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District No. 2 and District No. 3 First Lady's "Sally's Garden" Donations



District #2 presented Most Worshipful Grand Master Wilson K. Wilder with a donation of \$1,703.00 for the First Lady's Sally's Garden program. Pictured, left to right: Thomas Warren, Murray #105; Donald Rogers, Farmington #382; Lynn Lane, T. L. Jefferson #622; D.D.G.M. #2 William Vinson; Jeff Gourley, Calvert City #543; Earl Link, Folsomdale #283; John Morris, Cuba #644; Sam Myers, Temple Hill #276; Rocky Walker, Symsonia #917; Michael Atkins, Briensburg #401; Bill Heath Water, Valley #756; Most Worshipful Grand Master Wilson K. Wilder; Charles Tallent, Alford-Hardin #925; Rodger Dowdy, Mayfield #369; and William McDaniel, Doric #737.



The Lodges of District #3 contributed \$1,358 to the Most Worshipful Grand Master and First Lady campaign for "Sally's Garden." Pictured, left to right: Steve Sherrill, Shady Grove Lodge #559; John Choate, Joppa Lodge #167; Most Worshipful Grand Master Wilson K. Wilder; Tom Gibson, Salem #81; Charlie Woodard, Ledbetter #952; Billy Martin, Dycusburg #232; Pat Wright, Clinton #82; Jimmy Doom, Gilbertsville #835; Jimmie Williams, Carrsville #812; Chris Damron, Bigham #256; and Dennis Jones, Smithland #131.

Leitchfield Lodge 236 Taking Kids Outdoors Organization



On Friday, April 3, 2015 at Camp Loucon in Grayson County, Kentucky, Leitchfield Lodge No. 236 donated \$200.00 and provided a fish dinner to the TKO - Taking Kids Outdoors organization. Approximately 100 people enjoyed the fish dinner, and 37 of them were the children that camped out that night and then went on a guided turkey hunt the following Saturday. Masons that volunteered: James Grant, Master; Aaron Haycraft, Senior Warden; Ralph Haycraft, Junior Warden; and Robert Thomas, Secretary.



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Grand Master's Message



WILSON K. WILDER
Grand Master

With the "State of the District" meetings behind us I am proud to say that Free Masonry is alive and well in the Commonwealth of Kentucky! I would like to thank all the Brothers that took time out of their schedules to attend this year's meetings. However, the overall attendance in many Districts was disappointing at best. I feel the Brothers that did attend were informed and enlightened by the new format of information sharing and hopefully will discuss some of the ideas and programs implemented by other Lodges,

within their own Lodge. The District Deputy Grand Masters go to a great deal of effort and expense to make sure these meetings are a success for all the Brethren in their Districts. I feel that each Lodge should make an effort to support their District Deputy Grand Master by attending their meeting. I was in hopes that every Lodge would achieve the attendance award this year but that was not the case. So Brothers, support your District Deputy Grand Masters by attending the District meetings in the future.

Some upcoming important dates to remember; June 14th we celebrate Flag Day in the United States. So, proudly display "Old Glory." June 21st is the first day of summer, which marks the summer solstice as well as Father's Day. I would like to wish every Dad a Happy Father's Day. If you are fortunate enough to still have your Father do something nice for him, but most especially let him how much you love him. On the 4th of July we celebrate Independence Day. We Americans should never forget the

sacrifices made for us to insure the way of life that we enjoy. We should always keep our military men and women in our prayers and when given the opportunity, thank them for their service to our great country. One way that we Kentucky Masons are showing our support is through the sale of our Veteran pins which funds events for our military and their families.

I hope that everyone has a safe and enjoyable summer.

Part Five of the Series: The Newly Raised Brother.

Now that we have the Brother raised to the Sublime Degree of a Master Mason his journey does not end there. First we must get him proficient on the Master Mason Degree so he will be entitled to the many benefits of the Lodge. We should also introduce him to The Grand Lodge of Kentucky's Book of Constitution and his Lodge's By-Laws. Encourage him to study and become familiar with both. This will enlighten him to the fact that we have a set of rules that we all should live by. We should then

encourage him to further his light in Masonry thru the appendant bodies, the York Rite, Scottish Rite, Eastern Star, etc. Most importantly we should encourage and include him in some of the Lodge activities, don't let him sit on the side line and feel he is not an important part of the Fraternity. I suggest that he be given a lecture to learn such as the "apron lecture" or the "Bible lecture", or even a part in the "Legend of the Temple". This also will help further his light in Masonry and make him a valuable member of your Lodge.

Always Let Your



Masonic Light Shine!

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THE LAKELAND PAST MASTERS SOCIETY
will host a

Grand Junior Warden CANDIDATES FORUM

OPEN TO ALL MASTER MASONS

12 noon – Saturday, August 29, 2015
Breakfast 6 a.m. – 11 a.m.

Clinton Lodge No. 82 F&M
110 Masonic Drive, Princeton, Kentucky

Masonic Community Outreach



Highland Lodge 311 – Cleans Up



Brothers from Highland Lodge No. 311 donated their time and energy to help clean up five miles of trash in the Wrigley area. Pictured, left to right: Keith Allred; Larry Lykins; Master Terry Robbins; and Danny Peyton.

Freedom Lodge 643 – Provides Shelter



PHOTO: DONNIE BRAKE

Brothers from Freedom Lodge No. 643 donated their time and talent to Pleasant Hill Baptist Church by staining and sealing the shelter floor and tables, and repainted the shelter roof. This is just one of Freedom Lodge's community projects. A job well done.

Kentucky Widows Sons Bike Ride for Special Olympics



On May 2, 2015, the Cryptic Knights Chapter of the Kentucky Widows Sons held its 3rd Annual Ride to raise money for the Special Olympics participants of Johnson County. The Chapter is made up of Masons from District #28. There were 30 bikes participating in the ride. The money raised helped the Special Olympics participants and their families attend the State games in Richmond, Kentucky on June 6, 2015.



**REMEMBER TO
PAY YOUR 2015
LODGE DUES**



The Residents Council of The Pillars Assisted Care, Louisville Masonic Home Campus, would like to thank the Masons who came to work for the **Great Day of Service**. Did their work matter? Yes, it did! This year they cleaned our windows and it was a gift of pure joy. Our spirits are lifted as we view the world outside our windows in a bright new light. You made a lot of residents happy. What a difference an hours work by so many willing hands can make. We hope you will return for the same window cleaning next year and that even more of you will visit our campus for this **Great Day of Service**. We enjoy your presence and your work because it says you care.

Since it was not possible to thank you individually, we thank the Masonic Journal for printing our note of thanks.

HELEN B. RUTLEDGE, SECRETARY
The Pillars Residents Council
Louisville Campus

2015 MASONIC LODGE OFFICERS

Leitchfield Lodge 236



Leitchfield Lodge No. 236 – 2015 Officers, front row, left to right: Jordan Powell, Senior Steward; Joe Grant, Treasurer; Danny Hudson, Chaplain; Aaron Haycraft, Senior Warden; Jimmy Grant, Master; Ralph Haycraft, Junior Warden; Chuck Johnson, Senior Deacon; and Junior Clark, Tiler. Back row: Jim Meyer, Marshal; Robert Thomas, Secretary; Todd Akridge, Junior Steward; Alfred Grant, Junior Deacon; and far right a future Mason, *bad* Colton Haycraft.

Hiram Lodge 4



Hiram Lodge No. 4 – 2015 Officers, front row, left to right: Alex Wood, Musician; Johnathon Cummins, Tiler; Travis Wagers, Senior Warden; Tim Shera, Master; Dean Foster, Junior Deacon; Steve Wright, Assistant Secretary; Andrew Baker, Chaplain; and Charles Edmond Smith, Grand Tiler. Back row: Chris Crowe, Treasurer; Bill Canon, Secretary; Jerry Sudduth, Junior Steward; Logan Hanes, Senior Steward; John Semones, Treasurer Emeritus; and Larry Trautner, Junior Deacon.



Brother Robert Thomas (left) presented Brother Danny Hudson (right) his Past Master's Apron for a job well done in 2014.

Valley Lodge 511



Valley Lodge No. 511 – 2015 Officers, front row, left to right: John Cornell, Senior Steward; Tim Holsinger, Senior Deacon; Jamie Gonzalez, Master; Mike Kennison, Junior Warden; Brian Kabearle; Junior Steward; and Chris Kelly, Marshal. Back row, left to right: Mike Kelly, Tiler; Drew Gribbin, Three Year Trustee; Past Grand Master Terry L. Bowman, Installing Officer; Bill Ryan, Installing Marshal; Jim Stafford, Assistant Secretary; Virgil Hall, Secretary; and Adam Uncleback, Senior Warden



Spring

MASTER MASON DEGREE

hosted by District 18 of Northern Kentucky

JUNE 20, 2015

Everyone is Welcome – Large Class is Expected

DEGREES WILL BEGIN AT 10 A.M.
Refreshments at 12:00 P.M.
Legend of the Temple at 1:00 P.M.

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Rain or Shine

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Burnside Lodge 634 – Hospice



PHOTO: DONNIE BRAKE

Brother Tommy Brake (left) a member of Burnside Lodge No. 634 recently won a Masonic knife that was donated by the estate of Brother Don Phillippi to be raffled off to raise money for Hospice. Burnside Lodge appreciates the kind gesture on behalf of Brother Phillippi. Making the presentation is Lodge Master David Thompson (right).

Hazard Lodge 676 – Raises Three



Hazard Lodge No. 676 had the honor of raising three to the Sublime Degree of a Master Mason. Brothers Jonathan Wilder, Allen Webb and Brian Miller were raised at their stated meeting on April 25, 2015.

O. D. Henderson Lodge 437 – Visits Brother



Members of O. D. Henderson Lodge No. 437, Brothers Darren Wilson, Greg Horn, Bobby Griggs, and Roy Henderson visited Brother Harold Worrell (seated) and Ambrose Wood at the Irvine Rahab Center on Saturday, May 9, 2015.



LANDMARK NO. 41 & BUFORD NO. 494
**Woodford County Masons
Charity Golf Scramble**

This event is to benefit the Woodford County Backpack Program. This program provides lower income students enrolled in the County School System the opportunity to avoid hunger at home. Students are provided a pack to take home that will help provide food during time away.

**Monday, June 1, 2015
Moss Hill Golf Course**

(formerly Woodford Hills Country Club)
3495 McCowans Ferry Rd., Versailles, KY 40383

Entry Fee: \$60 per golfer each
Hole Sponsorship \$100 each
Lunch at Noon • Shotgun Start at 1 p.m.

For more information contact:

Troy Ballard 859-559-3922
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Somerset Lodge 111 – Indiana Visitors



Recently due to a long standing tradition, two visiting Brothers from Inglewood Lodge No. 715 from Indiana were paid their wages by Master Mike Short. Each Brother received a specially stamped Masonic penny. Pictured, left to right: Brothers Mike Denney and Zach Rowe, and Master Mike Short.

Burnside Lodge 634 – Open House



PHOTO: DONNIE BRAKE

Burnside Lodge No. 634 held an Open House and book signing recently at the Lodge Hall in Burnside. Historian Harlan Ogle brought several historical books that he has written on the history of local communities, including Burnside. Brother Don Elmore (shown in photo) a Past Master of Burnside Lodge addressed those in attendance on the history of the Lodge and its Hall. He also explained the history of Freemasonry and the several myths that surround the Masonic order. It was a great fact-finding night for many and a pleasure for Burnside Lodge to hold the Open House.

The Grand York Rite Bodies of Kentucky

This July 29th through August 2nd, the York Rite Sovereign College of North America will be having their annual Assembly in Louisville, Kentucky. Approximately 850 Companion Knights and spouses from all 50 states and every Providence of Canada will be here. The Galt House will be the host hotel. This is the first time that Kentucky has been the host for such an event. A Bourbon Tour, which will visit Heaven Hill Heritage Center and Barton 1792 Distillery is scheduled for Thursday, July 30th, with lunch at Historic Talbott Tavern in Bardstown. On Friday, July 31st we will tour the Derby Museum at Churchill Downs, and then the Louisville Slugger Museum, with a lunch of the famous Green River Style Fish from the Suburban Lodge Social Club. The price for either tour is \$60.00 per person, which includes the tour each day, lunch, transportation and all gratuities. Reservations are required. During the assembly, five members of the Colleges of Kentucky will receive the Order of the Purple Cross. Congratulations to Companion Knights: David White, Roger Barnett, Bobby Hayes, Ron Howell, and Don Powell. All Companion Knights are encouraged to attend.

There will be a one day conferral of the Commandery orders on July 18, 2015 in Columbus, Ohio. The Grand Commandery of Kentucky will be conferring the Order of Red Cross. The Grand Commandery of Ohio will be conferring the Order of Malta. The Grand Commandery of Indiana will be conferring the Order of the Temple in full medieval dress.

Several Chapters, Councils and Commanderies will once again join together to hold the

ANNUAL WESTERN KENTUCKY YORK RITE FESTIVAL ON JULY 18, 2015

at 308 Joe Clifton Drive – Paducah, Kentucky

Masters: Schedule a York Rite presentation for your Lodge! Your local York Rite Bodies will be glad help!



FOR MORE INFORMATION

Contact your local York Rite Bodies, visit our website: yorkriteky.org or Contact the Grand Secretary-Recorder **JAMES H. KING, PGHP** 400 North 4th Street, Danville, KY 40422 Phone: 859-209-4120 Email: grandrecorderky@yahoo.com

GRAND LODGE OF KENTUCKY WEB PAGE

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Also visit the *Masonic Home Journal* at this site. The Web Page is now more updated and informative, so please visit us at the site listing above.



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VALLEY OF LEXINGTON ORIENT OF KENTUCKY
 ANCIENT AND ACCEPTED
 SCOTTISH RITE OF FREEMASONRY



ATTENTION

The Lexington Scottish Rite invites **ALL MASTER MASONS** to come and be a part of our August 20, 2015 meeting. We have the pleasure of hearing Brother and Thirty Second Degree Mason Darrin V. Gulla, PhD as our guest speaker.

Brother Darrin V. Gulla, PhD will speak on the Origins of Masonic Religious Toleration.

An important, if not essential, landmark of Freemasonry is that all Masons must hold a belief in God as the Grand Architect of the Universe and in the immortality of the soul. Further, Anderson's *Constitution of Free-Masons* specifically precludes Freemasonry from endorsing a particular doctrine and even prohibits religious discussion from Lodge in order to maintain harmony within the group. Let's explore the particulars of the English Reformation providing a rich backdrop to the fabric of English society whereby a handful of men would ultimately choose to establish their own Fraternal

Society which would embrace men of all religious walks of life.

Please call the Scottish Rite Office @ 859-277-7856 or the Brethren listed below and make your reservations for the August 20, 2015 meeting so we can plan for a catered meal. The meal will start at 6:30 PM. Again, this meeting is open to all MASTER MASONS and the Education will be outstanding. Come and have some fellowship and further your Masonic Light in Freemasonry.

**IT WILL BE ON
 AUGUST 20, 2015
 MEAL AT 6:30 P.M.
 PROGRAM AT 7:30 P.M.**

Do not hesitate to contact one of the following individuals to make your reservations

- III. James L. Butler, 33°**
Secretary/Registrar
 859-494-6703
- III. Chris L. Stout, PGM 33°**
Personal Representative
 630-842-8432
- Roger L. Trent, 32° KCCH**
 859-492-4496

Somerset Commandery 31 Presents Relics to Burnside Lodge 634



PHOTO: DONNIE BRAKE

Somerset Commandery No. 31 recently presented Burnside Lodge No. 634 with items that were discovered in the archives of their office that belonged to Past Grand Master J. Heber Lewis (1951-52). Brother Lewis was a member of Burnside Lodge No. 634. Making the presentation are from left: Mike McQueary, Andy Williams, Warren King, Jeremy Puckett, Burnside Lodge Master David Thompson and James Gibson. The items received were a 33° Degree hat and a Grand Lodge group photo. Many thanks to the Commandery.

Kosair Masonic Day & Arch Ceremony



Order of Amaranth's HL Yvonne Shuck, Grand Royal Matron and HL Delores Williamson, Grand Associate Matron pictured seated at one of the tables during Kosair Masonic Day and Arch Ceremony.



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*Greetings
From*



WEST KENTUCKY



ILL. WILLIAM G. HINTON, 33° PGM ORIENT WIDE MEMORIAL FALL CLASS OCTOBER 3, 2015

ALL MANDATORY DEGREES WILL BE CONFERRED

High Schools, and Director of Music and Education at the First United Methodist Church of Hopkinsville.

He later joined the staff of the University of Kentucky, Hopkinsville Com-

munity College, as Coordinator of Continuing Education, and then as Dean of Student Affairs/Registrar until retirement in 1991.

Brother Hinton was a member of Grace Baptist Church, Hopkinsville, Kentucky, and served as Choirmaster for several intermittent terms.

MASONIC RECORD

Brother Hinton was a member of Hopkinsville Lodge #37, F.&A.M. Hopkinsville, KY. Entered Apprentice-November 23, 1968, Fellow Craft-December 30, 1968, Master Mason February 8, 1969. Brother Hinton was Master of Hopkinsville Lodge #37- 1976, Secretary of Hopkinsville Lodge#37-1977-1986. Brother Hinton affiliated with Solomon's Lodge #5 on January 24, 2000 as a plural member.

Prior to being elected to the Grand Line he continued to serve the Grand Lodge of Kentucky on many Grand Lodge Committees and in other capacities after

his term as Grand Master.

Brother Hinton was a member of the West Kentucky Scottish Rite, he received his 32° March 27, 1971, he was invested with the rank of Knights Commander of the Court of Honor (KCCH) on October 21, 1985. He was coroneted as Inspector General Honorary of the 33° on November 30, 1991. He was Secretary/Registrar for several years. He became Secretary/Registrar Emeritus-2004.

Brother Hinton was a member of the York Rite, Oriental Chapter No. 14, RAM. Hopkinsville, Kentucky-Grand High Priest-1996-1997, Warren Council No. 2, R&SM, Hopkinsville, Kentucky, Moore Commandery No. 6, KT, Hopkinsville, Kentucky-Grand Commander-1980-1981. He also served as Grand Recorder for several years.

Brother Hinton was a member of the Rizpah Shriners, Madisonville, Kentucky, The Royal Order of Jesters-West Kentucky (Pennyrile) Court No. 171, Order of the Eastern Star-Carrie Hart Chapter No. 83, OES, Hopkinsville, Kentucky, Royal Order of Scotland and The Red Cross of Constanstine-St. Bernard Conclave, Madisonville, Kentucky, Scottish Rite Society, DeMolay Supreme Council Active member for-

mer Executive Officer (Kentucky). Brother Hinton was a member of many other Honor Societies and organizations Masonic and otherwise.

Brother Hinton was a knowledgeable, active and dedicated Freemason which has been firmly demonstrated in his search for more Masonic Knowledge through the many appendant and concordant Masonic Bodies with which he was associated throughout his life.

We were all very lucky to have known Brother Hinton. He is greatly missed.

*Written by:
Richard T. Nation
Grand Master*

**All Mandatory Degrees
will be conferred.**

*More information will follow
as the year progresses.*

If you have any questions about the reunion please call Jay Rodgers or Jim Molt at 270-821-5260 or Email us at cjroddgers@bellsouth.net



Brother William G. Hinton was known to most as Bill. Brother Hinton was born August 31, 1947 in Hopkinsville, Kentucky and entered upon eternal rest April 8, 2014. Brother Hinton was a resident of the Masonic Home of Kentucky in Shelbyville, Kentucky.

Brother Hinton, the son of the late Lawrence Hinton and Nellie May Hollingworth, He was educated in the Hopkinsville public school system and graduated from Hopkinsville High School with honors in 1965, He received his Bachelor of Music Education Degree from the George Peabody College for Teachers (Nashville, TN-1969; and Master of Arts in education from Austin Peay State University (Clarksville, TN-1972). He completed additional graduate work at Austin Peay State University; The University of Kentucky and the Murray State University.

Brother Hinton served as teacher and choral director at the Hopkinsville High School and Koffman Junior

SCOTTISH RITE CONSISTORY



_____, 20

I am a Master Mason in _____ Lodge No. _____ F.& A.M.

located in _____ State of _____

Print First Name

Print Middle Name
(No Initials - If only Two Names or Initials, so state)

Print Last Name

I am petitioning the Valley of: Louisville Lexington Covington Madisonville

Are you a member of the York Bodies: Yes No

Residence (Street Address) _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone Number _____ E-mail _____

Wife's Name _____

Firm's Name _____ Type of Business _____

Your Position (If retired, from what) _____ Ph # _____

Birth Month _____ Day _____ Year _____ Age _____ City _____ State _____

I support "The inculcation of Patriotism, respect for Law and Order and undying Loyalty to the principals of of civil and religious liberty and the entire separation of Church and State as set forth in the Constitution of the United States of America."

I have never held or expressed opinions contrary to the foregoing or been affiliated with any organization which has. The statements in this petition are on my honor as a Mason.

I have lived in Kentucky _____ years and have never previously applied for any Scottish Rite Degrees and I now respectfully petition to receive the degrees from _____ to _____ inclusive promising always to bear true Faith and Allegiance to the Supreme Council of the 33rd and last degree for the Southern Jurisdiction of the United States.

Applicant Must Sign Name in Full (no initials)

Recommended by _____
Sign Name in Full _____ Print Name in Full _____

Recommended by _____
Sign Name in Full _____ Print Name in Full _____

**Note: A minimum fee of \$100.00 must accompany this petition.
Fees \$150.00 plus Dues \$100.00**

Office Use Only

Petition Presented Date _____ Date Elected _____ Date Notified _____ Cash Check

Amount of Fees Paid \$ _____ Balance of Fees Due _____ Amount of Dues Paid _____

MASONIC NEWS

Western Kentucky Scottish Rite Clubs Supports Language Foundation



Western Kentucky Scottish Rite Clubs joined together to raise funds for the West Kentucky Scottish Rite Childhood Language Development Foundation. They presented a check to Howard Major on behalf of the Foundation in the amount of \$11,893.86. An anonymous donation was made to make the final donation \$12,000.00. They are doing a great job of supporting the Foundation.

Madisonville Scottish Rite Welcomes Four New Brothers



Madisonville Scottish Rite welcomed four new Brothers into the Fraternity, Marvin W. Egner, Samuel L. Galloway, Randy D. Harris, Brandon C. Trogdon and one Louisville candidate also came through the class Joseph B.C. Carter. Pictured, left to right, front row: Ill. James F. Molt, 33°, Personal Representative; Ill. Dirk R. Molt, 33°, Secretary/ Registrar; Ill. Rickey S. Sheppard, 33°, Class Director; Edward L. Clinard, 32°KCCCH, Class Coordinator; and Bobby H. Hayes, 32°KCCCH, Chaplain. Back row, left to right: Marvin W. Egner; Randy D. Harris; Joseph B.C. Carter; Brandon C. Trogdon; and Samuel L. Galloway.

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Meets 2nd & 4th Thursday Each Month - Except August
Refreshments 6:30 p.m. Meeting 7:30 p.m.

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1553 Madison Ave • Covington KY 41011
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Jeffrey Bryant 33° (953) - Personal Representative
Keith Dreier, 33° PGM (607) - Secretary/Registrar
Meets 3rd Friday Each Month -
Except January, February, July and August

WEST KENTUCKY SCOTTISH RITE

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Meets 3rd Thursday Each Month
Except January, February and July

LEXINGTON SCOTTISH RITE

553 Rosemont Garden; PO Box 8087 • Lexington KY 40533
(859) 277-7856
Ill. Chris Stout, 33°, (41) - Personal Representative
James L. Bulter, 33°, (160) - Secretary/Registrar
Meets 3rd Thursday Each Month except January and February
Dinner 6:30 p.m. Meeting 7:30 p.m.



HURRICANE FACTS & COSTS

HURRICANE SEASON STARTS JUNE 1ST

- Hurricanes are large, spiraling tropical storms that can pack wind speeds of over 160 mph and unleash more than 2.4 trillion gallons of rain a day.
- The deadliest U.S. hurricane on record was a Category 4 storm that hit the island city of Galveston, Texas, on Sept. 8, 1900. Some 8,000 people lost their lives when the island was destroyed by 15-ft waves and 130-mph winds.
- Over 1/3 of cat and dog owners don't have a disaster preparedness plan in place for their animals.
- In the Atlantic, hurricane season starts June 1, while in the Pacific it starts May 15. Both end on November 30.
- When they come onto land, the heavy rain, strong winds and heavy waves can damage buildings, trees and cars. The heavy waves are called a storm surge.
- 40% of the hurricanes that occur in the United States hit Florida.
- The difference between a tropical storm and a hurricane is wind speed – tropical storms usually bring winds of 36 to 47 mph, whereas hurricane wind speeds are at least 74 mph.
- Hurricanes rotate in a counter-clockwise direction around the eye. The rotating storm clouds create the "eye wall," which is the most destructive part of the storm.
- Hurricanes are classified into 5 categories, based on their wind speeds and potential to cause damage. Names can be "retired" if a hurricane has been really big and destructive. Retired names include Katrina, Andrew, Mitch and most recently Sandy.

- When the National Hurricane Center began giving official names to storms in 1953, they were all female. This practice of using only women's names ended in 1978.



Top 10 Costliest Atlantic Hurricanes in the United States

(Adjusted for inflation)

HURRICANE	COST	YEAR
1. Katrina	\$105,840,000,000	2005
2. Sandy	\$65,000,000,000	2012
3. Andrew	\$45,561,000,000	1992
4. Ike	\$27,790,000,000	2008
5. Wilma	\$20,587,000,000	2005
6. Ivan	\$19,832,000,000	1992
7. Irene	\$15,600,000,000	2011
8. Charley	\$15,100,000,000	2004
9. Rita	\$12,000,000,000	2005
10. Frances	\$9,510,000,000	2004

Notice



BEECH BOTTOM LODGE NO. 788

At the next regular stated meeting in the month following publication of this notice in *The Masonic Home Journal*, Beech Bottom Lodge No. 788 will hold a special election for the Office of Junior Warden and any Office that may become vacant at that time.

BIGHAM LODGE NO. 256

At the next regular stated meeting in the month following publication of this notice in *The Masonic Home Journal*, Bigham Lodge No. 256 will hold an election for the Office of Senior Warden and any Office that may become vacant at that time.

CERULEAN SPRINGS LODGE NO. 875

On April 2, 2015 Cerulean Springs Lodge No. 875 voted to begin meeting once a month instead of two times monthly. Per this vote, we are requesting official notification and publication.

DUNAVAN LODGE NO. 292

At the stated meeting of Dunavan Lodge No. 292 on July 4, 2015 we will be discussing the possibility of changing our meeting night to a week night. All members are urged to attend.

EUREKA CHAPTER NO. 101 HIRAM COUNCIL NO. 70

At a stated convocation/assembly of Eureka Chapter No 101 RAM and Hiram Council No 70 R&SM held on April 28, 2015 both, by a unanimous vote of the companions present, requested that they be merged with Bullitt Chapter No. 44 and Bullitt Council No 114 respectively. In response at a stated convocation/assembly of Bullitt Chapter No 44 RAM and Bullitt Council No 114 R&SM held on May 2, 2015 both, by a unanimous vote of the companions present, accepted the request for merger. The Grand High Priest and Grand Illustrious Master have been notified of these actions.



By-Laws



DIXON LODGE NO. 911

At the next regular stated meeting in the month following publication of this notice in *The Masonic Home Journal*, Dixon Lodge No. 911 will vote to amend its By-Laws. Specifically regarding an increase in dues. All members are encouraged to attend this meeting on July 27, 2015.

SALT RIVER LODGE NO. 180

At the next regular stated meeting in the month following publication of this notice in *The Masonic Home Journal*, Salt River Lodge No. 180 will vote to amend its By-Laws. All members are encouraged to attend.

STONE LODGE NO. 890

At the next regular stated meeting in the month following publication of this notice in *The Masonic Home Journal*, Stone Lodge No. 890 will vote to update and revise its By-Laws. All members are encouraged to attend.

THOMAS DeVENNY LODGE NO. 928

At the next regular stated meeting in the month following publication of this notice in *The Masonic Home Journal*, Thomas DeVenny Lodge No. 928 will vote to update and revise its By-Laws. All members are encouraged to attend.

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JUNE ITINERARY

- 4-6 Grand Court of Indiana
- 12 Laurel Court # 6 Stated Meeting
- 13 Friendship Court #22 Stated Meeting
- 19-25 Supreme Council, Order of the Amaranth Inc. Seattle, Washington
- 26 Minnie Selby Court #3 Stated Meeting

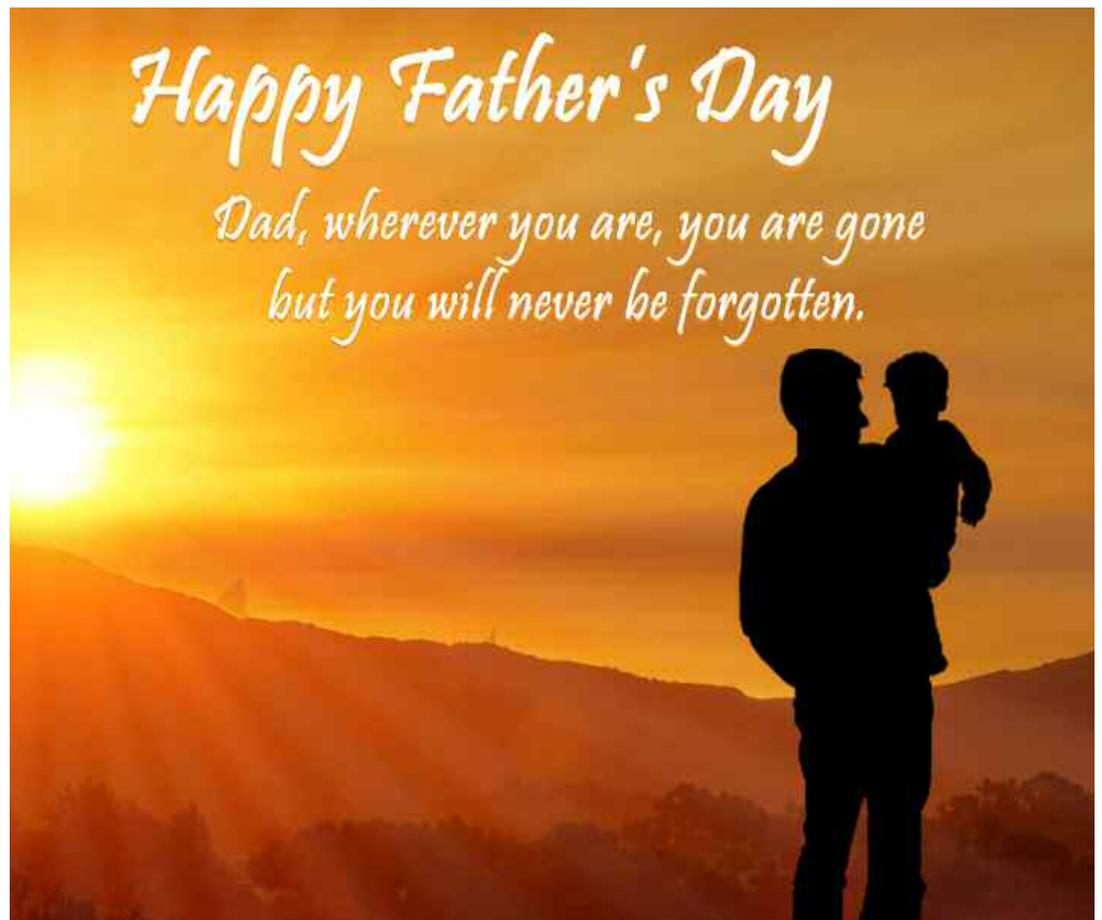
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JUNE ITINERARY

- 1 Lewisburg #109 (CV)
- 2 Park City #128 (I)
- 4 Ruth Electa #17 (CV)
- 5 Halfway #267 (CV)
- 6 John Conlee for Wounded Warriors
- 8 New Salem #38 (I)
- 9 Rocky Hill #279 (CV)
- 11 Goshen #198 (I)
- 12 Green River #577 (CV)
- 13 GO Party (JoEllen & Paul)
- 13 Perkins-Mattingly Announcement Party
- 15 Oakland (CV)
- 18 Banock #531 (CV)
- 19-21 International Order of Rainbow for Girls (IORG), Grand Assembly, Louisville
- 22-26 Branson Trip
- 29 Drake #508 (I)
- 30 Russellville #530 (CV)



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JERUSALEM LODGE NO. 9—Meets 2nd & 4th Mon., 7:00 p.m., 461 Klutzy Park Dr.
MT. VERNON LODGE NO. 14—Meets 1st & 3rd Mon., 7:30 p.m., 222 E. Main St.
ALLEN LODGE NO. 24—Meets 1st & 3rd Mon., 7:00 p.m. 3rd floor US Bank.
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HART LODGE NO. 61—Meets 2nd & 4th Mon. 7:30 p.m.
BRECKINRIDGE LODGE NO. 67—Meets 1st & 3rd Mon., at 7:00 p.m.
BOWLING GREEN LODGE NO. 73—Meets 2nd & 4th Mon. at 7:00 p.m.
HARRISON LODGE NO. 76—Meets 1st & 3rd Thurs., 7:30 p.m.
LEBANON LODGE NO. 87—Meets 1st Thurs., 7:30 p.m.
LANCASTER LODGE NO. 104—Meets 2nd Tues. 7:30 p.m.
TADMOR LODGE NO. 108—Meets 2nd & 4th Fri. 7:30 p.m.
HARRISON LODGE NO. 122—Meets 2nd & 4th Mon. 7:30 p.m.
PITKAN LODGE NO. 124—Meets in Elk-Pit Masonic Temple.
PADUCAH LODGE NO. 127—Meets 2nd & 4th Mon., Meal 6:30 p.m.
BARKER LODGE NO. 129—Meets 2nd & 4th Sat., 7:30 p.m.
OWENSBORO LODGE NO. 130—Meets 2nd & 4th Thurs.
B. R. YOUNG LODGE NO. 132—Meets 1st & 3rd Tues.
CARROLLTON LODGE NO. 134—Meets 1 & 3rd Mon.
IRVINE LODGE NO. 137—Meets 2nd Thurs.
MADISONVILLE LODGE NO. 138—Meets 1st Mon.
BULLITT LODGE NO. 155—Meets 1st & 3rd Mon.
COLONEL CLAYTON LODGE NO. 159—Meets 2nd Mon.
TRIMBLE LODGE NO. 145—Meets 2nd Thurs.
BULLITT LODGE NO. 155—Meets 1st & 3rd Mon.
COLONEL CLAYTON LODGE NO. 159—Meets 2nd Mon.
DEVOTION LODGE NO. 160—Meets 2nd & 4th Mon.

- ROBERTS LODGE NO. 172—Meets 1st Tues each month at 7:30 p.m.
SALTY RIVER LODGE NO. 180—Meets 2nd & 4th Thurs at 7:30 p.m.
LIVERMORE NO. 186—Meets 1st & 3rd Tuesday at 7:30 p.m.
MOUNTAIN NO. 187—Meets 2nd Saturday & 4th Monday.
MAYO LODGE NO. 198—Meets 1st Tues. at 7:30 p.m.
STEPHENSBURG LODGE NO. 212—Meets 1st Sat., 7:30 p.m.
WILLIS STEWART LODGE NO. 224—Meets 1st & 3rd Tues.
ORION LODGE NO. 222—Meets 3rd Mon. each month.
BEAR WALLOW LODGE NO. 231—Meets 1st & 3rd Friday at 7:30 p.m.
RIGHT ANGLE LODGE NO. 233—Meets 4th Sat. at 7:30 p.m.
LEITCHFIELD LODGE NO. 236—Meets 2nd Sat. & 4th Mon.
ST. GEORGE LODGE NO. 239—Meets in Scottish Rite Temple.
MT. GILEAD LODGE NO. 255—Meets 1st & 3rd Friday at 7:30 p.m.
BURLINGTON LODGE NO. 264—Meets 2nd Thurs.
ROBINSON LODGE NO. 266—Meets in Robinson Lodge Hall.
CASSIA LODGE NO. 272—Meets 1st & 3rd Mon. at 7:30 p.m.
ZEBUB LODGE NO. 273—Meets 2nd & 4th Thurs.
PRESTON LODGE NO. 281—Meets in Louisville DeMolay Commandery.
DUNAVAN LODGE NO. 292—Meets 1st Sat. at 7:30 p.m.
KINGSTON LODGE NO. 315—Meets 3rd Tues. at 7:30 p.m.
MILES LODGE NO. 341—Meets 2nd & 4th Mon.
THOMAS C. CECIL LODGE NO. 375—Meets 4th Friday at 7 p.m.
ASPEN GROVE LODGE NO. 397—Meets 4th Sat., 7:00 p.m.
LOUISVILLE LODGE NO. 400—Meets 2nd Mon., at 7:30 p.m.
JOE ELLIS LODGE NO. 473—Meets 2nd Sat., 9:00 a.m.
SIEVERS LODGE NO. 491—Meets 2nd & 4th Tues. at 7:30 p.m.
BUFORD LODGE NO. 494—100 S. Winter St., Midway.
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KILWINNING LODGE NO. 506—Meets in Scottish Rite Temple.
VALLEY LODGE NO. 511—Meets 1st & 3rd Sat. at 6:30 p.m.
McNEIL LODGE NO. 586—Meets 1st & 3rd Tues.
HENRY BARNES LODGE NO. 607—Meets 4th Tues.
CUSTER LODGE NO. 624—Meets the 2nd Sat. of each month.
OLIVE HILL LODGE NO. 629—Meets 1st Sat. at 7 p.m.
AURORA LODGE NO. 633—Meets 2nd-4th Mon. at 7:30 p.m.
BURNSIDE LODGE NO. 634—Meets 1st & 3rd Thursdays.
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MOREHEAD LODGE NO. 654—Meets 4th Tue. 7:30 p.m.
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BULLITT COUNCIL NO. 114 R&SM—Meets the 1st Sat. morning every month at 9:30 AM at Bullitt Lodge Hall, High School Drive, Shepherdsville 40165. Chuck Morgan, I.M.; Glenn Gray, Rec., 254 Chalet Dr., Lebanon Jct. 40150, 502-543-9563; gray82684@aol.com.

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JEFFERSON COMMANDERY NO. 52—Meets in Robinson Lodge Hall, 6919 Applegate Ln., 4th Wed. each month, 7:30 P.M. Ralph Lawson, E.C.; Ronnie G. Skipper, Sec., 697 Overdale Dr., Louisville 40229-6115, 502-957-5229.

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QUEEN ESTHER CHAPTER NO. 1—Meets 4th Thurs., in Reeves Masonic Hall, 4221 Hillview Ave., Shively, Rose Terhune, W.M.; Lana Ashby, Sec., 3413 Park Row Dr., 40216, 502-447-8886.

BRIGHT STAR NO. 16—Meets at Sunset Lodge Hall, 221 Steedley Dr., 4th Monday, 7:30 p.m. Bonnie Weihe, W.M.; Jo Vest, Sec., 4724 Oak Pointe Drive, Louisville 40245, (502) 445-5510.

VALLEY CHAPTER NO. 65—Meets at Valley Lodge Hall, 9619 Dixie Hwy., 1st Tue., 7:00 P.M. Lori Brooks, W.M.; Ms. Theresa Rhea Douglas, Sec., 6515 South Drive, Louisville 40272, 502-933-3391 or 812-604-2246.

ROB MORRIS CHAPTER NO. 114—Meets 3rd Thurs., 7:30 P.M. in Masonic Hall, La-Grange. Lola Griffin, W.M.; Mrs. Linda Holman, Sec., 4845 East Hwy. 22, Smithfield 40068, 502-222-0431.

PURITY CHAPTER NO. 116—Meets in Robinson Lodge Hall, 6919 Applegate Ln. 3rd Mon., 7:30 P.M. Kathleen A. Howard, W.M.; Janet F. Varon, Sec., 10526 Glenmary Farm Dr., Louisville 40291, 502-762-0637.

FAIRDALE CHAPTER NO. 153—Meets on the 2nd Tues., 7:30 P.M. at Fairdale Masonic Hall, Mitchell Hill Rd. Maria Paschal, W.M.; Doris Vincent, 4205 Smarty Jones Dr., Louisville 40214.

SOUTHERN STAR CHAPTER NO. 154—Meets at 3901 S. 3rd St., Louisville, 3rd Tues., 7:30 P.M. Rebecca Bartlett, W.M.; Debbie Ballinger, Sec., 4905 Gaudet Rd., Louisville 40299, 502-267-6616.

CRESCENT HILL CHAPTER NO. 265—Meets in Louisville DeMolay Commandery Asylum, 1410 Gardiner Ln., 2nd Sat., 10:30 A.M. Elaine B. Hitt, W.M.; Georgana Clark, Sec., 1800 Manor House Drive #210, Louisville 40220, 502-376-2747.

HARMONY CHAPTER NO. 278—Meets 2nd Thurs., 7:30 P.M., Okolona Lodge Hall, 8007 Blue Lick Rd., Louisville 40219. Linda Lyles, W.M.; Harriett B. Derr, Sec., 179 Paula Ln., Shepherdsville 40165, 502-957-5516.

MIDDLETOWN CHAPTER NO. 319—Meets Middletown Lodge, Madison Ave., Middletown, 2nd Mon., 7:30 P.M. Dora Vanderhoof, W.M.; David White, Sec., 2403 Stonehurst Dr., Louisville 40242-3119, 502-326-5774.

RIISING SUN CHAPTER NO. 415—Meets 1st Tues., at 7:00 P.M. at Crescent Hill Lodge Hall, 204 Vale Rd., Middletown. Joyce Johnson, W.M.; Sonny Johnson, Sec., 3212 Breckenridge Ln., Louisville 40220, 502-491-9479.

VICTORY CHAPTER NO. 447—Meets 2nd Thurs., 7:30 P.M., Highland Park Lodge Hall, 4100 Pincroft Dr., 40219. Maddene Naegele, W.M.; Margaret C. Meador, Sec., 12517 Nursery Ln., Louisville 40243, 502-245-5437.

MT. WASHINGTON CHAPTER NO. 552—Meets 3rd Thurs., at Salt River Lodge Hall, on Fisher Ln. off Hwy. 44 East in Mt. Washington at 7:00 P.M. LaVern Thomas, W.M.; Derrick McDaniel, W.P.; Carolyn Cox, Sec., 142 Beechtree Ln., Mt. Washington 40047, 502-904-0798.

SHIVELY STAR CHAPTER NO. 566—Meets at Howard C. Reeves Masonic Bldg., 4221 Hillview Ave., 4th Tues. at 7 P.M. Jessica Castle, W.M.; Cheryl Wheeler, Sec., 1308 Gallant Fox Run, Louisville 40242-3604, 502-425-5886.

ZONETON CHAPTER NO. 576—Meets 2nd Thurs. each month at 7:30 P.M. at Zoneton on Blue Lick Rd. P. T. Johnson, W.M.; Paul Mattingly, W.P.; Linda Mattingly, Sec., 473 Pointe Blvd., Shepherdsville 40165, 502-921-9324.

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FRIENDSHIP COURT NO. 22—Meets 2nd Saturday at Robinson Lodge Hall, 6919 Applegate Ln., 7:00 P.M. H.L. Yvonne Shuck, R.M.; S.K. Bill Shuck, R.P., Mrs. Julia Dalton, Sec., 5913 Catehen Way, Louisville 40213-3221, 502-969-1945.

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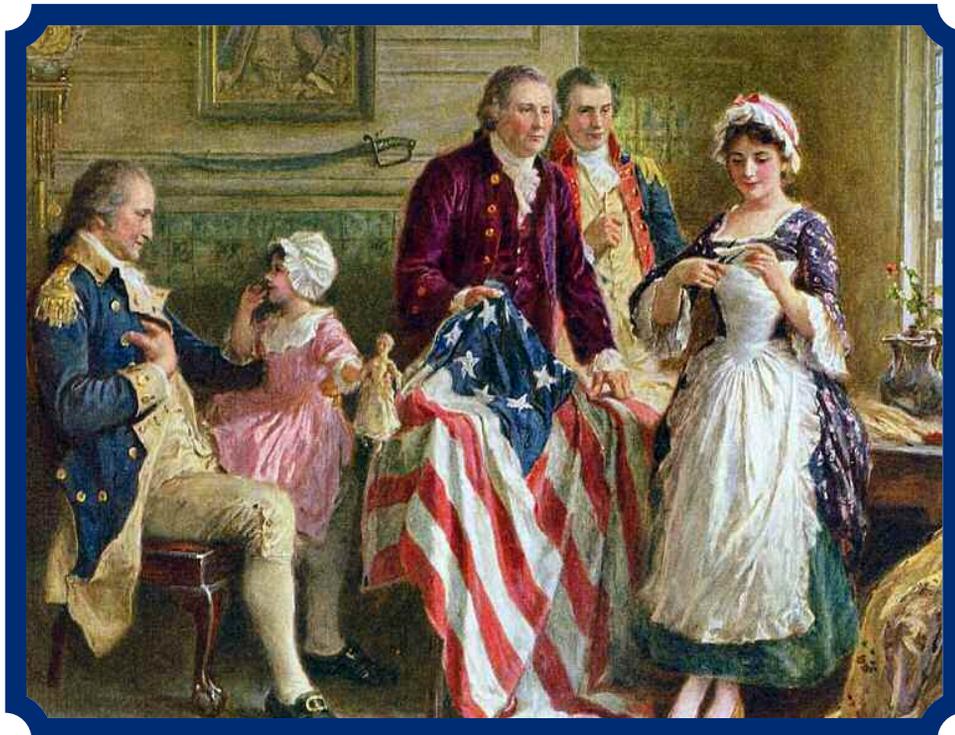
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In the United States, Flag Day is celebrated on June 14. It commemorates the adoption of the flag of the United States, which happened on that day in 1777 by resolution of the Second Continental Congress. The United States Army also celebrates the Army Birthday on this date; Congress adopted "the American continental army" after reaching a consensus position in the Committee of the Whole on June 14, 1775.

In 1916, President Woodrow Wilson issued a proclamation that officially established June 14 as Flag Day; in August 1949, National Flag Day was established by an Act of Congress. Flag Day is not an official federal holiday. On June 14, 1937, Pennsylvania became the first U.S. state to celebrate Flag Day as a state holiday, beginning in the town of Rennerdale. New York Statutes designate the second Sunday in June as Flag Day, a state holiday.