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TRESTLE BOARD

Thursday - October 6th, 2011

7:00pm Masters Class - Senior Deacon's Class

Thursday - October 13th, 2011

6:30pm Dinner - Pulled Pork Bar-b-que, Ribs, Baked Beans and Slaw.

7:30pm Stated Communication

Tuesday - October 18th, 2011

7:00pm Practice for School of Instructions

Wednesday - October 19th, 2011

6:30pm Dinner @ James K. Polk Lodge

7:15pm School of Instructions

Thursday - October 20th, 2011

6:30pm Dinner @ Temple Lodge

7:15pm School of Instructions

Wednesday - October 26th, 2011

7:00pm Practice for 3rd Degree

Thursday - September 29th, 2011

6:00pm Dinner - Fried Shrimp, Fish and Fries.

7:00pm Emergent Communication (Confer 3rd Degree)

MASTER'S MESSAGE

Brethren,

By now you have received my Fund Raising Request! I hope each and every brother can make a donation to the Building Fund. If you are unable to make a monetary contribution but could donate your time, expertise or materials for any of the projects, this too would be greatly appreciated.

Speaking of Fund Raisers . . . Our Annual Golf Tournament is scheduled for Friday, October 7th. Please come out and show your support. Play, watch or just send money!

There are still twenty-three (23) brothers who have not paid their dues. A certain percentage of every brother's dues is required to go to the Grand Lodge. Our lodge can no longer afford to pay this "per capita tax" for delinquent brothers.

PLEASE PAY YOUR DUES!

This year is rapidly coming to an end. There are still MANY brothers who I have yet to see in the lodge. I hope all members are planning to attend at least one of the last three remaining meetings.

Fraternally,

Ed Steel

SECRETARY'S DESK

Brethren,

This year is going by fast and we will be holding a vote to exclude members for nonpayment of dues. We still have many members that have not paid there 2011 dues. Our budget is based on every member paying and it is a real burden when this does not happen. Please help your lodge by sending in your 2011 dues.

Thanks

Jeff Hightower, PM, PDDGM

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Thank you to these brothers who have contributed yet another year to the cause of Masonry. We wish you a happy birthday and many more!

Ludwig Albl
Willard Barefoot
Lloyd Brock
Roger Burrows

John Collins
Philip Eason
William Ford
Dewey Headen
Franklin Hinson

Curtis Johnston
Julius Keziah
Mitchell Kindley
Elwood Mabry
Jeffery Maness

Joel Parrish
William Richardson III
William Riddick Jr.
Franklin Swearngan
Jerry Troutman

PRAYER LIST

Always remember to pray for all our charities both local and statewide. Also remember to pray for all our brothers for their health and happiness in all their laudable undertakings.

Always remember our brothers that are in harms way defending our country.

