

The Master's Trestleboard

2012

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Brethren,

We have had a busy start to the year and it looks like it will continue to move at a steady pace as we progress into the second quarter of the year. So far we have had the Grand Master's Official Visit, District Deputy Grand Master's Official Visit, Area District Leadership Conference and Subordinate Lodge Officers Training. I would like to thank all the Brethren and especially the Officers of Lake Drummond Lodge for their assistance in making these events a success.

As we move into the spring months we will be traveling outside the District with a visit to Churchland Lodge No. 276 in May. A few items of interest that you should jot down on your calendar for the upcoming months are The District Picnic on April 21st, Lake Drummond Annual Spring BBQ Fundraiser on April 28th and Lake Drummonds 4th Annual Golf Tournament on June 8th. These events have been successful in the past and I trust that they will continue to be so with your support and dedication. I encourage you to come out and enjoy the events with your families, friends and brothers.

We will be having a Lodge Beautification Day on Saturday, April 7th from 8 a.m. to noon. This is our lodge and we all know that without us doing the necessary upkeep and cleaning, the Lodge will begin to lose its ability to be a Shinning Star in the community. There are lots of things that we need to accomplish, so come out and lend a hand, even if it is only for one hour. Yes, we will have a pot of coffee on for those that arrive early.

Our very own Bethel #11, International Order of Jobs Daughters, seems to be moving in the right direction. They are 4 members strong and are working hard to increase attendance and membership. Please come out and support these Young Ladies and let them know that we the members of Lake Drummond Lodge are here to support them.

We have empty chairs at the lodge when we are open and I know that we have the membership to fill the lodge to capacity. If you know a Brother that has not been to lodge in sometime, pick up the phone or stop by and visit with him. Let him know that we would like to see him back in lodge and to attend when he can. Some members can't make it to lodge due scheduling conflicts and family commitments and that is understandable. But, if we don't ask, we may not see them again.

In closing, I ask that you continue doing what you do for our beloved Craft. Without each and every one of you Lake Drummond Lodge would not be what it is today. Thanks and "See ya at the Lodge"

Sincerely and Fraternally,



Richard T. Smith

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DUES 2012
\$100.00 PER YEAR, EFFECTIVE JAN. 1, 2012

2012 Dues Reminder Envelopes were mailed to the membership with the Oct./Nov./Dec. 2011 Bulletin. The Secretary reports there are now 8 members owing 2011 dues. The Worshipful Master mailed letters on February 17, 2012 to those members who owe 2011 and 2012 dues.

GRAND LODGE'S LIFE MEMBERSHIP IN PERPETUITY PLAN FOR MEMBERS

Life Memberships can be paid in full or by an installment schedule of your own choosing. More details can be obtained from the Lodge Secretary. Effective January 1, 2012, \$100.00 x 16 years = \$1,600.00 with current year's dues paid. We have 102 LMIP members. We now have 3 members who are making installment payments for their life membership.

IN MEMORIAM

Brother Thomas Jefferson Summerour, 54 MV

Raised - June 28, 1957

Died - October 10, 2011

John William Hyman, Sr., 44 MV

Raised - May 6, 1967

Died - January 5, 2012

Brother George Clifford Freeman, 73 MV

Raised - January 25, 1938

Died - January 11, 2012

Brother Nick Roosevelt Parker, LMIP

Raised - October 14, 1975

Died - February 4, 2012

Brother Dr. Jack Hanson Phillabaum, 60 MV

Raised - June 7, 1951

Died - February 10, 2012

Note: The Lodge makes a memorial contribution to the Building Fund in memory of every deceased member.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS / MEETINGS DATES

Please Note: Some events are subject to change, please visit the Lodge web site at www.lakedrummond178.org for an up to date listing of events.

Mon	Apr.	2	M. W. D. Meeting, Indian River #252, 6:00 PM, District School, 7:00 PM
Mon	Apr.	2	Bethel #11, Job's Daughters, 7:00 PM @ Lake Drummond
Tues	Apr.	3	South Norfolk #339 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Thurs	Apr.	5	Lake Drummond Work Night, 7:00 PM, Refreshments 6:00 PM
Thurs	Apr.	5	Berkley No. 167 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Mon	Apr.	9	Victory Chapter #16, OES, Stated, 7:30 PM @ Lake Drummond
Tues	Apr.	10	15th Annual Ian McLaurin Shipley, Jr. Memorial Golf Tournament, Check in @ 11:00 AM Kiln Creek Golf Club & Resort, 1003 Brick Kiln Blvd., Newport News, VA
Tues	Apr.	10	Doric #144 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Thurs	Apr.	12	Lake Drummond Stated Communication, 7:00 PM, Dinner 6:00 PM Speaker: Worshipful Kyle W. Strickland, DBC 36
Sat	Apr.	14	C. Frank Hicks Area School of Instruction @ Lake Drummond, 8:00 AM
Mon	Apr.	16	Bethel #11, Job's Daughters, 7:00 PM @ Lake Drummond
Mon	Apr.	16	C. Frank Hicks Area School of Instruction @ Kempsville #196, 6:00 PM
Tues	Apr.	17	Indian River #252 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Thurs	Apr.	19	Lake Drummond Work Night, 7:00 PM, Refreshments 6:00 PM
Sat	Apr.	21	36th Masonic District Family Picnic @ Khedive Shrine, 1:00 to 4:00 PM
Sat	Apr.	21	Victory Chapter No. 16, OES, Luncheon & Game Day, 10:00 AM til 2:00 PM @ Lake Drummond
Mon	Apr.	23	Victory Chapter #16, OES, Stated, 7:30 PM @ Lake Drummond
Tues	Apr.	24	Cradock RAC #72 Stated, 7:30 PM, Covered Dish Dinner 6:30 PM
Wed	Apr.	25	Great Bridge #257 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Thurs	Apr.	26	Lake Drummond Work Night, 7:00 PM, Refreshments 6:00 PM
Sat	Apr.	28	Bar-B-Q Fund Raising Dinner Lake Drummond, Noon - 5:00 PM, Tickets @ \$8.00
Tues	May	1	South Norfolk #339 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Thurs	May	3	Lake Drummond DARK; to visit Churchland Lodge No. 276 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Mon	May	7	M. W. D. Meeting, Indian River #252, 6:00 PM, District School, 7:00 PM
Mon	May	7	Bethel #11, Job's Daughters, 7:00 PM @ Lake Drummond
Tues	May	8	Doric #144 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Thurs	May	10	Lake Drummond May Stated, 7:00 PM, Dinner 6:00 PM Speaker: National Sojourners
Mon	May	14	Victory Chapter #16, OES, Stated, 7:30 PM @ Lake Drummond

Tues	May	15	Indian River #252 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Thurs	May	17	Lake Drummond DARK; 36th District Blood Drive, 2:00 to 7:00 PM @ Lake Drummond
Mon	May	21	Bethel #11, Job's Daughters, 7:00 PM @ Lake Drummond
Tues	May	22	Cradock RAC #72 Stated, 7:30 PM, Covered Dish Dinner 6:30 PM
Wed	May	23	Great Bridge #257 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Thurs	May	24	Lake Drummond Work Night, 7:00 PM, Refreshments 6:00 PM
Mon	May	28	Victory Chapter #16, OES DARK
Thurs	May	31	Lake Drummond Family Night, 6:00 PM Open to all Lodge members and their families
Sat	Jun.	2	Allied Masonic Degrees Council No. 155, 7:30 PM @ Lake Drummond
Mon	Jun.	4	M. W. D. Meeting, Indian River #252, 6:00 PM, District School, 7:00 PM
Mon	Jun.	4	Bethel #11, Job's Daughters, 7:00 PM @ Lake Drummond
Tues	Jun.	5	South Norfolk #339 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Thurs	Jun.	7	Lake Drummond Work Night, 7:00 PM, Refreshments 6:00 PM
Thurs	Jun.	7	Berkley No. 167 Stated, 6:00 PM, Dinner 7:00 PM
Fri	Jun.	8	Lake Drummond Fourth Annual Summer Golf Tournament, Bide-A-Wee Golf Course, Portsmouth, Registration - 11:30 AM, Shotgun Start - 1:00 PM
Mon	Jun.	11	Victory Chapter #16, OES Stated, 7:30 PM @ Lake Drummond
Tues	Jun.	12	Doric #144 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Thurs	Jun.	14	Lake Drummond June Stated Communication, 7:00 PM, Dinner 6:00 PM Speaker: Khedive Shrine
Mon	Jun.	18	Bethel #11, Job's Daughters, 7:00 PM @ Lake Drummond
Tues	Jun.	19	Indian River #252 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Thurs	Jun.	21	Lake Drummond Work Night, 7:00 PM, Refreshments 6:00 PM
Sun	Jun.	24	Lake Drummond to visit Deep Creek United Methodist Church, 10:30 AM St. John the Baptist Day
Mon	Jun.	25	Victory Chapter #16, OES Stated, 7:30 PM @ Lake Drummond
Tues	Jun.	26	Cradock RAC #72 Stated, 7:30 PM, Covered Dish Dinner 6:30 PM
Wed	Jun.	27	Great Bridge #257 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Thurs	Jun.	28	Lake Drummond Work Night, 7:00 PM, Refreshments 6:00 PM

*The Rt. Wor. Robert Reardon, 36th District, Ritual School
meets every Monday, 7:00 pm at Indian River No. 252.
The school is Dark the Months of July, August and December

MEETING HOURS:

Lodge - 7:00 PM • R. A. Chapter - 7:30 PM • Victory Chapter - 7:30 PM • Job's Daughters - 7:00 PM

APPLICATIONS FOR LAKE DRUMMOND'S 2012 SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

DATE DUE - APRIL 1, 2012

As previously announced the deadline for receiving applications for the Lake Drummond Lodge Scholarship Fund has been changed to April 1. Also, the change in the date will enable the committee to make a decision in a timely manner. This will ensure that the recipient(s) can be recognized in the Lodge with his/her parents before they leave for college.

NEW MEMBERS

Brother Matthew Vincent McClure - Affiliated - January 12, 2012

Brother Daniel Lane Rountree - Raised - January 19, 2012

Brother Tommie Eugene Spain - Raised - March 1, 2012

GRAND LODGE CERTIFICATE OF PROVICIENCY

Brother Mark Edward Lutner

DONATIONS TO THE LODGE SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Brother Roy P. Nelson, Victory Chapter 16, OES

DONATIONS TO THE LODGE BUILDING FUND

Brother Scott V. Smith, donation of cost of 2,900 Barbecue Tickets

MEMORIAL CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE LODGE BUILDING FUND

In memory of Brother Dr. Jack Hanson Phillabaum, 60 MV,
given by Brother and Mrs. Fred L. Younger, Sr.

SPRING ANNUAL BARBECUE - APRIL 28, 2012

Notices concerning this event have been mailed to all Lodge members, enclosing four tickets and a return envelope. Cost this year will be @ \$8.00 per ticket. As usual, our Lodge Widows will receive two free tickets. Lets all come out, bring our friends and neighbors, to make this event successful.

PRESENTATION OF MASONIC SERVICE AWARDS

50 Year Service Award

to be presented

Brother John Watlington Waddill

Raised - April 26, 1962

April 12, 2012

WITH THE SICK

Please report all sick Brethren and/or family members to the Sick Committee, who at present are all of the Lodge Officers this year. Their names and telephone numbers and/or e-mail addresses are listed on the front cover of the Lodge's Trestleboard.

Brother W.C. "Bill" Meiggs, Jr., 50 MV
Brother Randolph W. Pritchard
Brother Gene C. Walters, LMIP
Brother Ralph M. Greenwood
Brother James Robert "Bobby" Gray, PM
Brother Larry W. Norman, PM
Brother Wiley J. Wilson, Jr.
Brother Frank Forbes, Jr., 60 MV

Mrs. Louise McClure, mother of
Brother Matthew V. McClure
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Brother A.S. Atwood, Sr., 50 MV
Brother Gerald V. Cox
Brother Larry p. Fields, PM
Brother Jimmy H. Matthews, PM
Brother W.L. "Bill" Strickland, LMIP
Brother Jacob H.G. Spindler, 60 MV
Brother Bobby G. Moore
Brother Roy L. McDaniel, PM, LMIP

Mrs. Savone Whittington, wife of
Worshipful F.T. "Buddy" Whittington

DEPUTY GRAND CHAPTER NOMINATION

Grand Master's Executive Order No. 2-12 sets forth the regulations governing the nominations for the office of District Deputy Grand Master for the Masonic Year 2014.

Indian River Lodge No. 252 made their nominations at their March 20, 2012 stated communication and Lake Drummond Lodge will vote to concur in their nominations at our April 12, 2012 stated communication.

For District Deputy Grand master for 2014 - Worshipful Charles Throne Fraley, Jr.

For Alternate Nominee for DDGM for 2014 - Worshipful William Curtis St. Sing

OUR NEW WEBSITE!

Please visit us at

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Any brethren wishing to receive this communication via email please contact
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F.L. Younger, Sr., PDDGM	1970	R.S. Best	1985	K.T. Decker, Sr., PDDGM	1993	W.R. Manier	2005
J.R. Gray, Sr.	1973	J.V. Matthews, Jr., PDDGM-NC	1986	W.R. Manier	1995	R. G. McEvoy	2006
J.E. Morgan, Sr., PDDGM	1974	L.P. Fields	1987	R.L. Elrod	1997	K.T. Decker, Sr.	2007
J.H. Matthews	1979	C.R. Jefferson	1988	P.W. Morley, Jr.	1998	R.D. Reed	2008
S.D. Archer	1981	M.B. Joyner	1989	H.C. Slaughter, Sr. PDDGM	2000	K.W. Strickland	2009
R.B. Holmes	1982	G.E. Brown	1990	R.L. McDaniel	2001	K.E. Stephens, Jr.	2010
E.C. Whitlock, PDDGM	1983	K.P. Strickland	1991	E. E. Walters, Sr.	2002	K.L. Hobbs, Jr.	2011

LIVING MEMBERS WHO ARE PAST MASTERS OF OTHER MASONIC LODGES

R.L. Williams, Jr.	Oregon Military #223, Germany	1967	J.V. Matthews, Jr., PDDGM-NC	Garland #664, NC	1997-2001
J.A. Bass	Harmony #149	1969	J.D. Royals, Jr.	Prudie #170	2007, 2011
C.E. Kight, PDDGM	Naval #100	1978			

LIVING AFFILIATED MEMBERS WHO ARE PAST MASTERS OF OTHER MASONIC LODGES

B. R. Faulkner, PDDGM - SC	SC - Solomon's, #1	1976 & 1999	R.G. "Rick" Underdown	Campbell #316	1981
	SC - Old Fort #420	1981 & 1982	R. Dominguez, Jr.	MA Village #26	1998
R.M. Lowery	Corinthian #266	1979 & 2007			

LIVING FIFTY/SIXTY-YEAR MEMBERS

G.C. Freeman	1938-2008	R. P. Nelson	1953-2003	T.J. Summerour	1957-2007	J.S. Forbes	1960-2010
G.L. Lutz	1943-2003	T.L. Brown	1950-2004	W.E. Winslow	1957-2007	A.S. Atwood, Sr.	1961-2011
M.S. Block	1943-2003	C.J. Robinson	1954-2004	C.R. Young	1957-2007	E.V. Wiggins, Jr.	1961-2011
O.L. Baumgartner	1945-2005	R.L. Williams, Jr.	1954-2004	Dr. E.C. Lyons, Jr.	1958-2008	B.W. Parrish	1961-2011
W.L. Conner	1947-2007	J.A. Dietrich	1955-2005	R.M. Jennings	1958-2008	E.L. Baynor	1961-2011
H.J. "Pete" Kidd	1947-2007	T.E. Thornton	1955-2005	F.G. Ballance	1958-2008	C.R. Gibbs	1961-2011
F. Forbes, Jr.	1948-2008	R.L. Templeton	1956-2006	W.W. Yaun, Jr.	1958-2008	D.E. Wheelbarger	1961-2011
H.P. Affeldt	1949-2009	G.W. Renfrow, Sr.	1956-2006	J.H. Reid, Sr.	1959-2009	L.W. Kight, Jr.	1961-2011
H.E. Spiers, Jr.	1951-2011	J.C. Simons	1956-2006	K.E. Stephens, Sr.	1959-2009	J.A. Bass	1961-2011
R.R. Jones	1951-2011	A.B. How	1956-2006	E.E. Walters, Sr.	1959-2009	E.E. Powers	1961-2011
J.H. Phillabaum	1951-2011	A.B. Sawyer, Sr.	1957-2007	W.C. "Bill" Meiggs, Jr.	1960-2010	J.W. Waddell	1962-2012
H.E. Boomhower	1951-2011	F.L. Younger, Sr.	1957-2007	L.K. Hartung	1960-2010	B.G. Nix, Sr.	1962-2012
J.H. G. Spindler	1952-2012	R.B. Barham	1957-2007	R.A. Ashley, Jr.	1960-2010	A.M. Hedgepeth	1962-2012