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



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Dear Brothers,

Happy New Year! Another year has passed and a new one has begun. I hope that 2016 is good for everyone.

Unfortunately, there is some sad news to deliver from the beginning of this year. It is with a heavy heart that I inform all of you of the passing of two brothers. Worshipful Brother Ramon "Ray" Owen laid down the Working Tools of Life on Christmas Eve at 6:30am; he was 87 years old. Worshipful Brother Eugene Heath laid down the Working Tools of Life on January 1<sup>st</sup>; he was 82 years old. A Masonic Service was provided for both brothers' families with very good attendance on our part.

Unfortunately, I was unable to honor either one of the two brothers (I missed both memorial services), because I had to attend my father-in-law's funeral in Battle Creek, MI. My father-in-law, Allen Harmon, passed away at age 53 after a two year battle with brain cancer.

Worshipful Brother Heath was serving as the Tyler of Stony Creek Lodge and will be missed. He was actually responsible for starting the newly formed Funeral Committee at our Lodge. The Funeral Committee will be organizing Masonic funeral service for fallen brothers. However, let's hope that we don't have to put this committee to work too much this year.

### New Officer Assignment

Going forward, Brother Erik Schuett will be installed as a Tyler of our Lodge in February to fill the vacant station.

### EA Degree

Our Lodge is having an Entered Apprentice Degree on January 26<sup>th</sup>. If you are in town and your schedule allows, please join us at lodge at 7:00 P.M. to support our new candidate. Dinner will be served promptly at 6.30 P.M.

There will also be a second EA Degree on February 16<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 P.M. It nice to have the degree work with new candidates..

### FC Degree Practice

With two Entered Apprentices in process, we will soon need to provide them with more light as they are passed to the Fellow Craft Degree. In preparation, there will be a FC Degree practice on February 23<sup>rd</sup> at 7:00 P.M.

### Child ID Event

Please mark on your calendar the Rochester Police Department Open House on June 4<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M. Our Lodge will participate by conducting a MI Child ID Program during the event. The location is 400 6<sup>th</sup> St, Rochester, MI 48307. We will need volunteers for this event (electronic sign up coming soon). Please mark your calendars early and plan on being there.

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**Calendar of Events - February 2016**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
January 31	February 1	2	3	4	5	6
	Corinthian Lodge #241 Regular 6:30 P.M. Eureka North Warren 594 Regular 7:00 P.M.	Regular Stony Creek Lodge #5, 7:30 P.M. Orion #46 Regular 7:00 P.M. Troy-Highland 486 Regular 7:30 P.M.	Composite 499 Regular 7:00 P.M. Mount Clemens 6 Regular 7:30 P.M.	Roosevelt 510 & Trelum 552 Regular At 7:30 P.M. Jefferson 553 & Roseville 522 Regular	Pontiac 21 Regular 7:30 P.M.	
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
			Rochester Masonic Temple Board 7:00 P.M.			
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
		EA Degree Stony Creek Lodge 7:00 P.M.				
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
		Practice FC Degree Stony Creek 7:00 P.M.				
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