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The Master's Words

Congratulations and Thank Yous are in order, for all those who took part in our Installation. Our hall was teeming with friendship and brotherly love. We were privileged to have several Grand Lodge officers, including RWBro. Dan Slavik taking part in the actual Installation Ceremony, together with the young ladies of Bethel #77 of the IOJD, the young men of The Kenosha Chapter of the DeMolay, and State Master Counselor, Stephen Mattox. Adding to this, we were honored to have several visiting Brothers from various Lodges throughout the state. Of these, it must be noted, that we were honored to have the RWBro. Minor King, Deputy Grand Master from the Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Wisconsin, along with other Grand Lodge Officers. I especially thank the lovely ladies of our newly installed officers for making it a very special day for all of us.

I ask you to join with me, in making our goal for this year, turning our lodge into a place of WELCOME for all. Let the word UNITY stand for more than just the name of an organization: That we stretch forth our hands and also open our hearts to those around us and to support the notion of WORKS more so than WORDS.

I look forward to serving our lodge with you.

In Brotherhood

Bro. Bill



From The West

Greetings,

We are about to embark on another Masonic year in Unity Lodge.

Can you believe that as I sit here on December 12 this year that we still await our first good snowfall? This lack of snow has really put a damper on my downhill skiing and snow boarding.

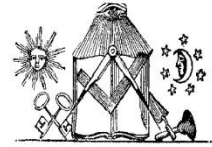
However, I do look forward to seeing you at our Lodge events and candidate degree installations in 2013. These dates will be available to you in our Trestleboard calendar. Your support will ensure these events being a success. Thank you.

Additionally, Please inform me or any Lodge officers or members who are shut in as we will set up dates to visit these Brothers.

From the West,
Jim Dowell – Senior Warden



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Happy New Year!

From The South

Brethren this is shaping up to be a wonderful and busy year in our lodge. There is much on the table and I truly hope that all members attend and assist in all of our lodge's doings. We as Masons are craftsmen and in the spirit of that I hope our works are true. I want to take this opportunity to thank all those who make this lodge go round. Brothers don't forget that people make this lodge what it is. Also I personally need to thank Bro. Olger and his lady Glenda for such great help with and during the installation. Thanks again brothers.
Benjamin Saucedo



Job's Daughters International BETHEL #77
Kenosha is having a fundraiser night at Culver's,
5220 Green Bay Road, Kenosha
DATE: Monday, February 4, 2013 Please plan
on visiting that day, have a meal or a treat and
help us raise money for our Bethel.



Welcome all Masons & OES Members
You are cordially invited to our Honor Masonic Night
with the Kenosha DeMolay Chapter

On Tuesday January 15, 2013
6:00p.m. Dinner
7:00p.m. Meeting in your Honor
Unity Masonic Lodge
4320 Washington Road, Kenosha

For more information & to RSVP contact
Cindy Clifton at [262-914-1117](tel:262-914-1117) or
cindycec@excite.com

KENOSHA LODGE # 47

Greetings Brothers From The East ;
This will be my last letter to you as your lodge Master.
Bro. Jim Matson will be installed as Master on Jan.
8th at Unity Lodge starting at 6:30 pm., followed by a
reception at the Fireside Restaurant. Everyone is
invited. Come and show your support and have some
fun.

I would like to thank all of the officers for the great job
that each did though a very trying year. THANK YOU!
Remember that the stated meeting on Dec.25 will be
dark. Any suggestions or ideas that you might have
for our Lodge in 2013 please write it down and give it
to an officer or mail it in. All will be considered.
To everyone a very Merry Christmas and safe,
healthy and prosperous New Year.

God Bless All
Bro. John Walker, WM



From the East:

The installation for Sunrise went very well, starting
with a breakfast at 8 AM at Gateway Café. At 9:30,
we installed the following officers for 2013: WM
Gordie Charlton, PM, SW Randy Holton, HPM, JW
Harold Little, PM, Sec/Treas Bruce Haubrich, PM, SD
Wayne Budwick, PM, JD Bobby Gober, PM, Chaplain
Ewald Brandes, PM, Tiler John Walker, PM. Bro.
Wayne Budwick was the Installing Master, Bro. Jerry
Slater was the Installing Marshall and Bro. Harold
Little was the Installing Chaplain. After the installation,
everyone was invited to the Fireside Restaurant for
lunch.

Sunrise Lodge meets on the 2nd and 4th Monday of
the month, but we meet every Monday morning for
breakfast (including holidays). There will be no
meetings on Christmas and New Years Day.

Fraternally yours,
Gordie Charlton, WM



JANUARY



January Birthdays

01/01 Randy M. Spivey
01/07 Bruce M. Hoening
01/08 Peter Gochis
01/09 Bruce J. Hannah
01/11 James M. Suksi
01/11 Wayne A. Budwick
01/11 Randall F. Upright
01/13 Jimmie R. Thomas
01/13 Louis J. Zagame
01/16 Jack E. Vernezze
01/17 Kenneth E. Hagen
01/17 Robert G. Schnaare
01/17 George H. Easton
01/18 James L. Shaffer
01/18 Michael S. Vastano
01/19 James M. Hoover
01/19 Peter J. West
01/20 Jon P. Strecker
01/24 William C. Yenawine
01/25 Donald L. Hall
01/27 Gerald S. Hansen
01/27 Billy S. Owens
01/28 James G. Kruse
01/31 Woodrow Hanzalik



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KEITH R. MATUS
President



The Editor/Secretary

It seems that we have made it through most of the holiday madness with smiles all around. I'm a bit behind on things but it should even out soon. Some of you may have noticed that our website (kenoshamasons.com) is no longer functional. I am working on a fix for that and expect that we will be "up and running" very soon with a slightly different address: kenoshamasons.org The change is necessary, but it's a long story...

Thanks to our new WM, I have been awarded the Honorary Past Master title. It was a complete surprise and I am truly grateful for the high compliment.

Keep those dues checks coming in! Only 49 left outstanding!

I'll see you in Lodge!

Fraternally,

Bob Burgermeister, HPM

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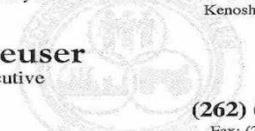
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Dates to Remember January 2013

- Jan 3 – Unity Stated Meeting 7 PM**
- Jan 7 – Unity Trustees 6 PM**
- Jan 8 – Kenosha Lodge #47 6:30 PM**
(Installation of 2013 officers)
- Jan 14 – Sunrise Lodge 9:30 AM**
- Jan 14 – OES #92 7 PM**
- Jan 17 – Unity Stated Meeting 7 PM**
- Jan 22 – Kenosha Lodge #47 7 PM**
- Jan 28 – Sunrise Lodge 9:30 AM**

Every Wednesday – Lodge Clean Up with coffee and rolls 8 AM, and Degree Practice 10 AM.

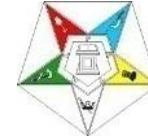


January Masonic Anniversaries

- Charles D. Estill
- W. Marlin M. Dunham
- Jerry E. Davis
- W. Louis J. Zagame
- Eddie R. Lofton
- Vincent Desantis
- W. Dennis A. Johnson Sr
- W. Robert T. Stoebe
- James E. Kreuser
- Terry A. Griffiths
- James C. Pittman



Trestleboard Deadline is the 15th of every month. Please submit articles via email to: webmaster@kenoshamasons.com



Kenosha Chapter #92, OES

Dear Sisters and Brothers,

It is with great sadness that we must say Good-bye to our Sister Lou Zelenski, PGM.

The funeral services will be held on Thursday, Jan 3rd, 2013 at the Piasecki-Althaus Funeral Home. Visitation will be 5 pm to 7 pm. An Eastern Star service will be at 7 PM, followed by a religious service. Piasecki-Althaus 3720 39th Avenue Kenosha, Wi www.piasecki-althaus.com Cards can be sent to Howard Zelenski at 3604B 7th Ave Kenosha, WI 53140-2501 Please let me know if you would like to participate in Lou's OES Funeral Service.

Sister Judi Kruse, also lost her Mother this past week. Cards can be sent to Judi at 1938 16th Ave., Kenosha, WI 53140.

Please keep our Sisters and their families in your thoughts and prayers.

Just a reminder that we will be dark the Months of January and February.

I would also like to wish you all Merry Everything and Happy Always!

Wishing you every happy thing this holiday season,

Kenda Copsey Perroni, W.M.
Kenosha Chapter #92, Order of the Eastern Star

