April & May District Meetings

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Geary F. Laird
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DISTRICT 13
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Thomas Nichols Jr.
D.D.G.M. 13

DISTRICT 14
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Noel Cissell
D.D.G.M. 14

The annual meeting of Districts 12, 13 and 14 will be held on Friday, April 20, 2012 at the Louisville Scottish Rite Temple, 200 E. Gray St., Louisville, Kentucky 40202.

Dinner will be at 6:00 p.m. for Master Masons only. Meeting to follow at 7:00 p.m.

Directions: I-65N. to Exit 136A to Broadway/Chestnut St.; straight onto S. Brook St.; turn right onto Gray St.; Temple is at the corner of Brook and Gray St.

DISTRICT 20
A P R I L 2 6
Michael J. Ford
D.D.G.M. 20
The annual meeting of District 20 will be held on Thursday, April 26, 2012 at Hiram Lodge No. 4, 308 Ann St., Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

Dinner will be at 6:00 p.m. for Master Masons and their ladies. Meeting to follow at 7:00 p.m. A ladies program by the Frankfort Eastern Star will begin at 7:00 p.m.

Directions: From State Capitol Building; go to end of street across bridge; take left at light; third street on right; this is a one-way street.

DISTRICT 3
M A Y 4
Perry Coleman
D.D.G.M. 3
The annual meeting of District 3 will be held on Friday, May 4, 2012 at Livingston Central High School, 750 U.S. 60W, Smithland, Kentucky 42081.

Dinner will be at 6:00 p.m. (cst) for Master Masons and their ladies. Meeting to follow at 7:00 p.m. (cst). A ladies bingo will begin at 7:00 p.m.

Directions: I-24 to Exit 31; take 453 N. to Smithland; turn left on U.S. 60W; go approx. 1 mile; school is on the left.

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2012 All Mason’s Day

Brother Bill Cunningham, Justice Supreme Court of Kentucky was the keynote speaker for the “All Mason’s Day” at the capitol. He reminded Brethren to have a vision of Freemasonry, “we must have a vision, so all young people know what Masons are and what they stand for. How to be a Mason, become incorporated with the youth, set goals in the community and in the Masonic beliefs.” Brother Cunningham also referred to the ‘Operation Preparation’ a program started by the Ky. Dept. of Education, that deals with working with schools and their students to prepare them for college or a career. Lodges could work with their local schools. The Masons were also addressed by Brother Rep. Jim DeCesare, Brother Sen. Brandon Smith and Brother Sen. Paul Hornback. Grand Master Terry L. Bowman thanked all Masons for attending and the Legislature for their hospitality.

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All photos by Donnie Brake
Grand Master’s Message

By now the District Meetings are underway. I seriously encourage every Lodge to be represented at their District Meeting, especially those that were not present for their Educational Conference. Right Worshipful Brothers Chris, Rick, Wilson, Joe, and Tom Educational Committee members, Worshipful Brothers Ed and Robert presented an excellent program for those who attended. My thanks go out to all who gave of their time to learn more about the workings of your Lodge and the duties that go along with it.

As you may have noticed, there are no scheduled District Meetings for April 14th, the first day of Turkey Season. Good luck to those who go, wish I could be out there with you.

Please continue to lift up in prayer your Brothers and Neighbors and the men and women in our Armed Forces. Remember, we are as ONE!

The annual meeting of District 1 will be held on Saturday, May 5, 2012 at Wickliffe Lodge No. 625, 31 Buck Rd., (County Rd. 1279), Wickliffe, Kentucky 42087.

Lunch will be at 11:30 a.m. (cst) for Master Masons only. Meeting to follow at 1:00 p.m. (cst).

Directions: Take I-24 to Exit #4; West to Wickliffe on Hwy 60. turn left at traffic light onto Hwy 121/286 E.; Go one (1) mile East of Wickliffe on Hwy 286 (286 forks off to the left from 121), and turn left on CR 1279; (Buck Road), at the Lodge Sign. The Lodge is ¼ mile on the left.

The annual meeting of District 2 will be held on Saturday, May 5, 2012 at Calvert City United Methodist Church, 571 Oak Park Blvd., Calvert City, Kentucky 42029.

Dinner will be at 4:45 p.m. (cst) for Master Masons and their ladies. Meeting to follow at 6:00 p.m. (cst).

Directions: From I-24 West; take Exit 29, Calvert City; at stop sign turn right to U.S. 62 West; at first 4-way light, turn right; church is 1 mile on right.

The annual meeting of District 3 will be held on Friday, May 11, 2012 at Dixon Elementary School, 277 St. Rt. 1340, Dixon, Kentucky 42409.

Dinner will be at 5:30 p.m. (cst) for Master Masons and their ladies. Meeting to follow at 7:00 p.m. (cst).

Directions: From Henderson, take U.S. 41A South to Dixon; go through Dixon to St. Rt. 1340; turn right on 1340; school on left, second drive. From Madisonville, take U.S. 41A North to Dixon; turn left on St. Rt. 1340; school second drive on left. School is located in the Webster Co. Annex.

The annual meeting of District 4 will be held on Saturday, May 12, 2012 at Logan County High School, 2200 Bowling Green Road, Russellville, Kentucky 42276.

Dinner will be at 5:00 p.m. (cst) for Master Masons and their ladies. Meeting to follow at 6:00 p.m. (cst). Entertainment provided for the ladies.

Directions: Hwy 68/80 East school is located on the right. Hwy 68/80 East school is located on the left. Please follow drive to the right and park in the student parking lot; enter through the new part of the building.

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NOTICE
SOLICITATION FOR NOMINEES FOR ELECTION TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS MASONIC HOMES OF KENTUCKY, INC.

Dear Brethren:

The Annual Meeting of the Masonic Homes of Kentucky, Inc. will be held on Monday the 15th of October, 2012. Five Directors will be elected to serve for a three-year term. You must be a Kentucky Master Mason to be eligible for election to the Office of Director. Directors are expected to attend the bi-monthly meetings of the Board, on the third Wednesday, serve on assigned committees (which require attendance at the Committee meetings) and perform other duties as assigned by the Chairman of the Board or Executive Committee. Directors, serve without remuneration. All Directors must own a Life Membership in the Masonic Homes of Kentucky, Inc. which is two hundred and fifty dollars. Candidates to be considered for nomination to the Board of Directors must submit a current resume including the following: Name, Address, Current Occupation, Phone Number, Education & Work Experience, Previous Experience on Boards, Organizational Offices Held,

References, and Masonic Affiliation and History. The resume may be submitted on regular stationery, mailed along with a recent photograph and postmarked no later than July 6, 2012.

Mail to the attention of the Secretary, Masonic Homes of Kentucky, Inc., 376 Johnson Hall Drive, Masonic Home, KY 40041

We appreciate your interest in the Masonic Homes of Kentucky, Inc. Fraternally Thine, Nominating Committee 2012

TERRY L. BOWMAN
Grand Master

Brethren,

As I travel our beautiful Commonwealth, it is very exciting to meet so many Brothers who are on fire for Freemasonry. Several Lodges are doing so much for their Members and Community. You have responded with Brotherly Love to all during this sad time of weather disasters. By now, your Grand Lodge has set up an account for your donations for Disaster Relief and is receiving them from all over the Country. Our thoughts and prayers continue to go out to those who have suffered so much.
The devastating weather passing through Kentucky in early March, producing heavy rains, hail, high winds and tornadoes, has affected many of our Brethren and their families and neighbors. Many homes and buildings were damaged and/or destroyed, many injuries inflicted, and, tragically, many deaths were left in the wake of the storm. Buildings can be replaced, injuries may, hopefully, heal, but those who perished in the storm were taken from us forever, and our hearts go out to their family and friends who are left to mourn them. At the time of this writing, the Grand Lodge Officers are in the process of determining the extent of the damage suffered by our Brethren and how best we may assist in their recovery. Sorrowfully, for those who were lost and injured, we can only express our best wishes for a speedy and full recovery, and to the family and friends of those whom were lost, our deepest sympathy and heartfelt condolences.

**INSTALLATION IS ESSENTIAL**

During the preparation of the newly elected and/or appointed lodge officers for installation, a couple of questions often heard by the Installing Officer is “Do I have to be installed again since I served in that same office last year and was installed at that time? Don’t I serve in that office until my successor is elected or appointed in my stead”? The answer to both questions is yes. The officers in place are to serve until two things happen; first, the election of new officers is held; and, second, the new officers are installed. The installation ceremony is conducted by the installing officers at either a Stated or Called Communication of the lodge, with the present officers in their stations. It is the prerogative of the sitting Master to install the Master-elect, and the prerogative of the Master-elect, following his installation, to install the remaining officers.

During the installation, the sitting officers of the lodge are to remain in their stations until the Master-elect is obligated, at which time the Installing Master declares “all offices vacant”, at which time the term for which the sitting officers were elected or appointed ends, and unless all the officers which were elected, re-elected, or appointed are properly installed into the office for which they were selected, that office will remain vacant until such time as someone is installed.

In other words, once the declaration “I declare all offices vacant” is made by the Installing Master, the term for which the sitting officers were elected ends, and those offices may only be filled by the member selected for that office being properly installed, even though one or more of the officers is to be installed in the same office he held the previous year. Section 86 of the Book of Constitutions emphatically states that the installation is essential, and no Brother is entitled to exercise any of the rights, privileges or powers of any office until he shall have been duly elected, or appointed, and installed.

**AWARDS ELIGIBILITY LIST**

Each Lodge Secretary will receive the “Award Eligibility List” from the Grand Lodge Office in early May for those eligible for the 50, 60, and 75 year Grand Lodge Veteran’s Awards. You will be sent instructions with your list that will explain specifically how to fill it out. Please follow these instructions precisely.

The plateau in time that a Brother must reach to qualify for these awards are significant, and the Grand Lodge Office wants to insure that those Brothers due the award receive it timely. So, we encourage you to give this review your close attention.

**COMMUNICATION BETWEEN LODGES**

Just a reminder to each Lodge Secretary, if you are communicating with another Lodge within the Grand Jurisdiction of Kentucky in an official capacity, you may correspond directly with the said Lodge. However, any correspondence to a Lodge - or Grand Lodge - other than the one within whose Jurisdiction your Lodge is located must be transmitted through the office of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky.

This procedure is intended to insure that a complete record of the particular transaction is fully noted at each level. Following this policy also saves time in as much as Lodges, agreeable to Masonic Protocol, will not directly respond to correspondence from a Lodge outside their Jurisdiction - thus creating delays by stalling the correspondence. Just remember, all out-of-state correspondence must be transmitted through the Grand Lodge Office.

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**Hebron Lodge No. 757**

**Widows and 50+ Year Member Dinner**

Covington Scottish Rite Temple, 1553 Madison Ave., Covington, Kentucky

You are cordially invited to join us as we honor our Widows and 50+ Year Members with a Dinner on April 28, 2012

Doors will open at 6 p.m. with music and fellowship. The meal will be served approximately at 7:30 p.m. (consisting of two meats, potatoes, vegetable, slaw, rolls, dessert and drinks)

The keynote speaker for the evening will be the Most Worshipful Grand Master Terry L. Bowman.

Tickets $15.00 each, obtained by sending your money to:

Al Tucker, Master 859-384-4119
2135 Natchez Trace, Florence, KY 41042
Union KY 41091
859-384-4119

Curt Dringenburg, Treasurer 859-743-4807
7500 Harvesthouse Drive, Florence, KY 41042

Sorry, tickets will not be sold at the door as we need an accurate count for preparation of the meal.

Invite your Widows and 50+ Year Members as well! We hope to see you there!
Boone Union Lodge 304

At the request of the Grand Lodge of Illinois, A.F. & A.M., Brother Darcol Caton (left), a member of Mattoon Lodge No. 260 of Mattoon, Illinois, was presented his 50 year service pin by Master Philip Craddock (right) of Boone-Union Lodge No. 304, in Union, Kentucky.

On November 28, 2011, James W. Alley Lodge No. 869, voted to elect long time Chaplain, PM Brother Edgar Rister as Lifetime Honorary Chaplain at James W. Alley Lodge No. 869. Brother Edgar has been in poor health for some time after suffering a stroke in 2009 and is unable to attend Lodge which he has always cherished so much. His Brothers miss him so much at the Lodge meetings. Some of his Brothers visited Brother Edgar at his home on December 3, 2011 and presented him with his certificate. From left, clockwise: Goble Allen, Senior Warden; Jerry Thomas; Jimmy Dale Lawson; Bruce Scott, Master; Douglas A. Harvey; and Ernest Jackson, Treasurer. James W. Alley Lodge thanks you Brother Edgar, for your many years of accomplishments and your dedicated service to the Masonic Fraternity.

Fields Lodge 832 – Christmas Celebration

During the Christmas Holiday, Fields Lodge No. 832 sponsored many events. Fields Lodge started the day with a Breakfast with Santa event at their lodge with Master Clay Slusher and other members serving pancakes, bacon, eggs, milk, and orange juice to over 100 kids in the Tri-City area. After the Breakfast with Santa event, members of the Lodge visited a local nursing home, spreading the Christmas spirit to local residents and giving out treats and other items. Members of Fields Lodge also visited the local pre-school giving kids treats and toys. Brother Silas Whitehead played the role of Santa at all the events.

Somerset Lodge 111 – Veterans

ATEAM/AmeriCorps Program along with students from Northern Middle School created special Thank You Valentine Cards for the members of Somerset Lodge No. 111. The cards were presented by the Master to those in attendance that are Veterans, with members having served in World War II through Operation Enduring Freedom.

Loving Lodge No. 323

Loving Lodge No. 323 Lodge members and their families met at Papa J’s Restaurant in Fountain Run on February 9, for their annual Valentine Dinner. Sewell Hunt, age 94, (right) oldest member of the Lodge, 62-year member and Thomas Young (left) our newest member, were recognized during the evening.
On Saturday, February 4, 2012, the Society of Past Masters of Southern Kentucky conferred the Past Master’s Degree and the Order of Solomon on 27 candidates (pictured above) at Goshen Lodge No. 503 in Alvaton, Kentucky. The class was named in honor of Brother Tommy Banton, who passed away in January. Brother Banton was a Past President of the Society, Past District Deputy Grand Master, Past Illustrious Grand Master and held many other offices and titles in the Masonic Fraternity.

James W. Alley Lodge 832 – Raises One

On January 9, 2012, James W. Alley Lodge No. 869 raised one Brother to the Sublime Degree of Master Mason. Pictured, left to right, front row: Tyler Green, Acting Senior Deacon & Current Senior Steward; Kenneth Anderson, Acting Junior Deacon; Newly Raised Master Mason, Joey Collins; Rodney Bradley, Junior Steward; Chris Adkins, Acting Senior Steward; and Goble Allen, Chaplain. Second row: James Reynolds, Senior Warden; Worshipful Master, Jerry Thomas; Grady Allen, Junior Warden; Ernest Jackson, Treasurer; Roger Jones, Tiler; and Ernie Gullett, Secretary. Congratulations to Brother Joey and all who participated in the excellent work.

Mt. Gilead Lodge 255 – Apron Presentation

On Friday, January 20 Brother Charlie Sizemore (left) is shown accepting his Past Masters’ Apron from Master Eddie Jernigan (right).

Craftsman Lodge 722 – Raises Two

On January 19, 2012, the Brethren of Craftsman Lodge No. 722 in Liberty, Kentucky had the honor of raising two young Brothers to the Sublime Degree of a Master Mason. Pictured, left to right: Shannon White, Junior Warden; New MM, Ryan White; Donnie White; Ronnie White; New MM, Johnathan Clay Graham; and Chris Pierce, Master. It should be noted that brother Ryan White is a 4th generation Master Mason. His father, Shannon, and grandfather, Donnie, are most proud!
The Annual Masonic Golf Outing this year will be on Monday, May 14, 2012. A Shot Gun Start will begin at 8:30 AM. Golfers should be on their carts by 8:00 AM. The location will still be the Fairway Golf Course at Wheatley, Kentucky, located in Owen County on State Route 227.

Entry fee is $50.00 (payable at the golf course) which covers 18 holes of golf, cart, prizes and followed by a luncheon. There will be prize drawings after the event and the usual golf contest payoff. One free ticket for a prize will be given at check-in. Additional tickets may be purchased at $1.00 each. Please bring items for the prize drawings if you choose. Gilbert England will calculate all golf score prizes.

Please get your foursomes together and submit their names to any of the committee members listed below. Singles and doubles are acceptable and will be paired with others on the day of the event. Remember the reservation deadline for the Golf Outing is May 11, 2012.

P.S. – Non masons and women are welcome to play in this golf outing. Note – Coffee and donuts are available from 7:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.

Masonic Golf Committee
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E-mail whitaker848@aol.com
Forrest Webster – 859/250-7240
E-mail webster@insightbb.com
Vern Gregory – 859/816-3149
E-mail verngreg@fuse.net
Lee Onkst – 859/468-4904
E-mail lindao@fuse.net

2012 DISTRICT MEETING SCHEDULE
If lunch or dinner is to be served, they will eat one hour before meeting times. All meeting times are prevailing times.
Meeting facilities are to be announced at a later date.

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H.A.M. Henderson Lodge 515
2012 Officers

On January 14, 2012 H.A.M. Henderson Lodge No. 515 Officers were installed to serve the Lodge for the coming year. Brother Richard T. Nation, Grand Senior Warden of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky conducted the installation. Brother Steve Wright served as Installing Marshal. The following Officers were installed: John Harlin, Master; Ricky Turner, Senior Warden; Bow Wesley Simpson, Junior Warden; Jeff Geralds, Treasurer; Johnnie Cross, Secretary; Gary Emberton, Chaplain; Bobby Adams, Senior Deacon; Johnny Dale Proffitt, Senior Steward; Barton Wilson, Junior Steward; Chase Collins, Tiler; and Donnie Feden, Marshal. Good food and good company was enjoyed by all who attended.
2012 MASONIC OFFICERS

Lyndon Lodge 960

Newly installed Master of Lyndon Lodge James Doss, seated. Installation Officers Brother Michael Miller, right and Brother Jim Hatfield, left.

Fort Thomas Lodge 808

On January 14, 2012 the Officers of Ft. Thomas Lodge No. 808 were installed by Brother Joseph Conway, Grand Secretary. The group assembled and was called to order and a prayer given before everyone adjourned to the dining room for a delicious pork tenderloin dinner. Front row: John Warford, Junior Deacon; Bob Peelman, Senior Steward; George Tither, Chaplain; Paul Luersen, Master; John Ranson, Junior Warden; George Gore, Senior Deacon. Second row: Ed Harber, Junior Steward; Ryan Engle, Secretary; and Frank Braun, Senior Steward. Not pictured: Joe Loy, Treasurer; and Jim Arthur, Tiler.

Mt. Gilead Lodge 255

Mt. Gilead Lodge No. 255 recently held an open installation for their 2012 Lodge Officers. Front row, left to right: Tony Singleton, Secretary; Wayne Saylor, Senior Warden; Eddie Jernigan, 2012 Lodge Master; Bill Hamilton, Junior Warden; and Garry Patrick, Treasurer. Second row: Warren King, Junior Deacon; Installing Master PDDGM Ron Hutchison; Jack Lanigan, Chaplain; Claude Spaw, Senior Steward; James Lochridge, Junior Steward; and Chad Ellnor, Senior Deacon. No pictured: Chad Grinnell, Tiler; and Charles Sizemore, Marshal.

Carrollton Lodge 134

Carrollton Lodge No. 134 Officers for 2012: Front row: Shelby Bickers; Mark Reese; Leonard Johnson; and Lance Maiden. Back row: Mike Humphrey; Mark Kyle; and Ron Holloway.

Pinnacle Lodge 661

Pinnacle Lodge No. 661 recently installed its Officers for 2012. Front row, left to right: Greg Daniels, Treasurer; Jason Martin, Junior Warden; Phillip Ball, Master; Charlie Jones, Senior Warden; Joey Young, Secretary; and J.D. Skidmore, Chaplain. Middle row: Jake Lewis, Senior Deacon; Dallis Good, Senior Steward; and Tommy Harrell, Junior Steward. Back row: David Martin, Junior Deacon; Josh Harris, Steward; D.K. Blakenship, Steward; and Al McClure, Tiler.

GRAND LODGE OF KENTUCKY WEB PAGE

If you have not had the opportunity to visit the Grand Lodge of Kentucky Web Page, you can do so by logging on at www.grandlodgeofkentucky.org

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.
Outstanding Home celebration continues

Kentucky Association of Health Care Facilities made it official, with a ceremony and presentation of the 2011-12 Outstanding Personal Care Home of the Year trophy to The Pillars at Masonic Home of Louisville.

“This celebration is a special recognition of the partnerships among residents, families and staff who work together to make this personal care home great,” said KAHCF Board Member Lisa Biddle-Puffer. “We are pleased to add The Pillars to our list of Outstanding Personal Care Homes.”

Also, Louisville Metro Mayor Greg Fischer proclaimed February 16, 2012 The Pillars Assisted Care Center Day.

Louisville campus begins aging successfully

Masonic Home Village has partnered with Masterpiece Living, a research-based company providing tools and resources that promote successful aging.

The program launched in early March, following a series of classes for campus staff and Village resident council members. “Masterpiece Living follows a simple premise,” said Lifestyle Coordinator Katherine Futrell. “A lifestyle embracing the social, spiritual, physical and intellectual aspects of life is more important to aging well than genetics.”

Residents and staff alike will be encouraged to take a lifestyle review and mobility test, as well as participate together in an array of activities and events.

Masterpiece Living will be offered in The Pillars Assisted Care Center and to future residents of Miralea later this year.
Homes take the cake!
Cupcakes win 2012 Chocolate Dreams award

Masonic Homes captured the Bluegrass Award at Louisville’s premiere chocolate fest, Chocolate Dreams.

The 2012 event featured handcrafted desserts created by chefs and chocolatiers from 20 area restaurants, senior living facilities and bakeries. They competed for four prizes, including People’s Choice, Chocolate Absurdity, Chocolate of the World and Chocolate Bluegrass.

“The Bluegrass award recognizes the best uses of local products to create the most delightful chocolate treat,” said GuardiaCare Executive Director Susan Smith. “Our panel of judges chose Masonic Homes’ Chocolate Mint Julep Cupcakes as the 2012 winner.”

Chocolate Mint Julep Cupcakes are the creation of Homes’ Hospitality Services General Manager Gary McCurdy. The recipe is available on Masonic Homes’ Facebook page (www.facebook.com/#1masonichomesky.com).

Chocolate Dreams benefits GuardiaCare, a non-profit organization serving Louisville-area seniors, caregivers and their families since 1969.

Gratitude for Giving

By Phyllis O’Daniel, VP/Mission Advancement

On March 1, Masonic Home Shelbyville hosted a dinner and recognition ceremony to honor the generosity of donors who recently made gifts to the Giving Tree Program.

Among the donors honored were Masonic lodges Abraham No. 8, Hiram No. 4 and W.G. Simpson No. 472. Individuals recognized for their support were Grand Secretary and Home Board Chair Joseph Conway and wife Peggy, Roy Carpenter, Phyllis Cummins, Wayne Haub, William L. Shannon, Home Board Secretary John Sammons and wife Libby, and Dr. and Mrs. Ronald Waldridge. Masonic Home of Shelbyville’s volunteer group Baxter’s Bunch also was honored for supporting the Giving Tree.

During the event, the memory of Dr. Edward P. Smith and Mary Klein Smith was honored for their gifts to Masonic Home through their memorial fund.

The Giving Tree provides opportunities for supporting initiatives and programs at Masonic Home of Shelbyville. Gifts of $2,500 and $1,000 are acknowledged with personalized “stones” on the Giving Tree display. Gifts of $500, $500 and $750 are marked with engraved leaves on the tree.

To learn more about the Giving Tree, contact Masonic Homes of Kentucky (502/259-3627; 866/764-6631; giving@mhky.com).
**2012 Masonic Officers**

**Hiram Lodge 4**

At an Open Installation of Officers for 2012 held on December 27, 2011, the following were installed. Front row: Jonathan Cummins, Music Director; Keith Doane, Senior Deacon; Monty Monfort, Junior Warden; Charles Smith, Jr., Master; Steve Wright, Senior Warden; Leonard Edwards, DDGM 20; Romuel Toon, Installing Marshal; and Joe Conway, PGM, Installing Officer. Second row: Chris Crowe, Assistant Secretary; William Canon III, Secretary; Bryan Sharp, Tiler; Gayle Sutherland, Chaplain; Travis Wagers, Junior Deacon; and John Semones, Assistant Treasurer. Third row: Tim Shera, Marshal; Dean Foster, Junior Steward; Steve Graves, Senior Steward; and Bill Gilbert, Treasurer.

**Halfway Lodge 852**

At an Open Installation at Halfway Lodge No. 852 F. & A. M. on Saturday, January 14, 2012 in Halfway, Kentucky the Officers were installed for 2012. Front row, left to right: Richard Schatz, Treasurer; Don Ring, Senior Warden; Adam Scott, Master; James Jackson, Junior Warden; David Allen, Junior Deacon; and Tyler Berry, Junior Steward. Back row: Tim Berry, Secretary; Jesse Foster, Senior Deacon; Ricky Stinson, Senior Steward; Michael Jones, Chaplain; and Windol Fisher, Tiler.

**Dallasburg Lodge 621**

Dallasburg Lodge No. 621 held its annual Installation of Officers on Tuesday, January 10, 2012. After the Installation a fine meal and wonderful fellowship was had by all. Dallasburg Lodge meets the 2nd Tuesday of each month, located in downtown Wheatly, Kentucky. Front row, left to right: Ron Burgess, Junior Warden; Grand Senior Warden Rick Nation, Installing Officer; Jackie Forsce, Secretary; Leslie Towles, Junior Deacon; and James Jackson, Tiler. Back row: Don Towles, Chaplain; Lester Towles, Senior Deacon; Jerry Chappell, Master; Keenan Sutter, Treasurer; and Jim Alexander, Junior Warden. Not pictured: Gene Crady, Installing Marshal.

**Hugh Harris 938**

Hugh Harris Lodge No. 938 elected Officers for 2012: Seated, left to right: Nick Scott, Senior Warden; Clinton Rouse, Master; Jacob Pennington, Junior Warden; and Phil Gregory, Treasurer. Back row: Dwayne Adams, Junior Deacon; Brandon Bowman, Senior Deacon; Gary Elliott, Chaplain; Vince Gibson, Tiler; Earl Jones, Secretary; and Edgar Wagner, Junior Steward. Not pictured: Jeff Woods, Senior Steward.

**Tadmor Lodge 108**

William Long newly installed Master of Tadmor Lodge No. 108, standing with Grandson Will, who placed the Masters Collar and Jewel on his neck. Will is looking forward to getting older so he can follow in Grand Dad’s footsteps and become a Brother Mason.
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Parker'sville Lodge 484

Past Grand Master Curtis Johnston visited Lomasco to install the 2012 Officers for Parkersville Lodge No. 484 in a public ceremony. Assisted by Carroll Dorough, Acting Marshall, the Officers were charged with their oaths of Office in the company of family, friends and members of the Lodge. Pictured, left to right: Ray Cotton, Senior Deacon; Charlie Brennen, Senior Warden; Willie Edmonds, Master; Tom Major, Junior Warden; Charlie Ferguson, Tiler; Bob McDonald, Treasurer; Tom Winters, Secretary; and Dale Mayhugh, Chaplain.

Wheelwright Lodge 889

Election of Officers was held on December 14, 2011. Following a potluck dinner with fried chicken and all the fixings, Wheelwright Lodge No. 889 located in Wheelwright, Kentucky held its 2012 Open Installation of Officers on December 28, 2011. It was an honor and privilege to have Officers of The Grand Lodge of Kentucky to conduct the Installation Ceremony. The Installing Officer was Right Worshipful Deputy Grand Master, Christopher L. Stout and the Installing Marshal was Right Worshipful Grand Junior Warden, Wilson Wilder, also assisting was Right Worshipful Grand Senior Warden, Rick Nation, Brother Steve Wright, Grand Lodge Committee on By-Laws and Brother Cloyd J. Bumgardner, Grand Marshal. This year’s officers are Front Row, left to right: Wilson Wilder, Right Worshipful Grand Junior Warden; Christopher L. Stout, Right Worshipful Deputy Grand Master; Rick Nation, Right Worshipful Grand Senior Warden; and Cloyd J. Bumgardner, Grand Marshall. Back row: Tyler Green, Senior Steward; Rodney Bradley, Junior Steward; Johnny Layne, Junior Deacon; Grady Allen, Junior Warden; Jerry Thomas, Worshipful Master; James Reynolds, Senior Warden; Earl Christopher Walker, Senior Deacon; Roger Jones, Tiler; Ernie Gullett, Secretary; Ernest Jackson, Treasurer; and Goble Allen, Chaplain. James W. Alley Lodge No. 869 meets on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month. All Brothers are welcome to attend.

James W. Alley Lodge 869

Election of Officers was held on December 27, 2011, St. Johns Day. Following a potluck dinner with Fried Chicken and all the fixings, James W. Alley Lodge No. 869 located in Wayland, KY held its 2012 Open Installation of Officers on December 28, 2011. It was an honor and privilege to have Officers of The Grand Lodge of Kentucky to conduct the Installation Ceremony. The Installing Officer was Right Worshipful Deputy Grand Master, Christopher L. Stout and the Installing Marshal was Right Worshipful Grand Junior Warden, Wilson Wilder, also assisting was Right Worshipful Grand Senior Warden, Rick Nation, Brother Steve Wright, Grand Lodge Committee on By-Laws and Brother Cloyd J. Bumgardner, Grand Marshal. This year’s officers are Front Row, left to right: Wilson Wilder, Right Worshipful Grand Junior Warden; Christopher L. Stout, Right Worshipful Deputy Grand Master; Rick Nation, Right Worshipful Grand Senior Warden; and Cloyd J. Bumgardner, Grand Marshall. Back row: Tyler Green, Senior Steward; Rodney Bradley, Junior Steward; Johnny Layne, Junior Deacon; Grady Allen, Junior Warden; Jerry Thomas, Worshipful Master; James Reynolds, Senior Warden; Earl Christopher Walker, Senior Deacon; Roger Jones, Tiler; Ernie Gullett, Secretary; Ernest Jackson, Treasurer; and Goble Allen, Chaplain. James W. Alley Lodge No. 869 meets on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month. All Brothers are welcome to attend.

Fields Lodge 832

On December 27, 2011, Fields Lodge No. 832 held its annual Lodge elections, after elections a public Installation was performed with family of the members present, Widows of past Masons, and others. Refreshments were served to everyone, awards presented to the Past Master and other Masons for their hard work during the 2011 year. Front row: John Dodd, Senior Warden; Britt Craig, Master; and Eddie Banks, Junior Warden. Back row: Silas Whitehead, Secretary; David Sexton, Marshal; Bobby Rutherford, Treasurer; Elmo Banks, Chaplain; Don Gibbs, Junior Deacon; Dale Halcomb, Tiler; Clay Slusher, Senior Deacon; John Teagle, Junior Steward; and Eric Ruiz, Senior Stewart.
BEAVER LODGE NO. 505
At the first stated communication in the month following publication of this notice in The Masonic Home Journal, Beaver Lodge No. 505 will vote to make changes in its By-Laws. All members are encouraged to attend meeting.

BEWLEYVILLE LODGE NO. 288
At the first stated communication in the month following publication of this notice in The Masonic Home Journal, Bewleyville Lodge No. 228 will vote on changes to its By-Laws. All members are urged to attend.

FAVORITE LODGE NO. 581
At the first stated communication in the month following publication of this notice in The Masonic Home Journal, Favorite Lodge No. 581 will vote on changes to its By-Laws concerning dues. All members are urged to attend.

JENKINS YORK RITE
At the first stated communication in the month following publication of this notice in The Masonic Home Journal, Jenkins York Rite will be voting on changes to their By-Laws. This will be in the Chapter, Council and Commandery.

KEEL LODGE NO. 320
At the first stated communication in the month following publication of this notice in The Masonic Home Journal, Keel Lodge No. 320 will vote on changes to its By-Laws. All members take notice.

LONESOME PINES LODGE NO. 884
At the first stated communication in the month following publication of this notice in The Masonic Home Journal, Lonesome Pine Lodge No. 884 will be voting on changes to their By-Laws.

ORION LODGE NO. 222
At the first stated communication in the month following publication of this notice in The Masonic Home Journal, Orion Lodge No. 222 will vote on changes to its By-Laws. Plan on attending. Meeting time is 8 p.m.

SIEVERS LODGE NO. 491
At the first stated communication in the month following publication of this notice in The Masonic Home Journal, Sievers Lodge No. 491 will vote to change its By-Laws.

WAYNESBURG LODGE NO. 328
At the first stated communication in the month following publication of this notice in The Masonic Home Journal, Waynesburg Lodge No. 328 will vote on changes to its By-Laws. All members are urged to attend.

ROY D. ALLEN
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Once again a Brother has finished the designs written by the Master. He has passed on to eternity to receive the rewards of a Master Mason.

ROY D. ALLEN
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Oneida, Kentucky
By being a true and faithful Brother of the Craft; therefore be it
RESOLVED, that Oneida Lodge No. 736 F &AM, Oneida, Kentucky be draped in mourning for thirty days. And we tend to the family our deepest heartfelt condolence.

JAMES HENRY ADKINS
Thomas C. Cecil Lodge No. 375
Pikeville, Kentucky
Whereas, it having pleased Almighty God in His infinite wisdom to call unto himself the spirit of our beloved Brother James Henry Adkins, to his just reward on February 26, 2012, and after having completed all the earthly designs written for him on life's trestle-board; and

JAMES HENRY ADKINS
Thomas C. Cecil Lodge No. 375
Pikeville, Kentucky
Whereas, our true and faithful Brother's column is broken and he having passed through the portals of eternity to join that great Celestial Lodge; and

WHEREAS, in his passing the family has lost a beloved member, our Fraternity an upright man and Mason, whom we hope to meet again in that Temple, that house not made be hands eternal in the Heavens; therefore be it
RESOLVED, that the altar of Thomas C. Cecil Lodge No. 375 F &AM of Pikeville, Kentucky, in testimony of her loss, be draped in mourning for thirty days, and that we convey to the family of our beloved our sincere condolence in this deep affliction, and that a copy of this resolution be placed in the minutes of the Lodge, and a copy spread across the pages of The Masonic Home Journal.

EUGENE P. OVERSTREET, SECR.

JAMES HENRY ADKINS
Thomas C. Cecil Lodge No. 375
Pikeville, Kentucky
Once again a Brother Mason having completed the designs written for him on life's trestle board has passed through the portals of eternity and entered the Grand Lodge of the New Jerusalem and hath received as his reward the white stone with the new name written thereon; and
WHEREAS, the all-wise and merciful Master of the Universe has called from labor to refreshment our beloved and respected Brother; and
WHEREAS, he having been a true and faithful Brother of our Order; therefore be it
RESOLVED, that Cox Lodge No. 464, in testimony of her loss, be draped in mourning for thirty days and that we tender to the family of our deceased Brother our sincere condolence in their deep affliction, and that a copy of these Resolutions be sent to the family.

JEFF ROBINSON; CRAIG LINDON; ROGER MILLER

WILLIAM EUGENE HOLT
Hebron Lodge No. 757
Hebron, Kentucky
WHEREAS, it having pleased Almighty God in His infinite wisdom to call unto Himself the spirit of our Brother, William Eugene Holt, Past Master of Hebron Lodge No. 757 F &AM, to his just reward on March 4, 2012, and after having completed all earthly designs written for him on life's trestle-board; and
WHEREAS, in his passing the family has lost a beloved member; our Fraternity an upright man and Mason, who we hope to meet again in that Temple, that New Jerusalem, that house not made by hands, eternal in the Heavens; therefore be it
RESOLVED, that the altar of Hebron Lodge No. 757 F &AM, Hebron, Kentucky, in testimony of her loss, be draped in mourning for thirty days, and that we convey to the family of our deceased Brother our sincere condolence in this deep affliction, and that a copy of this Resolution be placed in the minutes of the Lodge, and a copy spread across the pages of The Masonic Home Journal.

E. ALLEN TUCKER, MASTER
BRANDON J. LARSON, SECR.

MILTON EUGENE RYAN
John W. Hall Lodge No. 950
Martin, Kentucky
In memory of Brother Milton Eugene Ryan who died December 26, 2011.

Once again a Brother Mason having completed the designs written for him on life's trestle board has passed through the portals of eternity and entered the Grand Lodge of the New Jerusalem and hath received as his reward the white stone with the new name written thereon; and
WHEREAS, the all-wise and merciful Master of the Universe has called from labor to refreshment our beloved and respected Brother; and
WHEREAS, he having been a true and faithful Brother of our Order; therefore be it
RESOLVED, that John W. Hall Lodge No. 950, in testimony of her loss, be draped in mourning for thirty days and that we tender to the family of our deceased Brother our sincere condolence in their deep affliction, and that a copy of these Resolutions be sent to the family.

BOB FRANKLIN, MASTER
TURKEY SHOOT
Sponsored by Pewee Valley Lodge No. 829
Proceeds benefit Pewee Valley Scholarship Fund
When: Wednesday, April 18th
Where: Open Range
6401 Cross Keys Blvd.,
Crestwood, KY 40014
Time: Safety briefing 5:30 pm
Shooting starts at 6 pm

CLASSES OF SHOOTERS:
Pistol • Centerfire Pistol • Rimfire Pistol
Rifle (Note: Rifle caliber cannot exceed 308 Winchester)
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Valley Lodge Hall, 9619 Dixie Highway
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