



Colorado DeMolay  
2016-2017 Management Plan

**Mission Statement:**

To say that DeMolay builds leadership is an understatement. It also builds communities, states, and nations. Plain and simple; It builds our future. Colorado DeMolay is a group of young men passionate to succeed. It is part of an organization that since 1919, has changed the lives of thousands of young men. In theory, it is actually very simple; take a young man between the ages of twelve (12) and twenty-one (21), place him in a fun, safe, and rewarding environment. Teach him the morals and values of love for parents, love for God, courtesy, comradeship, fidelity, cleanness and patriotism. Use those teachings, through ceremonial form, to promote public speaking, confidence, respect of self and respect of others. He will then take what he has learned out into the community making a difference through the skills he has learned in his chapter.

**Chapter membership:**

- To improve membership and member retention by keeping our chapters a fun and safe environment for learning and development.
- Continuing the Relay for Life program to promote and gain access into educational facilities while working for a cure will be a priority.
- To adhere to timeless tradition while evolving to become more current with today's changing times, so we may appeal to a wider audience.
- Placing reasonable expectations but raising the standards of our state line so the young men of Colorado DeMolay will look up to them with respect, will look to them as role models and mentors, and will strive to be in their position one day.

**Long term goals:**

- Continue building, strengthening, and fostering our Masonic relations.
- Continue State Officers planning retreat.
- Enhance and promote the Colorado state ritual competition.
- Continued enhancement of the interview process in addition to all of the other requirements of our State Officers.
- Continue to lead and assist all jurisdictions with Region VII and where needed.
- Make our organization more widely known in all communities.
- Strive to make communication a top priority on every level, throughout the jurisdiction.
- Continue to make consistent technological advances as needed for communication and promotion of our organization.

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"Building Tomorrow's Leaders Today"