

The Trestleboard

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The Master's Words

Greetings All,

The summer has come to an end and winter will soon be upon us. As such, our Masonic year is also coming to an end and a new year is about to begin. We have shared in many events thru the year, not only with our members but also with all of the Masonic Bodies within the Kenosha community. Our most recent event was the House picnic. The weather was not the best by any measure, but we were there and enjoyed it the best we could. For that we thank all of our participants for their special food offerings and strong spirit. We extend our special thanks to Bro. Jim Gename, for his leadership and coordination, insuring that our picnic had a great outcome.

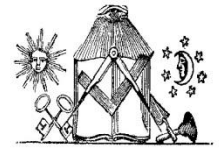
We will be holding our annual elections at our stated meeting on 7 Nov. My Brothers, now is your time to step forward and show your support for our lodge. I'm sure the incoming Master will welcome any and all offers of support. Keep in mind, my Brothers, that the operation of a lodge requires more than just appearance twice monthly at the stated meetings and stopping in on Wednesday morning for coffee. There are many areas in which our lodge could use your help and support. Take the burden off of the few, help out.

As this is my last message as Master of the lodge, I thank all of you for your support in this past year. I wish all of you well. It is my hope that our lodge continues to thrive, and with your continued efforts, you will achieve all of your future goals.

In Brotherhood,
Fraternally, Bro. Bill Shelley, Master



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From the East:

Our election of officers for the 2014 year will be at our Stated Communication on Monday, November 11. Come and help us fill the chairs for next year. Don't forget, October 29th School of Instruction. We will do the opening of the MM Degree. Regular stated meetings of Sunrise Lodge will be October 28th, November 11th and November 25th at 9:30 AM. Meet with us every Monday morning for breakfast at the Gateway Café at 8:00 AM.

Gordie Charlton, WM



District 11 Fall Meeting

Join your fellow Lodges in District 11 for fellowship and information at our Fall Meeting.

The agenda for the evening:

- A round table discussion with our RWJGW Don Hensiak about the new petition process and the Lodge Excellence Award.
- Prospective candidates - In a day and age when people are finding us on the internet, how do we get to know them and see if Masonry is for them and they for us?
- Freemasonry and social media – How it can be used for good. How it can create problems.
- Recap of general communications from Grand Lodge.
 - Open floor for general announcements.

This meeting is about good back and forth discussion, so please bring your questions and ideas. You may send them to me early if you would like (district_deputy11@wisc-freemasonry.org).

Remember, all Lodges need to be in attendance.

Date: October 30, 2013

Time: 6:00 PM - Dinner, 7:00 PM – Meeting

Dinner: Chicken, Baked Potato, Vegetable, Roll, and Dessert

Location: Laffin-St James Lodge

206 S. Main St – Mukwonago 53149

Cost for the dinner is \$8.00 – RSVP with a count of attendees to me (Mike Gorgen - district_deputy11@wisc-freemasonry.org – 262-820-0812) or Roy Hubler (prespotterlake@aol.com – 262-642-8717) by **October 18th.**

KENOSHA LODGE # 47

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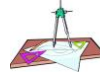
The purchase of the building is on again. As long as all i's are dotted and t's crossed and Grand Lodge approves we will be purchasing the lake front property. The trustees and lodge officers are endeavoring to get everything done on the time table we have (it's rather tight). I will keep you informed of any developments.

Please join us in conferring an EA degree on Wednesday 10/23/2013 at 7 pm at Unity Lodge.

Our regular Tuesday meeting on 10/22/2013 has been cancelled, however we will be having a practice EA degree on that night at 7 pm. Anyone wishing to attend is welcome.

We will be holding elections of lodge officers on Tuesday November 12, 2013 at 7 pm at Unity Lodge. This is also hungry Mason night, please join us at Gateway Cafe at 530 pm.

Fraternally,
Jim Matson W.M.



Just a reminder that the Area 1 SOI School of Instruction will be held at Unity Lodge #367 on Tuesday, October 29th, 2013. I ask each Lodge to review their assignment.

School will commence at 7pm, and a dessert will be served after the school.

Please read this note at your next Stated communication, as your attendance is imperative to the success of the School.

Thank you in advance.

In Brotherhood,

Bill Hahnfeldt
District 11 Lecturer

November

November Birthdays

- 11/01 Brian J. Samuelson
- 11/02 Jerry J. Brown
- 11/06 Adam M. Stoll
- 11/13 Bruce H. Eggert
- 11/16 David M. Cogshall
- 11/16 Benjamin R. Saucedo
- 11/17 Edward H. Schiller
- 11/21 Oral E. Congdon Jr
- 11/24 Thomas A. Eide
- 11/24 Frederick C. Duprey
- 11/28 Olger M. Bergerson



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KEITH R. MATUS
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The Editor/Secretary

Thursday, October 24, Unity Lodge will be conferring the MM Degree on Bro. Rakesh Patel. Lodge opens at 6:40. Please join us and show your support for Bro. Rakesh.

The 2014 Dues season has started. Your invoice has been mailed, and some have started to come in with checks already. Perpetual members should have their new white cards by now.

Unity Lodge will hold its election of officers for 2014 at our Stated Communication on November 7. Please join us and help to elect good leaders for the coming year.

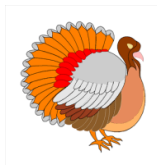
See you in Lodge!

Fraternally,
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Dates to Remember
October-November 2013



Kenosha Chapter #92, Order of the Eastern Star

- October 22 – (Cancelled) Kenosha #47
- October 23 – Kenosha #47 Special EA Degree
- October 24 – **Unity Special MM Degree 6:40PM**
- October 28 – Sunrise Lodge 9:30 AM
- October 29 – SOI at Unity 7 PM
- October 30 – District Meeting 7 PM
- November 4 - **Unity Trustees meeting 6:30 PM**
- November 7 – **Unity Election meeting 7 PM**
- November 11– Sunrise Lodge 9:30 AM
- November 12 – Kenosha #47 7 PM
- November 14 – **Unity Fall Dinner 6:30 PM**
- November 21 – **Unity Stated meeting 7 PM**
- November 25– Sunrise Lodge 9:30 AM
- November 26 – Kenosha #47 7 PM
- November 28 – **Thanksgiving**
- November 28 – **Chanukah begins**
- Every Wednesday – Lodge Clean Up with coffee and rolls 8 AM, and Degree Practice 10 AM.

If you would like to join Eastern Star, learn more about the projects we have been doing or have questions please don't hesitate to reach out to us through leaving a message in our mail box at the lodge or calling the Worthy Matron at 262-455-5025.

With God, All Things Are Possible
Elisa Marshall, Worthy Matron
Doug Moorhouse, Worthy Patron



November Masonic Anniversaries

- W. Stephen E. Hunt
- Jeffrey B. Woosley
- W. Oral E. Congdon Jr
- Edward H. Schiller
- W. Bruce T. Haubrich
- Alvin F. Pryse Jr.
- W. Gerald S. Hansen
- Richard D. Sadlon
- Anastasios Kokkinakis
- W. Pat R. Kuhner
- Joseph P. Fanfarillo
- Thomas Hamilton
- Thomas R. Walker



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





Unity Lodge Fall Dinner
For Unity Members and their Ladies

November 14 at 6:30 PM at Unity Lodge

This will be catered by Gateway Café and will feature:

Prime Rib
Side dishes
Salad
Dessert

Cost will be \$10 per plate

RSVP to:
Bro. Jim Gename
(262) 694-1361
by November 11th