



# MATTHEWS MASONIC LODGE #461 AF&AM

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## TRESTLE BOARD

**Thursday** - September 8th, 2011

**6:30pm** Dinner- Spagetti W/meat Sauce, Garlic Bread And Salad.

**7:30pm** Stated Communication

**Thursday** - September 15th, 2011

**7:00pm** The Masters Class, - The Senior Deacons Class

**Thursday** - September 22nd, 2011

**7:00pm** The Masters Class, - The Senior Deacons Class

**Saturday** - September 24th, 2011

**GRAND LODGE MEETING**

**Wednesday** - Septemer 28th, 2011

**7:00pm** Practice - 2nd Degree

**Thursday** - Septemer 29th, 2011

**6:00pm** Dinner

**7:00pm** Emergent Communication (Confer 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree)

## MASTER'S MESSAGE

Brethren,

The two fund raising events for our charities are upon us! Matthews Alive is scheduled for September 2 – 5 and the Annual Golf Tournament is scheduled for Friday, October 7. These events REQUIRE YOUR PARTICIPATION to be successful. We need FIFTEEN (15) brothers per day for the four (4) GRUELING days of Matthews Alive. I am asking EVERY MEMBER of our lodge to somehow participate in the Golf Tournament. Play a round of golf (even if you are not a golfer), buy a spectator ticket (which includes lunch), sponsor a hole or put fliers out at your work place.

**PLEASE DO SOMETHING TO HELP!!!**

I would like to thank all of the brothers who have been making our Degree Work successful. Thank you to the line officers who have been diligently doing their duty; thank you to the Past Masters and Certified Lecturers who have been contributing their time and expertise; and a special thank you to many of our newly made Brothers who have been attending both our Emergent, as well as our Stated Communications! THANK YOU ALL! The future of the Lodge is looking up!

Fraternally,

Ed Steel

## SECRETARY'S DESK

Brethren,

Dues notices have gone out for those who have not paid. We plan to have a vote to exclude those who have not paid their dues in the fourth quarter. Please get those dues in so you do not get expelled.

Fraternally

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!

Christopher Brooks  
Thomas Daley  
Henry Davis  
Curtis Deese

John Greagan III  
Lane Helms  
Benny Hipp  
Charles Hulsey

Jeffrey Parrish  
Daniel Pierce  
Gary Sheaff  
Thomas Siemienik

Norman Simpson Jr.  
Ben Sneed  
Billy Sustar

## 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.

