

### REHEARSAL SCHEDULE

Time on the Grand Chapter floor is at a premium. All rehearsals must start and end on time. The practice schedule is tentative and may be changed. Please check your session program book. Ceremony Chairpersons will contact participants with any changes.

#### SUNDAY, MAY 17, 2026

Grand Officers 4:00 pm

#### MONDAY, MAY 18, 2026

Grand Officers 8:30 am

Prologue Practice 1:30 pm

2026 - 2027 Installation Practice 8:30 pm

#### TUESDAY, MAY 19, 2026

Flag Ceremony 9:00 am

Pages/Tellers/Ushers meeting 9:30 am

#### HOSPITALITY HOURS

Monday, May 18<sup>th</sup> 8:00 am – 4:00pm

Tuesday, May 19<sup>th</sup> 8:00 am – 11:00am



### TO OUR DISTINGUISHED GUESTS

Tickets to the Distinguished Guest Banquet will be provided to the leaders of our Youth Groups. PLEASE MAKE RESERVATIONS using the Grand Chapter meal form or online at [www.wioes.org](http://www.wioes.org).



### PRESENTATIONS

All Eastern Star Distinguished Guests will be presented on Tuesday, May 19, 2026, during the afternoon session.

Sisters being presented, please wear formal or street-length dress. Brothers, please wear tuxedos or suits.

### PHOTOGRAPHER

Photos of all Distinguished Guests will be taken in the Vendor Room immediately after escorting.

While the Grand Chapter photographer is taking group pictures, NO other cameras will be allowed in the room designated for pictures.



The Grand Chapter of Wisconsin  
Order of the Eastern Star  
134<sup>th</sup> Annual Session

***"Our Guiding Light"***

**May 19, 20 and 21, 2026**

Holiday Inn Convention Center  
1001 Amber Avenue  
Stevens Point, WI 54481  
Headquarters – Holiday Inn  
(715) 344-0200

Make hotel reservations directly with the hotel. Ask for the **Block name EAS or Group Name: Eastern Star 2026**. Reservations must be made by **April 16, 2026**, to secure a room in the OES block.

This is your advance invitation and tentative program. Only the highlights of the session are outlined. Times and events are subject to change.

You will receive the complete program at the Grand Chapter session. All forms may be downloaded from the Grand Chapter website. You may register online at [www.WIOES.ORG](http://www.WIOES.ORG)

**Judy Paust**

*Worthy Grand Matron*

**Alan Weir**

*Worthy Grand Patron*

**Debra Bower, PGM**

*Grand Secretary*

## REGISTRATION

Pre-Registration is \$30.00 per person  
(except for Life Members not voting)  
\$35.00 on-site registration.

**Registration deadline is May 1, 2026**

Advance registration forms are enclosed and may be copied. Online registration is available at [www.wioes.org](http://www.wioes.org). Please mark the category you desire to be presented. Include **ALL** Eastern Star titles. Registration hours are:

Monday, May 18	2:00 pm – 4:00 pm
Tuesday, May 19	8:00 am – 4:00 pm
Wednesday, May 20	7:30 am – 9:00 am

**Registration for election closes Wednesday promptly at 9:00 am.** After 9:00 am on

Wednesday and Thursday, all new arrivals please contact an Assistant Sentinel to find PGM Laramie Reissner, Registration Chair. Ballots for elections will **NOT** be distributed after 9:00 am on Wednesday.

Current receipt for dues and session registration is required to attend the Sessions. Please wear your session badge.

## MEALS

All meals are at the Holiday Inn Convention Center. **All checks are to be made out to WI Grand Chapter.** Confirmation will be sent to the person on the check or online reservation. **Reservations close May 1, 2026 – SORRY NO REFUNDS.**

Meals are open to all unless otherwise stated. Please use the online reservation system or enclosed reservation form and return with your payment to: ROSIE FISCUS, PGM  
210 S. Burr Oak, Oregon, WI 53575

## TENTATIVE PROGRAM/SOCIAL EVENTS

### MONDAY, MAY 18, 2026

3:00 pm **Secretary & Treasurer's Meeting**  
(\$5.00 dues paid at meeting or mailed to PGP David Schreier, 2241 W. Southland Dr., Oak Creek, WI 53154

5:30 pm **"Turning on the Lights" Kick-Off Banquet;** Introduction of the "2026-2027" Grand Family. Dress is casual attire (no jeans or shorts)

**PAGO (Past Appointed Grand Officers) meeting immediately following.**

### TUESDAY, MAY 19, 2026

8:30 am **Past Grands Meeting**  
**Wisconsin Past Grands & BHN Dues to:** PGM Tammy Hundhausen; 3031 E. Grange Ave., #7; Cudahy, WI 53110.

10:00 am **Grand Representative Meeting** Dues of \$5.00 paid at the meeting or mailed to Debi Ahrens, 107 County Road M, Star Prairie, WI 54026

11:00 am **"Snow Travelers"**  
Grand Representative Luncheon

12:30 pm Prelude, Prologue, Formal Opening of 134<sup>th</sup> Grand Chapter Session

1:00 pm Ritualistic Opening  
Flag Ceremony  
Presentation and Introduction of Eastern Star Distinguished Guests

6:00 pm **"No Two Alike"**  
Distinguished Guests Banquet  
Charities  
WGM Accomplishment Award  
Meritorious Service Award

**Reception for Distinguished Guests to follow by invitation only.**

## WEDNESDAY, MAY 20, 2026

7:30 am Prelude  
8:00 am Opening of Session  
8:30 am ESTARL Service  
10:00 am Election of Officers  
11:00 am Necrology & Memorial Service  
12:00 pm **"Illuminate the Way"**  
All Member Lunch

1:00 pm Prelude  
Business of Grand Chapter  
Tributes to Life Members  
**"Snowflakes and Fireflies"**  
All Member Dinner

7:30 pm Prelude  
8:00 pm Opening  
Honor Station Tribute (Martha, Chaplain, Organist, Sentinel)  
Business of Grand Chapter  
Presentations & Recognitions  
Closing  
Badge Retirement

## THURSDAY, MAY 21, 2026

9:30 am Prelude  
10:00 am Opening  
Installation of 2026-2027  
"Faith-Harmony-Service"  
Grand Officers

**Check [www.wioes.org](http://www.wioes.org) for updates.**

Those giving responses will limit remarks to three (3) minutes. Reports are limited to five (5) minutes. One copy of all the remarks and reports will be given to the Grand Secretary at the time of the presentation. Please send an electronic copy (preferable Word and font calibri 11) to the Grand Secretary by **April 5<sup>th</sup>** for the program booklet.