



**GRAND CHAPTER ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR
of ONTARIO, CANADA INC.**

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"Wonders of Winter Year"

2022 GRAND CHAPTER SESSION INFORMATION

The 2022 "Wonders of Winter Year" Grand Chapter Session of Ontario will be held - on the 27th, 28th, 29th & 30th of August 2022 at The Delta Hotels by Marriott Toronto Airport & Conference Centre, 655 Dixon Road, Toronto.

Elections for Grand Chapter Officers and Committees will be done by 'mail in ballot' for Pre-Registered Members Only, prior to the 2022 Grand Chapter Session, as per the motion carried at Grand Chapter in 2021. Election Instructions and Ballots will be sent out following the receipt of your Pre- Registration.

A **Pre-Registration Form is enclosed** which may be copied for your members' use. The Registration Fee of **\$25.00**, must accompany each pre-registration form, and must be forwarded to the Chair, Mrs. Barbara Thorburn, by **June 25 th, 2022**. The address will be found on the form. E-Transfer payments for Pre-Registration will also be accepted at **oes.prereg.ont2022@gmail.com**.

There is a separate Pre-Registration Form for our Out of Jurisdiction guests.

This year we are trying something different for Banquets and Events. Ticketless Events are very efficient and cost effective, so we are implementing one order form for all Banquets and Events at Grand Chapter. The Order Form and Instructions are attached. All Forms will be available on the OES Ontario Website and may be copied for the members use.

As per Section 104(h) of the Constitution the Dress Code for Members is Formal attire or dresses, blazers and skirts, or dress slacks for the Sisters: Formal attire, dark suits, blazers and dress pants with dress shirts and ties for the Brothers.

Once again, we remind you that all Members of Ontario in good standing are entitled to vote at Grand Chapter. Please read Section 114(a) of the Constitution. "VOTE" cards will be provided in the Registration Packages.

The **Room Rate** is Deluxe Queen, Deluxe Two Queens and King Rooms at \$145.00 + HST, Parlour King Suite and Studio King Suite at \$185.00 + HST.

**Rooms may be reserved by direct telephone to the hotel;
416-244-1711 Dial 3 or Ext. 3775 for Joy Thadickal - use the code 'OES Group';
Check in time is 3:00 p.m.**

Parking is free! The Reservation deadline is Monday, July 25, 2022.

Payments may be made in **Canadian Funds and/or USD accepted at PAR** to the **Grand Chapter O.E.S. of Ontario, Canada Inc.**

Members who have pre-registered must show their Current Dues card at the Credentials Desk and pick up their Session information and badge at the Registration Desk between the hours of: **Saturday 12 – 4 pm:**

Sunday 11- 4 pm: Monday 8 - 11 am. & 12 – 2 pm; Tuesday 8 am. - 10 am. & 4 pm. – Installation.

If you have not Pre-Registered, the FEE will be \$30.00 and you may not receive a Session Booklet or a Short Report.

NOTE: COVID Restrictions may need to be followed, if required by local government.

Please make this information available for the perusal of all members.

Fraternally,

Lillian Gohn
Grand Secretary