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Compass Point Cornerstone Dedicated

Grand Master Roger L. Magoon (at lectern) presided over the cornerstone dedication for the new Compass Point Catered Senior Living apartment complex under construction on our Three Pillars Senior Living Community campus in Dousman on Saturday, September 17. Standing behind the table bearing the cornerstone, time capsule container and items comprising the Symbolic Lodge for dedication purposes were Deputy Grand Master Rodney A. Paulsen, Grand Lodge Treasurer James M. Hays and Jr. Grand Warden John W. Wilke. The stone was tried with the working tools of the Craft and found square, level and plumb. This was followed by the corn, wine and oil ceremony. An estimated 300 persons attended. The 75-apartment complex is to be completed in spring 2006.

Three Pillars' Compass Point Catered Senior Living Cornerstone Dedicated

DOUSMAN – The cornerstone for the Compass Point Catered Senior Living residential care apartment complex now under construction on our fraternity's Three Pillars Senior Living Community in Dousman was dedicated in ample form on Saturday, September 17 by our Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons in Wisconsin, Roger L. Magoon.

Grand Master Magoon was assisted in opening a symbolic lodge for the conduct of the Masonic Cornerstone Ceremony by Davey L. White, Jr., Senior Grand Steward, and Dennis V. Siewert, Junior Grand Steward.

Deputy Grand Master Rodney A. Paulsen, Grand Lodge Treasurer James M. Hays and Junior Grand Warden John W. Wilke assisted the Grand Master during the cornerstone dedication ceremony.

Representatives of the architect and construction company presented the Working Tools of the Craft by which the cornerstone was to be tested. As directed by the Grand Master, the three principal officers "tried" the engraved cornerstone with the tools and found it square, level and plumb. The corn, wine and oil ceremony followed.

The cornerstone dedication ceremony was observed by an audience estimated at 300 persons, most of whom were seated in chairs located on fresh black asphalt. Welcome relief from the mid-day sun and temperatures in the 80s was provided by Three Pillars' staff members who circulated through the audience, offering chilled bottled water. This thoughtful gesture was greatly appreciated.

Well represented in the audience were residents from the Wisconsin Masonic Home, many of whom will transfer their residence from Van Brunt to the new Compass Point complex when it is completed. Present, too, were several of the Building on a Vision Capital Campaign dignitaries and key contributors.

The dedication ceremony began at 1:30 p.m. at the main entrance to the new 75-apartment complex located on a 9-acre site located at the southwest corner of Highways 18 and 67 on the Three Pillars Campus. The ceremony began with a procession of dignitaries through an "Arch of Steel" formed by Sir Knights representing the Knights Templar Grand Commandery.

Emceeding the cornerstone dedication was Theda Andres, Wisconsin Masonic Home Board Chair. An invocation was given by Rev. Ruth Krymkowski, Pastor at Three Pillars. Introductions were provided by Bro. Mark Strautman, Three Pillars' CEO.

A sealed stainless steel box that will contain items related to the building project, including newspapers and con-

struction progress photographs will be placed in a wall cavity behind the cornerstone.

A tour through portions of the facility still under construction led along a main level corridor past partially completed rooms that suggested the various choices in accommodations available to potential residents.

There are five choices in accommodations that vary in size and features ranging from a basic 520 sq. ft. two-room unit, to a deluxe 1125 sq. ft. two-bedroom apartment, complete with deck, screened porch, two bathrooms with showers, a whirlpool bath and gas fireplace.

Apartment prices range from \$2,200 per month for the basic one-bedroom unit to \$3,700 per month for the deluxe two-bedroom apartment. Other choices are priced at \$2,400 per month for the 578 sq. ft. standard one bed-

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Square, Level & Plumb

Grand Master Magoon gave three taps to the top of the Compass Point facility's cornerstone to conclude the stone's dedication ceremony September 17. Masonic Home Board Chair Theda Andres (left) emceed the ceremony.

The Grand Master's Message

By Roger L. Magoon
Grand Master of Masons in Wisconsin

Greetings Brethren:

In my address at this year's Annual Communication, which was reprinted in the Summer issue of the Wisconsin Masonic Journal, I mentioned that the future of the Craft is in our hands. It is our responsibility to inform the public about who we are and what we do. To that end, I would like to enlist your help in promoting one of our special programs, the All-Star High School Senior Soccer Games sponsored by the Wisconsin Masonic Soccer Foundation.

Fifteen years ago, several of the Wisconsin Grand Lodges Officers were planning for the future and decided that we should associate with the fastest growing sport in America at that time, Soccer.

Some members of that group had been part of the successful Wisconsin Shrine Senior All-Star Football Game. That game features the best high school senior football players in Wisconsin. They knew the same concepts that made that game successful could be used with the soccer program. Contacting the Wisconsin Soccer Coaches Association, they proposed creating an event to recognize the talents of the best high school senior soccer players in the state. It was decided to have two games, one to showcase the senior girls and one for the senior boys. As you recall, these games have been held every year since 1991, and have been a great success.



Roger L. Magoon
Grand Master of Masons
in Wisconsin

Parents' Comments Reflect All-Star Games' Value

Several years ago, while the All-Star Senior Soccer Games were played in Neenah, it was the responsibility of my lodge, Appleton No. 349, to take tickets at the entrance to the games. I was stationed at the gate with my brother-in-law at the completion of the girls' game. Several parents of the players commented as they were leaving that this was the most wonderful thing anyone had ever done for their children. They said that we should be proud to be a part of this wonderful program. My brother-in-law and I exchanged puzzled glances, unsure of what we had done. We did not have a clue but we were glad to hear the comments of the parents.

I later became involved in the Wisconsin Masonic Soccer Foundation, and I then realized what we had done. It is difficult to think of a more valuable lesson to teach the youth of today than that of being considerate to your fellow man. While participating in the All-Star Senior Soccer Games, these young athletes also engage in acts of charity, just as all Freemasons

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Georgia Masons Aid Brothers in Mississippi – GM Magoon Urges Our Support of MSA Aid Appeal

Editor's note: the following story was carried September 14 on WTOC TV in Savannah, Georgia, and was posted to the station's website at www.wtoc.com the next day. The story relates a classic example of Masons helping Masons and their communities in time of need. It is reprinted with permission. Here in Wisconsin, Grand Master Roger L. Magoon is urging Badger State Masons to be generous in their support of the Masonic Service Association of North America fund appeal printed (see page 4) to aid brethren in Louisiana, Mississippi and Georgia.

By Michelle Paynter
WTOC Television

SAVANNAH, GA – For weeks now, we've brought you stories of Red Cross volunteers, doctors, communication specialists and firefighters who have gone to the Gulf to help the victims of Hurricane Katrina. But a band of brothers from a local Masonic lodge have also gone out of their way to help.

It all started when local Mason Keith Rose--also an employee of Savannah Electric--went to Mississippi to help restore power. He

stumbled upon one small town with its share of destruction. But it also had a Masonic lodge where everyone was turning for help. He knew right away he had to do more than just get the lights back on.

Katrina left its mark on so many Gulf Coast towns, and Lumberton, Mississippi, was one of them. The town of 3,000 is located about 75 miles inland. The Lumberton Masonic lodge became a shelter and the town's hub.

"We started serving three hot meals a day and ended up serving 2,000 people a day," said the lodge's Chris Holtzinger.

And their dedication made a big impression on fellow Masons in Georgia.

"They asked me if they could do anything to help me, and I'm thinking these gentlemen's houses are destroyed and they are asking how they can help me," recalled Rose. "I said wow, they are the ones who need help."

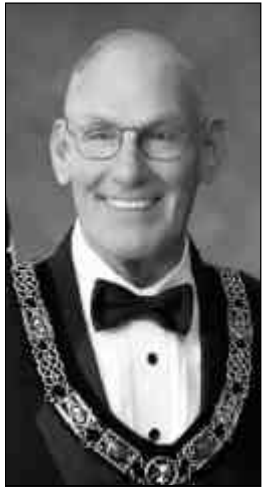
Right away Rose called Charlie Brewer, a member of Thunderbolt's Masonic lodge, and told him Lumberton needed their help.

"We went shopping at Sam's. We took money that was donated See **GEORGIA AID** on page 4

Roger L. Magoon, Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons in Wisconsin

Congratulations,
brother Roger, on your
installation as Grand
Master of Masons in
Wisconsin

From your brothers at
Appleton Lodge
No. 349, Appleton



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room apartment, \$3,000 monthly for the deluxe one bedroom version and \$3,400 for the premium one-bedroom option that features a den that can also serve as a second bedroom. For couples, there is a \$250 monthly fee for a second person to cover the added cost of food for that person.

All apartments include a basic package of services that includes two meals per day, weekly housekeeping and trash removal, utilities, apartment maintenance, transportation to campus activities 24-hour call response and security, as well as other features.

Over and above the basic package of services, catered living options to accommodate varying levels of assistance residents may need are priced at \$400 per person per month for expanded service and \$800 per person per month for complete services.

When it opens in spring 2006, Compass Point Catered Senior Living will allow residents to enjoy living in an independent apartment setting

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everywhere do. They make a commitment, in the Masonic tradition, to help others less fortunate than themselves. Since the first games in 1991, the Wisconsin Masonic Soccer Foundation and the talented players who have participated in the games have raised significant funds for the Shrine Hospital and the Wisconsin Special Olympics. These young athletes will remember this commitment to their fellow man and these acts of charity as they go forth to build the communities of tomorrow.

Make Sure Local Soccer Coaches Nominate Players

You are probably wondering why I am mentioning this to you now. During the past five years, as Chairman of the Wisconsin Masonic Soccer Foundation, it was my goal to get the local lodges involved in promoting this terrific youth program in their communities. We have made a small dent, but I am convinced that we need to go the extra mile!

Now is the time to put your News Hawk to work. The games for this year are over, but as you read this message, soccer programs across the state have already begun for the ensuing year. There are more than 250 soccer programs in Wisconsin high schools. I want to encourage you to go to your community high schools and seek out the soccer coaches. Tell them about our program, and explain that it is their responsibility to submit two names of their best senior players to the Wisconsin Soccer Coaches Association. Explain that the Wisconsin Masonic Soccer Foundation is the sponsor of the event but that the Wisconsin Soccer Coaches Association makes the selections. Remind them of how much we want to see their school represented.

You are our ambassadors for this program in local communities. The Masonic Soccer Foundation has put together a great program. This is the time for you to generate Masonic public awareness surrounding one of our great youth sponsored programs. If you need assistance to get started, just contact the Wisconsin Masonic Foundation and they will supply you with everything you need.

All-Star Soccer Games Can Work for Your Lodge

Remember to get in touch with your local high school soccer coaches this fall. When selections are made, contact the players selected from your community, along with their coaches, to let them know how much we support their achievements. Remember, too, to contact your local sports announcers and sports writers because this is a great honor for the players and you need to help us ensure that they receive public recognition for their accomplishments.

You may also consider having an "Honor" night at your lodge for the players selected from your community. Invite the players, parents, coaches, and school principals. I have attended many of these events and it is fascinating to see the interest in our Fraternity from the adults in attendance. Share with them our Masonic story and encourage them to learn more about us. You never know where that might lead.

The Wisconsin Masonic Soccer Foundation has created this program and it is up to all of us to promote it. Do not put in on the "tomorrow" calendar. Now is the time to act! This program is a win-win opportunity. Everyone will benefit—the players, and especially our great Fraternity.

MHCC Receives Fifth Perfect Inspection

DOUSMAN – Three Pillars is once again proud to announce that its Masonic Health Care Center received a "deficiency free" state inspection report from the Wisconsin Department of Health and Family Services for the fifth year in a row. The four-day inspection took place from July 5-8.

The inspection examined all aspects of resident life including: dietary services, maintenance and housekeeping, laundry services, resident rights, nursing services, quality of life including activities and resident dignity. Surveyors determined compliance by observing care, interviewing residents, family members, and staff, and reviewing medical and facility records.

According to Joel Lammers, Administrator of the Health Care Center "The surveyors commented that the residents were very satisfied with the way they were treated and with their living environment. They also said they were very pleased to see how all of the staff worked together as a team." *wmj*



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Compass Point Tour

Three Pillars' CEO Mark Strautman and his family joined Wisconsin Masonic Home Board member Keith Krinke, and others, in visiting one of the partially completed apartments readied for the Compass Point Catered Senior Living apartment complex cornerstone dedication September 17 in Dousman.



Preview Tour at Compass Point

Dorothy and Jerry Holz (right) visited with Audrey and Sal Giammo (left) on Saturday, September 17 while touring the new Compass Point complex following the cornerstone dedication. They stood in what will be the main entrance to the 75-unit catered living complex on the Three Pillars campus in Dousman. District 3 Deputy Al Jurgens III is at center. Although the complex will not be ready for occupancy until next spring, the entry, a ground-level hallway and parts of three apartments, were partially completed for viewing following the cornerstone event. - Cornerstone Dedication Photos by WLS

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with supportive, personal and nursing care services available as needed. Compass Point's hospitality-focused approach to assisted living provides residents with a degree of flexibility, choice and empowerment that encourages residents to maintain their independence.

Over and above the basic package of services (Level I) that goes with all apartment choices, there are two higher levels of service residents may select at extra cost.

Basic Plan (Level I):

- Two meals per day •Weekly housekeeping and trash removal
- Utilities (electric, gas, water, and sewer) •Access to Wellness Clinic
- 24-hour call response •24-hour security •Social, educational, recreational and community events
- Pastoral services •Weekly wellness-health visit with a licensed nurse
- Up to 30 minutes of personal care/living assistance per day •Weekly medication monitoring/set-up
- Social services support •Priority access to higher levels of care
- Transportation to campus activities •Apartment set-up •Maintenance of apartment and grounds.

Expanded Plan:

- All services included in Level I
- An assisted weekly shower/bath
- Weekly bed linen change
- Reminders for meals, activities, medications and appointments
- Daily medication supervision
- Up to one hour of personal care/living assistance per day
- Two weekly wellness/health visits with a licensed nurse
- Weekly laundry service •Weekday housekeeping as needed

Complete Plan:

- All services included in Level I
- Additional daily meal •Weekly bed linen change
- Two assisted weekly showers/baths
- Reminders for meals, activities, medications, and appointments
- Daily medication supervision
- Up to one hour of personal care/living assistance per day
- Two weekly wellness/health visits with a licensed nurse

There are also a number of additional services available on an as needed basis at additional cost.

Persons may learn more about senior living options at our Compass Point Catered Senior Living apartments by contacting Admissions Coordinator Katie Burdette at (262) 965-9520 or (800) 848-5306. E-mail <kburdette@threepillars.org>. **umj**

Notes From The Grand Lecturer

By Brother Ronald H. Glaunert

Ritualist and Proficiency Cards

I have had several inquiries lately about ritualist and proficiency cards, that is how are they obtained and what is the difference.

First of all the difference is that to get a proficiency card you must be proficient in the esoteric work in all three degrees.

A ritualist card signifies that you are proficient in one or two degrees and it could be any two of the three degrees. Your ritualist card would then state that you have been examined and are qualified as a ritualist in those particular degrees.

When you have been examined and qualified in the esoteric work in all three degrees you are then presented with a proficiency card, which qualifies that you have been examined and are proficient in the esoteric work.

Each of these cards, ritualist and proficiency expire after one year and the holder of these cards must be recertified, not necessarily re-examined but should

be actively engaged in lodge work as an officer, or as an instructor to others in lodge as to degree work or other facets of the ritualistic work, and at the very least should attend the Schools of Instruction in his area and if needed to help the District Lecturer conduct the Schools. For instance if the District Lecturer suddenly becomes ill on a night the school is scheduled a proficiency card holder could then fill in and conduct the school for that particular evening.

The second part of this article has to deal with ritualist and proficiency card holders who are no longer active in the lodge but are still listed every year as certified and active proficiency card men.

I certainly do not want to forget all of the work and the contributions that these men have given to the fraternity, but it isn't right to certify them as active when they are not.

We have in the Grand Lodge of Wisconsin an emeritus card system which means that we can make a one time presentation of that card to let these men know that we do appreciate all they have done for the fraternity.

I fully realize that some of these Brethren do not want an emeritus card and for those who insist on a annual proficiency card we will do as they wish. However I have talked with others who are embarrassed to receive a regular card knowing they have done nothing to earn it and would be very happy to receive an emeritus card.

At this point we will leave it up to the individual Brother to decide what course he would like to take.

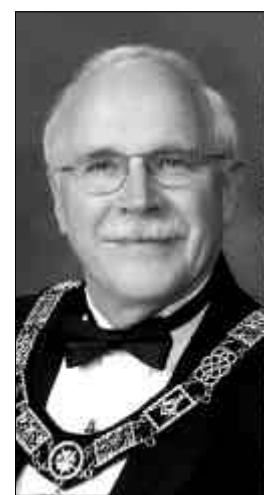
In the Grand Lodge year 2005-2006 we have several new District Lecturers who more than likely are not familiar with the proficiency and ritualist card holders in his District so I am asking the individual card holders, the Masters of the Lodges and the other officers to contact either their District Lecturer or the Grand Lecturer and pass on the information as to the active card holders, or the inactive card holders so we can get about the business of presenting the emeritus cards to those who have a desire to receive them.

Ron Glaunert, Grand Lecturer



Ronald H. Glaunert
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and bought a lot of supplies, people brought bedding, clothing, we got insulin," Brewer said. "Everything that was asked for, we were able to locate."

They worked hard and fast. It only took the Masons about 72 hours to gather and load up all the supplies. But it wasn't just the Masons, it was ladies from the Eastern Star, local churches and many others who pitched in to help.

Last Friday morning, they were on the road, headed to Lumberton. "When he told me we are on the way down there 72 hours later, with a truck full of stuff, I couldn't believe it," Rose said.

Neither could the Masons and people who live in Lumberton. As soon as they unloaded the trailer, they began handing out all the supplies, and even went door to door.

"We desperately needed this stuff and appreciate everything your lodge members and citizens have done for Lumberton, Mississippi," said the town's Rick Carpello. "And on behalf of Lumberton and Lodge No. 417, thank you."

That was all Rose, Brewer and the other local Masons needed to hear. "It makes me feel good," said Brewer.

"They say once a Mason, always a Mason, and you can always find a friend somewhere," noted Rose. "And that was true."

They say they are keeping in touch with brothers in Mississippi. This week, some of the lights in the town came back on and the Red Cross and others are now in town helping them out. utoc.com

Note: this story of Georgia Masons helping their Mississippi brethren is reminiscent of the role members of Bameveld Lodge No. 319 played in their community as they fed and gave shelter in their lodge to victims of the tornado that destroyed much of the city of Bameveld on June 8, 1984. Our thanks to Brothers Rick Gustafson, a Past Master of Sheboygan Lodge and District 10 Lecturer, and District 10 Deputy J. P. Storrs, for passing this story on the Wisconsin Masonic Journal.

Grand Master Urges Support for MSA Katrina Relief Appeal

DOUSMAN – In a letter dated September 6, Grand Master of Masons in Wisconsin, Roger L. Magoon, is urging Masons to lend their financial support to the thousands of persons in the three coastal states who have suffered devastating losses due to hurricane Katrina.

"As you have seen in the news recently," the Grand Master wrote, "the devastation of Hurricane Katrina visited upon the people of the southern United States has been horrific. I know that all of you are as concerned as I am for the well being of those hardest hit by this terrible disaster."

The Masonic Service Association of North America (MSA) has issued an appeal for aid to the three states affected—Louisiana, Mississippi Alabama—and will act as the clearinghouse for donations in response to this request. A separate MSA appeal for hurricane damage in Florida is already underway.

"I ask all of you during this time of great need to remember our tenets of brotherly love and relief and to contribute what you can to assist in helping those now in need," the Grand Master continued.

"Many of you have already given your support through other worthy causes, but for those of you that have not yet pledged your support

to the recovery efforts, I would like to encourage you to give what you can to this MSA appeal."

Grand Master Magoon concluded by asking that brethren see to it that all lodge brothers are informed of this request.

"No amount is too small," the Grand Master said, "because when combined with others they will offer comfort and aid to those now in desperate need of our help."

Brother Richard E. Fletcher, MSA Executive Secretary, explained that responses to the appeal will be divided equally between the Grand Lodges of Louisiana, Mississippi and Alabama. He noted that there is a separate appeal out for Florida.

Specific gifts will go to the Grand Lodge designated. Undesignated gifts will be divided equally between Louisiana, Mississippi & Alabama.

All contributions, in whatever amount from Grand Lodges, lodges, individuals or appendant Masonic bodies will be acknowledged by MSA with most grateful thanks.

Send all contributions directly to the MSA Disaster Relief Fund at 8120 Fenton Street, Suite 203, Silver Spring, MD 20910-4785. Be sure to designate how the funds for Hurricane Katrina Relief are to be allocated, if desired. **umj**



LakeView Technology Academy receives defibrillator – Members of Unity Lodge No. 367, Kenosha, the Wisconsin Masonic Foundation, the Professional Police Association and Ralph Tenuta presented a check recently in the amount of \$1,708.36 to LakeView Technology Academy for the purchase of an automatic external defibrillator. Pictured from left are Bruce Christianson, Unity Lodge; J. Michael Koscinski, Masonic Foundation; Jack Shivers and Caroline Glover, LakeView Technology Academy students accepting the check; Paul Marik, school resource officer, and LakeView Principal, William Hittman.

Remember to Support Grand Master's Fall Appeal It Will Benefit The Masonic Service & Assistance Fund

Grand Master Roger L. Magoon's Fall Appeal will benefit the Masonic Service and Assistance Fund, Wisconsin Masonry's oldest charity. Please give generously to this worthy appeal. The Service and Assistance Fund directly benefits Masons, their widows, veterans and brothers and sisters in need. Won't you please make charity a part of your own Masonic "Way of Life."



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The Reader's Forum

Where Your Opinion Counts

Masonic Morality: in practice, how well do we measure up?

By Robert Beck, PM
Forest Lodge No. 130

Freemasons, and their ancient brethren the Templars, have long had a reputation of having a moral core that was strong enough to die for. While they weren't fanatics or zealots, they tended to be at odds with state church dogma at times.

Excerpted from Mackey's Revised Encyclopedia of Freemasonry: On Friday October 13, 1307, De Molay and over 13,000 Templars were captured by order of Pope Clement V and King Philip IV. Many, including De Molay, were tortured and killed, and the remaining Templars went underground to avoid further torture and death.

The Templars thought that moral values could differ in some specifics from the religious leaders' dictates without compromising their core beliefs and actions in service to others. They had a tolerance and acceptance of a wide spectrum of an individual's personal beliefs, as long as there was a common uniting in core values. Friendship, morality, brotherly love, faith, hope and charity describe some of the values held in common. There was a basic trust, deeply held, among brothers.

Freemasons don't collectively belong to a specific religion. We do, however, all claim to believe in a Higher Authority, and have a Volume of Sacred Writings, usually the Christian Bible, open during all of our meetings. Consider these quotes from the New English Bible (NEB), with the King James and many other translations reading similarly. First, from the Book of Matthew: "The greatest commandment in the Law is to 'Love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind.' That is the greatest commandment. It comes first. The second is like it: 'Love your neighbor as yourself.' Everything in the Law and the prophets hangs on these two commandments." Following, from James: "My brothers, what use is it for a man to say he has faith when he does nothing to show it? Can that faith save him? Suppose a brother or a sister is in rags with not enough food for the day, and one of you says 'Good luck to you, keep yourselves warm, and have plenty to eat', but does nothing to supply their bodily needs, what is the good of that? So with faith; if it does not lead to action, it is in itself a lifeless thing. But someone may object; 'Here is one who claims to have faith and another who points to his deeds.' To which I reply; 'Prove to me that this faith you speak of is real though not

accompanied by deeds, and by my deeds I will prove to you my faith.' You have faith enough to believe that there is one God. Excellent! The devils have a faith like that, and it makes them tremble. But can you not see, you quibbler, that faith divorced from deeds is barren?"

My brothers, it seems by our actions that we, and most citizens of the USA, have difficulty following those commandments. We know about and say we love the Lord our God with our hearts and souls, but apparently forget to also use all of our minds in the process. Consider the Statesman: He is one who exercises political leadership wisely and without narrow partisanship. It seems to me that we can only be real moral leaders in this trying time by educating ourselves in, and then practicing, these (un)common values that our ancient brethren showed and practiced.

We have certified lecturers of code ritual and schools of instruction for gaining proficiency in them. I read in the Wisconsin Masonic Journal that we now have professional Clergy Chaplains who will be going to visit other Clergy in order to educate them about Freemasonry. It seems to me that all of us Freemasons also need a more clear and common understanding of what makes Masonic Morality so special. We are admonished to not even talk about religion or politics.

I wish we could have at least some temporarily appointed group of brothers that would go to each and every one of our lodges in order to poll our brethren as to what we can all agree upon are basic inclusive moral values we can all believe in and practice.

We have clues in our ritual and many Masonic books and writings, but it appears that there's a gap between the written word and our moral practice that's way too wide. We used to be Statesmen, but are we now?

I'd like to end this with a prayer that was suggested at Grand Lodge two years ago. It was intended to replace the one our Lodge Chaplains now use for closing each lodge meeting with a more inclusive prayer and reminder. We need, as Freemasons, to go forth and show a clear, inclusive, thoughtful and active morality to the world:

"May the blessing of our Supreme Architect shine upon us and all humanity. May friendship, morality and brotherly love prevail, and every moral and social virtue unite and cement us, and shine through our actions as we go forth to practice the Masonic principles we have learned here. Amen."

So mote it be!

About the Reader's Forum

We welcome submissions to the Reader's Forum.

Submissions may be submitted for publication via e-mail or USPS and should be the opinion of the author and pertain to current matters of interest to members of the Fraternity in Wisconsin.

To be considered for publication, submissions should be limited to one subject, be signed by the author, and carry his name, address and phone number. Submissions will appear as space permits.

The editor reserves the right to edit submissions for content, length, grammar and syntax, should it be necessary. Every effort will be made to retain the meaning and intent of the author.

Subject matter should be presented in such manner that the Fraternity will be improved and strengthened through its publication.



Patiently Awaiting the Cornerstone Dedication

Shirley DeCaluwe, Mel Getz (second row) and Jerry Beier, residents of the Wisconsin Masonic Home, awaited the start of the cornerstone dedication for the Compass Point Catered Senior Living apartment complex in Dousman on Saturday, September 17. This was but a small part of the group estimated at 300 in attendance.

Blue Lodge Public Awareness Program Continues: Application Deadline Extended to April 1, 2006

DOUSMAN – As Grand Master Roger L. Magoon announced at the Grand Lodge Annual Communication in June, the co-op marketing program to increase awareness of Freemasonry in the local community, the Blue Lodge Public Awareness Program (BLPAP), will continue this year.

"This is program will work," the Grand Master said then, "we just need to give it a chance."

With that in mind, more lodges will now be given a chance to take advantage of this cost-sharing program to promote interest and membership in Freemasonry.

According to Brother Lowell Scott, Chairman of the Grand Lodge Marketing Committee, the one tasked with overseeing the application process, the program this year is the same as last year's with one exception—all paperwork requesting reimbursement must be received at the Grand Lodge Office in Dousman no later than April 1, 2006.

Highlights of the Blue Lodge Public Awareness co-op cost sharing program are as follows:

1. Grand Lodge will reimburse 60% of the ad cost to a maximum of \$250.00 per lodge.

2. One or more of the authorized ad templates on the Public Awareness Program CD-ROM must be used in order to qualify. If an alternate ad format is desired, prior approval must be obtained from the Marketing Committee before the alternate format is used and reimbursement funds requested or authorized.

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3. The advertising must be used to encourage attendance by non-masons at a lodge function specifically intended to promote Wisconsin Freemasonry to the public. Masonic information must be disseminated to the public at this function. (Note: serving a meal without providing this information is not a valid reimbursement activity.)

4. The reimbursement request must be received by the Grand Lodge Office no later than April 1,

2006, and on the application forms contained on the CD-ROM. This form must also be accompanied by a copy of the document as distributed to the public and a copy of the "paid" invoice from the publisher, printer and/or distributor.

If any lodge has questions, contact the following for clarification: MWGM Roger Magoon (920) 734-8385, MWPGM Keith Chamberlain (608) 538-3173 and Lowell Scott (414) 961-1133. **umj**

Congratulations to Craig S. Campbell

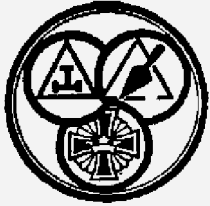


On your election as Senior Grand Deacon, Grand Lodge of Wisconsin, from your brothers at Lincoln Lodge No. 183, Menomonee Falls

Davey L. White, Jr. Senior Grand Steward Grand Lodge of Wisconsin



Congratulations Davey, on your installation as Junior Grand Steward from your brothers at Warren Lodge No. 4, Potosi



YORK RITE NEWS

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Southwest Wisconsin York Rite Association – On Wednesday night June 29, 2005, Platteville York Rites were the hosts of the Southwest Wisconsin York Rite Association regular meeting. Prior to the meeting a steak dinner meal was provided for all members in attendance. At 7:30 p.m. that night, a short form Order of Malta and a full form Order of the Red Cross was performed by the Southwest York Rite Degree Team. Seven Companion Knights received the orders from several different Commanderies in Southwestern Wisconsin. Companions and Sir Knights from the States of Illinois, Iowa and Wisconsin were present, Two Past Grand High Priests, Three Past Most Illustrious Grand Masters, and The Most Illustrious Grand Master Parker W. Dow, and several Grand Officers of Grand Chapter, Grand Council and Grand Commandery. We congratulate these new Companion Knights on their advancement in York Rite Masonry.



Order of the Temple for Joseph Harker, Junior Grand Deacon

On August 20, 2005, Sir Knight Lawrence Presnell, Commander of Waukesha Commandery No. 23, conferred the Order of the Temple on Joseph B. Harker, Junior Grand Deacon of the Grand Lodge, Free and Accepted Masons State of Wisconsin. Sir Knight Harker was Knighted with his father's sword which he brought with him. There were about 25 Sir Knights in Attendance. The Conferal took place in Sussex, Wisconsin, home of Galilee Commandery No. 38. A picnic at the home of Sir Knight Lauren Handeland followed at noon in honor of Sir Knight Harker's conferal.
– Photo by S. K. Lauren R. Handeland, Gr. Capt. General

September: Time to go to work!

by Charles D. Kolbe, Grand Commander

September has come, the days are shorter and the nights cooler. Wisconsin Masonry has again come to life. Masters of Lodges have less than half a year before new Masters take over. The Master has but a short time to complete his plans, wrap up the old year and turn the reins over to a new Worshipful Master.

We of the Grand Commandery are just getting started, too. The summer staff meeting has been held and worthwhile ideas have been suggested and discussed. The Grand Commander, with the help of the other Grand Officers, is busy putting the programs to work.

The Commanders and Recorders of the constituent Commanderies are preparing for Inspections and Homecomings. They are filling vacant positions in their lines with Sir Knights from neighboring Commanderies and getting new members started in the ritual work.

The inspection schedule that has been received by the constituent Commanderies is the one to be followed. Most Commanderies have OK'd the date they were given or it has been changed to fit their needs. A few Commanderies have not been heard from, so it is assumed their dates are OK. But if a change is necessary, please contact me as soon as possible. All Inspections

are to start at 1 p.m.. If your Inspection is to start at a different time, clear it with the Grand Commander and note it very clearly on your invitation. If you are going to start early, the home Commandery is to provide lodging for the two Inspecting Officers, if they have too great a distance to travel.

Four more things to remember: (1) Do not plan a meal earlier than you have time to finish all the work. The inspecting officer will not cut the work short to accommodate the meal. (2) If a joint inspection is held, the non-host Commanderies must bring their record book, rituals and tactics books to the inspection. (3) The Commander, Recorder, and Treasurer of these Commanderies should be present to give the Inspecting Officer any information he may need. (4) At any joint inspection, all Commanderies participating must take an active part in the inspection to get credit.

I again wish to remind you that the first Inspection of the year will be held at St. Omer Commandery No. 19, of Wausau, Wisconsin, on October 15, 2005, starting at 1 p.m. As you are all aware, this is my home Commandery and I am looking forward to seeing you there.

Courteously yours,
Charles D. Kolbe,
Grand Commander

2005 North Central York Rite Regional/Department Conference

The North Central York Rite Regional/Department Conference will be held Friday and Saturday, October 28-29 at the Kahler Grand Hotel, 20 Second Avenue Southwest, Rochester, Minnesota 55902. Telephone 1-800-533-1655; www.kahler.com.

This conference is a cooperative effort of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar, the General Grand Council and the General Grand Chapter. The Kahler Grand Hotel is in the heart of downtown Rochester and the area's many attractions. It is only 10 minutes from Tom Rochester International Airport, convenient to Highways 52 and 63 and Interstate 90, and 70 miles from Minneapolis-St. Paul.

The Friday, October 28 session has been added this year as an option. On that day from 2-4 p.m. the Knights Templar Eye Foundation has arranged for presentations and a special personal tour of the eye research laboratories of the Mayo Clinic School of Medicine. The Chairman of the Department of Ophthalmology of the Mayo Clinic and his staff will be our hosts. This is an event for all York Rite members and their ladies, but reservations must be requested on the registration form.

Room reservations must be made directly with the Kahler Grand Hotel. Please indicate that you are attending

this conference in order to receive the group daily rate of only \$79 plus tax. For our members this rate includes free parking on a "space available" basis in the adjacent Kahler Grand Hotel parking ramp. The hotel will also give our attendees a 15% discount in each of the following restaurants (Grand Grill, buffet not included, Lord Essex, and Oak Room). Simply show your name badge and room key to receive the discount.

We believe the special arrangements and accommodations that have been made with the Kahler Grand Hotel as our Headquarters Hotel will maximize our convenience and pleasure in conducting our business meetings, provide exciting opportunities for our Ladies in their activities, and give us easy access to the Mayo Clinic for our scheduled tour.

Because a large number of members and their ladies will attend this conference, we suggest that reservations be made to this hotel as early as possible. The hotel reservation deadline is October 7, 2005.

For further information contact: James N. Karnegis
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St. Omer Homecoming & Inspection Oct. 15

Dear Sir Knights and Ladies:
You are cordially invited to attend the Annual Homecoming and Inspection of St. Omer Commandery No. 19 K.T. on October 15, 2005 at the Wausau Masonic Center.

Reservations are a **must** for the banquet. Contact S.K. Bruce R. Beyreis, 2206 Zimmerman Street, Wausau, WI 54403 by October 8, 2005. Prepaid reservations are preferred.

Please make every effort to be with us on this important day for our Grand Commander, Sir Knight Charles D. Kolbe, St. Omer Commandery No. 19 and a most important day for our two candidates. I hope to see there.

Courteously yours,
Theodore E. Goeden,
Commander

2005 Calendar of Events

October

8 - Janesville a Royal Arch Mason degree at 9 a.m., Lunch, afternoon Council Royal and Select Master Degrees.

15 - Grand Commander's Home Commandery Inspection & Homecoming, St. Omer Commandery in Wausau, 1 p.m.

28-29 - North Central York Rite Regional Department Conference. Kahler Grand Hotel, Rochester, Minnesota.

November

5 - Chippewa Falls York Rite Festival: all Chapter & Council Degrees. Noon Lunch for both dates

12 - Eau Claire York Rite Festival: all Commandery Orders

12 - Red Cross and Malta (full form) at Lake Masonic Temple, 8 a.m.

26 - Galena Commandery No. 40 Inspection, Galena, IL at 1 p.m.

Send In Your Activities!

Companions and Sir Knights, send in your special dates, scheduled events, and general information for publication to:

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When submitting pictures please identify all individuals and include complete information, also include a self addressed stamped envelope when requesting the return of a photo!

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2006 Holy Land Pilgrimage

The Committee On Holy Land Pilgrimage has a mission: to send 90 ordained Christian ministers to the Holy Land, who would not otherwise have to opportunity to go on the 25th Holy Land Pilgrimage in February-March of 2006.

Grand Master Kenneth B. Fischer has asked us to get quotations and make plans for the 25th Holy Land Pilgrimage to take place in early 2006. The Dates will be: 1st Section, February 21 - March 3; 2nd Section, March 7 - March 17; (travel date preference will be honored on a first-come, first-served basis.) The cost is approximately \$1,600 and includes round-trip airfare from and to LaGuardia International Airport, three meals per day, our English speaking guide (Ezra Eini), entrance fees to all sights, including all tipping and airport taxes.

We had a total of 80 reservations at our last count of ministers you wanted to send on the 25th Holy Land Pilgrimage, but that was four (4) years

ago. Because this count was taken four years ago, we ask you to reverify the names and addresses of the ministers you plan to send in 2006.

Please send to Fred Lesley the following information:

•The number of ministers you plan to send, no later than August 15, 2005.

•The names and addresses of the minister(s) by September 15, 2005

•The questionnaire for minister(s), registration form and certificate of agreement, if you have not already sent this information to Fred by October 15, 2005.

It is possible that you will be required to send a \$100 refundable deposit to secure air space. We will let you know.

We are accepting additional reservations for this 25th Holy Land Pilgrimage.

As always, we thank you for your continued prayerful support of this great Christian Templar program.

P. Fred Lesley, Servant and
R. Frank Williams, Servant

In Service to the Craft

By Grand Chaplain Ray D. Heilborn

Concerning Natural Disasters

Hurricane Katrina inundated and destroyed thousands of homes and businesses in Mississippi, Louisiana and Alabama, and in the process caused a horrible toll of human lives. The shock waves of this disaster have touched us all. Daily, yes, hourly, the television has flooded us with the reports of the deprivation and great distress this has caused. We have watched and listened in horror and shock as the thousands of our citizens have cried out for assistance; for just a little clean water and some food.

I was personally disgusted and embarrassed as I attended a large public religious meeting and heard a clergy member state, "God is once again showing us that HE is in control of all of life and perhaps is using Katrina as a means to awaken us to our moral responsibility and sinfulness."



Rev. Ray D. Heilborn
Grand Chaplain

My friends, I hasten to tell you that this does not reflect my religious perception of God. I will state my belief that God, or however you personally think of the Grand Architect, does not cause disasters! Natural disasters and human disasters are precisely that: natural and human disasters! They are not punishments heaped upon unsuspecting persons in order to teach the rest of us a lesson.

We, as brothers in Masonry, recognize that when we are gathered in our lodges, we meet as equals in brotherhood. My brothers, I convey to you the fact, that although there are times when we are not fully aware of it, outside the confines of our lodge fellowship the reality is that we are all brothers to all other persons. Contrary to what some of us have been taught, there is only ONE human race. There are different languages, different cultures, different religious faiths, different skin colors but only one human race. We are bound together by that one common thread.

We, as Masons, have demonstrated by our great charitable concerns, our educational programs, our hospitals and homes, and the multitude of ways we reach out to help all persons, that we truly do believe this. We need to continue to set the example by our acts of compassion and love and concern. Historically, Masons have always pledged to help one another as brothers. Our recent history is filled with our efforts to help those who are outside of our fellowship, but because there are those who unable to help themselves, we step in and offer our hands and our resources. This is as it should be.

Remember, God is not punishing those who are born with defective limbs, or eyes, or organs. That is only the natural laws of genetics and nature working, and sometimes it does not work out well for everyone. When that happens, there are often times when our efforts are put to use to restore a measure of hope.

My brothers, if you feel the need to respond to me relative to what I say in my columns, remember, my E-mail is <DrRay@spacestar.net>. My home address is 136 Laker Dr. Shell Lake, WI 54871.

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Editor's Note: Please check with the Master of the lodge listed before scheduling a trip to claim your district's Traveling Gavel. It may already have been claimed by another lodge! Don't forget to complete your Traveling Gavel possession reports and send them on to the Grand Lodge Office for inclusion in your Wisconsin Masonic Journal. Thanks for your help! Where is your gavel?

Michael A. DeWolf, PGM Grand Secretary

Congratulations to you, Michael, from your brothers at Wauwatosa Lodge No. 267, West Allis



50-Year Members Honored – On March 4, 2005, three members of Warren Lodge No. 4 in Potosi were presented with 50-year membership certificates. They are James Eveland, Francis Reding and Glenn Hillery. Pictured above are Worshipful Master Keith Turner in the front. Left to right are: Roger Sedgwick, Secretary/Treasurer; 50-year member James Eveland; then Grand Master Keith Chamberlain; and 50-year member Francis Reding. 50-year member Brother Glenn Hillery, is not pictured.



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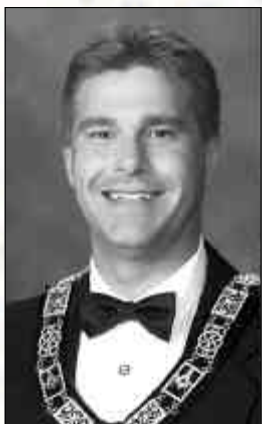
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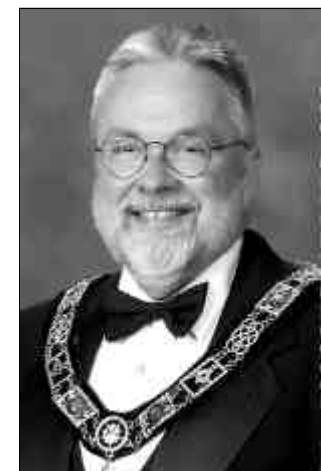
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Wisconsin & Colorado Grand Masters Attend Aurora Lodge EA Degree



Three Grand Masters Attend Aurora EA Degree

When Racine-Belle City Lodge Past Master Les Lucareli (left) learned that Aurora Lodge No. 30, our German-speaking lodge working in the Modified French Rite, was planning an Entered Apprentice Degree for September 13 in Whitefish Bay, he extended an invitation to attend the degree to MW Brother Richard Schmidt, Grand Master of Masons in Colorado. The "Lucareli connection" stems from the fact that Grand Master Schmidt delivered the lectures during the Master Mason Degree for Bro. Lucareli's son, Scott, when he became a Master Mason in the Grand Master's home lodge in Fort Collins, Colorado in July 2004. At that time Racine brothers Dale Slassstad, John Christensen and William Mount accompanied Les in Colorado to be present for the degree. It turns out that Brother Schmidt is also a member of a German-speaking lodge in Colorado, Schiller Lodge No. 4 in Denver. The MW Grand Master of Masons in Wisconsin, Roger L. Magoon (center), and MW Grand Master of Prince Hall Masons in Wisconsin, James Davis (right), also attended, with each being accompanied by a solid representation of their respective Grand Lodge officers and constituent lodge members. Approximately 80 Masons attended.



Aurora Gemutlichkeit

Aurora Lodge brethren Henry Eiseinhauer (from left to right), Heinrich Kreuzpaintner, Eric Weinberger and Master Gaary Davis discussed Freemasonry during the hour of refreshment. The GM from Colorado presented an envelope containing a check for \$100.00. A collection during the period of refreshment, along with donations by three Aurora brethren and the contribution from the Grand Master of Colorado, yielded \$750.22. All monies will go to the Salvation Army Disaster Relief for the people that come to our community as a result of hurricane Katrina.

A paper by Brother Dick Marcus:

My, how time flies! Here's how you can gain better control of your time and make it work to your benefit

Editor's note: the following paper titled "Time Management" was presented earlier this year in George Washington 1776 Lodge. This is the first installment in a multi-part series that can be of use to all Masons in their personal lives as well as in their lodges and occupations.

**By Bro. Richard Marcus, Worshipful Master
George Washington 1776 Lodge No. 337**

"Time Management" is a quest to find ways to reduce stress but still strive to achieve success. Most of the books on the topic of time management are shelved in the 'self-help' section of bookstores and libraries.

As modern Americans, we say we have no time. We think we are slaves of the clock. As the Latin phrase, *Tempus Fugit*, suggests, we sense that time flies. We feel a sense of guilt that we have not gotten as much done as we should.

This sense of guilt is pervasive. We feel that we fail to live up to our parents' expectations; we suffer guilt when our behavior falls short of what we believe Deity expects; and we too frequently stumble in our attempts to demonstrate patience, fortitude, wisdom, prudence, and other virtues recommended to us in our Masonic teachings.

But failure and stumbling are entirely natural. As we climb the winding staircase of life and learning, surely it is also natural that we should try to learn how better to manage our time, our budget, and our lives.

When you read self-help books on dieting, personal

money management, or time management, the advice is essentially common sense. When dieting, it is common sense to determine what you've been eating, so that you can find healthier, lower calorie items to eat. For personal money management, it is common sense to keep track of your expenditures, so that your expenditures do not exceed your income. And for time management, it is just common sense to make a To Do list, and to do the most important things on it.

Consequently, what I have to say is everyday common sense. It is right, nevertheless, to be reminded to do well, to live in harmony with one another, and to use our time wisely.

We all are subject to procrastination and doing trivial things when big projects get left undone, both at work and at home. We do the urgent but unimportant and avoid the less urgent but important tasks. We acknowledge that we are subject to these foibles. Let us create a seven step plan to better manage our time in work and at home. In doing so, we will be made better men in Masonry.

A Simple Seven Step Time Management Plan

An important step in time management is to make a To Do List and to make it short and realistic. Scratch it on an envelope, calendar, day planner, or your personal digital assistant (PDA). Make it realistic. If we put, "world peace" as one item on our list, we're living in the land of naive beauty queens. Make your list both short and realistic.

(To be continued next month)

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Charter Presented To MasonWoods Lodge No. 368

Grand Master Roger Magoon presented the charter to the lodge located in MasonWoods Retirement Community on Shawano Lake in Cecil at a stated communication on August 16, 2005. The Grand Master was accompanied by Grand Treasurer James M. Hays. Following the presentation all enjoyed a luncheon at the Village Lantern Restaurant in Cecil. Pictured above are charter members of the lodge. In the front row, left to right are: Grand Master Roger L. Magoon presenting the Charter to Worshipful Master Horst Froelich. In the back row are: Robert Keip, Don Jackson, Frank Maletzke, Fred Goering, P. M., Past Grand Master Jim Byrnes, Howard Pland and David Hallas.



Tomah Lodge Donates Piano

Tomah Lodge No. 132 recently donated a vintage piano to The Greenfield House, a 14-bed assisted living facility located in rural Tomah. A volunteer at the facility had noticed it while renewing their driver's license at the Department of Transportation office that uses the dining area of the Lodge. Melissa Waugh, The Greenfield House Administrator, said they were looking for a vintage piano and are happy to have found one. She said it is a uniquely beautiful piano and after a little tuning it plays beautifully, and is a wonderful addition to The Greenfield House. Thanks to Brother Richard Sharp and his team of volunteers who moved it. Pictured are Melissa Waugh, Greenfield House Administrator, and Gordon Awyer, a resident of the facility.

- Submitted by Tomah Lodge Masonic News Hawk Jesse Long

Steve Schwartz Raised At River Falls Lodge

Steve Schwartz, a Fellowcraft of River Falls Lodge No. 109, River Falls, was raised to the sublime degree of a Master Mason in special ceremonies on Tuesday September 6. Shown with New Master Mason Schwartz are two of the brothers who led the degree work. At left is Rod Rommel who was in charge of the second section, new Master Mason Steve Schwartz, and on the right is John Gustad, who led the first section of the degree.

- Photo by Milt Helmer, Masonic News Hawk



Our Congratulations to Brother Daniel L. Slavik District Deputy, District 7



We're proud of you Dan!

From your brothers at Waterloo Lodge No. 63, Waterloo

- CONGRATULATIONS -
ALBERT W. JURGENS, P.M.
SENIOR WARDEN AND CHARTER MEMBER OF ISLAND CITY LODGE

ON YOUR APPOINTMENT AS DISTRICT DEPUTY, DISTRICT 3 FROM YOUR BROTHERS AT ISLAND CITY LODGE No. 330 IN MINOCQUA



We Salute L. Arby Humphrey District Deputy, District No. 1, Serving the Fraternity in Northwest corner of Wisconsin



Congratulations Brother Arby!

From your Brothers at Acacia-Itasca Lodge No. 329 in Superior



Masonic Picnic welcomes Masons & Star

The Masons of Hancock Lodge No. 229 played host to the Star and spouses of our departed brethren and sisters on Saturday, August 27 at Ev Young's cabin on the Mississippi River in Red Wing, Minnesota. The group is shown here enjoying the beautiful sunny day.



Morningstar Lodge Annual Steak Fry

Morningstar Lodge No. 10 in Beloit held its annual Steak Fry on August 16. They always have a nice group of people come by for lunch and kind words.

- Submitted by Masonic News Hawk Don Koeshall

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MSA Band Social at King Veterans Home – 31 Masons, wives and friends from eight central Wisconsin cities served apple pie and cheese to over 200 Wisconsin Veterans Home members, spouses and other guests during the fourth quarterly Band Social held as an outdoor concert in the park at King, Wisconsin, August 21. The Neenah Happy Wanderers (German) Band entertained and members received raffle prizes consisting of Home Exchange coupons, books, all sponsored by the Masonic Service Association and the Grand Lodge of Wisconsin. Pictured above is left is Henri Miles, Masonic Band Director from New London, urging audience participation. In the lower right picture are Jim Hays, Grand Treasurer, from Appleton, and Audrey Reichow, a Masonic wife from Oshkosh, serving members at the social. In the picture at upper right, Tom Dowman, Oshkosh, MSA representative for King, is drawing numbers for the raffle prizes. The next band social will be held Nov. 13 and feature the Lourdes High School Swing Band from Oshkosh.



George B. Wheeler Lodge Goes Travelling

Lodge No. 351 knows how to travel, as the brethren pictured standing in front of the limo learned recently. They traveled to Landmark Lodge in Frederic to participate in a degree and to make sure they had the lodge full for the new candidate. It was a blast and Frederick Lodge enjoyed it as well. Upon returning to our lodge, many of the brethren reminded Worshipful Master Stang to ask them again if such a trip was being planned in the future. It was a great way to travel and everyone enjoyed the evening. Pictured from left to right are Vic Corsie, Ed Baker, Dick Mitchell, Scott Baker, Neil Hanson, Dan Walters, Dewain Lightfoot, Gary Stang, Greg O'Reilly, Gordy Hintermeyer and Tom Monson (our newest member and owner of the limo) - Submitted by Gary Stang, WM, George B. Wheeler Lodge



Warren Lodge Award – On May 11, 2005, the Mason of the Year award was presented by Grand Master Keith Chamberlain to Davey L. White, Sr., of Warren Lodge No. 4 in Potosi.



Eau Clair Masons Hold Family Night at Brackett Field – George B. Wheeler Lodge No. 351, Sanctuary Lodge No. 347 and Eau Claire Lodge No. 112 had a joint family night on July 18, 2005 at Brackett, Wisconsin, playing softball and cribbage.



Honored for 50-Years – Members of Prairie View Lodge No. 95 were recognized for 50-years in Masonry recently. John Roy Burr, left and Fleetwood Peter Miller, right, received certificates on May 24. Also recognized but unable to attend the dinner and program were Warren Towne and William Carl Weinhaus.

Congratulations



Rodney A. Paulsen
Deputy Grand Master of
Masons in Wisconsin



Richard A. Vande Sande
Grand Marshal



James G. Jante
District Deputy
District 11

From your Brothers at
Burlington Lodge No. 28

Congratulations

James M. Hayes & Kurt R. Magoon



James M. Hayes
Grand Treasurer



Kurt R. Magoon
Grand Tiler

from your Brothers at
Appleton Lodge No. 349

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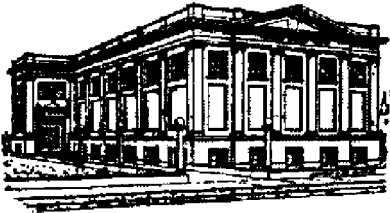
FROM YOUR
BROTHERS
AT SHELL LAKE-
SPOONER LODGE
No. 221,
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Does your Lodge support a Masonic youth group?
Job's Daughters? DeMolay? Rainbow for Girls?
Think about it.

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Being active in the life
of your lodge is part of
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Adams Lodge No. 332
160 S. Grant • 608-254-6575 (Sec)
Meet 1st & 3rd Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Appleton

Waverly Lodge No. 51
315 S. Bluemound Dr. • 920-738-9220
Meet 1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Barnes

Barnes Lodge No. 365
City, Hwy. N • 715-372-4957 (Sec)
Meet 2nd Tues. - 4th Tues. in June only
7 p.m. Dark Jan., Feb. & March

Barneveld

Barneveld Lodge No. 319
108 S. Jones St. • 608-967-2114 (Sec)
Meet 1st Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Bayfield

Bayfield-Washburn Lodge No. 215
29 N. 2nd Street • 715-779-3174 (Sec)
Meets Monthly, 1st Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m.
Meets All Year

Beaver Dam

Dodge County Lodge No. 72
Best Western Campus Inn Motor Lodge
815 Park Ave. • 920-887-2530
Meet 3rd Monday, 7 p.m. - Meet All Year

Beloit

Morning Star Lodge No. 10
229 W. Grand Ave. • 608-362-6073
Meet 1st & 3rd Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m.
1st Wed. only in July & August

Berlin

Berlin Lodge No. 38
124 E. Huron St. • 920-361-0810 (Sec)
Meet 2nd & 4th Wednesdays, 7 p.m.
Meets All Year

Black River Falls

Black River Lodge No. 74
314 Main St. • 715-284-2234
Meet 2nd & 4th Thursdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark June & July

Bloomer

Bloomer Lodge No. 281
2122 16th Ave. • 715-568-5152
Meet 1st & 3rd Wednesdays, 7 p.m.
Dark January & February

Bristol

Washburn Lodge No. 145
8157 - 199th Ave. • 262-857-7501
Meet 2nd Thursdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Brodhead

Bicknell Lodge No. 94
302 1st Center Ave. • 608-897-8069
Meet 2nd Mondays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Brookfield

Elmbrook Lodge No. 354
4550 N. Pilgrim Rd. • 262-549-0923
Meet 2nd Tuesdays, 7:00 p.m.
Dark June, July & August

Brookfield

McKinley Lodge No. 307
4550 N. Pilgrim Rd. • 262-781-9907
Meet 1st & 3rd Thursdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Brookfield

Myron Reed No. 297
4550 N. Pilgrim Rd. • 262-780-0176
Meets 2nd & 4th Tuesday 7:30
Dark July & August

Burlington

Burlington Lodge No. 28
325 N. Kane St. • 262-763-6290
Meet 1st & 3rd Thursdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Cambridge

Social Lodge No. 245
105 S. Spring St. • 608-423-3823 (Sec.)
Meet 2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July, August & 1st Sept. Mtg.

Camp Douglas

Camp Douglas Lodge No. 272
208 State Rd. • 608-427-6542 (Sec)
Meet 1st & 3rd Thursdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Cecil

Mason-Woods Lodge No. 368
N6446 Emery Ansonge Rd • 715-745-4840 • Meet 1st & 3rd Tuesdays,
10 a.m. • Dark January & February

Chetek

Chetek Lodge No. 277
216 Morrison St. • 715-296-5537 (Sec)
Meet 2nd & 4th Thursdays, 7 p.m.
Dark June, July & August

Chippewa Falls

Chippewa Falls Lodge No. 176
650 Bridgewater Ave. • 715-723-6341
Meet 1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Clear Lake

Clear Lake Lodge No. 230
411 Third Ave. • 715-263-3033
Meet 2nd & 4th Monday, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Crandon

Crandon Lodge No. 287
211 S. Lake Ave. • 715-478-2797 (Sec)
Meet 2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 7 p.m.
Dark June, July & August

Crivitz

Tri-County Daylite Lodge No. 218
918 Louisa St. • 715-854-3088
Meet 2nd Wednesdays 10 a.m.
Dark January & February

Delavan

Southern Lakes Lodge No. 12
1007 S. Second St. • 262-728-4237 (Sec)
Meet 1st & 3rd Monday, 7 p.m.
Dark July & August

Dodgeville

Dodgeville Lodge No. 119
200-206 W. Chapel St. • 608-935-3548
Meet 1st & 3rd Thursday, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Dousman

Dousman Lodge No. 315
214 Main St. • 262-593-2647 (Sec)
Meet 1st & 3rd Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Dousman

Glen L. Humphrey Lodge No. 364
375 Hwy. 67 • 262-965-9390
Meet 2nd Tuesday, 9:30 a.m.
Dark June

Eagle River

Eagle River Lodge No. 248
610 E. Division • 715-479-8646
Meet 2nd Tuesdays, 7 p.m.
Meets All Year

Eau Claire

Eau Claire Lodge No. 112
616 Graham Ave. • 715-832-7759
Meet 2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Eau Claire

George B. Wheeler Lodge No. 351
616 Graham Ave. • 715-832-7759
Meet 2nd & 4th Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Eau Claire

Sanctuary Lodge No. 347
616 Graham Ave. • 715-832-7759
Meet 1st & 3rd Thursdays, 7 p.m.
Dark July & August

Edgerton

Fulton Lodge No. 69
312 W. Fulton St. • 608-884-6679 (Sec)
Meet 1st Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Ellsworth

Hancock Lodge No. 229
400 High Point Dr. • 715-273-5230 Meet
2nd & 4th Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Evansville

Union Lodge No. 32
104 W. Main St. • 608-882-6087 (Sec)
Meet 2nd & 4th Tuesdays 7 p.m.
Dark July & August

Florence

Hiram D. Fisher Lodge No. 222
433 Central Ave. • 715-251-4439 (Sec)
Meet 2nd Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.
Dark December, January & February

Fond du Lac

Fond du Lac Lodge No. 26
500 W. Arndt St. • 920-922-5800
Meet 1st & 3rd Thursdays, 7 p.m.
Dark July & August

Frederic

Landmark Lodge No. 244
109 United Way • 715-327-8963
Meets 2nd Tuesdays, 7 p.m.
Meets All Year

Friendship

Quincy Lodge No. 71
210 Main St. • 608-564-7144 (Sec)
Meet 1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Galesville

Decora Lodge No. 177
16794 S. Main St. • 608-582-4130 (Sec)
Meets 1st & 3rd Mondays, 8 p.m.
Dark July & August

Glendale

James M. Hays Lodge No. 331
7800 N. Green Bay Rd. • 414-354-5767
Meets 1st Mondays, 6 p.m.
Dark July & August

Grafton

Victory Lodge No. 320
1645 Highland Dr., #2 • 262-376-9619
Meet 2nd & 4th Mondays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark June - August

Green Bay

Des Peres Lodge No. 85
525 N. Taylor • 920-499-7265
Meet 2nd & 4th Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Green Bay

N.E.W. Daylite Lodge No. 360
535 N. Taylor St. • 920-499-7265
Meet 2nd Thursday, 10 a.m.
Dark July & August

Green Bay

Theodore Roosevelt Lodge 322
525 N. Taylor St. • 920-490-9777
Meet 1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Green Bay

Washington Lodge No. 21
525 N. Taylor St. • 920-494-5205
Meet 1st & 3rd Thursdays, 7 p.m.
Dark July & August

Hartford

Hartford Lodge No. 120
147 N. Rural St. • 262-673-2074 (Sec)
Meet 2nd Monday, 7 p.m.
Dark July & August

Hayward

Keystone Lodge No. 263
511 N. Iowa Ave. • 715-634-4715
Meet 2nd & 4th Thursdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Hudson

St. Croix Lodge No. 56
209 Locust Street • 715-377-0817
Meet 1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Janesville

Janesville-Western Star No. 55
2322 E. Milwaukee St. • 608-752-3098
Meet 2nd & 4th Mondays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Jefferson

Jefferson County Lodge No. 9
617 Masonic Blvd. • 920-674-6715
Meet 1st & 3rd Mondays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Kenosha

Kenosha Lodge No. 47
807 - 61st St. • 262-657-7631
Meet 2nd & 4th Wednesdays, 7 p.m.
Meets All Year

Kenosha

Sunrise Lodge No. 359
807 61st St. • 262-694-7817
Meet 2nd & 4th Mondays, 9:30 a.m.
Dark July & August

Kenosha

Unity Lodge No. 367
4320 Washington Rd. • 262-657-5575
Meet 2nd & 4th Thursdays, 7 p.m.
Dark July & August

Kewaunee

Kewaunee-Key Lodge No. 174
1111 Juneau St. • 920-388-3303
Meet 2nd & 4th Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

La Crosse

Frontier Lodge No. 45
118 S. 8th St. • 608-782-1616
Meet 2nd & 4th Tuesday, 5:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

La Crosse

La Crosse Masonic Lodge No. 190
118 8th Street So. • 608-782-1616
Meet 1st & 3rd Wednesdays, 7 p.m.
Meets All Year

Lake Geneva

Geneva Lodge No. 44
335 S. Lakeshore Dr. • 262-248-9900
Meet 2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Linden

Linden Lodge No. 206
618 Main St. • 608-623-2498 (Sec)
Meet 2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 8 p.m.
Dark July & August

Lodi

Lodi Valley Lodge No. 99
114 First St. • 608-592-4392 (Sec)
Meet 1st & 3rd Mondays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Madison

Commonwealth Lodge No. 325
301 Wisconsin Ave. • 608-256-0793
Meet 1st & 3rd Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark June, July & August

Madison

Doric Lodge No. 356
6002 Cottage Grove Rd.
608-222-6166 • Meet 1st & 3rd Tues.,
7:30 p.m. • Dark July & August

Madison

Four Lakes Daylite Lodge No. 362
301 Wisconsin Ave. • 608-256-0793
Meet 1st Mondays, 10 a.m. (except Sept.
2nd Monday) Dark July & August

Madison

Hiram Lodge No. 50
310 Wisconsin Ave. • 608-256-0793
301 Wisconsin Ave. • 608-256-0793
Meet 1st & 3rd Thursdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark 1st Mondays, July - Labor Day

Madison

Madison Lodge No. 5
301 Wisconsin Ave. • 608-256-0793
Meet 1st & 3rd Thursdays, 7:30 p.m.
Meet 1st Thursday July & August

Manitowoc

Manitowoc Lodge No. 65
810 Chicago St. • 920-684-4334
Meet 1st & 3rd Thursdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Marinette

Marinette Lodge No. 182
1610 Main St. • 715-735-3515
Meet 3rd Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Marshfield

Marshfield Lodge No. 224
402 W. 4th St. • 715-384-8646
Meet 1st & 3rd Thursdays, 7 p.m.
Dark June, July & August

Medford

Medford Lodge No. 217
150 S. Seventh St. • 715-748-6851 (Sec)
Meet 1st & 3rd Thursdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark January & February

Menomonie

Menomonie Lodge No. 164
N5729 - 410th St. • 715-235-2667
Meet 2nd & 4th Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Mercer

Hurley Lodge No. 237
5179 N. Hwy. 51 • 715-476-2332 (Sec)
Meet 2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark January, February & March

Merrill

Virginia Falls Lodge No. 226
916-1/2 E. Main Street • 715-536-2591
Meet 2nd & 4th Tuesday, 7 p.m.
Dark June, July & August

Merrillan

Merrillan Lodge No. 279
103 S. Main Street • 715-333-2083 (Sec)
Meet 1st & 3rd Mondays, 7 p.m.
Dark January, February & March

Middleton

Middleton-Ionic Lodge No. 180
7409 Franklin Ave. • 608-831-4418
Meet 1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Milton

Milton Lodge No. 161
508 Vernal Avenue • 608-754-2464
Meet 4th Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Milwaukee

Damascus Lodge No. 290
1235 E. Howard Ave. • 414-421-9624
(Sec) • Dinner 6 p.m., Lodge 7 p.m.
2nd & 4th Tues. • Dark July & August

Milwaukee

Freemasons Lodge No. 363
790 N. Van Buren St. • 414-425-5166
Meets 1st Wednesdays, 5:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Milwaukee

James M. Hays Lodge No. 331
790 N. Van Buren • 414-354-5767
Meet 1st Mondays, 6 p.m.
Dark July & August

Milwaukee

Lafayette Lodge No. 265
4315 N. 92nd St. • 414-4357-5449
Meets 1st & 3rd Mondays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Milwaukee

Lake Lodge No. 189
1235 E. Howard Ave. • 414-744-4609
Meet Thursdays, 7:00 p.m.
Dark July & August

Milwaukee

Nathan Hale Lodge No. 350
790 N. Van Buren • 262-363-5469
Meet 1st Thursday, 7:00 p.m.
Dark July & August

Mineral Point

Mineral Point Lodge No. 1
310 High St. • 608-987-3396 (Sec)
Meet 1st & 3rd Mondays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Minocqua

Island City Lodge No. 330
7529 Hwy 51 South • 715-356-5678
(Sec.) • Meet 1st Wednesday, 10 a.m.
Meets all year

Mondovi

Mondovi Lodge No. 252
245 S. Franklin. • 715-926-3448 (Sec)
Meet 2nd & 4th Mondays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Monroe

Smith Lodge No. 31
1613-1/2 Tenth St. • 608-934-5258 (Sec)
Meet 1st & 3rd Thursdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark June, July & August

Mosinee

Mosinee Lodge No. 318
607 13th St. • 715-693-3150 (Sec.)
Meet 1st Thursday, 7 p.m.
Dark July & August

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Rhineland

Rhineland No. 242
23 E. Davenport St. • 715-277-2692 (Sec)
Meet 1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 7 p.m.
Dark January & February

Rice Lake

Blue Hills Lodge No. 234
222 W. South Street • 715-234-8318
Meet 2nd & 4th Mondays, 7:30 p.m.
Meet All Year

Richland Center

Richland Lodge No. 66
290 W. Union St. • 608-647-4487 (Sec)
Meet 1st & 3rd Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m.
Meets All Year

River Falls

River Falls Lodge No. 109
122 E. Walnut St. • 715-425-2333
Meet 1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 6:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Shawano

Shawano Lodge No. 170
201-1/2 S. Main St. • 715-526-3920
Meet 1st & 3rd Thursdays, 7 p.m.
Dark July & August

Sheboygan

Sheboygan Lodge No. 11
411 St. Clair Ave. • 920-457-3111
Meet 1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 5:30 p.m.
Meets All Year

Shell Lake

Shell Lake/Spooner Lodge No. 221
28 Dobby Drive • 715-468-2251 (Sec)
Meet 1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark June, July & August

Shullsburg

Benton Lodge No. 268
Co. Hwy. W • 608-965-3575 (Sec)
Meet 1st & 3rd Wednesdays, 8 p.m.
Dark January & February

South Milwaukee

South Shore Lodge No. 3
2001 South 7th Ave. • 414-762-2421
Meet 2nd & 4th Mondays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

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Dark July & August

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Dark July August

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Dark July & August

Stoughton

Kegonsa Lodge No. 73
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Dark July & August

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Dark July & August

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Dark July & August

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Dark July & August

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Dark July & August

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Dark July, August

Wauwatosa

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West Allis

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Dark July & August

West Allis

West Allis Lodge No. 291
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Meet 1st & 3rd Fridays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

West Bend

West Bend Lodge No. 138
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Meet 2nd & 4th Thursdays, 7 p.m.
Dark July & August

Whitefish Bay

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Meet 2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 7 p.m.
Dark July & August

Whitefish Bay

Geo. Washington 1776 Lodge No. 337
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Meet 1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Whitewater

St. John's Lodge No. 57
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Meet 1st & 3rd Mondays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

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Wilmot Lodge No. 241
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Meet 2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Winneconne

Winneconne Lodge No. 186
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2nd & 4th Tues., 7 p.m.
Dark July & August

Wisconsin Dells

Dells Lodge No. 124
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Meet 1st & 3rd Mondays, 7:30 p.m.
Dark July & August

Wisconsin Rapids

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Meet 1st & 3rd Wednesdays, 7 p.m.
Dark July & August

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Youth In Masonry



2005 DeMolay Conclave Attendees

The attendees of Wisconsin DeMolay's Conclave 2005 take a break after the Sweetheart Program on the campus of UW-Stevens Point.

The Best of the Best DeMolay Conclave 2005

STEVENS POINT – Taking a line from the movie “Top Gun” describes this year’s Wisconsin DeMolay Conclave: “The Best of the Best.”

This year’s Conclave was held July 28-31 on the campus of UW-Stevens Point, and it was full of surprises. The first surprise came even before the conclave began, with hard work from the state officers and staff. Registration was up for both full and part-time registrants, plus the annual conclave banquet saw a rise in attendance as well.

The second surprise came from all the generous donations received from these Masonic families: Lila B Graser Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star; Martha Chapter, OES; Provost Unit, Tripoli Shrine; Frederic-Grantsburg Lodge No. 244; Martha Washington Chapter, OES; Union Grove Chapter, OES; Legion of Honor Unit, Zor Shrine; Union Grove Lodge; Hiram Lodge; Wisconsin DeMolay Court of Chevaliers and the Wisconsin DeMolay Legion of Honor. If you or your organization is interested in assisting with Conclave 2006 please contact Dad Shawn Vollmer at svollmer@wi.r.com for more information.

The third surprise was the ever-impressive degrees. Wisconsin DeMolay initiated seven boys during this year’s Conclave class. Great ritual work, tight floor work and acting worth of an Emmy Award marked the occasion.

Wisconsin DeMolay would like to welcome the following new members: Jerry Hamalainen, Kenosha; James Erickson, West Bend; Andrew Herder, Doric; Corey Collins, Doric; Courtland Knetzke, Doric; Robert Hines, St. Croix; Westley Murray, Brookfield.

The fourth surprise came with heated competition for the coveted COW trophies. “COW” stands for “Chapter

of the Week” and each chapter at Conclave can win or lose points based on certain criteria. It was a tight race until the end when the 2004-05 State Master Councilor’s chapter overtook any competition to win. This competition brought together all the attendees, advisors, and visitors in the ideals and principles of DeMolay brotherhood and of course FUN!

Which brings us to our last surprise, and although Wisconsin DeMolay is proud of its State Officers, this had to be an exception. Every Saturday of Conclave the two mighty forces of DeMolay square off in a battle befitting of the Super Bowl. It matches courage against wit, wisdom against youth, and most of all, hair-line against maturity.

This year’s annual Conclave State Officer, State Staff Volleyball Game was truly one to go down in history. Both sides talked the talk, but in the end the State Staff walked the walk. In an embarrassing loss, the State Officers limped back into the dorm rooms defeated once again, but they did make it interesting for the spectators.

The State Officers came onto the court in women’s clothing! Trying to rattle the concentration of the State Staff, the short skirts and halter tops were hard on the eyes, but were even harder on the stomach from laughing so much.

Four days of fun and brotherhood came to a close with the installation of the new corps of State Officers, with Eric Gross being installed as the 2005-06 Wisconsin DeMolay State Master Councilor.

If you know of any young man between the ages of 12 and 21 who you think would benefit from DeMolay or if you would like to view the packed schedule for Wisconsin DeMolay, please visit www.widemolay.org.

If information in your lodge listing is incorrect, contact the editor at <wmjed@sbglobal.net>

BRETHREN...Being active in the life of your lodge is part of being a Mason.

Brethren, the Grand Master's Blue Lodge Public Awareness Program, begun in 2004 by Grand Master Keith D. Chamberlain, will continue this year during Grand Master Roger L. Magoon's term in office. Information will be forthcoming to Lodge Secretaries.

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Quarry Notes

William L. Stonecipher, Editor

• **Lodge Listings for the Traveling Mason** – We are in the process of updating the Lodge Listings for the Traveling Masons page. Although the renewal deadline date was in early September, we are still receiving renewals. If your lodge just renewed or decided to be listed for the first time, your lodge's listing might not appear until the November issue. Thanks for your understanding and cooperation. Also, please review your lodge listing to be sure it is correct. Let us know if changes are needed.

• **Ozaukee Lodge Spina Bifida Benefit** – Ozaukee Lodge No. 17 will be hosting the second annual "No Limit Texas Hold'em" Poker Benefit for the Spina Bifida Association of Wisconsin on Saturday, October 15. Last year Ozaukee Lodge raised a little over \$3,500 for the Spina Bifida Association. Registration is 1:30-2:30 p.m. The tournament begins at 2:30. The toumey will be held at the Port Washington Masonic Center, 504 W. Grand Avenue in Port Washington. Tournament entry is tree. Players must be at least 18 years of age. There will be a larger raffle with awesome prizes, and food and beverages. All proceeds will benefit the Spina Bifida Association of Wisconsin. The Spina Bifida Association works to support people with Spina Bifida and their families. They also work to increase awareness of Spina Bifida and how it can be prevented.

• **Good Experience With Masonic Angel Foundation** – In early 2003 Sanctuary Lodge No. 347 of Eau Claire received a copy of "The Cornerstone" volume 17 number 2 in the mail from Heirloom Bible Publishers. As I began to read through it I came across an article titled, "Angels Among Us," that appeared in The old Secretary column of Trowel Magazine in 2001.

The title "Angels Among Us" aroused my curiosity and the more I read the more interested I became. At the next meeting of our lodge I read the article and could not believe the interest it generated, especially with our new and young members.

Several stated this is why we became members of the Masonic Fraternity, and right away a motion was made to become members of The Masonic Angel Foundation. The vote was unanimous. Next we contacted the Masonic Angel Foundation, Inc., in Orleans, Massachusetts and applied for membership.

Now we needed to create a fund to support this charity. Several pledges were made that evening so now we had a base to work from. Then a decision was made to support the 23 elementary schools in our area where we have lodge members. This covers Eau Claire, Altoona, Elk Mound, Fall Creek, and Augusta and we wondered if we could handle this large an area.

A general letter of information was mailed to our membership explaining the project as well as an article in the Masonic Center Trestle Board. The donations began to come in from everywhere. Next we began contacting the elementary schools and informing the principles, nurses, and counselors about our program and that we were there to step in and help when there was nowhere else for some of these little kids to go for help.

As we began to receive calls for assistance we could not believe the situations some of these little children are living under. It just broke our hearts, but when we saw how we were making these little ones happy its just hard to explain the feeling. And the donations continue to come.

Donations over \$500 are tax deductible and you receive a receipt from the foundation. You can claim donations under \$500 if you itemize. By rules of the foundation 100% of all donations must be used for charity. All expenses must be paid for by the lodge. If you are looking for a project to let your lodge light shine, check out The Masonic Angel Foundation, Inc.

– Submitted by Bro. Roger Bischoff, Eau Claire

• **Masons In The Service** – It is of interest to me to learn if any Masons in Wisconsin are presently serving on active duty with the United States military in Iraq. If so, the Wisconsin Masonic Journal would like to make sure that they receive our publication while there. If desired, copies can be forwarded to them while on active duty via their stateside APO address. Please let us know if we can be of service in this regard. A discrete reply via e-mail to the Wisconsin Masonic Journal at <wmjedit@sbcglobal.net> with the pertinent address information will suffice.

It has also come to our attention that a Masonic Lodge has been given dispensation to organize and work in Iraq by the Grand Lodge of New York. The lodge is named "Land, Sea & Air Lodge No. 1 U.D. (under dispensation) and is located in a small building at FOB Speicher. The building houses the North Chapel, a mosque, a battalion aide station and a classroom in which the lodge meets. There are presently about 30 Brothers who desire membership according to Major E. D. Walther IV, the Master of Land, Sea & Air Lodge. This information is from the Fall 2005 "The Empire State Mason" magazine. **wmj**

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**Compass Point
Cornerstone Laying
Ceremony & Celebration**
Saturday, September 17th

The cornerstone laying ceremony and celebration for Three Pillars new Compass Point catered living senior apartments was held Saturday, September 17th at the main entrance to the new facility just off of Highway 18 in Dousman.

Residents, Masonic Dignitaries, staff, board members, and residents of the local community attended. The ceremony was performed by Most Worshipful Grand Master Roger L. Magoon and his Grand Lodge Line Officers. Following the ceremony those that attended were able to tour part of the new Compass Point catered living facility. Light refreshments were then enjoyed across the bridge on the west bank of the Bark River on the Three Pillars campus.

Pictured at top right is Theda Andres, Board Chair of the Wisconsin Masonic Home speaking at the Cornerstone Ceremony while Most Worshipful Grand Master Roger L. Magoon looks on. Pictured bottom right is Mark Strautman, CEO of Three Pillars, welcoming everyone to the celebration.

Please visit our website at: www.threepillars.org for more pictures of this special event.

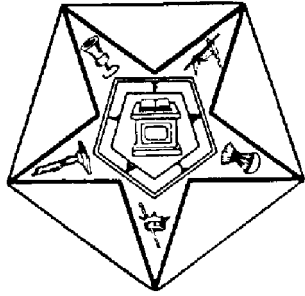


*Family Night at the
Masonic Health Care Center*

Family Night at the Masonic Health Care Center was another big success. Residents at the Masonic Health Care Center recently enjoyed an evening with family and friends while enjoying music and refreshments.

Music was provided by Steven James of Cambridge, Wisconsin who played the cello and sang old time favorites for everyone. Cucumber sandwiches, cheese, cookies, and beverages were served for all. Gift baskets and gas cards that were anonymously donated by a resident's family member were given away as door prizes at the event.

Pictured to the left are Caroline Mueller, a resident at the Masonic Health Care Center with her daughter Janice DeCaluwe posing for a photo at the festivities.



Order of Eastern Star

October Calendar of Chapter Meetings

(See the September issue for information about the October 1 to 7 meetings)

- Sun., Oct. 9 - Frederic 239, 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM Harvest Dinner
- Mr. and Mrs. OES, Herremans, 109 W. Main, Sun Prairie
- Mon., Oct. 10 - Evansville (Columbia 29), 7:30 Packer & Badger fun Night
- Appleton (Fidelity 94), 7:00 Stated Meeting
- Green Bay (Martha Washington 124), 7:00 'Autumn Leaves'
- Tues., Oct. 11 - Stoughton (Venus 61), 7:30 Stated Meeting
- Sun Prairie (Twilight 165), 7:30 Stated Meeting
- Wisconsin Rapids (Rainbow 87), 7:00 Fun Night
- Burlington 153, 7:30 Stated Meeting
- Clear Lake (Northwest 98), 7:30 Stated Meeting
- Michigan Grand Chapter
- Wed., Oct. 12 - Janesville 69, 7:30 Honor Marshal and Chaplain
- Brookfield (Wauwatosa 219), 7:30 Honor Triwaukee Chapters
- Crandon (Halcyon 178), 7:30 Past Matrons and Past Patrons Night
- Thurs., Oct. 13 - Mukwonago (LaBelle 40), 7:30 'Getting Our Ducks in a Row', Honor Sideliners
- Wauwatosa (Golden Rule 194), 7:30 Past Matrons and Past Patrons
- Kenosha 92, 7:00 Star Point Night
- Wisconsin Dells (Kilbourn 120), 7:30 OV/Laurie Twardy, GC
- Edgerton (Edgerton-Milton 63), 7:30 OV/Rae Canfield, Grand Marshal
- Sussex (Lila B. Graser 159), 7:30 OV/Bobbi Jo Oyen, Grand Martha
- Sat., Oct. 15 - Crivitz (Trillium 208), 10:00 AM OV/Helen Wheeler, AGM
- Sturgeon Bay (Honor 1), 3:30 PM Reception honoring Bonnie Kohn, Grand Chaplain and Thomas Pinney Jr., Grand Rep of Massachusetts
- Mon., Oct. 17 - Kenosha (Pike 285), 7:30 Stated Meeting
- Portage (Star of Bethlehem 100), 7:30 Stated Meeting
- River Falls (Kinnickinnic 80), 7:30 OV / Laurie Twardy, GC
- Sparta 18, 7:30 OV / Linda Sedall, Grand Electa
- Wautoma 198, 7:00 Obligation Night
- Tues., Oct. 18 - La Crosse (Ruth 23), 6:00 Potluck, 7:30 OV/Kris Engbring, AGC
- Milwaukee (Electa 75), 7:30 Honor Chaplain/Organist
- Tomah 6, 7:30 OV/Martha Swanson, WGM
- Ashland (Lac La Belle 24), 1:30 OV/Helen Wheeler AGM
- Dodgeville 39, 7:30 OV / Helen Shue, GR
- Wed., Oct. 19 - Chippewa Falls (Chippewa 112), 7:30 OV/Helen Wheeler, AGM
- Rhinelander (Mabel 181), 7:30 OV/Laurie Twardy, GC
- Lodi (Queen Esther 4), 7:30 More Books!
- Thurs., Oct. 20 - Baraboo, (Baraboo 21 and Star of Bethlehem 100), 7:30 OV / Kris Engbring, AGC
- Sturgeon Bay (Honor 1), 7:30 OV / Laurie Twardy, GC
- Middleton (Melody 150), 7:30 OV/Bonnie Kohn, Grand Chaplain
- Eagle River (Eagle 218), Octoberfest Dinner
- Union Grove 71, 7:30, Stated Meeting
- Fri., Oct. 21 - Milwaukee (Vega 76), 7:30 Star Point Night
- Sat., Oct. 22 - Kenosha (Pike 285) Spaghetti Dinner/Bake Sale
- Brookfield (Acadia 269), 5:00 PM Dinner, Unity Leadership Meeting, Reservations Required
- Mon., Oct. 24 - Evansville (Columbia 29), 7:30 Friends Night - Halloween Party, wear costumes
- Appleton (Fidelity 94), 7:00 Harold's Chicken Soup
- Superior 252, 7:30 OV/Laurie Twardy, GC
- Ladysmith 287, 7:30 OV/Bonnie Kohn, Grand Chaplain
- Monroe (St. Omar 90), 7:30 OV/Rae Canfield, Grand Marshal
- Plymouth (Loyalty 118), 7:30 OV/Kay Scafe, GO
- Stevens Point (Arbutus 52), 7:00 OV/Sylvia McDonald, GA
- Jefferson (Martha 66), 7:30 OV/Helen Shue, GR
- Shullsburg 30, 7:30 OV/Roxanne Gnatzig, Grand Esther
- Onalaska 249, 7:30 OV/Bobbi Jo Oyen, Grand Martha
- Mauston (Lemonweir 158), 7:30 OV/Linda Sedall, Grand Electa
- Owen 274, 7:30 OV/Robert Bradley GW
- Green Bay (Martha Washington 124), 7:00 'Compass Night'
- Tues., Oct. 25 - Stoughton (Venus 61), 7:30 Honor Past Matrons and Past Patrons
- Sun Prairie (Twilight 165), 7:30, Halloween (costumes)
- Wisconsin Rapids (Rainbow 87), 7:00 Warder/Sentinel Night
- Port Washington (Ozaukee 147), 7:30 OV/ Martha Swanson, WGM
- Palmyra (Rob Morris 10), 7:30 OV/Helen Wheeler, AGM
- Oconomowoc (Oconomowoc - Hartland 13), 7:30 OV/Roxanne Gnatzig, Grand Esther

International Peace Garden Pilgrimage

Most Worthy Grand Matron Pat Rasmussen and Most Worthy Grand Patron Loyal Stark invited all OES Sisters and Brothers to join them on a trip to the International Peace Gardens on the border of North Dakota and Manitoba from August 11th thru August 15th 2005. This is a pilgrimage taken every three years by General Grand Chapter to encourage and celebrate the unity and peace between our countries.

Led by WGM Marty and WGP Roy, a total of 54 Sisters and Brothers were happy to join the bus tour and represent our beautiful state. As a member of this group, we want to thank Sister Marty and Brother Roy for doing such an admirable job of organizing and leading our delegation.

There are numerous details to attend to and constant last minute adjustments to make when things don't go as planned. Just making sure everyone was housed in a suitable environment and fed adequately and at appropriate times was a monumental task. Not only did they keep us constantly supplied with cold water; we never went more than two hours without something to eat. This was definitely a deluxe OES tour. You've never really lived until you're experienced Buffalo Races on a tour bus.

We were tremendously pleased that Wisconsin was so well represented. There were 663 registered attendees and with 54, Wisconsin ranked fourth. The only ones to beat us were Iowa with 105, Minnesota (Sis-

ter Pat's home state) at 84 and California (Brother Loyal's home state) at 85.

Sister Marty and Brother Roy took the opportunity to let Sister Pat and Brother Loyal know that Wisconsin was looking forward to their Official Visit at Grand Chapter in May 2006. All of us were able to visit with our fellow OES Sisters and Brothers to let them know that enthusiasm for Eastern Star is alive and thriving in Wisconsin. There were 30 States and 4 provinces represented so we were able to make many new friends.

During the program on Saturday, Sister Pat and Brother Loyal announced that there will be a new Jurisdiction in Rumania, which is a wonderful addition to our International Family. We attended a very moving church service on Sunday morning at the Peace Garden Chapel in the Burdick Center.

The Peace Gardens themselves form a 1-1/2 mile loop. As you walk along the North side you are in Canada and as you return on the South side you are in the U.S. There is a new memorial dedicated to 9-11 on the U.S. side that includes actual sections of scrap metal girders from the World Trade Tower. It was a very moving experience to see.

I encourage everyone to consider going on the next Pilgrimage in 2008. It was certainly an enjoyable trip and reinforces what OES is all about.

Janice DeCaluwe, WM
Jon DeCaluwe, WP
Dousman Chapter No. 257

Calendar of Chapter Meetings, Continued

- Wed., Oct. 26 - Burlington 153, 7:30 Halloween Dress up Night
- Clear Lake (Northwest 98), 7:30 Halloween Party
- Janesville 69, 7:30 Halloween - dress in costume or informal
- Brookfield (Wauwatosa 219), 7:30 Star Point Night, Entertainment; Red Cross Disaster Response Team
- Linden 207, 8:00 OV/Helen Wheeler, AGM
- Lodi (Queen Esther 4), 4-7 PM Serving Soup and Pie
- Crandon (Halcyon 178), 7:30 Halloween
- Thurs., Oct. 27 - Platteville (Miriam 15), 5:00 dinner at Windsor Restaurant, 7:30 OV/Helen Wheeler, AGM
- Mukwonago (LaBelle 40), 7:30 Halloween Celebration, Honor Warder and Sentinel
- Wauwatosa (Golden Rule 194), 7:30 Practice Initiation
- Kenosha 92, 7:00 Halloween Costume Night
- Delavan (Walworth 148), 7:30 OV/Roy Skogen, WGP
- Kentucky Grand Chapter
- Fri., Oct. 28 - Iowa Grand Chapter
- Mon., Oct. 31 - Kenosha (Pike 285) & Burlington 153, 7:30 OV/ Kris Engbring AGC
- ### November Calendar of Chapter Meetings
- Tues., Nov. 1 - Frederic 239, 6:00 Chili Supper, Honor Masons and Veterans, Thanksgiving
- La Crosse (Ruth 23), 7:30 Stated Meeting
- Milwaukee (Electa 75), 7:30 Honor Masons and Veterans
- Eagle River (Eagle 218), 7:30 Honor Masons and Veterans Day Observance
- Wed., Nov. 2 - Chippewa Falls (Chippewa 112), 7:30 Patriot Night
- Lodi (Queen Esther 4), 7:30 Stated Meeting
- Thurs., Nov. 3 - Argyle (Alpha 114), 7:30 Honor Secretaries and Treasurers
- Fri., Nov. 4 - Milwaukee (Vega 76), 7:30 Honor Masons and Veterans, Wear Red, White and Blue
- Sat., Nov. 5 - Clear Lake, 9:00 AM NorthWest Club
- StarCruisers Club
- Mon., Nov. 7 - Kenosha (Pike 285), 7:30 East - West Night, Basket Raffle
- Portage (Star of Bethlehem 100), 7:30 Elective Officer Night
- Wautoma 198, 7:00 Education Night
- Thurs., Nov. 10 - Wauwatosa (Golden Rule 194), 7:30 OV/Kris Engbring, AGC

Sisters and Brothers

If you would like to have information about your chapter meetings, special events, 50-year members, new members or chatter about your chapter printed on this page; please send information for this page 45 days prior to publication date to:

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The Wisconsin Vision Conference

Come one and all to the Wisconsin Vision Conference. This is Wisconsin's opportunity for all members to learn how to improve our organization and grow for the future. It is Saturday, November 5, 2005 at 1 p.m. until 8 p.m. at the Stevens Point Masonic Center, 1578 Strong's Avenue, Stevens Point, WI.

The conference is given by the General Grand Chapter Visionaries. The cost is \$20 which includes all materials and meals.

Send Registration and name by November 1, 2005. Make checks to:

WI Grand Chapter OES, 36275 Sunset Drive, Dousman, WI 53118-9349.

GRAND REPRESENTATIVE PARTIES

Honor Chapter

Cordially Invites you to a
Twice Blessed Reception
Honoring

**Bonnie L. Kohn, Grand
Chaplain & Thomas Pinney, Jr.
Grand Representative of
Massachusetts**

Saturday, October 15, 2005

Program at 3:30 PM

Dinner at 5:00 PM

Henry S. Baird Masonic Lodge

31 S. 3rd Ave., Sturgeon Bay, WI

\$15.00 per person

RSVP with Name and Title by

October 5, 2005 to:

Evelyn Gay, Secretary

238 North Fulton Ave.

Sturgeon Bay, WI 54235

Join **LaBelle Chapter**

Mukwonago, as we honor

Sister Rae-Ellen Preuss

Grand Representative of

Ontario, Canada

Sunday, November 13, 2005

2:00 PM Program

Refreshments to Follow

First Congregational Church

231 Roberts Dr., Mukwonago, WI

RSVP by November 1, 2005 to:

Bonnie Geiser

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Please NO gifts.

**Donations to OES Cheer Fund
Welcomed.**

Announcements

• Exactly 50 years

Brother Grover Darrow of Chippewa Chapter, Chippewa Falls received his 50-year certificate on June 1, 2005, exactly 50 years from the date he was initiated.

• Grand Representative Appointments

Laura Dessereau, **Texas**, Vega Chapter, Milwaukee; Michael Larson, **Alberta**, Oregon Chapter, Oregon; and Leslie Craven, **Manitoba**, Owen Chapter, Owen

• 1st Wisconsin Masonic Fraternal Leadership Evening

You and your escort are cordially invited to attend on Saturday, October 22, 2005 at McKinley Lodge, 4500 N. Pilgrim Road, Brookfield, WI. Registration 5 p.m. and Dinner at 5:30 p.m. (\$15.00 per person). Introductions and program with Guest Speaker Mr. James Peterson (the Image of Rocky Rococo).

Please send reservations with remittance, title and organization you represent no later than October 17th to: Mrs. Martha Swanson, P.O. Box 265, Walworth, WI 53184. Checks should be made out to "Harvest of Prayers Special Fund"

Wisconsin Masonic Calendar

(GM indicates that the Grand Master will be in attendance)

October 2005

- 3 District 12 School of Instruction, James M. Hays Lodge No. 331
- 4 District 3 School of Instruction, Mystic Tie Lodge No. 280 in Ladysmith, 7 p.m.
- 8 Valley of La Crosse Scottish Rite degrees for 4th, 14th, 15th & 18th degrees all on the same day
- 8 District 7 - School of Instruction at Lodi Valley Masonic Center at 8:30 a.m.
- 10 District 12 School of Instruction, South Shore No. 3
- 11 District 3 School of Instruction at Hurley Lodge No. 237 in Mercer, 7 p.m.
- 13 Wisconsin Masonic Benevolent Activities Board Mtg., Grand Masonic Center, Dousman, 3 p.m.
- 13 District 5 - School of Instruction at Black River Falls Lodge at 7:30 p.m.
- 15 Ozaukee Lodge No. 17 will host its 2nd annual "No Limit Texas Hold-em" Poker Benefit for the Spina Bifida Association of Wisconsin. Registration is 1:30-2:30 p.m. The tournament begins at 2:30. The tourney will be held at the Port Washington Masonic Center, 504 W. Grand Avenue in Port Washington. Tournament entry is free. Players must be 18 years of age.
- 15 District 4 - School of Instruction at MasonWoods
- 20 District 12 - School of Instruction at Wisconsin Lodge No. 13, Wauwatosa
- 20 District 5 - School of Instruction at Tomah Lodge No. 132 at 7:30 p.m.
- 21-22 Scottish Rite Valley of Eau Claire Fall Reunion
- 22-23 Grand Lodge Full Staff Meeting, Brookfield
- 23 Walk for Dyslexia Fund Raiser to benefit 32nd Degree Masonic Learning Center of Milwaukee. Milwaukee WALK to Help Children with Dyslexia. Sunday, October 23, 1 p.m. in Veterans Park on Lincoln Memorial Drive. There will be parking, shelter, picnic tables, bathrooms, water, cookies, entertainment by the Shrine Animals, music, fun festivities and rally with prizes at the end. Aurora Sinai Medical Center will be there to do blood pressure checks, etc. To sign up go to <www.dyslexiawalk.org> or call the WALK Committee (262) 376-8868 or for credit card call (414) 276-4744 x 108 before Oct. 15, 2005.
- 25 District 5 Fall Meeting, Black River Lodge No. 74, Black River Falls, 7 p.m.

November 2005

- 3,4,5 Scottish Rite Valley of Milwaukee Fall Reunion
- 5 Scottish Rite Valley of Green Bay Fall Reunion
- 7 District 12 School of Instruction, Excelsior Lodge No. 175, West Allis Masonic Center
- 9 District 3 School of Instruction at Forest Lodge No. 130, Wausau, 7 p.m.
- 12 Beja Shrine Ceremonial, Green Bay
- 14 District 12 School of Instruction at Lafayette Lodge No. 265, Northwest Masonic Center, Wauwatosa
- 15 District 3 School of Instruction at Medford Lodge No. 217, Medford, 7 p.m.
- 28 District 12 School of Instruction at Excelsior Lodge No. 175

December 2005

- 4 Knights Templar Christmas Observance at Lake Lodge No. 189, Milwaukee
- 6 District 3 School of Instruction, Park Falls Lodge No. 300 in Park Falls at 7 p.m.
- 7 Wisconsin Masonic Foundation Meeting - Grand Masonic Center Dousman 4 p.m.
- 8 District 6 - School of Instruction at Manawa Lodge No. 82 in Manawa, WI at 7 p.m.
- 8 Wisconsin Masonic Benevolent Activities Board Meetings - Grand Masonic Center in Dousman, 3 p.m.
- 10 Silas Shepherd Lodge of Research No. 1843 Annual Meeting & Election of Officers, Oconomowoc-Hartland Lodge No. 42, Oconomowoc, 10 a.m.
- 14 District 6 - School of Instruction at Wautoma Lodge No. 148 in Wautoma, WI at 7 p.m.
- 17 District 9 School of Instruction at Dousman Lodge - registration at 8 a.m.
- 17 Scottish Rite Valley of Milwaukee Annual Children's Christmas Party



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 Thursday, September 29



Crossing from the new to the old, persons attending the Compass Point cornerstone dedication at the Three Pillars Senior Living Community in Dousman crossed the Bark River bridge on their way to attend a reception following a tour through portions of the facility still under construction. The Saturday, Sept. 17 event was attended by an estimated 300 persons. Connecting the existing Masonic Village on the Square building (right) to the new 75-unit Compass Point catered living complex under construction (left) is the pavilion. Construction is on schedule for a spring 2006 completion date.