Yocum Lodge No. 897 in Evarts, Kentucky recently held an appreciation dinner for the Harlan Honor Guard which is a group of Veterans that put on the Last Rites for our Veterans. They formed in 2005 and have performed the Last Rites on 600 fallen heroes across county lines in Kentucky. They have also been needed in Tennessee and Virginia. Master David Gross is proud to present the Honor Guard a plaque and a check for $100.00, as a thank you from the Lodge.

On February 28, 2015, the Brethren of Zoneton Lodge No. 964, F.&A.M. accepted the invitation of Unity Lodge No. 12, F.&A.M. (M.W. Prince Hall) to join in their Annual Bowling Tournament held at Dixie Bowl in Louisville, Kentucky. The proceeds from the evening go to benefit M.W. Prince Hall philanthropies. Although the Brothers from Zoneton were a "little" behind on the scoreboard, a great time was had by all. It's always a pleasure to meet new Masons and enjoy the countless things that we share in common, rather than a few insignificant differences.

The Brothers of Chandlersville Lodge No. 858 were “freezing for a reason” and took a nippy dip in Paintsville Lake during the Penguin Plunge to benefit the Johnson County Special Olympics. Pictured are Brothers Jeffrey Daniel, Chris Ratliff, Master Jerrod Castle, Jason Vanhoose, Brandon Vanhoose, and Michael Vanhoose warming up after the plunge.
WILSON K. WILDER
Grand Master

The old saying is “April showers bring May flowers”. We ought to have plenty of flowers to beautify the Commonwealth this year with all the rain we received last month. Many people across the Commonwealth had significant damage to their property caused by high water and flooding. However, as of this writing, the Grand Lodge has not had any requests for assistance. We need to keep all that were affected by the high water in our prayers.

With the Kentucky traditional Run for the Roses behind us and the horses moving on to the next leg of the Triple Crown, we should turn our attention to Memorial Day. We set aside this one day a year to honor those that have paid the ultimate price so we can live free. I feel we cannot do enough to show our appreciation for the sacrifices made and to remember these fallen heroes. As you know, we have been selling Veterans’ Pins for the last several years to raise funds to show how Masons appreciate what our fighting men and women are doing for us. Last year Most Worshipful Grand Master Rick Nation’s pin had “All Gave Some” engraved on the tombstone of the pin. This year my pin has “Some Gave All” engraved in the same place on the pin and this was my way of showing how much it means to me to live in this great country as a free man and more especially as a Freemason. So Brothers, proudly wear these pins, Veteran or not, to let everyone know how Kentucky Masons honor those who provide us with freedom we so much enjoy.

Part Four of the Series: The Master Mason Degree

With the Fellowcraft proving his proficiency, he is now ready for the third and final degree of Blue Lodge Masonry, the Master Mason degree. This degree pulls everything together from the previous degrees and starts a man on his journey of becoming a better man and Master Mason. As with the other degrees there are three sections of this degree and all three need to be conferred so the Brother can fully understand and be enlightened to the seriousness of what it means to be a Mason. On occasion, we shorten the candidate by doing “short form” versions of some of the sections of this degree and he truly misses many of the important lessons taught in this degree. If your Lodge is forced to short form the Master Mason degree please take the newly raised Brother as soon as you can while things are fresh in his mind, to a Lodge or Raising so he can see what he missed. It will have a positive impact on him and hopefully he will be inspired to be a better Mason by what he missed.

As with the first two degrees, the third degree is a serious matter and should be treated as such, especially the Second Section. Section 142 of the Constitution states: “The second Section of the Third Degree constitutes a most solemn and impressive portion of our ritualistic work. In it we are taught the ultimate lesson of Masonic philosophy-victory over death and the immortality of the soul. Nothing must be allowed to impair the deep impression which should be made upon the mind of the candidate. The Grand Lodge forbids any unnecessary levity, roughness, horseplay, talking, audible laughter, or any other noise that could distract the attention of the candidate. Failure to comply with this provision, or any action by any officer or member in violation or inconsistent with this provision shall constitute ground for Masonic discipline. Any part of the third degree may be conferred on more than one candidate at the same time, except the Second Section of that degree, which can be conferred on but one at a time.”

Brothers, please take your degree work seriously. Do the best job you can and make an everlasting impression on our newest member.

Always Let Your Masonic Light Shine!
Master Gordon Looney and Past Master Ronnie Williamson of Thomas C. Cecil Lodge No. 375 of Pikeville, Kentucky presented Vivian Coleman Carter, Director of Kimper Elementary’s Family Resource Center with an abundance of clothes for the needy children at the school.

Reach Out for Kosair Kids® fundraiser for Kosair Charities presented by Willie 94.1 (WLYE-FM) and the Glasgow Shrine Club. This year’s event will take place on August 2, 2015 at the Cave City Convention Center, with FREE ADMISSION!

There will be free kid’s activities: inflatables, face painting, cake walk and more! Handing out door prizes every 15 minutes and other pay to participate activities starting at 9:00 a.m.

Master Gordon Looney and Past Master Ronnie Williamson of Thomas C. Cecil Lodge No. 375 of Pikeville, Kentucky presented Alisa Hurley, Director of Dorton Elementary’s Family Resource Center with an abundance of clothes for the needy children at the school.

Amity Lodge No. 40 had the privilege of having Most Worshipful Grand Master Wilson Wilder (right) along with Past Master Gary Reed (left) cooking at the Good Friday Fish Fry and Fundraiser. It was a big success and a record day for their fundraiser.
Brother Richard Walton of Camp Knox Lodge No. 919 claimed the District No. 9 Traveling Gavel from Acting Master Brother Jerry Jones of Meeting Creek Lodge No. 641 on Saturday, March 14, 2015. “Keep it moving throughout the District,” says Brother Walton.

Murray Lodge No. 105, Officers for 2015 and Installing Officials. Front row, left to right: Stephen Jones, Senior Deacon; James Gish, Junior Warden; Curtis Johnson, Past Grand Master; Thomas Warren, Master; Sammy Myers, Senior Warden; Carroll Dohorr, Installing Marshal; Robert Sanders, Tiler; Jeff Norsorthy, Junior Deacon; Phil Robertson; Randal Scott, Treasurer; Ricky Edwards, Marshall; R. G. Tecoma, Junior Steward; Michael Holt, Senior Steward; and Adam Nance Chaplain.

On November 12, 2014, the Grand Master’s Traveling Gavel passed from Brother Tyler Green, Master of Wheelwright Lodge No. 889, to Brother Justin L. Handshoe, Master of Lexington Lodge No. 1. The Brothers are first cousins and the grandsons of Brother Elmo Green, Past Master of James W. Alley Lodge No. 869.

9th Annual Swigert-Middletown Lodge No. 218
MASONIC CHARITY GOLF SCRAMBLE
Saturday, May 16, 2015 – 9 a.m.
2015 MINI cooPER 4 DOOR
HOLE-IN-ONE GIVEAWAY

Want to see Your Lodge in the Masonic Home Journal?
Email articles & photos by the 10th of each month to:
masonichomejournal@hotmail.com
On February 2, 2015, Brother Bobby Griggs was presented an Honorary Membership from Antonio Gil, Master of Mt. Vernon Lodge No. 14 in Georgetown, Kentucky. Pictured, left to right: Bobby Griggs, Education Committee; Antonio Gil, Master; Todd Jones, Grand Senior Warden; Steven Wright, Committee on By-Laws; and Chuck Smith, Grand Tiler.

Also on the evening of February 2, 2015, Mt. Vernon Lodge Master, Antonio Gil (left) presented Brother E. Darren Wilson (right) with his 25 year service pin.

Somerset Lodge No. 111 recently had the honor of presenting Brother Hack Sullivan his 40 Year Service Pin. Brother Sullivan has been unable to attend Lodge due to illness, so Lodge members presented it at his home. Pictured, left to right: Cody Cundiff, Junior Warden; Anthony McCollum, Senior Warden; Brother Hack Sullivan; and Dave Aver, Chaplain.

LANDMARK NO. 41 & BUFORD NO. 494
Woodford County Masons Charity Golf Scramble

This event is to benefit the Woodford County Backpack Program. This program provides lower income students enrolled in the County School System the opportunity to avoid hunger at home. Students are provided a pack to take home that will help provide food during time away.

Monday, June 1, 2015
Moss Hill Golf Course
(formerly Woodford Hills Country Club)
3495 McCowans Ferry Rd., Versailles, KY 40383

Entry Fee: $60 per golfer each
Hole Sponsorship $100 each
Lunch at Noon • Shotgun Start at 1 p.m.

For more information contact:
Troy Ballard 859-559-3922
Mike J. Ford 859-321-4601 • Bob Howard 859-388-4504
Charles Beagle 859-338-8262 • Chris Stout 630-842-8432
The Grand York Rite Bodies of Kentucky

This July 29th through August 2nd, the York Rite Sovereign College of North America will be having their annual Assembly in Louisville, Kentucky. Approximately 850 Companion Knights and spouses from all 50 states and every Providence of Canada will be here. The Galt House will be the host hotel. This is the first time that Kentucky has been the host for such an event.

A Bourbon Tour, which will visit Heaven Hill Heritage Center and Barton 1792 Distillery is scheduled for Thursday, July 30th, with lunch at Historic Talbott Tavern in Bardstown. On Friday, July 31st we will tour the Derby Museum at Churchill Downs, and then the Louisville Slugger Museum, with a lunch of the famous Green River Style Fish from the Suburban Lodge Social Club. The price for either tour is $60.00 per person, which includes the tour each day, lunch, transportation and all gratuities. Reservations are required. During the assembly, five members of the Colleges of Kentucky will receive the Order of the Purple Cross. Congratulations to Companion Knights: David White, Roger Barnett, Bobby Hayes, Ron Howell, and Don Powell. All Companion Knights are encouraged to attend.

There will be a one day conferral of the Commandery orders on July 18, 2015 in Columbus, Ohio. The Grand Commandery of Kentucky will be conferring the Order of Red Cross. The Grand Commandery of Ohio will be conferring the Order of Malta. The Grand Commandery of Indiana will be conferring the Order of the Temple in full medieval dress.

Several Chapters, Councils and Commanderies will once again join together to hold the

ANNUAL WESTERN KENTUCKY YORK RITE FESTIVAL ON JULY 18, 2015

at 308 Joe Clifton Drive – Paducah, Kentucky

Masters: Schedule a York Rite presentation for your Lodge! Your local York Rite Bodies will be glad help!

FOR MORE INFORMATION
Contact your local York Rite Bodies, visit our website: yorkriteky.org or
Contact the Grand Secretary-Recorder
JAMES H. KING, PGHP
400 North 4th Street, Danville, KY 40422
Phone: 859-209-4120
Email: grandrecorderky@yahoo.com

District 22 Presentations

Zach Brantley (left) of Freedom Lodge No. 643 was the youngest Master Mason attending the District #22 Meeting and was presented an award by Most Worshipful Grand Master of Kentucky, Wilson K. Wilder (right).

The Oldest Veteran in attendance at the District #22 meeting was J. C. Vanarsdale of Columbia Lodge No. 96 (left). He was presented an award by Most Worshipful Grand Master of Kentucky, Wilson K. Wilder (right).

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.
Smith Lodge 775 – Donates Easter Baskets to Hope’s Place

Brothers from Smith Lodge No. 775 donated Easter Baskets to Hope’s Place this Easter. Hope’s Place is a Child Advocacy Center for child victims of sexual abuse. The baskets are donated by local businesses and organizations and sold at the annual chocolate extravaganza to raise money for the center.

Smithland Lodge 138 – 2015 Officers

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EMULATION LODGE NO. 688

FISH FRY SUPPER & AUCTION

Saturday
May 9, 2015 – 5:30 p.m.

ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT Fish Fry Supper

ADULTS $7.00

CHILDREN $3.00 12 AND UNDER

AUCTION AFTERWARD

Located 3 miles south of Martha Layne Collins Bluegrass Parkway, Exit #48 on Highway 53

MASONIC REGALIA DEDICATION

Highland Lodge No. 311 is Having a Dedication of Past Grand Master James Elam’s Masonic Regalia to be Placed in a Display Case at Highland Lodge

MAY 23, 2015 at 2:00 p.m.
INDEX COMMUNITY CHURCH
1749 West Main Street, West Liberty, Kentucky at the Intersection of 460 and 191
Good evening, Worshipful Master. Calling him that does not imply that I worship him. I do like him but do not worship him. In a Masonic Lodge the leader is not a President, but as in the days of operative Masonry, he is a Master of his Craft. Worshipful is just a title of respect. So my addressing him as Worshipful Master is merely just that—a title of respect, which by the way, I do have for him.

Good evening ladies, Brothers and our esteemed guests. Our esteemed guests are not Masons but are thought very highly of by the men who have asked you to be here. It is to you that my remarks will be addressed. When I was asked to speak for this annual George Washington dinner I wondered what I might be able to share with you. Realizing that Washington was such a well known and public figure, I knew there was not much that I could tell you that you did not already know. But what stood out to me in my search was that he became the same man in public and private, and that is why we admire him. I do like him but do not worship him. In my remarks will be addressed.

As I read this I could not help but relate it to our Fraternity.

It speaks of the earth, which from it we shall return. It speaks of the past and of standing the test of time, and our Fraternity certainly has done so. It speaks of the present, and we are still here to enjoy a membership worldwide. It does not speak of the future. But I expect that if we live an upright life, and if we attract men like you Non-Masons into our Fraternity, we will have a full and bright future.

It speaks of excellence which our Craft is. It speaks of performance, and as Masons, our word is our bond. The strength of our Fraternity has been tested in every age, from the earliest of times by vile rulers who believed that the way to control a country is to persecute the free thinkers. One of the first things that Hitler did was to attempt to destroy our Fraternity. But what he did do was to force it underground. His favorite flower was the forget-me-not. So our Brethren started wearing a forget-me-not. When it was noticed, a Mason would examine each other in a way that only a Mason can do. This was how we survived and lived through the regime.

It speaks of quality. I would like to say that we are such, but men are not always so. But in our Craft each is asked: “What came ye here to do?” the answer being “To learn to subdue my passions.” When we do that we are quality men. The substance of Masonry is nothing less than a way of life.

It speaks of design. Our design is to make its members wiser, better and consequently happier. We take an obligation in the name of God not to cheat, wrong or defraud each other, and that we will help, aid and assist each other as well as our widows and orphans.

We are charged to revere God and to consider His book as the source of truth and justice, to treat our neighbor as we want to be treated, and to have a well regulated course of discipline. As a citizen we are to obey the laws under whose protection we live and to be loyal to such. As individuals we are to practice domestic and public virtues. We are to let temperance, fortitude, support and prudence direct us, being especially careful to maintain in their fullest integrity the truly Masonic ornaments of Brotherly love, relief, and truth. We are to be careful never to recommend anyone to a participation in our privileges unless we have a strong reason to believe that by a similar fidelity that the person would bring honor on this ancient institution. Once again you Non-Masons can see that the men who invited you here think thus of you.

These lessons and instructions are perhaps why Washington was the type of man that he was, giving us hope that with self-discipline we could all be. When he and other Brethren spoke of Masonry being an extension of themselves in their homes and buildings, we as Masons do the same by being present for generations and by remaining—level, plumb and square.

Thank you Worshipful Master for asking me to speak on behalf of a great man and a meaningful way of life.

*A Great Man and a Meaningful Way of Life

*address given by W.B. George Kuhr at its annual George Washington dinner in Bowling Green Lodge #73
Submit your design for the new Masonic license plate

By BRUCE LOTT

Get out your pen, pencil, paintbrush or computer. The Kentucky Masonic license plate is being redesigned! It’s time for a new look, and Grand Lodge and Masonic Homes of Kentucky want your help.

The best three entries will be decided by Homes staff and Grand Lodge officers, and then submitted to the state’s Specialty License Plate Committee. Upon approval, the Craft will be able to vote for their favorite until noon Monday at the Grand Lodge Communication. The winning Kentucky Mason will be announced at the Homes’ 1 p.m. report to the Craft and will receive a $500 award.

Suggestions for the design will be accepted until May 15. You may email it to giving@mhlky.com, or mail to Bruce Lott, 3761 Johnson Hall Drive, Masonic Home, KY, 40041.

Nominations sought for Board of Directors

The Annual Meeting of Masonic Homes of Kentucky, Inc. will be held on Monday, October 19, 2015. Five Directors will be elected to serve for a three-year term.

To be eligible for election to the office of Director, you must be a Kentucky Master Mason. Directors are expected to attend bi-monthly Board meetings every third Wednesday, serve on assigned committees, and perform other duties as assigned by the Chairman of the Board or Executive Committee. Directors serve without remuneration and must own a $250 Life Membership to Masonic Homes of Kentucky, Inc. (Members are also encouraged to make a contribution to the Homes’ Masonicare program each year of their service.)

To be considered for nomination to the Board of Directors, candidates must submit a current resume including: name, address, current occupation, phone number, education and work experience, previous experience on boards, organizational offices held, references, and Masonic affiliation and history. The resume may be submitted on regular stationery, mailed with a recent photograph, and postmarked no later than July 10, 2015.

Mail to:
John Sammons, Chair, Nominations Committee
3761 Johnson Hall Drive
Masonic Home, KY 40041
The Appalachian Past Masters Society to Meet

Announcement to All Lodges of Free and Accepted Masons

The Appalachian Past Masters Will Confer The
"Order of Solomon"

Saturday – May 30th
Pinnacle Lodge No. 661
Located at 220 N. 20th Street – Middlesboro, Kentucky

All Past Masters and newly elected Masters for 2015
are eligible for membership and to receive this honored Degree.

The initiation fee is $25.00, ONE TIME ONLY and NO annual dues.
Registration 10:00 a.m. and meeting (Degree and ANY and ALL business)
to follow immediately after.

A meal will be served after the meeting, cost $5.00 per member.
There will be drawings held for door prizes.

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Consider Scottish Rite Freemasonry

Louisville Scottish Rite
200 East Gray St • Louisville KY 40202
(502) 584-6185 and (502) 584-6682 FAX (502) 581-9922
Email: davidcarterpgm@bellsouth.net
David E. Carter 33° PGM (850) - Personal Rep/Registrar
Meets 2nd & 4th Thursday Each Month - Except August
Refreshments 6:30 p.m. Meeting 7:30 p.m.

Covington Scottish Rite Bodies
1553 Madison Ave • Covington KY 41011
(859) 431-0021 and (Toll Free) 1-800-286-5053
FAX (859) 431-0751; Email: covsr@fuse.net
Jeffrey Bryant 33° (953) - Personal Representative
Keith Dreier, 33° PGM (607) - Secretary/Registrar
Meets 3rd Friday Each Month -
Except January, February, July and August

West Kentucky Scottish Rite
668 Park Ave; PO Box 555 • Madisonville KY 42431
(270) 822-5260 or Fax (270) 821-6212
Email: cjrogers@bellsouth.net
Ill. James F. Molt, 33°, (9) - Personal Representative III.
Dirk R. Molt, 33°, (958) - Secretary/Registrar
Meets 3rd Thursday Each Month
Except January and February

Lexington Scottish Rite
553 Rosemont Garden; PO Box 8087 • Lexington KY 40533
(859) 277-7856
III. Chris Stout, 33°, (41) - Personal Representative
James L. Bulter, 33°, (160) - Secretary/Registrar
Meets 3rd Thursday Each Month except January and February
Dinner 6:30 p.m. Meeting 7:30 p.m.
RESOLUTION OF RESPECT

TERRILL RICHARD BAND
New Salem Lodge No. 462
Franklin, Kentucky

In memory of Brother Terrill Richard Band who died April 5, 2015.

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 the Charter of Bueche Lodge No. 896 R&AM, of Louisville, Kentucky be draped in mourning for thirty days in testimony of our loss, and we tender to the family of our deceased Brother our sincere condolence in their deep affliction, and a copy of this Resolution be sent to the family, a copy spread upon the minutes of this Lodge in his memory, and a copy sent to The Masonic Home Journal for publication.

ALEX CARTER, MASTER; NOEL CISSELL, SEC.

JOHN C. MEADOR
New Salem Lodge No. 462
Franklin, Kentucky

In memory of Brother John C. Meador who died March 17, 2015.

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 New Salem Lodge No. 462 R&AM, Franklin, Kentucky 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.

TRENT RANSBURG, LARRY CHANEY
CARL MOODY

GARLAND S. COCHRANE
Bueche Lodge No. 596
Louisville, Kentucky

In memory of Garland S. Cochran, who passed from this life on March 17, 2015.

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; and

WHEREAS, in his passing, the family has lost a beloved member and the Grand Lodge an upright man and Mason; therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the Charter of Bueche Lodge No. 896 R&AM, of Louisville, Kentucky be draped in mourning for thirty days in testimony of our loss, and we tender to the family of our deceased Brother our sincere condolence in their deep affliction, and a copy of this Resolution be sent to the family, a copy spread upon the minutes of this Lodge in his memory, and a copy sent to The Masonic Home Journal for publication.

ALEX CARTER, MASTER; NOEL CISSELL, SEC.

CARROLL V. SANDS
Leitchfield Lodge No. 236
Leitchfield, Kentucky

In memory of Brother Carroll V. Sands who died October 14, 2014.

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 Leitchfield Lodge No. 236 R&AM in testimony of our loss, and we tender to the family 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.

COMMITTEE

MARVIN WAGES
Greenville Lodge No. 653
Caney, Kentucky

In memory of Brother Marvin Wages who died March 21, 2015.

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; and

BY-LAWS

BENHAM LODGE NO. 880
At the next regular stated meeting in the month following publication of this notice in The Masonic Home Journal, Benham Lodge No. 880 will vote on a dues increases and changes to its By-Laws concerning stated meeting times. All members are urged to attend.

BUFFORD LODGE NO. 494
At the next regular stated meeting in the month following publication of this notice in The Masonic Home Journal, Bufford Lodge No. 494 will vote on changes to its By-Laws. All members are encouraged to attend.

FAIRDALE LODGE NO. 942
At the next regular stated meeting in the month following publication of this notice in The Masonic Home Journal, Fairdale Lodge No. 942 will be voting on changes of its By-Laws. All members are encouraged to attend.

GAVEL LODGE NO. 570
At the next regular stated meeting in the month following publication of this notice in The Masonic Home Journal, Gavel Lodge No. 570 will be voting on several amendments of its By-Laws. All Brothers are encouraged to attend.

FRED M. GROSS LODGE NO. 953
At the next regular stated meeting in the month following publication of this notice in The Masonic Home Journal, Fred M. Gross Lodge No. 953 will be voting on changes to its By-Laws. All members are urged to attend.

SALT RIVER LODGE NO. 180
Salt River Lodge No. 180 will be voting on By-Law changes on May 14, 2015. All members are encouraged to attend.

YOCUM LODGE NO. 897
At the next regular stated meeting in the month following publication of this notice in The Masonic Home Journal, Yocum Lodge No. 897 will vote on changes to its By-Laws. All members are encouraged to attend this meeting on June 11, 2015 at 7:30 p.m.

WHEREAS, he having been a true and faithful Brother of our Order; therefore be it

RESOLVED, that Greenville Lodge No. 653 R&AM, Caney, Kentucky 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.

COMMITTEE

BILLY RANDALL WEBB
C. D. Ward Lodge No. 961
East Bernstadt, Kentucky

In memory of Brother Billy Randall Webb 33° who died Feb. 18th, 2015.

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 C.D. Ward Lodge No. 961 R&AM, East Bernstadt, Kentucky in testimony of its 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.

JAMIE SIZEMORE, MASTER
GARY NEAL FLEMING, SEC.
ALL YOU CAN EAT BREAKFAST

$6.00 DONATION

3rd and 5th Saturday of each month

7 am - 10 am

JEFFERSONTOWN LODGE NO. 774
10411 Watterson Trail • Jeffersonville, Kentucky

All You Can Eat Breakfast

$6.00

1ST SATURDAY EACH MONTH

8:00 - 11:00 AM

Country Ham • Bacon • Eggs • Sausage
Pancakes • Biscuits • Gravy
Dried Potatoes • Milk • Juice • Coffee

VALLEY CHAPTER O.E.S. #65
VALLEY LODGE HALL
9619 Dixie Hwy. • LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY

ALL YOU CAN EAT BREAKFAST

1st Saturday Each Month

8 am - 11 am

$5.00 DONATION

HUGH HARRIS LODGE NO. 938
2209 S. Main • Corbin, Kentucky

MAY ITINERARY

8 Laurel #6 – Deputy Grand Royal Matron Official Visit
9 Friendship Court #22 – Stated Meeting
16 Queen Victoria Court #20 – Stated Meeting
21-23 Grand Court of Ohio
22 Minnie Selby Court #3 – Grand Lecturer Official Visit
26 Kentucky Court #3 – Grand Lecturer Official Visit

KENTUCKY ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR

ROSE DAVIS
Worthy Grand Matron

ROBBIE BINION
Worthy Grand Patron

MAY ITINERARY

1 Rising Star 115 (I)
2 AP Gooding 172 (I)
3 – 6 Tennessee Grand Chapter
7 Electa 3 (CV)
8 Star of St. Mary 504 (I)
9 District 14 School of Instruction
10 Olive Hill 290 (CV)
12 Morehead 227 (CV)
13 Paulina 360 (CV)
14 Greenhill 567 (CV)
15 Elkfork 561 (CV)
16 Grand Officer Party (Vicky & Ray)
16 Pantomime Show
18 Westwood 569 (CV)
19 Radiance 427 (CV)
21 Grayson 10 (I)
23 OES Bowling for SO KY
28 Ft. Knox 439 (CV)
30 District 10 School of Instruction
30 Grand Officer Party (Glen Ray & Ernie)
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Hazard Lodge No. 476 – Meets 2nd and 4th Thurs. at 7:30 P.M. 1st floor, St. Elizabeth Building, 412 South Second Ave., Owensboro.

Carmel Lodge No. 694 – Meets 2nd and 4th Tues., 7:00 P.M. 4th Floor, St. Elizabeth Building, 412 South Second Ave., Owensboro.

Cedar Crest Lodge No. 475 – Meets 2nd and 3rd Mon., 7:30 P.M. 1553 Madison Ave., Covington.

Hazard Lodge No. 476 – Meets 2nd and 4th Thurs. at 7:30 P.M. 1st floor, St. Elizabeth Building, 412 South Second Ave., Owensboro.

Logan Lodge No. 507 – Meets 2nd and 4th Tues., 7:00 P.M. Mill & Mitilda St., Butler. Alvin P. Callahan, M.; Cletus L. Johnson, Sec., 1481 Chase St., 859-765-0154.

Kilgore Lodge No. 4 – Meets 2nd Sat., at 7:00 p.m., 4 miles W. of US 60 from I-64 exit 25, 4 miles E. of Livermore. Joshua C. Northcutt, M.; Harlan R. Compton, Sec., P.O. Box 142, Lawrenceburg, 859-638-2239.

Hayfork Lodge No. 328 – Meets 2nd Sat. at 7:30 p.m., Rte. 974 E. Trapp Goffs Corner. Steve W. Keating, M.; Annette M. Lane, Sec., 2484 Broadway Rd., Brandenburg, 502-775-1172.

Mount Vernon Lodge No. 175 – Meets 3rd. Tues. 7 p.m. 37 N. Ft. Thomas Ave. across from the bank.

ThreeFOX Lodge No. 369 – Meets at 7300 Fegenbush Ln., 2nd & 4th Tues. 7:30 P.M. Robert F. Brown, M.; Charles R. Allen, Sec., 1484 Pine Creek Trl., Shepherdsville.

Crawfordton Lodge No. 958 – Meets 4th Tues., 7:30 p.m. 523 Park Ave., Newport. NE

Lisa, M.; Robert F. Brown, Sec., 1484 Pine Creek Trl., Shepherdsville.

Fern Creek Lodge No. 955 – Meets 4th Sat., 7:00 p.m. Mill & Mitilda St. Butler. Alvin P. Callahan, M.; Cletus L. Johnson, Sec., 1481 Chase St., 859-765-0154.

Whitesburg Lodge No. 754 – Meets 4th Sat. at 7:30 p.m., Rte. 974 E. Trapp Goffs Corner. Steve W. Keating, M.; Annette M. Lane, Sec., 2484 Broadway Rd., Brandenburg, 502-775-1172.

Cave City Lodge No. 790 – Meets 2nd and 4th Thurs. at 7:30 P.M. 1 1/2 miles from light in Broadway, across from Wig Wam Motel. Daniel T. Haskie, M.; Charles R. Martin, Sec., 508 W. Main St., Cave City, 270-359-3256.

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Carlisle Lodge No. 51 – Meets 2nd Sat. at 7:30 p.m., 40 W. Main St., 40220. D. Keith Parker, M.; Paul W. Rice, Sec., Box 62, Carlisle, 502-645-2063.

Acme Lodge No. 851 – Meets every 2nd & 4th Sat. at 7:00 p.m., 209 King Hwy. Haley, W.L., Bob McMillin, M.; Enea McFerret, Sec., PO Box 480, Leitchfield, 270-898-8585.

Suburban Lodge No. 740 – Meets 3rd. Tues. 7 p.m. 37 N. Ft. Thomas Ave. across from the bank.

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In March, Fortitude Lodge No. 47 raised two Brothers to the Degree of an Entered Apprentice. Erik Reese and Harry Whitener joined the Fortitude lineup. Brother Phillip Bland was raised the same night on behalf of Simpson Lodge No. 189 of New Castle.

Fortitude Lodge held a First Responders dinner for all the Police, Fire and EMS for the County. A great time was had by all.

April rings in with an additional two Brothers raised to the Degree of a Entered Apprentice. Mike Gathof and John Merrell joined the ranks of Fortitude Lodge No. 47.

Fortitude Lodge No. 47 presented a check for $500.00 to the Oldham County History Museum for their capital restoration program. The History Center has been a big supporter of Free Masonry by hosting Masonic Displays in the Center.