



Trestle Board Stony Creek Lodge #5 F.&A.M.

The Master's Message

Hello Brothers,

We are into autumn and this year is passing quickly. The "Election of a Member of the General Purposes" from the 54th district was changed to this month due to proper notice of the lodges involved. It will be held on the 21st of October at 7:00 P.M. Stony Creek is the host and it is VERY IMPORTANT that we have many brother Master Masons and Past Masters in attendance I urge each of you to be present.

The Michigan Child Identification with Corinthian Lodge #241 at the Arts & Apples festival went very well. There were 218 participants taking part. \$115 was donated to be given to Grand Lodge for this program. I thank each of the brothers, wives, friends and family who volunteered to make this a success.

Our Rummage Sale Fund Raiser at the lodge on October 9, 10 & 11th from 10 A.M. until early evening. We do need donations of items and your time pledged to this event in order for it to be successful. These sales can raise much-needed money for our lodge but we need YOU to make it happen! You may contact the fund raising committee or the WM with any questions. We are requesting the items be in good condition and fit to be sold. With each brother working together, this could be repeated each year to help offset the lodge expenses.

Next month will be election of officers and I once again urge each brother to be responsible. Be all you can be and set the example of a Mason and help the oldest continuously active Lodge in Michigan to continue on. Serve as a supporter of the craft and represent our ideals.

We recently received two more petitions and a request for a transfer. We still

have a couple more petitions to come. So this year and last year have been two good years for new members. Help our brothers continue to grow with new members.

Brother Floyd Cobb is doing much better at the Masonic Home and thanks to those brothers who visit with him. Brother Erik Schuett checks on Floyd almost every week when he is in Alma. Bless him for being a concerned Mason for his brother's welfare.

The Historical Committee will be busy in the near future with the project at Mount Moriah. We still need donations. I thank each of you who have donated to this already. We may not get this accomplished until next spring. However I have hope and faith it will take place and will not be sidelined as in the past.

I would like to have a wild game dinner next month. So if you brothers hunt or fish, please donate something towards the dinner. Please contact the WM. October 27 at 7:30 P.M. will be a Cake & Cookie Bake-off Contest. Items must be baked from scratch by a brother himself and will be judged. Bring wives, friends, family and visitors for beverages and desserts. Please contact the WM for entry form and your RSVP is needed!

"Teach me to do your will for you are my God. Let your good spirit lead me on a level path" Psalm 143:10

Fraternally yours, Jay Rader WM

Upcoming Events Being Planned

1. Visit to Lodge #2 in Detroit & tour of Temple
2. Wild Game Dinner
3. Old Timers & Tenure Get-together at Installation
4. Historical Marker Ceremony upon completion of donations.
5. Installation of Officers for the year 2010 on Dec. 5th 2009 at 11:00 A.M.

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October 2009 - Calendar of Events

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|---|---|--|--|----------|---|---|
| 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| | | | | | SEMMA Meeting @ 7:30 P.M. | |
| 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| | 6:30 P.M. Corinthian Lodge #241 Regular | 7:30 P.M. Stony Creek Lodge #5 Regular | | | 10:00 A.M. - Evening "Rummage Sale" at Stony Creek Lodge #5 | 10:00 A.M. - Evening "Rummage Sale" at Stony Creek Lodge #5 |
| 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 |
| 10:00 A.M. - Evening "Rummage Sale" at Stony Creek Lodge #5 | | 7:30 P.M. Stony Creek Lodge #5 Officers and Committee Meeting | 7:00 P.M. Rochester Masonic Temple Board Meeting | | | |
| 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 |
| | | 7:30 P.M. Stony Creek Lodge #5 E.A. Degree | 7:00 P.M. Election of BGP for District #54 @ Stony Creek Lodge #5 | | | |
| 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |
| | | 7:30 P.M. Cake & Cookie Bake -off @ Stony Creek Lodge #5 | | | | |