



THE TRESTLE BOARD

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NATURE RAISING

Outdoor Master Mason Degree



On Saturday June 30, 2007 the members of Medina Lodge #58 with other visiting lodge members gathered at the home of WB Roger Thomas to raise Brother Tom Gabriel. Brothers Chris Nastos and Rick Weise joined him to receive the Lecture after having received their degree and charge a week earlier. Everyone had a fantastic time sharing in the fellowship of the degree and the refreshments that followed.

The success of this day began weeks earlier when the idea first arose. There were a host of things that needed to be done, and to avoid missing anyone who helped let's just say that this was a real team effort. Everyone pitched in to make this a very memorable day, not only for the candidate, but for every brother who attended.

Now, As Paul Harvey would say "and now the rest of the story." You may recall from the last trestle board that our WM Robert Fenn and his wife were away celebrating their 40th Wedding Anniversary in Alaska. While he expected to return before this special day he did not expect to receive the news that a friend was ailing, but following the precepts he has lived his whole life he put the degree in the hands of his officers and remained by his friend's bedside. I'm sure it was comforting for our Master to have others to lean on, and the successful outcome of the Outdoor Degree is testimony of his leadership.

Fraternally,
Douglas Shuler, JW



THE LODGE ROOM

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From The West

“Join the Team”

We have had a very active spring in terms of degree work and with a considerable number of new petitions we’ll continue to be busy in the early fall. It is indeed heartwarming to see the contributions in both time and resources of the Brethren to these activities relating to each of the three degrees and we thank you for your efforts.

In an effort to avoid the continual ongoing scramble for Brethren to fill positions in the Fellow Craft team we are organizing a formal Team for the purpose of satisfying our Lodge requirements as well as offering the Team to other Lodges to perform the MM degree ritual in their lodges. If you are interested in becoming a member of the team please contact me. It is important that you are able to commit to your part on the team and we will attempt to align your choice with our need.

Hoping you have a wonderful summer, and if I fail to see you all at the Donut Hut will look forward to visiting in September.

Fraternally,
Hal Leach, SW

From The South

“Out of the darkness and into the light”

As our lodge goes to refreshment for July and August let’s try not to extinguish the light of Masonry. Put your wages to good use over the summer and show your family, friends, and community what it means to be a Mason. Keep in touch with your Brothers and keep the excitement growing.

Fraternally,
Douglas Shuler, JW



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YOUTH GROUPS

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In memory of Edgar Funston, PM, Winfield Lodge #110

Helmut Simonis

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"DeMolay"

Keith Rutti

To my Daughter

Matt Gee

To my Brother John

Ken Crouse

From Brother Doug

Jeff Schorr

To my wife

William Hurlburt

In Memory of Harry E. Hurlburt
Corlear Masonic Lodge
Schenectady, NY

Robert D. Fenn

In Memory of Sidney M. Fenn, PM
Medina #58

Harold Leach

Brian Ulrey

Medina Rainbow

Medina Rainbow installed new officers on July 2, 2007 and we are still looking for new members to help our Assembly grow.

Grand Assembly is a week away and the girls are busy getting things ready for the trip.

Two of our members Miss Melody Brown and Miss Alisha Boikin were chosen to receive \$500.00 Scholarships from Medina Lodge. We wish them all the best in their continuing education.

Medina DeMolay

Medina DeMolay is busy preparing for their Inspection on July 17, 2007 at 7:30 p.m. This inspection will be in the Initiatory Degree.

The members also had a fantastic time at the District Awards Night. They received many trophies for the bowling season including the Team Championship. Also, following in the footsteps of Medina Lodge the boys won the district traveling gavel.



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Individual members were also honored. Alex Marshall received the chevalier and Adam Marshall received the PMC/MSA (Past Master Councilor/Meritorious service Award).

After the awards were handed out the district officers were installed. Sean Shuler was installed as District Chairman and Adam Marshall was installed as District Secretary.

Douglas Shuler
Chapter Advisor



OUR HOME

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Dennis Lawson

Bob Mack

In Memory of
James J. Mack
Newburg Lodge

John Gee

Ted Thomas

Did You Know?

“Oscar of the Waldorf”, internationally famous chef was born in Switzerland Oscar Tschirky and was a member of Metropolitan Lodge #273, New York City.

DONUT HUT

Brethren:

The dates of the Medina County Fair are July 29 through August 5, 2007. The Donut Hut will open at 7 a.m. the first day and every day thereafter, and close when the gates close at 11 p.m. Brothers (and their spouses and family members) are needed to work at all hours.

Many thanks, to all who signed up to work specific shifts at the Donut Hut. Thanks also to those who told me, “I’ll be available any time” and “I’ll just show up and work when I can.” All workers and helpers will be gratefully welcomed to staff the concession.

Concession workers do have to pay admission at the gate. Those who are eligible for the “senior discount” on admission tickets should make use

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of that discount. For those who aren’t, we have some discount tickets available. Just call me in advance to obtain one.

Fraternally,
Eric Funston, JD

TEMPLE COMPANY

The Temple Company will continue to meet on the Second Wednesday of each month in the Lodge from 9 to 11am. We invite all brethren to attend as well as members of other bodies who meet in the Lodge.

We have committed to a Summer Work Day, the date to be announced, for the purpose of cleaning up the landscape around the lodge. When the date is set those who signed up will be contacted and informed of the scope of the activities, as well as any equipment needed to accomplish the tasks.

The willingness of our brethren to participate in these important activities and our appreciation of it cannot be overstated.

We wish you and your family a save and enjoyable summer.

Fraternally,
Hal Leach, President



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OUR HOME (continued)

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Medina Chapter O.E.S. #266

Dear Sisters and Brothers it has been a busy time for Medina Chapter. We held our Past Matrons and Past Patrons dinner on June 26th and honored: two 50 year members; Sister Lillyan Allison, Sister Iona Shaw; 25 year member Sister Donna Stiller.

After a short meeting a reception honoring Sister Celia Lawson, Grand Representative of Ontario in Ohio was held. Sister Eula Brooks introduced our Sister Celia who was escorted through a lighted arbor to the East, by her husband Brother Denny. The decorations for the evening were rainbows, daisies, and pots of gold. After introductions and comments by Sister Celia everyone was entertained with ballet provided by Sister Celia and Brother Denny's granddaughters; Amber and Courtney and their friend Lisa. Following the reception was a dessert bar in the dining hall provided by all the officers of Medina Chapter.

Please keep Sister Elaine Mack in your prayers along with Sister Gerry Wiles who has had a heart attack and received two stints just this past week and Sister Marlise Leggett has lost her husband.

Medina Chapter will be hosting the District Association of Line Officers on July 7th. The Chapter is also selling hot dogs at Buehler's, on Friday, July 27. If you can help, please call myself or Sister Elaine Mack. We will also be working with the Masonic Lodge at the County Fair in the Doughnut Hut. Please come out and support this worthwhile effort.

June Calderhead, Worthy Matron





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CALENDAR

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JULY 2007						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2 Medina Rainbow Stated Meeting 7:00 p.m.	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10 DeMolay Stated Meeting 7:30 p.m.	11 Temple Co. Stated Meeting 9:00 a.m.	12 13 Rainbow Grand Assembly weekend		14
15	16 Medina Rainbow Stated Meeting 7:00 p.m.	17 DeMolay Stated Meeting 7:30 p.m.	18	19	20	21 Lodge Family Breakfast 8:30/10:30 a.m.
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29 DONUT HUT WEEK BEGINS	30	31				