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A Word from the East

Brethren,

It is an honor to serve you this year from the East. I assure you I will endeavor to make this the best year I can. As such I will continue the traditions that we have come to enjoy: the occasional table lodges and Saturday breakfasts, cigars in the game room, maybe a few movies on the movie screen, and walking in parades. I also want to try to add some more fundraising, with a brat fry, and encourage us to be more charitable and not necessarily with lodge funds. I'm also working on bringing at least one speaker in, possibly more, to talk to the lodge about various things I think people will love to hear about.

The first meeting of the month will have incorporated my Master's Message, where I will speak briefly on some subject. The second meeting will feature the Masonic Academy where some sort of Masonic knowledge will be presented to the lodge.

The first of our Friends Nights of the year is planned for Thursday, January 27th at 5:30 PM. Invite a friend or two to the lodge that evening where we will have a short presentation on Freemasonry and a meal. Fliers will be available by the first meeting if you would like some.

✦ *Brother Carl Peterson, Worshipful Master*

A Word from the West

Brethren,

The Sheboygan Lodge Masonic Academy is intended to be a useful tool for the enlightenment of all the members of our lodge. The name was chosen because it is suggestive of a chosen place of learning about topics or subjects of interest to the attendees. The original format was to have been facilitated discussion as compared to formal lecturing. This should be easily accomplished as the index of topics originally selected were familiar to all to a greater or lesser degree.

You are now being given the opportunity to shape the direction of our Masonic Academy. We will make every effort to present each of the topics you may select by addressing your interest to any lodge officer. You may choose to present the topic yourself if you wish. You will learn more than you expected by being the facilitator of the discussion.

Let's all work at making this year fun, informative and interesting.

✦ *Brother Harold Peterson, KYCH, Senior Warden*

A Word from the South



Brethren,

This year I am will be publishing the Lodge E-Gazette every month. The current plan is to still distribute this letter by email but we will also be sending this to the membership who don't have email. If you received this letter in the mail, and wish to receive it via email, please send your email address to: sbelongie@gmail.com.

I am also looking for writers for the newsletter. If you wish to submit something to be published, please try to submit to me by the first of the month, so I can get your article into the publication.

❖ *Brother Steven Belongie, Junior Warden*

Friends Night

The lodge will be hosting a Friends Night on Thursday, January 27. It's a night for friends (and strangers) to come in and get acquainted with what we do as Freemasons. We will have a brief introduction to Masonry, a meal catered by Rupps Downtown, with fellowship time/tours to follow.

Please RSVP by Tuesday January 25th by calling 920-457-3111.

Movie Night at Lodge

After Lodge on Tuesday, January 25th a movie will be shown.

The movie will be Boondock Saints II.

Lighter Side of Masonry



A small Lodge had a string of bad luck. It was preparing to initiate a candidate on a steamy evening in June and its air conditioner had stopped working. After sweating their way through part of the work, the Master had asked the candidate what he most desired.

The candidate replied "a beer".

At this juncture the WM., being startled, whispered "light" to the candidate.

"OK," the candidate replied, "a lite beer."

January Anniversaries

Bernard E. Wazlavek 1/7/1995

John C. Keckonen 1/21/1992

Patrick R. Czubkowski 1/28/2003

Gordon C. Krause 1/29/1985

Harold W. Feingold 1/31/1956

Trestleboard of Upcoming Events

Port Washington Chapter No. 98, Royal Arch Masons, Thursday, January 13th, 7:30 P.M.

Stated Meeting, Tuesday, January 18th, 5:30 P.M.

Masters Feast, Saturday, January 22nd at Ozaukee Lodge #17 in Port Washington

Trustees Meeting, Monday, January 24th, 6:30 P.M.

