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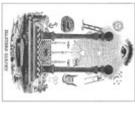
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Second Thursday of the Month Stated Communication

Please also check the Lodge Calendar and Website for updates and changes. Visit us at http://www.lewisvillelodge.org

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THE NORTHEAST CORNER

"There is no doubt in my mind that Masonry is the cornerstone of America."

- Dave Thomas, Founder of Wendy's International

that God alone is the judge of the hearts of men, rights of conscience in others, ever considering "While we are contending for our own liberty we should be very cautious not to violate the and to him only in this case they are answerable."

George Washington

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October 2011 Calendar

<u>Stated Meeting - Thursday, October 13th</u>

6:00 p.m. Fellowship Period

6:30 p.m. Supper provided by the Stewards 7:30 p.m. Lodge Opened in the MM Degree

Fellowcraft Degree - Thursday, October 20th

6:00 p.m. Fellowship Period

6:30 p.m. Supper provided by the Stewards 7:30 p.m. Lodge Opened in the FC Degree

Committee Updates

Sickness & Distress

PM Michael McCrady's youngest son Isaac is recovering from a tragic accident he suffered in his home last month. So far his motor skills and speech are recovering well. His memory is lacking a little but his family is hopeful for a full recovery.

Bro. Mark Suire recently had to undergo an emergency appendectomy and is recovering at home.

Bro. Tom Sanders' daughter Carla is continuing her cancer treatments and is dealing with depression.

Bro. Rich Desai was recently involved in a serious auto accident and is now recovering from his injuries. He is also seeking legal help in this matter. If you know of anyone who might be of assistance please contact Bro. Desai.

Please keep the following brothers in your thoughts and prayers as they are also dealing with illness or hardship: Bill Jacobs, Roger Jacobs, Ray Atkins, Al Brown, Chris McCurley, Dale Sylvester, Jack Wilson, James Higgins, Fred Kuntz and Stan Woods.

JW Brad Cunningham and JD Paul Manley have contact information for all brothers in the Sickness and Distress report if you would like to contact any of them.

Please keep all of these brothers and their families in your thoughts and prayers. It is through the support of a brother in need that we show what it truly means to be a Mason.

The Good News

During the months of August and September we put on four Entered Apprentice Degrees, three Fellowcraft Degrees and accepted one new petition for membership. Lewisville Lodge continues to set the standard in the District for activity and membership growth. Congratulations brothers!

The lock on the Secretary's door has been replaced and the toilet in the women's bathroom has been repaired.

(Please contact SW Brian Lee (214) 995-8874, Chaplain Jim Brittain 972-310-0089 or JD Paul Manley 314-276-8077 if you have anything to add to the Sickness and Distress or Good News sections).

Masonic Education

We currently have 6 brothers working on the 1st section of the EA Degree, 1 brother working on the 2nd and 3rd section of the EA Degree and 3 brothers working on the FC Degree. We encourage any brother who has yet to complete any part of their esoteric study to come up to the lodge on a Monday, Wednesday or Thursday night. Special times can also be arranged by contacting Brother JW Brad Cunningham.

Lodge Office Spotlight of the Month

District Deputy Grand Master - This District Deputy Grand Master is the personal representative of the Grand Master of Texas to the District that he represents. He is expected to visit each Lodge in his district, preside over the same when officially present, inspect the proceedings of the Lodge and provide a report to the Grand Master as to his findings. He communicates all edicts and regulations as may be received by the Lodge Secretary. Our current Deputy Grand Master of Mason District #84 is Right Worshipful Larry M. Fitzpatrick, Past Master or Lewisville Lodge. RW Fitzpatrick also communicates weekly as to the various events and promotes activity between the Lodges in the District.

Upcoming Events

The Dallas Valley Scottish Rite Fall Reunion will be held on Saturdays October 22nd, October 29th and November 12th.

Stanfield Lodge #217 is forming a new Rainbow Girls Assembly and will be hosting their first Prospect Party on October 9th at 2pm. Any girl age 11-20 may become a Rainbow Girl, so please spread the word to any relatives or friends who may be interested.

Grand Masters Conferences will be held on October 5th at 7pm at Gainesville Lodge #210 (light meal served at 6:30pm) and October 10th at 7pm at the Dallas Valley Scottish Rite.

The Peters Colony Shrine Club holds its monthly stated meetings the 2nd Monday of each month. If you are a member of the Hella Shrine or are interested in becoming a member, feel free to attend a meeting or contact Bro. Steve Inmon for more information. The club meets nearby at the Renaissance Retirement Center on Edmonds Lane.

Race for the Children

Brothers, the 2011 Race is now over and it's time to celebrate another successful event! This year we had just under 200 runners, which is an increase from last year. Next month I will be able to post more complete financial results for the Race, but so far it is looking good. A big thanks to all Brothers who helped in the many functions of the Race, including planning, fundraising and Race day operations.

It is also time to start looking ahead to the 2012 Race and the plans have already begun. Bro. Tim Browning recently held a meeting to discuss what went well with this year's Race, as well as what to do different next year. If you would like to get involved with the early planning effort, please contact Bro. Browning or Worshipful Master.

Birthdays

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL BROTHERS WHO HAVE A BIRTHDAY IN THE MONTH OF OCTOBER! I apologize to those brothers whose birthdays have been forgotten or listed incorrectly in the past. Our records are only as good as the information we get from the membership so please, if you suspect we have incorrect information for you, take the time to update your contact information with the Secretary.

This Month in Masonic History

On October 5 1874, the Grand Lodge of Oklahoma (Indian Territory) was formed.

On October 11 1911, Franklin D. Roosevelt (U.S. President 1933-1945) received his 1st degree in Holland Lodge #8, New York City.

On October 30 1937, Lyndon B. Johnson (U.S. President 1963-1969) received his 1st degree in Texas.