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Hello! Welcome to spring! With the change in season there is a change in officers. There will also many new event and things to try. To our members, please come out to a meeting! See all the new things and the great traditions.

- May 12 -** 7:00 p.m. Regular Stated Communication
- May 20-23 -** Grand Order of Eastern Star grand sessions Stevens Point, Wisconsin
- June 9 -** 7:00 p.m. Regular stated communication. Installation of new officers. Worthy matron elect Fran Breault Clarage; worthy patron elect Charles Clarage.

Brethren,

Spring is finally here and that means we are all becoming more active after being buried in the snow the last couple of months. N.E.W Daylite Lodge # 360 is also becoming more active. At our last meeting we read in two petitions and voted on accepting them into our lodge. At our May meeting, we will need as many Brethren to attend to support our two candidates taking their first steps into Freemasonry with their Entered Apprentice Degree. We also have another petitioner to read in next month so this year is already becoming more active with new membership!

At our last meeting, we received two thank you cards for the Masonic Service and Support provided to Brother John Calder and his family. This was a difficult service as so many Brothers had strong relationships with Brother John Calder. The lodge was sent a \$100 donation from the Calder family to support N.E.W Daylite Lodge # 360. In memory of Brother John Calder, the lodge voted to start a Mason of the Year award and name it after Brother John Calder.

Our lodge also received 4 membership awards to present to our Brothers. Bro. Floyd Hanstedt, 50 years; Bro. Paul Bilty, 50 years; Bro. Wayne Hendrick, 35 years; and Bro. Peter Nygaard, 25 years. Thank you Brothers for your service to our fraternity and leading the way for younger Master Masons!

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- Sunday, May 4 -** 2 p.m. Closed meeting
Stop and Go Initiation
- Wednesday, May 7 -** Beja Dinner 5:30 p.m.
- Friday- Saturday, May 16-18 -** Grand Session in The Dells
- Sunday, June 1 -** Bus trip to the Shrine Hospital in Chicago & Go to Church Sunday
- Saturday, June 21 -** Open Installation Dana Maki HQ-elect

Thank you to all who supported the Daughters HIKE Bowling Party. The Daughters had a terrific time with all who attended.

We are seeking members. If you know of a girl between the ages of 10-19 that would make a faithful member please recommend her to us.

You are invited to our Installation in June. The Daughters love side-liners.

Upcoming Meetings

- Thursday, May 8th -** 10 a.m. Stated Communication / Entered Apprentice Degree
- Thursday, June 12th -** 10 a.m. Stated Communication / Entered Apprentice Degree

Lunch to follow

Fraternally,
Brad Schlosstein, Secretary / Treasurer - (920) 371-8441

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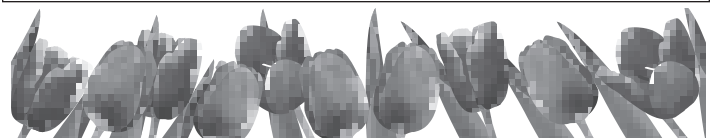
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Brethren,

Memorial Day draws near, and we are getting ready to honor those who gave their lives for this great nation. These wonderful men and women paid the price so that we and others may live free. Yet, their sacrifice was beyond service to their country. They gave up their lives in service to each other. **Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends.** They committed the ultimate act of Brotherly Love.

They set an example that we as Freemasons should carry with us every day. **We are here for each other: not for ourselves.**

As many of you know, I am a 6th generation Freemason. I am proud that Ian and Jacob are now the 7th. I grew-up playing with the other kids while our Dads were in the lodge room. My Father was the past presiding officer of every York Rite body there is at the constituent level. As was my Grandfather.

Let me tell you a story about the greatest Mason, if not the greatest man, I have ever known. My Uncle Bob.

Uncle Bob wasn't really my Uncle. But I didn't know that until I was about 9. It seems he was my Dad's best friend. They had grown-up, gone to war, come home, started families and gone through the chairs of their Lodge together. During an audit of the books my Dad found that money was missing, and Uncle Bob had taken it. My Dad reported it and Uncle Bob was expelled from the fraternity. When it came to honor and high moral principles my Father was unyielding. So, Uncle Bob became persona non grata, and was gone.

A couple of years later, my Dad died. I was 11 and that's a tough time to lose your Father. Here come the Masons. For the first month there were a hundred casseroles. The second month, twenty. By the fourth, silence. The world had moved on. Except for Uncle Bob. He was always there. Helping around the house. Taking me to ball games, for hamburgers and pizza, helping with my homework. He taught me to use tools, mow the yard, work on a car and take the occasional sip of his beer when I was at his house. Everything a boy needs, from a Dad. After my Mom and I moved 120 miles away, who was there to fix broken things in the new house? Uncle Bob. Who was there when we needed money? Uncle Bob. Who was the friend of a kid who had been jerked away from everything and everyone he knew? My Uncle Bob.

Uncle Bob was a True Freemason. Perfect? No. There's no doubt he violated one of his obligations. But he certainly lived up to the rest!

So never forget my friends - We are here for our Brothers, their wives, widows and orphans. We are not here for ourselves.

With Brotherly Love and Affection,
John

Scheduled Events -

- May 6th - The Square
- May 20th - The Compasses
- May 23rd - Brat Fry, Festival Foods - West
- June 5th -7th - Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Wisconsin
- June 10th - The Level & Plumb
- June 24th - Charity
- July 3rd - Brat Fry, Festival Foods - East
- August 16th - Lodge Picnic at Bay Beach

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Companions and Sir Knights,

Please let me say thank you for the trust and confidence you have bestowed by allowing me to again serve as High Priest, Thrice Illustrious Master and Commander. It is truly an honor. I do have to wonder about your judgment, and my own. But, I will do my best to not let you down. Also, I want to thank the outstanding group of men serving as your Officers. We have dedicated, young leaders rounding out our ranks, who will progress wonderfully to take charge of our Chapter, Council and Commandery. We couldn't ask for better

Fraternally, Zealously and Courteously Yours,
John

Scheduled Events

- May 3rd - 8:00 a.m. Wisconsin/Illinois Chapter Degree Festival Freeport, IL
- May 4th - 1:00 p.m. Simon of Cyrene Tabernacle No. XV, HRAKTP Oshkosh
- May 8th - 6:00 p.m. Trustees Meeting
- 7:00 p.m. Warren Council #13
- May 10th - 1:00 m. York Rite College #112
- May 13th - 6:00 p.m. Installation of Officers, Oshkosh
- 7:00 p.m. Nicolet Conclave Red Cross of Constantine, Beja Shrine
- 7:00 p.m. Warren Chapter #8
- May 22nd - 7:00 p.m. Palestine Commandery #20, Order of the Temple
- June 5th - 7th - Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Wisconsin
- June 10th - 7:00 p.m. Warren Chapter #8
- June 12th - 7:00 p.m. Warren Council #13
- June 18th - 8:00 a.m. Annual Convocation Grand Chapter RAM KI Center
- June 19th - 8:00 a.m. Annual Assembly Grand Council R&SM KI Center
- June 20th - 8:00 a.m. Annual Conclave Grand Commandery KT KI Center
- June 21st - 8:00 a.m. Commandery Drill Exhibition KI Center
- June 26th - 7:00 p.m. Palestine Commandery #20, Order of the Temple



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- May 14th - Wednesday, 7:00 p.m. Regular Stated Communication, MM Degree Practice.
- May 28th - Wednesday, 7:00 p.m. Regular Stated Communication
- June 6th & 7th - Grand Lodge Annual Communication—Madison
- June 11th - Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Regular Stated Communication
- June 25th - Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Regular Stated Communication, MM Degree scheduled.

July and August Lodge is dark, have a great summer!

August 10th - Saturday **5:30 p.m.** Picnic—Dan Rothe's home, 2261 Oliver Ln, Green Bay, WI 920-544-5287 (Near the new West side Menards)

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Brethren,

Welcome to Spring! Please see the upcoming events for the Valley of Green Bay Scottish Rite for May and June, with a preview of July.

May:

May 10th - Spring Reunion, Donald Kerr Class

Start: 4:00 p.m., Social time: 5:00 p.m., Banquet: 6:00 p.m.

- Brother Moses Adams will be preparing this meal, and is sure to be memorable!
- Banquet details to be sent to individual members of Scottish Rite.

All events for the Spring Reunion Class will take place at Beja Temple, 1950 Bond St., Green Bay, WI 54303.

Stated meetings are the third Wednesday of each Month. Meals are at 5:30 p.m and meetings commence at 6:30 p.m.

Scottish Rite will be dark for meetings in July and August. Officer Installations will be in July, please stay posted to the next Trestleboard for more details.

Fraternally yours, A.A.S.R. Valley of Green Bay"

Des Peres Lodge No. 85

Masonic Birthdays

May

- 05/30/1973 Paul A. Faby 41 yrs
- 05/19/1975 Daniel Herman Sasnowski 39 yrs.
- 05/11/1994 Mark W Rothe 20 yrs
- 05/10/2000 Christopher Lee Feutz 14 yrs.
- 05/10/2000 Scott A. LeSage 14 yrs.
- 05/24/2007 James D. Stanton III 07 yrs.

June

- 06/05/1947 Eugene E. Rood 67 yrs.
- 06/25/1969 John E. Berggren 45 yrs.
- 06/29/1978 Roy M Abitz 36 yrs.
- 06/01/2002 Scott Mitchell Heintz 12 yrs.
- 06/03/2003 Jesse D. Chariton 11 yrs.
- 06/22/2011 Jeffrey A. Byers 03 yrs.

July

- 07/22/1992 Roger C Lindow 22 yrs.
- 07/28/2010 Shane A. Hansen 04 yrs.
- 07/28/2010 Daniel J. Rothe 04 yrs.

August

- 08/21/2012 Jeffery J. Andersen 02 yrs.
- 08/28/1974 Glenn Enderby 40 yrs.



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Brethren,

I would like to first of all congratulate Brother Jeff Hinze once again for being named Washington Lodge's 2014 Mason of the Year for his dedication to our youth groups. I would also like to point out that since we now have warmer weather upon us, I almost don't know what to do with myself...almost. We have recieved some petitions and will be doing some excellent degree work in the near future. You will kick yourself if you miss it. See you ALL there!

Fraternally,
Jake Lancelle, Worshipful Master

Calendar of Events

- May 1st - EA Degree for Mr. Scot Richard Gatzke
- May 15th - Heritage Hill: EA Degree for Mr. Christopher Scott Rand
- June 5th - Stated meeting
- June 6th-7th- Grand Lodge in Madison
- June 19th - Stated Meeting/Degree TBD

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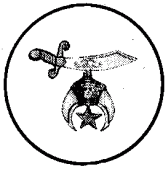
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The "Have Artifacts, Will Travel" programs continue to be popular among the Blue Lodges and appendant organizations. Each of them are "custom designed" for the particular organization requesting a program. With elections around the corner for several organizations, may we offer the suggestion that you plan a time to have the traveling museum presentation come to your meeting. Just call Alice or Jim at home - 920-662-9191 - and make your wishes known.

Green Bay Chapter of DeMolay

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Hello to all and welcome to spring ... you can tell by the snow on the ground. We would like to thank all who helped to participate and supported the Green Bay chapter in their annual Good Friday fish dinner. We will be having other events coming up soon please contact a member for more information. We would like to congratulate both Devon Wauters, our new Master counselor, and also Megan Plutchak, our new chapter sweetheart. Good luck to both!

May 5 - 7:00 p.m. Regular stated meeting

May 19 - 7:00 p.m. Regular stated meeting

May 31 - State Master Counselor testimonial dinner, West Allis Lodge

Parents' Day. May 1 to June 21 - Date and time of event to be announced

June 2 - 7:00 p.m. Regular stated meeting

June 13 - 5:30 p.m. Tentative fun night at haunted house. Ask a member to get more information

June 16 - 7:00 p.m. Regular stated meeting

Brethren,

I know we have all heard the rumors for a long time now and I am pleased to announce that the time has finally come! This summer, the Lodge Beautification Project is finally coming to fruition. During the months of July and August, the lodge room will be undergoing renovations and will be unusable. I hope you all will find the finished product a fitting place for our gatherings. We thank you for your patience with this project and apologize for any inconvenience this may cause. It will be worth it!

Jake Lancelle, Building Board President

