better understanding of Jobs and have them start to learn the songs and join our activities. Although I did not accomplish this I do believe I left a beginning of a foundation. I had researched out other states and Jurisdictions and what their programs included. I created a binder to better assist the future Jr. Miss's. The Binder included different states' programs and ideas, initiation ceremonies used as well as Minnesota's state information and timelines. I still believe that the Jr. Miss can be a more productive position as we are younger and can relate to the younger set of girls. And I still firmly feel active young pre-members should spill over to more active Jobies. And that leading by example is really an effective way to show them.

I still recommend: better communication between the adults and girl representatives would be so much more helpful, having regular scheduled meetings with Junior Miss advisor, a set of clear expectations, a job description, and a list of when and where the sash and crown should be worn. Also with active advisor/ Jr Miss relationship these activities could be planned and carried out. It would be helpful to have a state Jobie and JD2B Facebook page maintained by girls with adult advisors. Girls our age are much more likely to visit Facebook pages then websites. The news is more timely and current, and the ability schedule Events would be awesome.

After the privilege of being Jr. Miss for the year, I continue to endorse the Junior Miss Minnesota title should be a title you keep like the Miss title, it is an earned achievement and a source of pride. By keeping the title it is also encouraging for girls to run and continue running for the position.

I look forward continuing to be a part of this great organization and pleased to be a Job's Daughter member in the state of Minnesota.

Jr. Miss Minnesota Job's Daughter 2011-2012

Sara Brown

So far as Jr. Miss Minnesota Job's Daughters I have visited many Bethels. I have been to Bethel 11 St. Cloud for an installation and a friendship, Bethel 16 for an installation, and Bethel 17 for an installation. I have also been to Bethel 48 Anoka for Initiation, and Bethel 85 for an installation. It was a lot of fun visiting all the Bethels that I can go to. I have also attended the SnoBall dance and Grand Bethel this year.

I wrote a letter to all the Jobie to be Hives. I introduced myself and explained what the Jr. Miss does and how I would like to hear from them. I included a questionnaire asking them about how long they have been a part of a hive and what they like most about being a Jobie to bee.

I am looking forward to the rest of my year as Jr. Miss Minnesota Job's Daughters. I plan on visiting a lot of other Bethels around the state.

Jurisprudence Committee

Bobbie Lampi

Acting Grand Guardian, Associate Grand Guardian and members of the Grand Guardian Council:

The Jurisprudence Committee met this year for its annual meeting on May 12, 2012, at Lake Harriet Masonic Center in Minneapolis. The Acting Grand Guardian Beth Bohlmann, Associate Grand Guardian Jimmy Harris, Vice Associate Grand Guardian Tim Dixon, Grand Guide Michelle Jensen, and Grand Inner Guard John Jubala met with committee members Diane Ritchie and Bobbie Lampi. Also in attendance were SG Bobbie Hogle and ASG Randy Hansen. During the meeting, we reviewed the legislation for Grand Session, the election procedure, installation plans, 2012-1013 GGC plans, and other business session details.

All issues that arose during the year were handled by either telephone or email. During the year, members of the Grand Guardian Council consulted the committee on questions of law. The committee made every attempt to provide answers consistent with the laws of the Order, whatever their own personal opinions might have been on the subject in question.

Per the requirement in our bylaws, the Jurisprudence Committee was represented by Rosemary Guntzel at GB Fall Inn and by Joy Erickson at GB Annual Session. All members of the committee attended the mid-year meeting in February 2012.

The work of the committee included the following items:

- All amendments passed at the 2011 Annual Session of this Grand Guardian Council were approved by the Supreme Jurisprudence Committee. The approved amendments were incorporated in the Minnesota Manual, and the revised Minnesota Manual of Rules and Regulations (the purple and pink pages) was completed and made available on the web in November 2011. We urge all members and Bethels who have not already done so to print out the new pages and update their manuals in the current size format of 8.5 x 11.
- Reformatted size of Bethel Bylaws, which were sent out with instructions to return by December 18. Committee member Diane Ritchie assumed the responsibility of Bethel Bylaws and Guidelines this year, and she made great progress on getting Bethels to review and update these items as required by law. A complete report of each Bethel's bylaws status is available from the Jurisprudence Committee. While most Bethel guidelines do not include items that compel that a Bethel act outside of their bylaws, we are suggesting that the following step should be taken at the beginning of each term of office. When the Bethel members vote to accept the Honored Queen's or Honored Queen-elect's term plans, they should also include a statement that they accept the Bethel Guidelines for the term. Thank you, Diane, for your diligence and persistence in ensuring that our Bethels have their bylaws and guidelines in compliance. It's a big job, and you've done it well.
- Advised the GG about filling the standing committees.
- Revised the GB officer drawing registration forms and rules.
- Proofread the tests for GB Guide and GB Marshal, and GB Princesses.
- Proofread the tests for Miss MN JD Pageant and Jr. Miss MN JD.
- Proofread and edited the new GB meeting ritual.
- Proofread and edited the new GB installation ceremony.

- Assisted with items for JD Congress and GB amendments.
- Began revision of ExGGC Guidelines.
- Advised GG and others on the rules and regulations about reinstating the Bethel in Farmington.
- Updated BGC Handbook and formatted for web site.
- Advised GG Wanda Thompson regarding special dispensations, finance reports, standing committees, certificates of appointment, fund-raiser records, Bethel files, CAV, etc.
- Advised, instructed, and assisted Acting GG Beth Bohlmann after GG Wanda was removed from office.
- Began proofreading of MN Book of Ceremonies for putting on-line.
- Amendments to the Manual of Rules and Regulations to be considered at this Annual Session were solicited from the membership of the Grand Guardian Council. Proposed amendments were received by the chairman, reviewed by the committee, and edited as necessary in consultation with the proposers. The amendments were numbered, typed in final form, and distributed by email and mail to the members of the Grand Guardian Council on June 1, 2012.

In closing, the committee would like to thank the Grand Guardian for our appointments. While the Jurisprudence Committee has much work to do, the committee members share a great deal of enjoyment in accomplishing that work.

Bobbie Lampi, PGG, Chairman
 Diane Ritchie, PGG
 M. Joy Erickson, PGG

We are moving directly to considering the proposed amendments to the Manual of Rules and Regulations of this Grand Guardian Council. Please take out the copy of the amendments emailed or mailed to you. If you do not have your amendments with you, please sit where you can see the screen with the bylaws projected on it.

I would like to review the procedure we will follow. Following the reading of each amendment, the Jurisprudence Committee will move that the amendment be submitted to the delegates for consideration. Since this is a committee motion, it does not require a second. The committee makes this motion “in form only,” without recommendation. This means that the committee neither approves nor disapproves the amendment; that is the decision of this body.

The proposer of an amendment or maker of a motion shall have the right to speak first on such amendment or motion. Debate on amendments or motions shall alternate between those “for” and those “against” when there are two sides that desire to be heard.

Amendments to the manual (the purple pages) must be passed by a two-thirds majority vote. Changes in the Minnesota Procedures (pink pages), the Book of Ceremonies, and the Bethel Guardian Council Handbook require only a simple majority, that is, more than half. Motions also require only a simple majority. Immediate amendments, that is, those not distributed to delegates before the session, require a unanimous vote for approval. Such immediate amendments must be submitted in writing and require the signatures of six members representing an equal number of Bethels of this Grand Jurisdiction.

Any amendment passed will automatically amend any other laws pertaining to the same subject. All amendments passed at this session will not become effective until they are approved by the Supreme Jurisprudence Committee, printed in proper form, and distributed on the web.

We will now consider the proposed amendments to the Manual of Rules and Regulations of this Grand Guardian Council.

Acting Grand Guardian, the Jurisprudence Committee moves that this amendment/motion be placed on the floor for consideration

By the voting delegates.

Lily of the Valley Committee
Sherri Jaegar

There were two nominees for the LOV award this year. After receiving the nominations and the deadline had passed, I chose two adults who were not involved with Bethels of the two nominees. We reviewed the nominations. We agreed these two should

receive the LOV award. I notified the Bethels of these two nominees. Another award nominee was mentioned to have been approved in 2011 but was not able to attend Grand Bethel. I reviewed this with the Grand Secretary and she agreed this nominee could receive this award at Grand Bethel 2012. This information such as this should be passed along to Committee Chairs.

Three Daughters received the LOV award in 2012.

Daughters who received the Lily of the Valley Award:

Sarah Jensen Bethel 48

Nina Volk Bethel 32

From last year - Sara Golder Bethel 48

Adults who helped:

Kristie Ness and Nancy Gerhardson Bethel 76

Masonic Events

Beth Bohlmann

The Job's Daughters of MN attended various Statewide Masonic Events this past GGC Year. I have compiled this report to the best of my abilities.

Scottish Rite

Bethel #9 Manitoba's Birthday Celebration

Amaranth Grand Court

Grand Lodge

Grand Chapter

DeMolay Conclave

Grand York Rite

Prince Hall Grand Lodge and Grand Chapter of MN joint banquet

Scottish Rite heads of bodies dinner

Kansas Bethel 74 friendship

Zuhrah Shrine Pote's Ball

Various Lodge/Chapter functions throughout the state

Memorial Day Ceremony

Lisa Ketola

This was the 84rd Annual Memorial Day Program at Acacia Park Cemetery and the 19th year that our Job's Daughters have participated.

It was a sunny day. 42 of our lovely Job's Daughters volunteered their valuable time on a holiday weekend to honor the memory of those who have served our country and our community.

The girls performed the closing ceremony and looked very impressive, especially to those people who are not familiar with Job's Daughters.

Our Grand Guardians and our GBHQ and our MMJD presented wreaths in memory of our Job's Daughters and our adult volunteers.

Because of the numerous questions posed in years past to Acacia's general manager about, "What is Job's Daughters?", our Miss MNJD was able to give a speech about JD to the general public. She did a great job and it was great publicity for us.

Thanks to all who came. If you have never seen the service, I highly recommend you attend in May of 2013.

Mid Year Meeting

Beth Bohlmann

Acting GG/VGG

The 2012 Mid Year Meeting was held on Sunday, January 29 2012 at Bethel #41 in St. Louis Park MN.

Topics covered were:
Review of the year so far
Scripts
Plans for Next Year

For a fundraiser for the GGC, we again had Bowls for Bethels. Unfortunately the list of the winners can not be located.

Something new that was added was a desert category. The list of the winners also can not be located.

Below are the Financials as obtained from Grand Secretary Clare Haugen.

Number in Attendance: 51
Money taken in: \$370.00

Miss Minnesota Job's Daughter 2010-2011 Kellie Seberson

My year spent representing Minnesota as the 2010-2011 Miss was a great experience that I am glad that I experienced. I wouldn't change a thing! Since last grand session I accomplished many things as the Miss Minnesota Job's Daughter.

In June travels continued as the Miss Minn. I was able to attend two different installations, Bethels #19, and #13, where I had the pleasure of being the installing chaplain. I also attended the Grand York Rite Session where I had the honor of giving a speech and representing the Minnesota Job's Daughters.

Next came July which was packed full of important and fun filled activities. It started off with a parade in Monticello where it was blistering hot, but I still had a blast with all of the girls! The highlight of my year as Miss Minnesota Job's Daughter was Supreme Session in St. Louis, Missouri. Competing for Miss International Job's Daughter was fantastic. With all my hard work in each competition, I placed in the top ten. Meeting everyone from around the world while in St. Louis was AMAZING!! We then rushed back to Minnesota to make it to a parade in Chaska, the River City Day's parade. There is nothing quite like a hot summer day, a parade, and representing the Job's Daughters of Minnesota!

August, also a month filled with parades, and state wide Jobie events. It all started with the Derby Day's Parade in Shakopee where I joined Bethel #85. I was also able to join Bethel #85 in the Carver County Parade where they were working on promoting Jobs Daughters to boost their membership in their Bethel, and I was glad to help! That same day I was able to join Jr. Miss Kaitze and Chris Devore to make a HIKE presentation to a little boy, who was going to use the money to get an amplification system for school. Of course the month rounded off with North Pole Camp! This was also another one of my favorite events of the year! I had a blast greeting all of our campers dressed as the Grinch – a surprising number didn't even recognize me. Kellie Jackson and I were also able to host skit night which was a blast - much harder to do that I had anticipated - but a blast all the same!

September kicked off with yet another parade which took place in Carver, MN where Kaitze Tarbell and I had the pleasure of representing Minnesota Job's Daughters to the community. Later that month Bethel #1 had an initiation where I was able to fill in for third messenger, after this year Bethel #1 is almost like my second home! September rounded off with the Fall Assembly in Manitoba Canada! It is crazy how much I feel at home when I am up north with those crazy Canadians. At their formal opening I was able to present the United States Flag. Getting to hang out with all of their girls was a blast as always! We did a scavenger hunt like none I'd ever done before! My mother and I were also taken on a tour of the city and treated to some of the local treats. The coolest part about going up to Manitoba that trip was getting to see their Miss Pageant where I had the wonderful opportunity of being one of the judges for their extemporaneous question. The whole trip was grand!

Next came October, which consisted of two events. The first event was JDU, which took place at the Scottish Rite. And the most memberable experience I had from that JDU was learning how to change a tire on Jimmy Harris's Car!!! Next was the Grand Bethel Exemplification which was at Bethel #39 where we held a futuristic meeting. It was neat to get to see but I hope it doesn't change that much any time soon! None the less it was very fun.

Lastly was November, which was the month of my final event as the Miss Minnesota Job's Daughter. Planning the pageant was great. I tried to make it as memorable for the contestants as possible, from decorating their rooms, getting them shirts, small gifts to writing inspiring quotes on their mirror each day. Pageant turned out perfect. My final remarks were difficult as expected, but it was great to be able to share a little about my year with everyone. Lastly I was able to have the great pleasure of crowning our current Miss Minnesota Job's Daughter Melissa Van Cleve! She has done and will continue to do fabulous job representing all the daughters of Minnesota!

Miss Minnesota Job's Daughter 2011-2012

Melissa Van Cleve

I started out my year right away by attending the banquet and giving my first speech at the Formal Opening of the Amaranth. This is where Kellie and I got to sit on the throne in the East. Then a few days later I was able to take part in the Holiday Lights Parade in the Fargo Moorhead area. The faces of those kids were priceless. On the first Sunday of December was the TPT telethon where we got to help out. We got to take pledges and pretend to take pledges when the camera was on. I attended the installation of Mason's from my temple, gave remarks, and assisted my Bethel girls in the cross ceremony. Bethel 32 conducts random acts of kindness once and a while and right before Christmas us daughters help door open for those coming in and out of the West Acres Mall. I bought candy canes and attached information about Job's Daughters to them and handed them out. I assisted at Bethel 16 and 32's installations and was able to attend Bethel 16's. I attended my first sweetheart coronation where Angie Davis was elected for Haiwatha Sweetheart and Marissa Mayfield was elected the Haiwatha Jr. Sweetheart. I helped out at our temples Pancake Breakfast where I got to tell some people about Job's Daughters. In January our Temple also hosted an open house so I sat at our table and talked to a few people about Job's Daughters. Then Snowball came around in February. We danced and the new Snowball royalty was selected. I created a facebook for the Miss MNJD, which I plan on passing it down to the next Miss MNJD and hope it will continue. I thought it was a great way to get girls excited about Job's Daughters, get our name into the public, and make it easier for girls to ask any questions about my job or pageant for example. Then Grand Bethel rolled around and it was lots of fun. I talked to girls from around the state, gave remarks at the Grand Bethel Meeting, reminded girls about running for pageant, and was able to help out at the Grand Bethel Installation. I also came up with a membership challenge. I am asking the girls to raise our membership up 10% (which is about 24 girls) and Sara Brown, Jackie, Beth and myself will become human sundaes. Grand Lodge came up quickly after that. I attended their banquet and gave a short speech. I sat at the promotional table on Friday and Saturday and we got 2 names of girls who will become prospects for Bethel 28. I was able to meet many Masons and learned a lot for this trip. Bethel 41 and 85 hosted a combined Friendship and Midnight Meeting. They asked me to preside at this meeting and it was a great first friendship to attend. There were a few prospects there and everyone seemed to have a great time. This was also the first time I got to see my adviser since pageant and we talked for a LONG time. The first weekend of May was Grand Chapter where I was able to attend their banquet and give a speech, and sit at the promotion table. I was able to meet some previous Miss MNJDs, past Grand Guardians, people who had traveled to Minnesota from California and many others. I was also given a petition to join the OES from Anita Stiller, who I have known since I was very young. The one I had I gave to Jackie for her speech at dinner. My latest adventure was our Supreme visit and to be honest I felt like I have known those girls my whole life. We went to the MOA, the horse ranch for the picnic, sculpture garden and Annies for supper. I learned a lot of things about Minnesota, other JD jurisdictions, and many others. Saying goodbye to them was so hard.

We are just over halfway in my membership challenge and the girls are working hard on getting more daughters. Please email me any of the names of the daughters who have been initiated from Jan through Oct 31st. Looking back I have done a lot, but I still have so much more ahead of me for the rest of my year.

Grand Bethel Music & Performing Arts Competitions

M'Lyse Haugen

The Grand Bethel Music & Performing Arts Competitions were held at Fall Inn at Cragun's on Saturday, November 5, 2011. This was the first year both competitions were chaired by the GB Director of Music. A big thank you to our judges: Sue Goebel #53, Marlene Nevala #19 and Shawn Torrence #76, and our door guard – Denise Koza #1. The competitions would not have taken place without you!

There were 5 entries in the Performing Arts Competition. Categories offered were Monologue, Dialogue, Ensemble, and Dance. The following ribbons were awarded:

Monologue (15-19)

1st Place - Kandace Ness #76

Dialogue (15-19)

2nd Place - Sara Golder & Nika Kingdon #48

Dance (15-19)

1st Place - Melissa Van Cleve #32

2nd Place - Mary Redd #53

3rd Place - Kaylee Van Cleve #32

There were 19 entries in the Music Competition. Categories offered were Bethel Choir, Vocal Solo, Vocal Ensemble, Instrument Solo and Instrument Ensemble. The Instrument Solo category was divided up between Piano and Other Instruments based on the number of entries. The following ribbons were awarded:

Bethel Choir

3rd Place - Bethel #16

Vocal Solo (10-14)

2nd Place - Janelle Carufel #53
3rd Place - Kaity Braunschweig #39
3rd Place - My'Eisha Jackson #53

Vocal Solo (15-19)

1st Place - Kaela Gangelhoff #16
2nd Place - Ashley Wilk #39

Piano Solo (10-14)

1st Place - Sarah Kottwitz #85
2nd Place - Emily Miller #17
3rd Place - Bella Pich #1

Piano Solo (15-19)

1st Place - Kathleen Akins #1

Instrument Solo (10-14)

1st Place - Kori Hennebray #32
2nd Place - Mady Vieths #17
3rd Place - Karen Ketola #76

Instrument Solo (10-14)

1st Place - Katherine Speiker #17
2nd Place - Marilyn Benn #11

Keeping with tradition, the judges selected 3 entries to perform during the Banquet on Saturday evening. Thank you to all the girls who participated in the Music and Performing Arts competitions. We have some very talented young ladies in our Bethels!

Miss Minnesota Job's Daughter Pageant Committee

Bethany Doke

Acting Grand Guardian and Executive Guardian Council –

For the 2010-2011 Miss Minnesota Job's Daughters year I had the privilege of being the chairman of the Miss MN Job's Daughters committee, which entailed being the advisor for Miss Kellie Seberson. She was an absolute pleasure to work with all year, and did the state proud in promoting Job's Daughters International.

During Fall-Inn weekend planned by Kellie there were 7 Junior Miss contestants and 4 Miss Contestants. They competed in some, or all, categories of a written test, ritual recitation, personal interview, extemporaneous question, and overall conduct and behavior.

There were four girls that ran for Miss MNJD, Melissa Van Cleve, Piper Beck, Katie Cherry, and Samantha Bengston. Katie Cherry received the high score for Ritual Competition, and Melissa Van Cleve received high score in the remaining categories. In the Jr Miss MNJD competition there were seven girls that competed, Rebecca Cherry, Emily Robinson, Brittany Jaeger, Emily Miller, Sara Brown, Marietta Herrera, and Mary Redd. Emily Robinson received the high score in test, Emily Miller received high score in Ritual, and Sara Brown received high score in the interview. Both the Miss and Jr Miss contestants voted for the Congenial Award, and Katie Cherry was awarded this honor.

The girls presented themselves beautifully in each category, and their bethels should be very proud of them! Kellie did an excellent job of planning, preparing, and executing all the plans for the weekend. The girls had a fantastic time, with only a little stress involved!

A great congratulations to Melissa Van Cleve who was chosen as the 2011-2012 Miss MN Job's Daughters, and Sara Brown who was chosen as the 2011-2012 Jr Miss MN Job's Daughter.

Members of the committee, that put in many hours of work both before and during Fall-Inn were myself, Alida Black, and Mary Lynn Montgomery. Thank you ladies for all your help, understanding, and willingness! There were a few expenses incurred, they were, printing of the programs, Miss MNJD sash, medallions, breakfast for the contestants, decoration, and gift bag expenses. All expenses were reimbursed and the remaining amount was left for Melissa as the new Miss MNJD.

Plans and Locations

Beth Bohlmann & Tim Dixon

Date	Event	Location
June 15-17	Grand Session	Alexandria
July 14	DeMolay BBQ Bash	J.E Meyers Park
July 26-29	DeMolay Conclave	St. Peter
August 8-11	Supreme Session	Baltimore
August 18-21	Camp	Brainerd
September 9	Masonic Family Day with the Twins	Target Field, Minneapolis
October 13	JD You	Scottish Rite, Minneapolis

November 5-7	Fall Inn	Brainerd
January 27	Mid Year Meeting	Bethel #48 Anoka
February 16	Snoball	TBD
March 2	Tables Du Jour	Scottish Rite, Minneapolis
March 8-10	Multistate	Racine, Wisconsin
April 5-7	Grand Bethel	Brainerd
May 27	Acacia Memorial Ceremony	St. Paul
June 17-19	Grand Session	Fargo/Alexandria
Other Events to keep in mind		
July 14	DeMolay BBQ Bash	
July 26-29	DeMolay Conclave	

Promotion Report

Beth Bohlmann

March 12.2012-June 14.2012

This report has been compiled to the best of my abilities. There was a promotional table at the Grand Lodge and Grand Chapter this year. Candy was purchased for both of these tables with the cost of \$58.00.

In December the Executive Council sought the need to update the MN Promotional Brochure. I updated the photos and changed the website address for Supreme. 500 brochures were ordered. In April, it was decided that each Bethel would be given 25 brochures if they were requested. Any additional brochures would need to be purchased for \$0.20 each.

After attending Grand Lodge, I felt there was a need for more items to be handed out to individuals at the Promotional Table. I requested that we buy 500 pens using money from the promotion fund. In addition to the pens it was decided to use items that the Ways and Means Committee has an abundance of. The items that will be used for the Promotional Table are: cell phone cases, carbineer clips and luggage tags.

At Grand Session this year, each Adult that registers will receive a JD window cling.

Below are the expenses of the Promotion Committee:

Candy for Grand Lodge and Grand Chapter	\$58.00
Promotional Pens	\$147.00
	Total expenses \$205.00

2011 Raffle

Jean Shepersky

A money raffle was again held in this Grand Guardian Council year. The raffle drawing was to be held at the GGC Christmas Party at Plato Masonic Lodge, St. Paul on Saturday, November 19, 2011, at 8:00 pm.

We notified the City Council of St. Paul and the Plato Masonic Lodge to get the required permission to hold the raffle at the Christmas Party.

It was decided to print 500 tickets, selling them at \$10 each. Prizes were set at 1st prize-\$1000, 2nd prize-\$750, 3rd prize-\$250, and five 4th prizes at \$100 each.

I printed the raffle tickets myself and sent a bill to the GGC stating how many tickets were printed, what they were numbered, and how much the tickets sold for.

Booklets of 10 tickets each were distributed to adults from each Bethel that was represented at North Pole Camp 2011 and at the Area Conference held at St. Louis Park on September 10, 2011. The tickets were printed on stardust white card stock, sequentially numbered 1 through 500, and perforated with a machine I purchased for this purpose. On the back of each ticket, was printed both of the JDI logos, our promotional statement, our website information, the "Where girls rule.." logo and our MN Job's Daughters logo. The booklets were put into envelopes preprinted for collecting funds, and an envelope addressed to me was included for sending ticket stubs and money. Also included were the Raffle House Rules and Information sheet for Ticket Sellers. Thank you to all of you who took and sold tickets!

Unfortunately, Mother Nature decided to dump heavy, wet snow on Minnesota on Saturday, November 19, 2011. All of the tickets and money were not turned in to me before that day, and because of the storm, many people who were bringing their tickets and money were not able to travel to St. Paul for the Christmas Party. It was decided to postpone the raffle.

When I got home from Minneapolis the following Monday, I contacted the Gambling Control Board and notified them that we postponed the raffle because of inclement weather. In order to postpone, we had to again get permission from the city and the location where the raffle was then to be held. Because the City of St. Paul charges \$50 to grant permission, and to save myself from driving to the cities again to do the raffle, I notified Hematite Lodge, Chisholm, and the City of Chisholm of our wanting to hold our raffle on Monday, December 19, 2011 at 7:00 pm in Chisholm. After getting their permission, I sent all necessary forms to the Gambling Control Board to get a new Permit to hold the raffle. They do not charge \$50 to postpone, but a new permit was required.

The following were the winners of our 2011 raffle:

1st prize: \$1,000 Amy Bican
2nd prize: \$ 750 David Mattson
3rd prize: \$ 250 Broc Coen
4th prizes: \$ 100 Carol Vihovde, M'Lyse Haugen, Ralph Johansen, Flo Leis, Jim Smith

Even though the Minnesota Gambling Association allows youth under 18 to sell raffle tickets and those over 18 to purchase, we discouraged our daughters to sell or purchase tickets.

I had all ticket stubs and moneys come through me, so that I could make the required copies of the deposit tickets for the gambling association, and get the information for the final reporting that needs to be done within 30 days of the raffle drawing.

The cost of printing the tickets, envelopes, and information sheets was \$56.25, and the cost for the gambling permit fees were \$50.00 for the City of St. Paul and \$50.00 for the Gambling Control Board. Forty-six (46) of the 500 tickets were unsold. Prize money of \$2500.00 was paid out, and we realized a profit of \$1,883.75.

Thank you GG Wanda and AGG Jimmy for the opportunity to work on this fundraising endeavor for our GGC.

Recommendations of the Acting Grand Guardian

Beth Bohlmann

1. Continue the 6th Messenger
2. Restart the Council Communicator
3. Continue with the Website

Ritual Competition

Lisa Peterson

Ritual Competition was held on November 5th, 2012 at Grand Bethel Fall-Inn at Cragun's Resort in Brainerd. Girls were able to compete in all 5 Messengers (Individually or as a Team), Story of Job, Chaplain, Proficiency, New Member, Honored Queen, and Guide & Marshal Team. They were scored on verbatim, pronunciation, and overall effect. Robes were worn by the girls competing, but they were not judged.

We had a total of 44 girls or teams compete, and 21 adults help out as judges. The girls did a great job with their competitions; not only in how they performed, but in the encouragement they showed to all girls competing.

Respectfully Submitted,
Lisa Peterson
Ritual Competition Chair

The following are the competition results.

1st Messenger

1st Place – Mariah Benn #11 (100)
2nd Place – Kellie Seberson #85 (99)
3rd Place – Kaela Gangelhoff #16 (98)

Story of Job

1st Place – Kelsey Wyman #53 (97)
2nd Place - none
3rd Place - none

2nd Messenger

1st Place – Eden Lehman #32 (94.5)

2nd Place – Sam Bengston #16 (89)

3rd Place – none

3rd Messenger

1st Place – Piper Beck #53 (94)

2nd Place – Leah Kellogg #16 (92)

3rd Place – Nina Volk #32 (89)

4th Messenger

1st Place – Katie Cherry #11 (98)

2nd Place – Kellie Seberson #85 (89)

3rd Place – Kaitze Tarbell #85 (79)

Messenger Team

3rd Place – tied

Bethel #16 (Athena Anderson, Samantha Bengston, Leah Kellogg, Morgan Pavola, Kaela Gangelhoff)

Bethel #32 (Kori Hennebry, Eden Lehman, Nina Volk, Melissa Van Cleve, Paige Hennebry)

Guide & Marshal

1st Place – none

2nd Place – Bethel #1 (Angie Davis & Kat Akins)

3rd Place – Bethel #16 (Kaela Gangelhoff & Leah Kellogg)

Supreme Team

1st Messenger – Mariah Benn #11

2nd Messenger – Eden Lehman #32

3rd Messenger – Piper Beck #53

4th Messenger – Katie Cherry #11

5th Messenger – Kelsey Wyman #53

Alternate will be decided in the future

Jobie Cash

Jimmy Harris

Reporting Dates: 2-18-11 to 5-15-12

As we all know, the operation of the Grand Guardian Council requires funding. The objections to every fundraiser every year can be summed up into three statements:

1. I don't / can't sell things.
2. I don't have time / money.
3. I am physically unable.

In an effort to meet the needs of our Grand Guardian Council and overcome these objections, Wanda Thompson and I implemented a scrip program.

The net profits from this program for this year through May 15, 2012 is \$2,070.52

Attached to this report, is a cash flow summary and family order history.

Please be sure to join me in thanking those listed for their support and for demonstrating their dedication to our Order. As each of you look at this list, reflect on these things: Am I a member of this Grand Guardian Council? Did I help pass this as a fundraiser last year? Whose name is missing?

Beth Bohlmann, Michelle Jensen, and Jill Cotton have all indicated their enthusiasm for this project and their intention to continue it for the foreseeable future. If you eat, buy clothes, listen to music, watch movies, improve your house, or do almost anything, please make sure your name is on the list next year by buying scrip for those purchases. This is the best way to support Job's Daughters with money your family is already spending.

It has been my pleasure serving the Grand Guardian Council as the scrip coordinator for Jobie Cash. I know that Val Day will do a very good job as she takes over this responsibility. Please be sure to lend her as much support as you are able.

INFLOWS

Donation Inc. 125.32 Order Inc. 13,644.50 TOTAL INFLOWS 13,769.82

OUTFLOWS

Bank Charge 24.45 Order Exp. 11,574.85 TOTAL OUTFLOWS 11,599.30

OVERALL TOTAL 2,170.52

Order History by Family Print Date: 5/15/2012

Organization Grand Guardian Council (GGC) of Minnesota, JDI

Report Period 2/18/2011 to 5/15/2012

16, Bethel

Order Date Order # Payment Type Face Value Net Cost Scrip Rebate

10/26/2011 3491578 Check \$750.00 \$704.75 \$45.25

12/7/2011 3836641 Check \$250.00 \$225.00 \$25.00

12/27/2011 4016086 Check \$100.00 \$96.00 \$4.00

2/21/2012 4319040 Check \$100.00 \$96.69 \$3.31

3/28/2012 4534849 Check \$300.00 \$294.00 \$6.00

Total for : 16, Bethel \$1,500.00 \$1,416.44 \$83.56

Berzelius, Kjersten

Order Date Order # Payment Type Face Value Net Cost Scrip Rebate

8/27/2011 3155180 Check \$25.00 \$23.75 \$1.25

Total for : Berzelius, Kjersten \$25.00 \$23.75 \$1.25

Brandt, Gerald

Order Date Order # Payment Type Face Value Net Cost Scrip Rebate

2/22/2011 2461662 Check \$10.00 \$9.10 \$0.90

12/18/2011 3972666 Check \$300.00 \$283.25 \$16.75

3/24/2012 4508476 PrestoPay \$50.00 \$47.50 \$2.50

Total for : Brandt, Gerald \$360.00 \$339.85 \$20.15

Brandt, S

Order Date Order # Payment Type Face Value Net Cost Scrip Rebate

2/18/2012 4304243 PrestoPay \$50.00 \$49.25 \$0.75

Total for : Brandt, S \$50.00 \$49.25 \$0.75

Brase, Douglas

Order Date Order # Payment Type Face Value Net Cost Scrip Rebate

5/14/2011 2808343 Check \$100.00 \$98.00 \$2.00

Total for : Brase, Douglas \$100.00 \$98.00 \$2.00

Carney, Cassandra

Order Date Order # Payment Type Face Value Net Cost Scrip Rebate

3/7/2012 4412295 PrestoPay \$145.00 \$138.19 \$6.81

3/7/2012 4412296 PrestoPay \$60.00 \$57.60 \$2.40

3/11/2012 4429962 PrestoPay \$2,000.00 \$1,900.00 \$100.00

Order History by Family Print Date: 5/15/2012

Carney, Cassandra

Order Date Order # Payment Type Face Value Net Cost Scrip Rebate

3/13/2012 4448113 PrestoPay \$20.00 \$18.40 \$1.60

Total for : Carney, Cassandra \$2,225.00 \$2,114.19 \$110.81

Cotton, Jill

Order Date Order # Payment Type Face Value Net Cost Scrip Rebate

6/13/2011 2936019 Check \$200.00 \$187.00 \$13.00

6/28/2011 2979915 PrestoPay \$90.00 \$81.50 \$8.50

Total for : Cotton, Jill \$290.00 \$268.50 \$21.50

Day, Valarie

Order Date Order # Payment Type Face Value Net Cost Scrip Rebate

1/29/2012 4184685 PrestoPay \$13.00 \$11.45 \$1.55

2/5/2012 4230485 PrestoPay \$25.00 \$23.75 \$1.25

2/11/2012 4265084 PrestoPay \$10.00 \$9.60 \$0.40

Total for : Day, Valarie \$48.00 \$44.80 \$3.20

Devore, Christine

Order Date Order # Payment Type Face Value Net Cost Scrip Rebate

6/25/2011 2968621 Check \$375.00 \$352.50 \$22.50

11/9/2011 3586497 Check \$1,220.00 \$1,186.10 \$33.90

Total for : Devore, Christine \$1,595.00 \$1,538.60 \$56.40

Harris, Jimmy

Order Date Order # Payment Type Face Value Net Cost Scrip Rebate

2/21/2011 2458800 Check \$100.00 \$98.00 \$2.00

3/2/2011 2496597 Check \$100.00 \$96.00 \$4.00

3/22/2011 2589533 Check \$750.00 \$707.00 \$43.00

3/28/2011 2607048 Check \$25.00 \$23.75 \$1.25

4/11/2011 2663702 Check \$945.00 \$871.80 \$73.20

4/26/2011 2726088 Check \$300.00 \$280.00 \$20.00

5/9/2011 2786115 Check \$800.00 \$759.50 \$40.50

5/9/2011 2786626 Check \$75.00 \$69.75 \$5.25

5/24/2011 2859227 Check \$800.00 \$780.00 \$20.00

6/9/2011 2920926 Check \$150.00 \$143.50 \$6.50

6/16/2011 2945167 Check \$250.00 \$238.00 \$12.00

Order History by Family Print Date: 5/15/2012

Harris, Jimmy

Order Date Order # Payment Type Face Value Net Cost Scrip Rebate

6/16/2011	2945174	Check	\$80.00	\$74.75	\$5.25
6/20/2011	2952844	Check	\$50.00	\$45.50	\$4.50
6/27/2011	2973237	Check	\$200.00	\$183.90	\$16.10
6/28/2011	2979853	Check	\$100.00	\$94.50	\$5.50
7/4/2011	2991030	PrestoPay	\$100.00	\$91.00	\$9.00
7/4/2011	2991031	PrestoPay	\$580.00	\$556.80	\$23.20
7/10/2011	3004467	Check	\$150.00	\$142.50	\$7.50
7/10/2011	3005284	Check	\$150.00	\$143.50	\$6.50
7/10/2011	3005533	Check	\$125.00	\$114.25	\$10.75
7/17/2011	3024475	PrestoPay	\$100.00	\$96.00	\$4.00
7/21/2011	3036370	PrestoPay	\$300.00	\$280.00	\$20.00
8/6/2011	3080129	PrestoPay	\$650.00	\$615.50	\$34.50
8/9/2011	3093614	Check	\$100.00	\$98.00	\$2.00
8/16/2011	3117922	PrestoPay	\$300.00	\$280.00	\$20.00
8/23/2011	3144215	Check	\$370.00	\$345.65	\$24.35
9/7/2011	3205519	Check	\$300.00	\$287.00	\$13.00
9/17/2011	3259761	PrestoPay	\$890.00	\$837.65	\$52.35
9/25/2011	3301583	PrestoPay	\$50.00	\$48.00	\$2.00
10/5/2011	3369996	PrestoPay	\$350.00	\$336.00	\$14.00
10/19/2011	3451371	PrestoPay	\$612.00	\$580.62	\$31.38
10/25/2011	3489781	PrestoPay	\$2,120.00	\$2,054.40	\$65.60
11/2/2011	3538766	PrestoPay	\$225.00	\$205.00	\$20.00
11/2/2011	3538797	PrestoPay	\$225.00	\$205.00	\$20.00
11/14/2011	3620051	PrestoPay	\$1,775.00	\$1,708.50	\$66.50
11/19/2011	3665745	PrestoPay	\$1,290.00	\$1,238.40	\$51.60
11/24/2011	3698953	PrestoPay	\$200.00	\$186.00	\$14.00
12/6/2011	3831463	Check	\$225.00	\$211.50	\$13.50
12/6/2011	3831510	PrestoPay	\$175.00	\$167.50	\$7.50
12/14/2011	3932751	PrestoPay	\$20.00	\$19.20	\$0.80
1/11/2012	4092084	PrestoPay	\$600.00	\$569.50	\$30.50
1/11/2012	4092100	PrestoPay	\$100.00	\$98.00	\$2.00
1/29/2012	4183719	PrestoPay	\$100.00	\$91.00	\$9.00
1/30/2012	4193669	PrestoPay	\$300.00	\$294.00	\$6.00
2/13/2012	4281963	PrestoPay	\$500.00	\$476.00	\$24.00
2/21/2012	4319028	PrestoPay	\$250.00	\$229.25	\$20.75

Order History by Family Print Date: 5/15/2012

Harris, Jimmy

Order Date Order # Payment Type Face Value Net Cost Scrip Rebate

3/11/2012 4430308 PrestoPay \$450.00 \$427.00 \$23.00
3/11/2012 4430309 PrestoPay \$600.00 \$576.00 \$24.00
3/18/2012 4472816 PrestoPay \$250.00 \$229.25 \$20.75
3/28/2012 4534829 PrestoPay \$1,180.00 \$1,128.60 \$51.40
4/22/2012 4657402 PrestoPay \$130.00 \$124.80 \$5.20
Total for : Harris, Jimmy \$20,567.00 \$19,557.32 \$1,009.68

Haugen, Clare

Order Date Order # Payment Type Face Value Net Cost Scrip Rebate

10/9/2011 3391676 Check \$100.00 \$98.00 \$2.00
11/3/2011 3545448 Check \$100.00 \$98.00 \$2.00
11/30/2011 3755202 Check \$100.00 \$98.00 \$2.00
1/5/2012 4052518 Check \$100.00 \$98.00 \$2.00

Total for : Haugen, Clare \$400.00 \$392.00 \$8.00

Haugen, M'Lyse

Order Date Order # Payment Type Face Value Net Cost Scrip Rebate

7/8/2011 3002269 PrestoPay \$200.00 \$187.00 \$13.00
7/8/2011 3002270 PrestoPay \$25.00 \$23.75 \$1.25
8/11/2011 3099342 PrestoPay \$300.00 \$278.00 \$22.00
9/10/2011 3220448 PrestoPay \$300.00 \$278.00 \$22.00
10/14/2011 3418533 PrestoPay \$400.00 \$365.00 \$35.00
11/12/2011 3605483 PrestoPay \$375.00 \$345.00 \$30.00
12/10/2011 3872383 PrestoPay \$450.00 \$417.75 \$32.25
1/8/2012 4067503 PrestoPay \$300.00 \$278.00 \$22.00
2/12/2012 4270075 PrestoPay \$1,300.00 \$1,234.30 \$65.70
3/18/2012 4473890 PrestoPay \$650.00 \$604.00 \$46.00
Total for : Haugen, M'Lyse \$4,300.00 \$4,010.80 \$289.20

Hennebry, DeAnna

Order Date Order # Payment Type Face Value Net Cost Scrip Rebate

12/7/2011 3840214 PrestoPay \$75.00 \$71.50 \$3.50
12/7/2011 3840215 PrestoPay \$30.00 \$27.90 \$2.10
5/2/2012 4723653 PrestoPay \$25.00 \$23.75 \$1.25

Total for : Hennebry, DeAnna \$130.00 \$123.15 \$6.85

Order History by Family Print Date: 5/15/2012

Jackson, Katie

Order Date Order # Payment Type Face Value Net Cost Scrip Rebate

12/1/2011 3760357 Check \$100.00 \$95.00 \$5.00

Total for : Jackson, Katie \$100.00 \$95.00 \$5.00

murray, toni

Order Date Order # Payment Type Face Value Net Cost Scrip Rebate

5/19/2011 2834986 Check \$65.00 \$59.85 \$5.15

6/29/2011 2981263 PrestoPay \$255.00 \$238.24 \$16.76

6/29/2011 2981264 PrestoPay \$100.00 \$98.00 \$2.00

7/13/2011 3016400 PrestoPay \$70.00 \$65.50 \$4.50

8/8/2011 3087103 PrestoPay \$275.00 \$267.00 \$8.00

8/22/2011 3133648 PrestoPay \$100.00 \$98.50 \$1.50

8/22/2011 3133656 PrestoPay \$50.00 \$49.25 \$0.75

8/23/2011 3143030 PrestoPay \$122.96 \$117.62 \$5.34

9/6/2011 3198613 PrestoPay \$120.00 \$110.40 \$9.60

9/6/2011 3198614 PrestoPay \$20.00 \$19.20 \$0.80

10/11/2011 3407347 PrestoPay \$185.00 \$169.25 \$15.75

10/11/2011 3407348 PrestoPay \$20.00 \$19.20 \$0.80

Total for : murray, toni \$1,382.96 \$1,312.01 \$70.95

Niederhaus, Deb

Order Date Order # Payment Type Face Value Net Cost Scrip Rebate

6/11/2011 2926606 Check \$500.00 \$481.00 \$19.00

Total for : Niederhaus, Deb \$500.00 \$481.00 \$19.00

Seberson, Kellie

Order Date Order # Payment Type Face Value Net Cost Scrip Rebate

11/25/2011 3701691 Check \$75.00 \$70.00 \$5.00

Total for : Seberson, Kellie \$75.00 \$70.00 \$5.00

Secretary, Grand Bethel

Order Date Order # Payment Type Face Value Net Cost Scrip Rebate

12/7/2011 3836772 Check \$200.00 \$178.00 \$22.00

2/21/2012 4319114 Check \$100.00 \$96.88 \$3.12

Total for : Secretary, Grand Bethel \$300.00 \$274.88 \$25.12

Order History by Family Print Date: 5/15/2012

Sigsbee, Debra

Order Date Order # Payment Type Face Value Net Cost Scrip Rebate

9/14/2011 3245861 PrestoPay \$75.00 \$72.50 \$2.50
9/14/2011 3245862 PrestoPay \$50.00 \$48.00 \$2.00
1/23/2012 4159015 PrestoPay \$125.00 \$120.50 \$4.50
1/23/2012 4159016 PrestoPay \$30.00 \$28.80 \$1.20

Total for : Sigsbee, Debra \$280.00 \$269.80 \$10.20

Stock, GGC

Order Date Order # Payment Type Face Value Net Cost Scrip Rebate

7/10/2011 3004403 Check \$180.00 \$165.60 \$14.40
10/5/2011 3369962 Check \$448.00 \$416.42 \$31.58
10/26/2011 3491456 Check \$100.00 \$91.00 \$9.00
1/30/2012 4193716 Check \$100.00 \$91.00 \$9.00

Total for : Stock, GGC \$828.00 \$764.02 \$63.98

Thompson, Wanda

Order Date Order # Payment Type Face Value Net Cost Scrip Rebate

2/24/2011 2469736 Check \$109.50 \$105.10 \$4.40
4/26/2011 2726021 Check \$200.00 \$192.00 \$8.00
12/17/2011 3963847 Check \$300.00 \$291.00 \$9.00
2/20/2012 4311762 Check \$500.00 \$481.00 \$19.00
Total for : Thompson, Wanda \$1,109.50 \$1,069.10 \$40.40

Warfield, Nikki

Order Date Order # Payment Type Face Value Net Cost Scrip Rebate

8/24/2011 3145618 Check \$50.00 \$48.50 \$1.50

Total for : Warfield, Nikki \$50.00 \$48.50 \$1.50

Organization Total: \$36,215.46 \$34,360.96 \$1,854.50

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Session 2012

Jean Shepersky

The 86th Annual Session for the Grand Guardian Council of Minnesota was held on June 14-16, 2012, at the Holiday Inn, Alexandria, Minnesota.

During the 85th Annual Session, after discussing the options with VGG Wanda Thompson and VAGG Jimmy Harris, I met with Karla Brummond, Event Coordinator to establish the menus for the 86th Annual Session.

I contacted Dorothy Fuller of the Finance Committee, and the Sessions Committee to discuss the Session Registration Fees. It was decided to set the fees at \$8 for adults and \$3 for Job's Daughters, and not to charge the \$25 late fee. The reasons for not charging late fees this year was so that we could get as many members as possible attending session, and sometimes people's work schedules do not allow them the option of knowing in May if they can attend Session in June.

Because of the physical distance separating the Sessions Committee members and the Grand Guardians, most of the decisions for this session were done by emails and phone calls. All documents, except the proxy form, were prepared by me, and reviewed by Clare Haugen, Grand Secretary, Beth Bohlmann, Acting Grand Guardian, Jimmy Harris, Associate Grand Guardian, and D Hennebry, Sessions Committee Member.

I prepared the forms for the Session mailing, the Voting Cards (Owls on a stick), the Session Program Booklet, Membership Cards for 2012-2013, Name Tags, Meal Tickets, Programs for Formal Banquet and Formal Opening, and Registration Packets. Clare sent out the Session mailing, many by e-mail to lower our costs. As registrations were received, I e-mailed or snail-mailed confirmations to each person. During and following Grand Session, I prepared final reports for the Credentials Committee and the Grand Secretary. At the conclusion of Session, the Grand Secretary was presented with a spreadsheet of the detail of monies collected, lists of those ordering directories, proceedings, and 6th Messenger subscriptions, and copies of the invoices from the Holiday Inn, with details balancing all of the expenses. Clare and I are happy to report this all balanced out! I also printed out extra Membership Cards for 2012-2013, pre-numbered, for Clare to use for memberships paid after Session was over.

This year, I added a map of the Holiday Inn to the Session Program Booklet-hopefully that was helpful in finding your way around the hotel. Colored pencils were provided to color the owl voting cards, and for doodling. Paper garbage bags were also placed on the tables for convenience, kept the meeting room cleaner, and made it easier to clean up.

Total Registrations of 117 included: Voting members - 64, MN Job's Daughters – 18, Visiting Job's Daughters-1, Other MN Adults - 19, Distinguished Visitors and Visiting Adults - 15. We had 7 Distinguished Guests. Visitors included 4 Adults and 1 Job's Daughter from Manitoba, 1 Adult from Saskatchewan, 3 Adult Visitors from the Supreme Guardian Council.

Meal attendance was as follows: Thursday Thank You Dinner - 26; Friday Breakfast - 10; Friday Lunch - 19; Friday Banquet - 74 (included 6 comp'd meals); Saturday Breakfast - 12; Saturday lunch - 26; and Saturday Box Supper - 19.

Orders for 2012-2013 Directories were 62, for 2012 Proceedings was 25, and Sixth Messenger Subscriptions were 23 e-mailed and 14 mailed.

Thank you to PGG D Hennebry, Session Committee Member, Sandy Churchill, Prue Wirtz, Jeanne Whetstone, Marlene Nevala, and Janet Wyman for all their help. Thanks also to PGG Rosie Guntzel and PGG Don DeMars for hosting our Distinguished Guests.

A special thank you, again, to PGG Bobbie Lampi, for the use of her keyboard during this session. This saves us approximately \$350 a session because we don't have to rent a keyboard.

Thank you to Wanda and Jimmy for appointing me to this committee. Planning a session is a lot of hard work, but is also very rewarding to complete the necessary task!

GRAND SESSION 2012 FINAL FINANCIAL REPORT

INCOME

Grand Session Total Income	\$5578.00
Reimburse Fri. Nite Reception	60.34
Reimburse Sat. Nite Reception	<u>60.34</u>
TOTAL	\$5698.68

EXPENSES

Holiday Inn Alexandria	\$3082.46
Membership 2011-2012	40.00
Membership 2012-2013	760.00
Directories	310.00
6 th Messenger	167.00
Bethel #48	10.00
(Membership Paid Twice)	
D Hennebry	47.00
(Reimburse Meals)	
Jean Shepersky	81.81
(GS Expenses)	
Beth Bohlmann	39.94
(GS Expenses)	
D Hennebry	<u>13.72</u>
(GS Expenses)	
TOTAL	\$4551.93

GRAND SESSION 2012 NET RECEIPTS \$1146.75

(The cost of printing the 2012 Proceedings will come out of the Grand Session 2012 Net Receipts.)

Sno Ball

Katie Jackson

The annual Sno Ball dance for 2012 was held at the St. Paul Masonic Center on Saturday February 18, 2012

Expenses: Food and Decorations.....\$331.43

DJ.....\$200.00

Total Expenses.....\$531.43

Potential Profit from Dance: \$458.57

Attendance: Approx. 99

Adult help used this year:

- 3 Judges
- 3 to 5 General Chaperones—Extra adults to be used in the event that someone shows up with out a chaperone so that they are covered. This rarely happens due to all of the youth organizations have specific chaperone rules.
- 2 Kitchen/Snack table help—Keeps snack table clean and filled during the night.
- 2 Sign in table helpers—collecting money and having people sign in. 2 people used to make paying and signing in for the dance run smoothly and go faster
- Photographer—Kara Berzelius

Snacks included:

Sugar and Chocolate Chip Cookies-Planned for 2-3 per person about 120 people

Popcorn, Chips and Pretzels

Fruit Punch

Paper products purchased this year included:

Bowls, Napkins and Cups

2011 Sno Ball Queen Emily Stout and I had a great time planning the dance this year. Glo Ball 2012 was a great success.

SnoBall 2012 Financial Report

February 18, 2012

<u>Income</u>	\$ 990.00
<u>Expenses</u>	
DJ	\$ 200.00
Decorations & Food	331.43
Total	\$ 531.43
<u>Difference</u>	\$ 458.57
\$150.00 Advance Repaid	150.00
SnoBall Dance Profit	\$ 308.57

Solicitations Letter
D Hennebry

On March 16, 2012 we printed 244 solicitation letters and mailed to the Masonic Lodges and Eastern Star Chapters in Minnesota. As of June 4, 2012 we have collected \$1883.50.

Special Projects Ways and Means
Jeanne Whetstone

To the Acting Grand Guardian Beth, Associate Grand Guardian Jimmy, and members of the Grand Guardian Council

GG's Special Project Ways and Means of Cups and Knapsacks were sold at major events.
Expenses – Cost of Goods Sold were \$1004.57
Income as of May 12, 2012 were \$1000.00

All the proceeds went into the general fund.

Spirit Award
Toni Murray

It was my pleasure to be the Spirit Award chairman again this year.

I love looking at all the events the Bethels do on a term by term basis. Many events are the same between the bethels but many are different. The creativity shines through. No matter how small or how big the bethel is; all can receive this award. It only takes a small amount of effort and communication among the bethel to achieve this award. It is gratifying to see what you can do as a group.

Congratulations to the 10 bethels who participated, 8 bethels submitted the paper work for both terms. Receiving the award for the Fall Term 2011 are #1, #17, #28, #32, #48, #53, #76, #85 and #93. Receiving the award for the Spring Term 2012 are #1, #17, #28, #32, #39, #53, #76, #85 and #93.

I would like to thank Wanda Thompson Grand Guardian at the time for appointing me to this committee. It has been very rewarding for me.

I would like to make a recommendation that the budget allotted of \$25.00 be raised to \$70.00. This would cover the cost of purchasing a bar if all bethels (16) participated in both terms in the year. As the trend not all bethels participate, but one has to be prepared just in case it does happen.

I have been to a few different places to price out the bars we have been giving to the bethels. They range anywhere from \$2.00 to \$7.50 each before taxes. Even at the cheapest rate we would only be able to purchase 12 bars at the current allotted dollars.

No bars were given out last year, only certificates. Bethels were not happy about this and I don't blame them. Each bethel works hard at achieving the recommended requirements needed. There are bethels that haven't missed a year of getting the award in the form of a bar in years. They are able to display their achievements with pride. If the bars are taken away it would not surprise me that participation will come to a mere stop.

Thank you

Supreme Session 2011
Beth Bohlmann

Supreme Session 2011 was held in St. Louis Missouri at the Millenium Hotel July 27-30. Some of the highlights of the Session were:

Tuesday: Our MN Ritual Team Competed in Messenger Team. Those representing MN were: Angie Davis Bethel #1, Katie Cherry #11, Mariah Benn #11, Melissa Van Cleve #32, Mary Redd #53, Kellie Seberson #85. The team did make MN proud! They were coached by Toni Murray #93

Wednesday: Start of the Business Meeting where Ritual Revision was the topic. Formal Opening where GBHQ Kellie Jackson carried in the MN Flag and GG Wanda Thompson and AGG Jimmy Harris were escorted in.

Thursday: MN Dinner and Miss International Job's Daughters Pageant where our very own Kellie Seberson Miss MNJD 2010-11 placed in the top ten! Later all gathered for a social time hosted by our GG.

Friday: Supreme Bethel Installation where; Kellie Seberson was Installed as Supreme Bethel Inner Guard, Mariah Benn #11 was Installed as Supreme Bethel Representative to Queensland, Australia, Jayne White #48 was installed as Supreme Bethel Representative to Mato Graso Do Sul, Brazil and Katie Cherry #11 was the Installing Marshal for the evening.

Saturday: Supreme Installation of Officers where Clare Haugen #1 was installed as Supreme 4th Messenger. Gayle Johnson has been appointed as Supreme Deputy to Manitoba, Joy Erickson has been appointed to the Arts and Crafts Competition. Bobbie Lampi is continuing to serve on the Supreme Board of Trustees.

Those from MN in attendance were:

Angela Smith	Ashton Gergen	Becca Mayer Cherry
Beth Bohlmann	Beth Brown	Bobbie Lampi
Chris Devore	Clare Haugen	Cori Meyer
Emily Robinson	Jackie Benn	Jackie Niederhaus
Jade Willett	Janessa Dahle	Jayna White
Jena Muntifering	Jenna Larson	Jill Larson
Jimmy Harris	Joanie Peterson	Kaitze Tarbell
Katie Cherry	Katie Jackson	Kayla Woodard
Kellie Jackson	Kellie Seberson	Lane Bohlmann
Lisa Cherry	Mariah Benn	Marietta Herrera
Marilyn Benn	Mary Reed	MaryLynn Montgomery
Melissa Van Cleve	Nika Kingdon	Pam Leech
Savanna Harris	Toni Murray	Wanda Thompson

**Twins game
Al Niederhaus**

On July 24th, 154 Jobies, Masons, friends and family attended the 2nd annual All Masonic day at the Twins game. We had reserved 262 tickets, but we were only able to sell 154. I believe this was due to the fact that we added a t-shirt into the package as a way to increase some more revenue. This drove the cost of the Game Day experience to \$40.00 a piece. We had hoped to raise a little more than \$1500.00, after all expenses, we were able to raise, \$952.20. Please see the attached financial statement.

The highlight of the day was our Job's Daughters signing the 7th Inning stretch and getting their beautiful faces on the Jumbotron. Looking forward to 2012, we have 250 tickets reserved for Sunday September 9th. And advertising has already been sent out, and orders have already been received.

2011 Twins Game

July 24th

Revenue	Projected	Actual	Variance
	Amount	Amount	Amount
Tickets @ \$40.00			
Projected 262	\$10,480.00		
Actual 154		\$6,160.00	
Net Income	\$10,480.00	\$6,160.00	\$(4,320.00)
Expenses -- Fixed	Projected	Actual	
	Amount	Amount	Amount
Twins Tickets -- 262 @ \$28	\$7,336.00		
154 @ \$28		\$4,322.00	\$10.00 Handling
T-Shirts -- 262 @ 5.95	\$1,588.90		
154		\$885.80	\$5.75 ea. Avg.
	\$8,924.90	\$5,207.80	\$(3,717.10)
Expenses -- Discretionary	Projected	Actual	
	Amount	Amount	Amount
			0
Net Income (Loss)	\$1,555.10	\$952.20	\$(602.90)

Other Ways & Means
Jeanne Whetstone

To Acting Grand Guardian Beth, Associate Grand Guardian Jimmy, and members of the Grand Guardian Council

Other Ways and Means sold at major events.

Other Ways and Means:

PGG's Jewelry proceeds were: \$1.00

Old Cookbooks proceeds were: \$ 20.00

Playing Cards proceeds were: \$ 1.00

Total = \$22.00

All the proceeds went into the general fund.

Balance on Hand – June 1, 2011			3885.95
Receipts:			
Silent Auction at Grand Session		273.00	
Tumblers/Backpacks		150.00	
Twins Game Tickets 2011		3560.00	
\$2720.00 was deposited in 2010-11 GGC year			
Raffle ticket sales		4540.00	
Ways and Means Sales		528.45	
Grand Session 2011	69.00		
Camp 2011	69.00		
Fall-Inn 2011	156.91		
Grand Bethel 2012	233.54		
Doc Morgan Sales		672.63	
Fall-Inn 2011	438.03		
Grand Bethel 2012	234.60		
Return Change from sales		425.00	
Total Receipts			10149.08
Dispersements			
Backpacks/Tumblers – to GGC		150.00	
Raffle		4540.00	
Expenses	156.25		
Prizes	2500.00		
Pay to JDI-GGC of MN – profit	1883.75		
2011 Twins tickets		6280.00	
Pay for tickets	4322.00		
T-shirts	885.80		
Reimburse tickets	120.00		
Pay to JDI-GGC of MN – profit	952.20		
Ways and Means Sales		371.23	
Stuffed animal supplies	73.73		
Shorts	297.50		
Change for sales		425.00	
Doc Morgan		672.63	
Inventory	565.11		
Sales tax	38.27		
Pay to JDI-GGC of MN – profit	69.25		
return postage was donated			
Total Dispersements			12438.86
Balance on hand – June 1, 2012			1596.17
Profit for 2011-12 GGC year			

Silent Auction	273.00		
Doc Morgan	69.25		
Sales	157.22		
Twins Game	952.20		
Raffle	1883.75		

Website Report Jimmy Harris

There have been several changes to the website this year. We have moved all of the Constitution and Bylaws to the home page. We have also implemented a FaceBook page for both Minnesota Job's Daughters and our scrip fundraiser "JobieCash". The administrators for these FaceBook Pages are the Executive members of the Grand Guardian Council.

It was decided this year that Bethel Guardians may request email accounts and password resets for Bethel Guardian Council offices; however, all personal accounts must be requested by the individual.

Acting Grand Guardian Beth Bohlmann intends to send all communications to mnjd email accounts. I fully support her efforts to encourage each member to utilize these accounts. This will facilitate better and more accurate communications. It will also enable anybody to send information because all of the accounts are assigned names in a standardized format. To find anybody, all the information that is necessary is the name and/or office and Bethel number of the individual.

The topic has come up throughout this year about the need for a members only portion of the website. Generally, all of the information ends up on the home page because various members insist on not having to sign in. The argument for a members only portion is to keep some information private and to have a place to post pictures of the Daughters. Another argument for the members only portion is to make the home page more about promotion and keeping it our "Public Face". I believe this topic deserves more consideration and discussion in the upcoming months.

Thank you for the privilege of serving you as your Web Master for this term.

Writing Report Emily Niederhaus

I served as Chairman for the Writing Competition this past year. I had two judges serve with me: Martha Peck, PGBHQ, PHQ #82 Allen Park, Michigan and Larry Jensen PAGG PABG #48 Anoka Minnesota.

We had three categories: poetry, short story and brochure. For each of the categories we divided up the entries from 10-15 and 16-19. We had a good number of entries for each of the categories.

It was very interesting to see what each of the girls had to say and their ability to write. It was a pleasure serving as the Writing Competition Chairman this year.

Sign Language was not done this year.

Reports not received:

Alumni

Awards/Membership

Credentials

Finance

Sewing

Recipients of the Degree of Royal Purple

- 1982 Barbara Brihn, MM, PHQ, PBG, #92 Bloomington
 Leslie Olufson, MM, PHQ, BG #41 St. Louis Park
 Michelle Pierson, MM, PHQ, PBG, #84 Minneapolis
- 1983 Jane Cox, MM, PHQ, PBG, #72 Duluth
 Thera Wiersma, MM, PHQ, PBG, #60 Cloquet
- 1985 Dorthea Berglund, MM, PHQ, PBG, #16 St. Paul, GG
- 1986 Mary Williamson, MM, PHQ, PBG, #5 Bemidji
- 1987 Martha Belfanz, MM, PHQ, #40 Minneapolis
 Brenda Peterson, MM, PHQ, BG, #89 Nashwauk

Jeanne Whetstone, MM, #1 Richfield

1988 Donna Larson, MM, PHQ, BG #65 South St. Paul

1990 Gayle Schmick (Johnson), MM, PHQ, PBG, #18 Minneapolis

1993 Sue Redburn, MM, PBG, #39 Robbinsdale
Diane Ritchie, MM, PBG, #18 Minneapolis, PGG

1994 Jan Hermanson, MM, PBG, #41 St. Louis Park
Carol Vihovde, MM, PHQ, #18 Minneapolis, PBG #1 Richfield, PGG

1995 Anita Florest, MM, PBG #19 Minneapolis
Sheryl Green (Miller), MM, PHQ, PBG, #85 Shakopee
Lisa Ketola, MM, PHQ, #6 Virginia, PBG #76 North St. Paul

1996 Peg Oliver, MM, PBG, #48 Anoka
Karen Pehle, MM, PHQ, PBG, #0 Minneapolis, PGBHQ

1998 Anne Haefner, MM, PHQ, PBG, #9 Mankato

2000 Kathy Moland, MM, PHQ, #28 Duluth

2001 M. Joy Erickson, MM, PJP, #32 Kensington, MD, PBG #32 Moorhead, PGG
LeeAnn Hill, MM, PBG, #5 Bemidji, PGG
LoAnn Ramlo, MM, PBG, #32 Moorhead, PGG
Sarah Winslow Brewer, MM, PHQ, #65 St. Paul, PBG #65, VGG

2002 Barb Billig, MM, PBG, #11 St. Cloud
Bobbie Lampi, MM, PHQ, #67 Crosby, PBG #11 St. Cloud, PGG
DeAnna Hennebry, MM, PHQ, BG, #32 Moorhead, PBG #26 Fergus Falls
Kim Showers, MM, PBG, #41 St. Louis Park

2003 Janet Delperdang, MM, PBG, #40 Minneapolis
Rosemary Guntzel, MM, PHQ, #84, PBG, #39, VGG
Leslea Partridge, MM, PHQ, PBG #17 Owatonna
Joanie Peterson, MM, PHQ, PBG, #41 St. Louis Park, PGG
Shelby Dunn Tufenk, MM, PHQ, PBG, #53 St. Paul Park, MMJD

2004 Corla Niesen, MM, PHQ, PBG, #85 Shakopee
Jean Shepersky, MM, PBG #61 Chisholm, GGde
Vicki Toepper, MM, PHQ, PBG, #53 St. Paul Park

2005 Sandy MacPherson, MM, PHQ, PBG, #39 Robbinsdale

2006 Pam Leech, MM, PHQ, #28 Duluth, PBG #76 White Bear Lake, VGG
Jackie Norling, MM, PHQ, PBG, #39 Robbinsdale
Amanda Guntzel, MM, PHQ, PBG, #39 Robbinsdale

2007 Marlene Nevala, MM, PBG #19 Minneapolis
Linda Snyder, MM, PBG #65 St. Paul
Cheryl Harder, MM, PBG #28 Duluth

2008 M'Lyse Haugen, MM, PHQ, PBG, #1 Minneapolis
Beth Bohlmann, MM, PHQ, BG #32 Moorhead

2009 Pat Lamon, MM, PBG #39 Robbinsdale

2010 (None)

2011 Lynne Thompson, BG #40, PHQ, MM #1, PGBHQ

Recipients of the Golden Triangle Award

1988

Jerry Ackerman, #84
Marie Ackerman, #84
Sandy Burich, #12
Carolene Christofferson, #65
Lee Dunn, #53
George Elliot, #8
Leona Ellior, #8
Debbie Etoll, #65
Diane Field, #5
Dorothy Fuller, #83
Louise Kulvich, #53
Sandy Ohren, #4
Greg Pierson, #84
Mickey Pierson, #84
Diane Ritchie, #18
Louis Schmidt, #62
Nancy Schmidt, #62
Pat Shay, #53
Ruth Sejnoha, #89
Carol Vihovde, #1
Fred Vihovde, #1
Gene Wiersma, #60
Thera Wiersma, #60
Ned Wittman, #63
Urban Blaisdell, #32
(Posthumously)

1989

Elaine Blaisdell, #32
Jerry Dunn, #53
Barbara Keller, #45
Lois Krause, #63
Marlene Nevala, #19
1993 (Continued)
Jeanene Tendrup, #40

1995

Carol Anderson, #1
Carol Gillett, #32
Joan Peterson, #41
Judy Walker, #1

1996

Connie Chapinski, #28
Carol Magnuson, #41
Donita Papas, #41
Jan Hermanson, #41
Jerry Oliver, #48

1997

Bill Cavers #6
LeeAnn Hill, #5

1998

Rosalyn Boyhtari, #2
James Billig, #11
Barbara Billig, #11
Sue Ovaldson, #65

1989 (continued)

Yvonne Olson, #2
Karen Parson, #5
Ila Stavaas, #26
Jeanne Whetstone, #1

1990

Jim Andreas, #63
Dee Berglund, #16
Marie Cavers, #6
Betty Dines, #65
Kenneth Dines, #65
Sue Haasis, #6
Cy Iverson, #18
John Lattimore, #39
Danny Potter, #37
Ramona Potter, #37
Joanne Schmidt, #5
Roger Schmidt, #5

1991

Joanne Torfin, #5
LoAnn Ramlo, #32
Mary Cameron, #48
Ann Franklin, #89
Brenda Peterson, #89

1992

Lynda Alar, #6
Diane Bradley, #23
Lilly Downer, #40
Joy Erickson, #32
Mary Gursky, #19
Marilyn Iverson, #18
1999 (continued)
Linda Bican, #85
Clare Haugen, #1
Bonnie Smallbeck, #93

2000

Don DeMars, #28
Cynthia McDonald, #39
Jim Boelter, #93, #48
Robert Haugen, #1
Linda Snyder, #65
Deb Bowen, #79

2001

Charles Anderson, #45
Pam Anderson, #45
Marla McFetridge, #85
Julie Peterson, #5
Jean Shepersky, #61

2002

Mike Elwell, #53
Greg Lane, #76
Wanda Thompson, #1
Vicki Toepper, #53

1992 (continued)

Norma Leverson, #33
Barbara Grove, #11
(posthumously)
Lee Marconett, #6
Phyllis Marconett, #6
George Miller, #39
Peg Oliver, #48
Howard Roins, #13
Faye Swanstrom, #11

1993

Roy Allison, #19
Cindy Coleman, #85
Richard Coleman, #85
Harding Dahlstrom, #63
Sheryl Green (Miller), #85
Kerri Hanson, #40
Nancy Haroldson, #13
Patricia Knoer, #5
Sandra Knoke, #19
Donna Larsen, #65
Carol Loutzenheiser, #13
John Loutzenheiser, #13
Lyle Mayo, #23
Margaret McKenzie, #19
Kathy Moland, #28
Judy Nordstrom, #41
Leslea Partridge, #17
Muriel Pehle, #40
Dexter Pehle, #40
Jane Schwartzwalter, #26
Muriel Scott, #28
Jan Stein, #39

2004

Linda Harmon, #76

2005

Lori Bahe, #11
Carole Phillippe, #85

2006

M'Lyse Haugen, #1

2007

Sandy Churchill, #61
Ward Gillett, #32
DeAnna Hennebry, #32

2008

Ed Jensen, #76
Pat Lane, #76

2009

Michelle Jensen, #48

2010

Jill Cotton, #53
Toni Murray, #1

1999

Loren Pederson, #32
Gayle Johnson, #18
Laurie Shoop, #19
Julie Jacobson, #89

2003

Carmen Coon, #32
Sue Goebel, #93
Dave MacPherson, #39

2011

John Murray, #1

2012

Ken Carroll, #41

Recipients of the Heritage Award**2005**

Don DeMars, #28
Ned Wittman, #63

2006

Greg Lane, #76
George Miller, #39 (Given in 2007)

2007

Jim Billig, #11
Cy Iverson, #18, #85

2008

Charles Anderson, #45
Brad Johnson, #40

2009

Jerry Oliver, #48 (Given in 2010)
Ted Martz, #40

2010

Jerry Ackerman, #84

2011

Fred Vihovde, #1

2012

Robert Armogast, #84

2012 Attendees at Grand Session

Bethel #	Last Name	First Name	Title(s)
#28-Duluth	DeMars	Don	PAGG, PABG #28
#85-Shakopee	Miller	Sheryl	PGG, PBG, PHQ, MM, RP
#84-Minneapolis	Armagost	Robert	PAGG
#84-Minneapolis	Armagost	Patricia	Wife
#83-St Charles/#13-Rochester	Fuller	Dorothy	PGG
Michigan	Johnson	Ron	VASG
Michigan	Link-Johnson	Jeannie	PGG, PHQ
#1-Minneapolis	Haugen	Clare	Grand Secretary, PGG
#1-Minneapolis	Haugen	Robert	
#11-St.Cloud	Billig	James	PABG #11, PAGBG, PAGG
#11-St.Cloud	Billig	Barbara	PBG #11, MM, RP
#18-Minneapolis	Ritchie	Diane	PGG, PBG, MM, RP
#1-Mpls/#76-WBL/#11-St. Cloud	Meyer	Cori	PBG
#45-Litchfield	Anderson	Chuck	PAGG, PABG #45
#45-Litchfield	Anderson	Pam	PBG #45, MM #39
#28-Duluth/#76-White Bear Lake	Leech	Pam	PGG, PHQ, PBG, MM, RP
#32-Moorhead	Bohlmann	Beth	Acting Grand Guardian
#32-Moorhead	Hennebry	D	BG, PGG
#32-Moorhead	Gillett	Carol	PBG, PGG
#32-Moorhead	Gillett	Ward	PABG
#32-Moorhead	Van Cleve	Melissa	Miss MNJD
#33-Albert Lea	Churchill	Sandra	PBG #33, MM #61
#61-Chisholm	Shepersky	Jean	PGG, PBG, MM, RP
Michigan	Willard	Karen	PHQ, PGG Michigan
#39-Robbinsdale	Guntzel	Rosemary	Guardian Secy, PGG
#39-Robbinsdale	Niederhaus	Jaclyn	GBHQ, PHQ #39
#39-Robbinsdale	Niederhaus	Emily	PGBHQ, PHQ #39, MM
#39-Robbinsdale	Niederhaus	Deb	PGBHQ, PHQ #80, PBG, MM
#89-Nashwauk	Sejnoha	Ruth	PBG #89
#19-Minneapolis	Florest	Anita	PGG
#19-Minneapolis	Gursky	Mary	PBG, PGG
#48-Anoka	Hansel	Janet	BG #48
#60-Cloquet	Wiersma	Thera	PGG, PBG, PHQ, MM, RP
#60-Cloquet	Wiersma	Gene	PABG #60
#1-Minneapolis	Haugen	M'Lyse	BG #1
#19-Monticello	Nevala	Marlene	Grand Dir of Music, PBG, MM, RP
Grand Lodge AF & AM of MN	Halpaus	Ed	Senior Grand Steward
Grand Lodge AF & AM of MN	Halpaus	Sharon	Wife
#76-White Bear Lake	Dixon	Timothy	VAGG
#76-White Bear Lake	Dixon	Cheryl	
#16/#65-St. Paul	Brandt	Gerry	Grand Treasurer, PABG #65
#16-St. Paul	Jaeger	Sherri	Grand 3rd Msgr, Guardian Secy
#16-St. Paul	Jaeger	Brittany	2nd Messenger
#53-St. Paul Park	Goebel	Sue	PGG, BG #53
#53-St. Paul Park	Cotton	Joyce	Guardian Dir of Epochs, PGBHQ, PHQ, MM
#53-St. Paul Park	Cotton	Jill	Grand Marshal, G. Secy, PBG
#28-Duluth	Jubala	Gail	Guardian Treasurer, PBG
#28-Duluth	Jubala	John	Grand Inner Guard, ABG
#1-Minneapolis	Whetstone	Jeanne	PBG #1, MM, RP
#11-St. Cloud	Cherry	Lisa	BG #11
#11-St. Cloud	Benn	Jackie	Guardian Secy
#11-St. Cloud	Benn	Marilyn	PHQ, Recorder
#11-St. Cloud	Muntifering	Jena	HQ
#11-St. Cloud	Lampi	Bobbie	PGG, PHQ, MM, RP
#76-White Bear Lake	Jackson	Katie	Grand Chaplain, G Secy, PGBHQ
#76-White Bear Lake	Jackson	Kellie	PGBHQ, PHQ #76, MM
#76-White Bear Lake	Smith	Angela	BG, PHQ, MM
#85-Shakopee	Black	Alida	BG

#85-Shakopee	Bican	Amy	Guardian Treasurer
#85-Shakopee	Bican	Linda	PBG
#85-Shakopee	Seberson	Kellie	SB Inner Guard, PHQ, MM, Miss MNJD 10-11
#85-Shakopee	Tarbell	Katie	PHQ, MM
#85-Shakopee	Tarbell	Kaitze	PHQ
#32-Moorhead	Garten	Emily	PBG #32
#40-Minneapolis	Pehle	Dexter	PAGG, PGBAGG
#40-Minneapolis	Pehle	Muriel	PBG
#76-White Bear Lake	Ness	Gary	ABG
#76-White Bear Lake	Ness	Kristie	G Treasurer
#76-White Bear Lake	Ness	Kandace	Sr Princess, PHQ #76
#17-Owatonna	Brase	Douglas	Grand Sr Custodian, ABG
#17-Owatonna	Brase	CJ	PHQ, PGBHQ, PBG
#53-St. Paul Park	Wyman	Janet	PBG
#53-St. Paul Park	Wyman	Kelsey	Miss MNJD 2009-10
#41-St. Louis Park	Peterson	Joan	PHQ, PGG, RP, G Secretary #41
#93-Osseo	Murray	Toni	Grand 1st Msgr, BGS #93, PBG #1, #93
#93-Osseo	Murray	John	PAGG, PABG #1, #40
#1-Minneapolis	Sigsbee	Debra	Grand 5th Msgr, D of Epochs #1, PBG #65, PGBHQ
#41-St. Louis Park	Carroll	Kenneth	PAGG, PABG
#41-St. Louis Park	Jensen	Michelle	Grand Guide
#41-St. Louis Park	Jensen	Larry	PAGG
#93-Osseo	Day	Valarie	BG #93
#93-Osseo	Munoz	Emilio	Grand Outer Guard, ABG #93
#11-St.Cloud	Benn	Mariah	
Rainbow for Girls	Gross	Jane	Harmony Assembly #3, IA/MN
#18-Minneapolis	Johnson	Gayle	PGG
Saskatchewan	Galvin	Sheila	PGG
#11-St.Cloud	Gergen	Ashton	HQ #19, PHQ #11
#48-Anoka	Montgomery	Mary Lynn	PBG
#28-Duluth	Jubala	Gail	
#28-Duluth	Jubala	John	
#32-Moorhead	Ramlo	Lo Ann	PGG, PBG, PHQ, MM, RP
#76-White Bear Lake	Harmon	Linda	PGG, PGBG, PBG
#32-Moorhead	Haagenson	DeNae	
#32-Moorhead	ABG		
#17-Owatonna	Partridge	Leslea	BGS, PBG, MM, RP
#17-Owatonna	Partridge	Anna	BG, PHQ, MM
#17-Owatonna	Hager	Jennifer	PHQ, MM
#48-Anoka	Larson	Jenna	PHQ, MM, PSBHQ 2008-2009
#48-Anoka	Herrera	Marietta	GB Treasurer, JP #48
#48-Anoka	Golder	Sara	GB Jr Princess, Chaplain #48
Amaranth	Beliveau	Janice	Past Grand Royal Matron, Amaranth
#16-St. Paul	Thompson	Wanda	PBG #1 & 65
#16-St. Paul	Thompson	Lynnae	BG, GB Secretary, PBGHQ, MM, RP
#17-Owatonna	McNeely	James	PAGG, PBG
#32-Moorhead	Van Cleve	Kaylee	PHQ
#76-White Bear Lake	Dixon	Christine	
#19-Monticello	Peterson	Lisa	
#39-Robbinsdale	McDonald	Cynthia	Worthy Grand Matron, Order of Eastern Star
Order of the Eastern Star	Speller	Curt	Worthy Grand Patron, Order of the Eastern Star
Order of the Eastern Star	Speller	Louise	Escort of Worthy Grand Patron
#17-Owatonna	Harris	Jimmy	AGG, PABG #17
#17-Owatonna	Harris	Sarahle	PBG #17
#17-Owatonna	Harris	Savannah	
#17-Owatonna	Krestad	Dorothy	
#17-Owatonna	Masche	Leann	PBG #17
#32-Moorhead	Erickson	Joy	PGG, PBG, PJP, MM, RP
#48-Anoka	Golder	Al	PABG