



The Virginia State Association DeMolay International Competitions Committee Report

62nd Annual Virginia DeMolay Conclave

Radford University was the site of Virginia DeMolay's 62nd Annual Conclave over the weekend of July 17 – 20, 2008. DeMolays from all over Virginia participated in several athletic, ritual and academic competitions throughout the weekend and we are proud to announce the following winners:

Advisor of the Year - Jim Schimmel (Alexandria-Washington)
Attendance (The Galloping Gavel) - Kempsville
Award of Excellence - Alexandria-Washington
Basketball - Roanoke Valley
Billiards - Sean Walsh (Kempsville)
Chapter of the Year - Kempsville
Chapter RD - Alexandria-Washington
Chess - Laurence Quillen (Alexandria-Washington)
Essay - Alex Reber (Westhampton)
Humanitarian - Alexandria-Washington
Rookie of the Year - Alex Reber (Westhampton)
Softball - Roanoke Valley
Sponsoring Body of the Year - Westhampton Lodge #302
State Representative DeMolay - Nick McElroy (Kempsville)
Supporting Body of the Year - Kena Shrine
Tennis Doubles - Bo Painter/Paul Brammer (Roanoke Valley)
Tennis Singles - Ethan Lane (Roanoke Valley)
Volleyball - Roanoke Valley



All of our competitors worked very hard this weekend and should be very proud of their efforts. These contests we were able to hold this weekend would not have been possible without coordinators, referees, ritual judges and evaluators. Virginia DeMolay extends a big THANK YOU to Dads Luke Giannini, Neil Van Aalst, Nate Stallings, Mike Williams, Larry Burruss, Mike Blanks, Bernie Molina, John Stallings, Chris Pendleton, Brad Westerman, Art Pendleton, Ron Heald, Howard Smith, Fred Martin, Rick Young and Kerry Campbell.