

Royal Arch Resource Course – Series I

Part 2

Instructions are the same as for Part 1 (Please print all answers)

Name _____ Chapter _____ No. _____

Address _____ Office presently held _____

City, State, Zip _____ Time to Complete ____ Hrs. ____ Min

Date Completed _____

The answers to the following questions will be found in the Code of Capitular Masonic Jurisprudence.

Location of Answer:

100.03

1. How many Convocations must be held by each Subordinate Chapter each year?

Answer:

2. How many Royal Arch Masons are necessary to open a Chapter and transact business?
_____ Who must be present?

Answer:

3. According to your own Chapter's By-Laws are the three veilsmen and Royal Arch Captain appointed? _____ If "No", what section of the Code says they must be elected?

Answer:

4. If a member of your Chapter objects to a Candidate's receiving the Degrees, may you ask him his reasons? _____ If he chooses to state his reasons, what follows?

Answer:

5. What information must be transmitted to the Grand Secretary immediately upon the election of Officers.

Answer:

6. A member who has not paid his Dues is noted as "Suspended" after what date?
_____ "Indefinitely Suspended after what date? _____

7. Written notice must be sent to the Chapter membership at least twice each year. What events are the two notices to announce?

Answer: 1. _____ 2. _____

8. A member may be granted a Demit (requested in writing) without action of the Chapter if two requirements are met. What are they?

Answer: 1. _____ 2. _____

_____ 9. There are certain differences in procedure when Installation is in a special meeting where non-members may be invited. What are the differences? (Give 8.)

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.
- 6.
- 7.
- 8.

_____ 10. What is the deadline for a Chapter to pay its Grand Dues? _____
What are the penalties prescribed for a Chapter which fails to make an Annual Return or pay its Grand Dues by the deadline?

Answer:

_____ 11. Under what conditions may petitions be balloted upon collectively?

Answer:

_____ 12. A friends petition will be balloted upon at our next meeting and I cannot be present. Can I vote by proxy?

Answer:

_____ 13. When a Chapter receives a Certificate from some other Chapter in Ohio that a member has petitioned for Membership and been elected therein, what three provisions may prevent the issuance of a Certificate of transferred membership?

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

_____ 14. To what Bodies other than Grand Chapter must the Chapter Secretary send official notice of the suspension, expulsion or reinstatement of its members?

Answer:

_____ 15. What procedure is followed to restore to membership an Expelled member?

Answer:

_____ 16. What three member Committee shall be appointed by the High Priest on the night of his election or installation? _____ What are its duties?

Answer:

_____ 17. Who is eligible to be elected High Priest of his Chapter?

Answer:

_____ 18. May a member hold two elected offices in a Chapter at the same time?

Answer:

_____ 19. What procedure is followed to remit the Dues of a member?

- 1.
- 2.

This must be accomplished by what deadline? _____ For how long is the remission valid? _____ What record of this must be kept?

_____ 20. If a Chapter Officer dies during his term, how is the vacancy filled?

Answer:

_____ 21. What form must an "Objection" take in Chapter?

Answer:

_____ 22. In what degree is the "business" of the Chapter handled?

Answer:

_____ 23. The Officers of a Chapter must be installed within _____ days of election.

_____ 24. Only three items of business may be transacted at a special Convocation. What are they?

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

_____ 25. An election may be conducted only in what manner?

Answer:

_____ 26. When may a Chapter of Royal Arch Masons be opened by declaration?

Answer:

_____ 27. A petition may not be withdrawn after what point in its progress?

Answer:

_____ 28. Through what circumstances may an Ohio Royal Arch Mason hold Dual Membership?

Answer:

_____ 29. What procedure must be followed if a petition for affiliation or for degrees is received from a Master Mason residing outside of Ohio?

Answer:

_____ 30. What procedure is followed if a Companion not a member of the Chapter objects to the conferring of degrees upon a Candidate?

Answer:

_____ 31. A Chapter may meet in any place dedicated to Masonic purposes to confer the Mark or Past Master Degrees after whose approval is obtained?

Answer:

_____ 32. When balloting on a demitted member for affiliation / re-affiliation, what percent of the vote is necessary to elect him to membership?

Answer:

_____ 33. A member suspended at the expiration of the six months period for non payment of Dues (but not indefinitely suspended) shall be restored to full membership by doing what?

Answer:

_____ 34. How many members of a Chapter must sign a Petition before it can be properly received? _____ No degree may be conferred until _____ A Candidate must have what on file before he may receive the Royal Arch Degree?

Answer:

_____ 35. May a Chapter be adjourned? _____ In what manner only may a Chapter be opened or closed?

Answer:

_____ 36. No person having been a member of any other Chapter shall be admitted a member of any other Chapter until he produces what?

Answer:

_____ 37. What are the prescribed duties of a High Priest?

Answer:

_____ 38. What action must be taken by a Chapter when one of its members is suspended or expelled by his Lodge?

Answer:

_____ 39. What is the minimum amount a Chapter may charge for degrees? _____
For affiliation? _____

_____ 40. Each subordinate chapter shall pay how much per member in grand dues each year (beginning in 2005? _____ How much for each exaltation? _____

The answers to the following questions will be found in the Resolutions which follow the code.

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_____ 41. A 50 Year Membership Award may be presented any time after what?

Answer:

_____ 42. For how many years may a District Deputy Grand High Priest serve as such in succession?

Answer:

_____ 43. When did the Grand Chapter of Ohio discontinue membership in The General Grand Chapter International?

Answer:

_____ 44. What must each Chapter do if they don' t have candidates?

Answer:

_____ 45. How many consecutive years may a Companion serve as High Priest of his Chapter?

Answer:

The answers to the following will be found in the Ceremonies of the Order.
Installation of Officers of Subordinate Chapters:

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_____ 46. What is the great lesson of the office of King?

Answer:

_____ 47. May an Officer be installed by proxy or in private?

Answer:

_____ 48. The Installing Officer shall be a _____ or _____
_____ Must the Marshal be a High Priest or Past High Priest? _____

_____ 49. At his installation a High Priest swears that he will support of the and maintain the
_____, _____ of the Grand Chapter
and the _____

_____ 50. The color of the Second Veil is a due admixture of blue and scarlet and is an emblem of

You have now completed Part 2 of this three part Resource Course. Any comments you wish to make will be appreciated; any questions you may have, I will try to answer.

Return Part 2 to your District Deputy. He will grade it and return it to you with Part 3.

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