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NOVEMBER/DECEMBER  
TRESTLEBOARD



## NOTES

- Just a reminder Brethren that we are transitioning to electronic e-mails for the Trestleboard and please make sure we have your current email address. We are still mailing the trestleboard to those who do not have email.

# UNITED LODGE OFFICERS 2014

- Master: W. Frank E Hilton 833-0025
- Senior Warden: RW R. Timothy Martel 729-1433
- Junior Warden: Bro. Frederick J. Komiega 406-2070
- Treasurer: Bro. John Busby 319-6486
- Secretary: R W Robert E. Webber 449-5337
- Chaplain: RW Geo. Babe Littlefield 725-8103
- Marshal: Bro. Michael Fitzmaurice 729-5625
- Senior Deacon: Bro. Byron Miller 522-2873
- Junior Deacon: Bro. David Jason Koncz 988-2473
- Senior Steward: Bro. Edward A. Caron Sr. 725-2910
- Junior Steward: Bro. Edward A. Caron Jr. 735-5653
- Organist: Bro. Michael Banas 725-6191
- Tyler: Bro. Jaime Reatiraza 725-6524
- Rainbow Liaison: RW. Geo. Babe Littlefield 725-8103
- DeMolay Representative: R.W. Harry Grinder 353-8328
- Education Chairman: W. Craig A. Rubner 737-5753
- Historian/Photographer: Bro William Alderman 841-3573
- Prompter: Bro .Edward F. Varney 576-3649



# *Master's Designs Upon the Trestleboard*

Brethren,

The year is drawing fast to a close, and with it we are concentrating on a very busy schedule, as evidenced by the attached calendar, for the months of November and December.

As always we are looking for your support to United Lodge in a variety of ways. First if you haven't already done so, please pay 2015 dues. Renewal of membership is lagging significantly behind last year. Please note, to remain in good standing, 2015 dues must be paid prior to the annual meeting, January 13, 2015.

Another way in which Brethren living in the Brunswick area can help is: The Saturday after every stated meeting is dedicated to Lodge cleaning chores. Around 9:00 am, Brethren come in to do normal cleaning such as, bathrooms, kitchen and hallway floors, vacuuming etc. Coffee and Donuts are usually available to warm up with prior to an hour or so of chores. We can always use an extra hand!!

For those that like to cook or prepare for meals an opportunity exists. Suppers, as well as all food events, are prepared by United Lodge Brethren and extra help is always welcome, especially for serving and post meal clean up. Contact me if you can, or would like to assist with this important Lodge function.

If getting involved in degree work is of more interest to you, then we have opportunities for you to become an Elder Brother or Mentor to a new candidate. In this role you will work with one (or more) candidates, helping with their lessons, and also to travel with them and introduce them to other District Lodges and Masonic events. It is important to continue working with and supporting a new Mason during his first year as a member of our fraternity.

If you don't have the time or opportunity to be as actively involved, as stated above, I want you to know that every member of United Lodge is always welcome, just simply come to any Lodge meeting at any time, and fellowship with your Brethren. If you haven't been to Lodge for some time and feel uncomfortable in coming, please remember that in your home Lodge, you do not need to worry about being examined or challenged. You are always welcome!

Lastly, I want to direct your attention to the calendar. Please plan to attend one or more of these events during this period. The ARC Blood Drive to be held on December 22nd is an important event that is held at United Lodge each year. Help is needed in setting up the event, checking in donors etc. Please contact me if you can assist your Lodge in any of the ways I have described, it would surely be appreciated. In closing I want to wish each and every one a joyous, and safe Holiday season.

Fraternally,  
Frank E. Hilton  
Master





# UP COMING MASONIC BIRTHDAYS



## NOVEMBER

BROTHER	DATE RAISED
Amassa E. Bisbee	11/27/1945
George F. Moody	11/27/1945
Donald R. Austin	11/9/1948
Edward H. Totman	11/23/1948
Ronald W. Wise	11/1/1049
Peter Frati	11/28/1950
Donald Cheetham	11/23/1954
Bruce M. Austin	11/25/1958
James D Bridge	11/8/1977
William P.Orrall	11/28/1978
Donald E. Clough Sr	11/11/1980
Winston E. Dollahon	11/8/1983
R.T. Martel	11/3/1987
Paul V. Barker	11/6/1990
Ronald W. Hill	11/26/1991
Henry W. Barnes	11/23/1993
Michael D. Fitzmaurice	11/29/1994
Jere A. Green	11/29/1994
Keith A. Moody	11/28/1995
Ronald P. Fluet	11/7/1996
Verian L. Beebe	11/25/1997
Craig A. Rubner	11/26/2001

## DECEMBER

BROTHER	DATE RAISED
F N. Whitemore	12/3/1947
Richard B. Smith	12/16/1962
Eric Simonds	12/16/1998
James O. Gross	12/21/2001
John Busby	12/17/2005
Michael G. Catone	12/20/2005
Kevin R. Smith	12/ 20/2005
Jason M. Sanders	12/12/2006
Douglas W. DeHaven	12/19/2006
Aaron G. Tachett	12/19/2006
Chester W. Mathews	12/19/2007
David A. Crump	12/ 20/2011
William M. Aldeman	12/17/2013



# LODGE SCHEDULE



## November 2014

- Nov. 9<sup>TH</sup> United Lodge rehearsal MM 7 pm
- Nov. 11<sup>th</sup> United Lodge Stated Meeting 7:30 pm
- Nov. 16<sup>th</sup> United Lodge Rehearsal MM 7:00 pm
- Nov. 17<sup>th</sup> United Lodge MM degree, 6:30 Supper, 7:30 work

## December 2014

- Dec. 9<sup>th</sup> United Lodge, Stated Meeting 7:30 pm
- Dec. 13<sup>th</sup>, United Lodge, District Meeting 6:30 Supper, 7:30 Meeting
- Dec. 22<sup>nd</sup>, United Lodge ARC Blood Drive, 12:00 -6:00 pm



# DISTRICT ACTIVITIES



## November 2014

- Nov. 3<sup>rd</sup>, Freeport Lodge Stated 7:30 pm.
- Nov. 4<sup>th</sup> Acacia Lodge Stated 7:30 pm.
- Nov. 5<sup>th</sup> Village Lodge Stated 7:30 pm.
- Nov. 5<sup>th</sup> Solar Star Lodge FC degree 6:00 pm supper 7:00 pm work.
- Nov. 10<sup>th</sup>, Ancient York Lodge Stated / Veterans Nite, 6:30 Supper 7:30 work.
- Nov. 12<sup>th</sup> Solar Star Lodge Stated 6:00 pm Supper, 7:00 pm Meeting.
- Nov. 13<sup>th</sup> Solar Star Lodge DOA meeting, 7:00 pm.
- Nov. 19<sup>th</sup> Village Lodge, FC SOI, 6:30pm supper, 7:30 pm school.
- Nov. 21<sup>st</sup> Ancient York Lodge Fellowship Nite 6:30 pm Supper 7:30 work.
- Nov. 23<sup>rd</sup> Ancient York Lodge Rehearsal 7:00 pm.
- Nov 24<sup>th</sup>, Ancient York Lodge Inspection, MM degree, 6:30 pm Supper 7:30 pm work.
- Nov. 26<sup>th</sup>, Solar Star Lodge, Inspection, EA degree 6:30 pm Supper 7:30 pm work.
- Nov. 28<sup>th</sup> SA Kettle Drive, Bell Ringing 9:00 am - 5:00 pm Walmart Brunswick.

## December 2014

- Dec. 1<sup>st</sup> Freeport Lodge, Stated 7:30 pm.
- Dec 2<sup>nd</sup> Acacia Lodge, MM degree, 6:30 pm supper 7:30 pm work.
- Dec 3<sup>rd</sup> Village Lodge Stated 7:30 pm.
- Dec 8<sup>th</sup>, Ancient York Stated 7:30 pm.
- Dec 9<sup>th</sup>, Acacia Lodge, Stated 7:30 pm.
- Dec 10<sup>th</sup> Solar Star Lodge, Stated 6:00 pm supper 7:00 pm meeting.
- Dec 20<sup>th</sup> Solar Star Lodge, Christmas Party 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm.