

February, 2016

**YORK LODGE NO. 22
A.F. & A.M.**

**159 Alfred Road
West Kennebunk, Maine**



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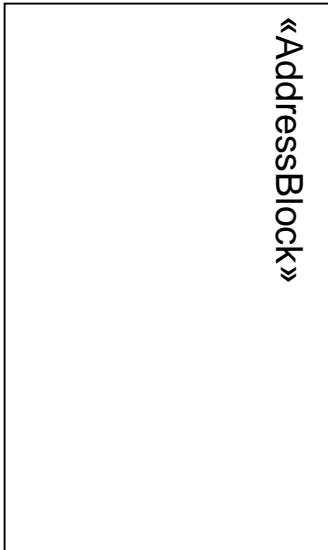
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Upcoming Events

Every Tuesday Morning at the Lodge

**** Coffee and Conversation: 9:00 A.M.**

Monday, February 1, 2016

**** York Lodge – Stated Communication
6:00 P.M. Supper
7:00 P.M. Meeting**

Saturday, February 13

**** York Lodge -Second Saturday Breakfast
7:30 A.M. Coffee
8:00 A.M. Breakfast**

Monday, February 15

**** Master Mason Degree **
Presented by Kora Shrine Degree Team
6:30 P.M. Supper
7:30 P.M. Degree**

Monday, February 21

**** York Temple Corp. – Monthly Meeting
7:00 P.M.**

District Events

Thursday, February 25

**** District Officers Association Meeting **
Special presentation on Prince Hall Lodge
Arundel Lodge – 7 P.M.**

Grand Lodge 200th Anniversary

In 2020 the Grand Lodge of Masons in Maine will celebrate its 200th anniversary. As a part of this celebration the Grand Lodge has commissioned a commemorative coin. The coin, as you can see, is quite striking and is something that I am sure will be in great demand. It is available for purchase now, through the Grand Lodge Office. The cost of each coin is \$10.00 plus \$0.55 tax. Shipping is \$2.04 per coin. Simply contact the office at 1-855-843-1086 or e-mail grandlodge@mainemason.org. A credit card will be required to complete the sale.

For local brethren we will be putting together a consolidated order to save the shipping cost. If you would like to order thru the lodge please fill out the information below and get it to the Secretary, Paul Gregiore with payment of \$10.55 per coin, either cash or check (no credit cards please). You must pick your order up at the lodge, we cannot ship at this price.

The proceeds from the sale will be used to fund the 200th anniversary celebration.



Name: _____

Phone: _____

Number of Coins: _____

Total Cost: \$10.55 x no. coins = \$ _____

From the East

Greetings Brethren,

January has been a productive month here at York lodge. My Dad, Past Potentate Neil Morin, has committed to traveling with me this year as I and our Traveling Crew visit lodges and attend events in the 19th and other districts. If you would like to join us, there is always room for more. Don't forget to bring your Passport with you. We have already attended the Instillation's at Springvale, Arundel, St Johns, Yorkshire and Ocean lodges. I have met with the new Masters and invited them to visit our lodge, informing them that we have the Traveling Gavel.

The Bikes for books and Masonic Youth Charity Bike Run Committees are hard at work with their respective events.

Our suite of Officers continues to practice Monday nights in preparation for two upcoming Fellow Craft degrees and I am excited to inform you that Richard Bergeron and his Degree Team from Kora Temple will be conducting a Master Mason Degree for Brother Blaine Fortin on Monday February 15th, Dinner at 6:30 Degree at 7:30. Save the Date and please plan to attend.

I hope to see you in February at our Stated and also don't forget the Second Saturday breakfast and Tuesday morning coffee and conversation.

Fraternally,

Wor Chuck Morin

District 19 Officers Association

The District 19 Officers Association is hosting a speaker at our February 25th meeting. Brother Ray Coleman, Grand Historian of the Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, and Past President of the Phylaxis Society, the premier Prince Hall research organization, will present information about Prince Hall and the history of Prince Hall Masonry.

The meeting will be held at Arundel Lodge #76, 10 North Street, Kennebunkport and will open at 7 PM. This is an excellent opportunity to enhance your understanding and knowledge of our Prince Hall Brothers and the bonds we share. It is another step of Brotherly Love and cooperation between our two Masonic bodies.

We do hope you can join us.

Bikes for Books Committee

The bikes for books program is well underway with the kickoff for Kennebunk Elementary, Mildred L Day and Consolidated schools done on Friday Jan 15th. All three schools were excited and are already working hard. Sea Road school opted to do their kickoff on Feb 29 in conjunction with a family literacy event they have scheduled. Watch this space for future updates.

**Wor Dan L. Fink,
Chair**

February Masonic Birthdays

Jeffery M. Bryant 2008 (7) yrs

Clayton L. Bartlett 1959 (56) yrs

Paul L. Berube 1996 (19) yrs

Brandon W. Cox 2009 (6) yrs

From the Secretary

I just wanted to thank everyone for their help in getting me started in this new position.

I do have some contact information that needs updating. Here again I am asking for your support.

If anyone has not received a dues notice for 2016 can you contact me at pl.grgr@gmail.com so that I can update your contact information and send this out to you. I have received some notices back as not deliverable. Last year we had three brothers who did not receive their dues notices and they were dropped from our roles for nonpayment of dues. This has since been corrected.

So far all else is falling into place.

Many thanks to our new Master for his patience and assistance.

Hope to see many of you at our next meeting.

*Thanks,
Bro. Paul Gregoire,
Secretary*

From the West

Hello Brethren,

As we move into the second month of our new line of officers' things are beginning to pick up speed.

Our Bikes for Books program is moving along. If this is something you would like to be involved with please get in touch with Wor Dan Fink, Wor Bruce Johnsen, Bro Fred Beatham.

Our annual Masonic Youth Charities Motorcycle Ride is in the planning stages and as always we can use as much help with this and any of the committees as we can. Even if you do not ride we can use your help at the check in and when the riders return. If you do ride, the Widows Sons' have donated a special door prize this year a 48" Samsung flat screen tv. The drawing will be done after the ride and you do have to be present to win this prize. May 21st is the day of the ride with a rain date of the 22nd. So please help us in spreading the word for this event, as it is one our biggest fundraisers of the year.

*Fraternally,
Michael Hludik,
Senior Warden*

From the South

Brethren,

I hope this doesn't sound like an NPR begging letter, but we do need some help.

To wit we want some young useful ideas for raising funds, both for Blue Lodge and Temple Corp. Especially, things which can be done with minimal investment both financially and physically. (Note that our record for recruiting large groups for work is not exactly stellar)

Now I've come up with a couple of ideas - the square wheel, which isn't exactly rolling along – and I had great hopes for the pointy stick, anyway these are ideas of an old brain. Let's see some of the young fresh ideas. We welcome all comers.

*Fraternally,
Fred Beatham,
Junior Warden*

From the Craft

As I was walking the other day, I looked back and saw the tracks I had made in the snow. It occurred to me; we often go through our lives, leaving similar tracks, but do not look back very often to see the course of the path they reflect. Often, it may seem we are just ricocheting from one point to another, but when we look back; it is a straight line. Often when we go through, we are unaware of all the points and people we touch in our travels. A word here, an action there, mark the points of where we have gone. Often, unaware.

As Masons, we are called to a higher standard, as leaders and examples of constructive, involved, and supportive behavior in our society. We are human and may sometimes be not as successful as we wish; but we have an oath based obligation to try. And this is where our faith in Him comes to the fore, for our road ahead is often obscured with fogs, mists, darkness, and confusion. It is He who helps us find our way; so, the tracks we, and our brothers, leave in our life's journey lead to that higher meaning and help give us a little more sense of purpose and less of being lost.

*Fraternally,
Bro Donald Beane,
Historian*

Members	Suspended	Demit	Affiliated	Raised	Died	Total
12/1/15 119						1/01/16 119

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Committees

Finance Committee

Wor Charles Morin, Bro Michael Hludik, Wor Dan Fink

Care and Share Committee

Bro Michael Glidden, VW Brian Ingalls, Bro Fred Beatham

Bikes for Books

Wor Dan Fink, Wor Bruce Johnsen, Bro Fred Beatham

Bentleys Youth Charity Motor Cycle Run

Bro Michael Hludik, Bro Steve Michaels

We have several committee opportunities give us a call

Quote of the Month

**“if a man empties his purse into his head,
no man can take it away from him.
An investment in knowledge always pays
the best interest.”**

Benjamin Franklin

Something to Ponder

**“Good judgement comes from experience.
Experience comes from bad judgement.”**

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In Memory






Of those who have gone to that "Celestial Lodge Above"

<p><i>IN MEMORY OF</i> <i>My Father</i></p> <p>Richard Michaels</p> <p>1923 - 2011 <i>WWII Veteran</i> <i>Supporter of York Lodge</i></p> <p>1/16 Steven Michaels</p>	 <p><i>IN MEMORY OF</i> <i>My Father</i></p> <p>Robert P. Fink</p> <p><i>Past Master of Kemper Lodge</i> <i>No. 64</i> <i>Falls Church, VA</i></p> <p>1/15 Dan L. Fink</p>
 <p><i>IN MEMORY OF</i> <i>My Father</i></p> <p>Donald E. Smith</p> <p><i>Past Master of York Lodge</i> <i>No. 22 - 1948</i></p> <p>1/14 Richard B. Smith</p>	 <p><i>IN MEMORY OF</i> <i>My Father</i></p> <p>Raymond T. Ingalls Sr.</p> <p><i>WWII Veteran</i> <i>Member of York Lodge</i></p> <p>1/14 Brian Ingalls</p>
 <p><i>IN MEMORY OF</i> <i>My Friend</i></p> <p>David W. Tremblay</p> <p><i>Past Master of York Lodge</i> <i>No. 22 - 1980</i></p> <p>3/14 Ed MacDonald</p>	 <p><i>IN MEMORY OF</i> <i>My Dear Friend</i></p> <p>Clyde Farrington</p> <p><i>Past Master of</i> <i>Portland Lodge No. 01</i></p> <p>4/14 Joe Cummings</p>

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<div style="text-align: center;">  <p><i>IN MEMORY OF My Father</i></p> <p>P. Freeman (Zip) Welch</p> <p><i>WWII Veteran Past Master of York Lodge 1960</i></p> <p><i>11/14 Ken Welch</i></p> </div>	<div style="text-align: center;">  <p><i>IN MEMORY OF My Father</i></p> <p>C. Edward Baker</p> <p><i>Past Master of St Bernard's Lodge A.F. A.M. Southborough, Mass</i></p> <p><i>11/16 Ed Baker</i></p> </div>
<div style="text-align: center;">  <p><i>IN MEMORY OF My Father</i></p> <p>Guy William Savage</p> <p><i>1917-2014 WWII US Merchant Marine Veteran Penobscot Lodge #39 1953-2014</i></p> <p><i>01/16 Breen Savage</i></p> </div>	<div style="text-align: center;">  <p><i>IN MEMORY OF My Friend</i></p> <p>Joseph (Joe) Cummings</p> <p><i>Past Master of York Lodge No 22 1984</i></p> <p><i>01/15 Dan Fink</i></p> </div>
<div style="text-align: center;">  <p><i>IN MEMORY OF My Brother</i></p> <p>Richard B. Cluff, Jr.</p> <p><i>1955-2014 Past Master of York Lodge 2003</i></p> <p><i>04/15 Tim Cluff</i></p> </div>	

PAST MASTERS OF YORK LODGE NO. 22 For the Last 100 years

1917 *John H. Cooper	1952 *Edward Whitcher PDD	1983 *Alfred D. Curtis
1918 *Fred M. Severance	1953 *Lendall A. Smith	1984 *Joseph V. Cummings
1919 *Edward S. Hawkes	1954 *William F. Warren	1985 *Chester J. Dunham Jr.
1920 *Harold H. Bourne PDD	1955 *Cecil R. McConnell	1986 Raymond A. Brown
1921 *Charles H. Lucas	1956 *Royal E. Spoffard	1987 Henry C. Tibbetts Jr.
1922 *Joseph T. Cole	1957 *C. Roland Dutch	1988 *Robert Sprague Jr.
1923 *Howard C. Wakefield	1958 *G. William Jennison	1989 *George G. Lebarge
1924 *George E. Larrabee	1959 *Arnold L. Smith	1990 Adam Hunnewell
1925 *Ralph Andrews	1960 * P. Freeman Welch	1991 Henry C. Tibbetts Jr.
1926 *Elmer A. Mitchell	1961 *Arthur A. Tracy Sr.	1992 Scott A. Wentworth
1927 *Arthur C. Goodwin	1962 *Walfred H. Johnson	1993 Gerry Goulden
1928 *Roy A. Evans PDD	1963 +J. Russell Yates	1994 +Brian Bradbury
1929 *George L. Authier	1964 *Robert Sprague PGT	1995 Gregory S. Pargellis
1930 *Archie W. Turner	1965 *Marvin H. Budd	1996 Edward Thyng
1934 *Carle S. Spiller	1966 Richard C. Russell	1997 William K. Jewett
1935 *Arthur L. Leach	1967 *Cranston W. Foley	1998 Randall S Burleigh PDD
1936 *Leroy H. Hutchins	1968 *William G. West	1999 Gregory S. Pargellis
1937 *Harrison G. Coleman	1969 *Robert F. Eveleth	2000 Stephen D. Nason
1938 *A. Wesley Leach	1970 *Robert G. Dickson	2001 Michael A. Hickson
1939 *Alexander Burr Jr.	1971 *Robert Sprague PGT	2003 *Richard B. Cluff Jr.
1940 *Arthur L. Stevens	1972 *Sam Spencer	2004 Brian A. Ingalls
1941 *Kenneth Ritchie PDD	1973 *William C. Hobbs	2005 Timothy L. Cluff
1942 *Ralph A. Hatch	1974 *John P. Kotlewski	2006 Donald Young
1943 *Charles H. Currier	1975 *Richard Amirault	2007 Richard B. Smith
1945 *George W. Thompson	1976 *Ralph E. Pierpont	2009 Laurie Cohen
1946 *Lewis H. Burr	1977 Edward L. MacDonald	2010 Raymond A. Brown
1947 *Seth L. Emmons	1978 *Robert H. Hunt Jr.	2011 +Philip Perez
1948 *Donald E. Smith	1979 Richard O. West	2012 Brian A. Ingalls
1949 *George E. McConnell	1980 *David Tremblay	2013 Thomas Dudevoir
1950 *Clarence M. Crosby	1981 George Pulkkinen PGM	2014 Bruce Johnsen
1951 *Carl E. Russell	1982 *Jack L. Libby	2015 Dan L. Fink

* Deceased

+ Demitted

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