

May, 2016

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

**159 Alfred Road  
West Kennebunk, Maine**



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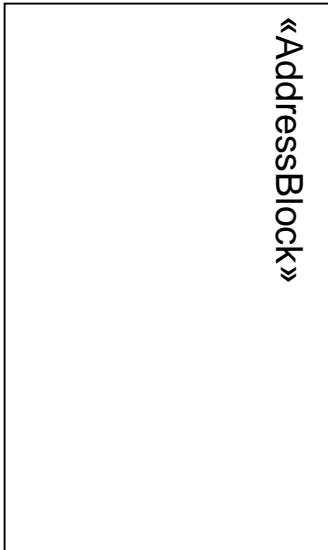
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## Upcoming Events

### Every Tuesday Morning at the Lodge

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

### Monday, May 3

**\*\* Grand Lodge \*\***

**Kora Shrine , Lewiston - 8:00 am**

### Friday, May 6

**\*\* Bikes for Books Award Day \*\***

**Kennebunk Elementary – 8:00 A. M.**

### Monday May 9

**\*\* Stated Communication \*\***

**6:00 P.M. Supper**

**7:00 P.M. Meeting**

### Saturday, May 14

**\*\* Second Saturday Breakfast \*\***

**7:30 A.M. Coffee**

**8:00 A.M. Breakfast**

**\*\* Community Yard Sale \*\***

**8:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M.**

### Saturday, May 21

**\*\* Masonic Youth Charities Motorcycle Run**

**Bentley's on Route 1**

**8:00 A.M – 3:00 P.M.**

### Saturday, May 28

**\*\* Madonna Chapter Bean Supper \*\***

**5:00 – 6:30 P.M.**

## District Events

### Saturday, May 14

**\*\* 19<sup>th</sup> District Masters Meeting with new District Officers - York Lodge #22 –10:00 am**

### Thursday, May 28

**\*\* District Officers Association Meeting \*\*  
Ocean Lodge #142 – 7 P.M.**

## Bikes for Books Committee

**Sea Road School – Friday April 29**



**The calm before the Storm**



**It was a wonderful event. If you can join us at the next one at Kennebunk Elementary May 6<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 A.M.**

**More pictures soon**

**Also we need volunteers to assist with the May day parade May 7<sup>th</sup>. Get in touch with me if you can help.**

**Wor Dan L. Fink,  
Chair**

## **From the East**

**Greetings Brethren,**

**Spring is a time of transition and growth in nature. This transition and growth also holds true in Masonry in Maine. Many Lodges have already installed new Line Officers and the election of Grand Lodge Officers is coming up on May 3rd at the Grand Communication. I recently attended a Candidates Night held at Fraternal Lodge in Alfred on March 24th to meet the candidates and become better informed of who they are and what they stand for. One of the items on the April stated agenda will be selecting the candidates that you my Brothers feel best meets the needs of the Craft and our Lodge. Both the Sr. and Jr Wardens along with myself look forward to casting your votes in May at the Grand Lodge communication.**

**St John's Lodge has had the Traveling Gavel for several months now and I'd like to bring it back to York Lodge this month. St John's next stated is on April 18th, please save the date and plan to attend.**

**I am very proud of the work and support from the Officers and members of our Lodge. The officers have been practicing on Monday evenings for an upcoming Fellow Craft Degree which will be held on May 23rd and is our Annual Inspection.**

**Bikes for Books and The Youth Charity Bike run are coming along well. We have been successful in securing the same location free of charge at 432 Elm Street in Biddeford to receive, store and assemble the bikes again this year. This is a huge benefit to the program and I thank Bill Nason, owner of the building for his continued support.**

**Fraternally,**

**Wor Chuck Morin**

## **Quote of the Month**

**He that has light within his own clear breast May sit i' the center, and enjoy clear day: But he that hides a dark soul and foul thoughts Benighted walks under the midday sun; Himself is his own dungeon**

**- The Inner Light by John Milton**

## **Something to Ponder**

**“All religions, arts and sciences are branches of the same tree”.**

**- Albert Einstein -**

## Masonic Birthdays

### May

Warren Morse	61	Breen Savage	47
Fredrick Beatham	39	Craig MacDonald	39
Dean Welch	36	Brian Brook	28
Spencer Jones	17	Stephen Lamb	12
Jon Tyre	2	Donald Beane	1

### From the Secretary

*Brothers the dues situation has slowed down to, I have received, no dues payments this month. There are still quite a few with outstanding dues. This is a reminder that your dues are used as seed funds for our many charities and fundraising events. They are needed for our Lodge maintenance which includes the operational needs to maintain our lodge and to the maintenance our building itself.*

*We are looking into adding items to our stated meetings which will make them of more interest to the attendees. I look forward to seeing some of our members who have been involved in the rest of their lives. Stop in for a visit.*

*Thanks,  
Bro. Paul Gregoire,  
Secretary*

## From the West

*Hello Brethren,*

*May is motorcycle month at York Lodge and we are gearing up for our annual Youth Charity Run! The ride this year is on May 21st registration and breakfast start at 8:00 am and the ride leaving promptly at 10:00 am from Bentley's Saloon in Arundel. We are again fortunate enough to have the Widows Sons leading the ride, and with their experience we know this will be a safe and exciting ride again this year! Even if you do not have a bike or choose not to ride come down to Bentley's enjoy a great breakfast and fellowship, stay till the ride ends and enjoy music dancing, food and some great prizes including a flat screen TV donated by the Widows sons.*

*On Sunday, April 17th a great display of many hands making light work. Members of York lodge and Arundel lodge were able to assemble 122 bikes for the Bikes for Books program. It was a very touching day to see so many brethren able to help*

*Once again members of York Lodge were able to bring the Traveling Gavel back home. Members of York Lodge traveled to St John's lodge and were able to secure the gavel by having the most visiting members present.*

*May 23rd will be our annual inspection I hope I see many members filling the sidelines for the degree work!*

*Fraternally,  
Michael Hludik,  
Senior Warden*

## From the South

Brethren,

*Everything is looking up for our Annual Motorcycle Run. (Maybe more publicity. If you Brothers would spread around some more posters it would be nice.) The Bikes are all put together thanks to a great showing of all concerned (122 Bikes in 4 hours !!) The first presentation will be on April 29 at Sea Road School.*

*Note on some more charity bell ringing. If we pony up say \$334.00 from the charity fund for Project Graduation, Grand Lodge will match that with \$668.00 and we can show up with \$1,000.00 for Project Graduation and get our picture in the paper!! It's a great way to use Grand Lodge dollars to the benefit of all.*

*Fraternally,  
Fred Beatham,  
Junior Warden*

## From the Craft

*In a ceremony I attended the other day, part of the ritual mentioned "the words we speak." I would suggest; these are very insightful words.*

*There are basically three ways we communicate to others around us: by voice, presence, and action. When others first meet us, our appearance initially introduces us, but it is our voice, and the words we speak which primarily define us. For example, in the tough neighborhoods where I grew up in Portland; I knew many people for whom every other word was an obscenity. They did not realize this manner of speech would forever hold them down to the lower rungs of the social-economic order. Nobody, for example, would ever hire them to wait on customers, and, hence, this would severely limit their job prospects and future.*

*Further, words also communicate to others our capability of intellectual reasoning and experience in the world. Just by words alone, it is rather simple to tell a person's education and knowledge level, and how well they can communicate and/or be communicated towards. As a professor, there are several levels and types of vocabulary which I do not use with my students, because they may not understand or be unnecessarily offended by them. There is an old truism which says: you speak to your audience, i.e. within the capability of their understanding.*

*Our speech also demonstrates our understanding. It is, aside from action, the primary way in which we reflect back to the world how we see and understand it. If we seek to state a point of view, for example, we must understand the world and environment in which we seek to place this idea. If we do not, our communication will be faulty and most likely misunderstood. Our idea will miss the target we aim it at, partially or completely, with unintended consequences.*

*Finally, and perhaps most meaningfully for us as brother Masons, our words are our honor. Our integrity. The words we speak are our statement to the world of this honor and integrity, and our trustworthiness in them. It is a statement to our brothers and the larger world: what I say; you can trust in as being my bond. I will not seek to deceive or dissimulate. What I say, is what I am. My words can be relied upon as I am myself.*

*So, the words we speak, are very important, for they are of us, and speak of our best values and those of our order. As one group of our ancestors, the knights Templar, committed and dedicated themselves to the values and code of conduct of their order, to the service and protection of their community, and to their faithfulness to Him and the meanings of His lessons, by words; so do we.*

*Fraternally,  
Bro Donald Beane,  
Historian*

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**Bro David Shaw**  
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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**

Members	Suspended	Demit	Affiliated	Raised	Died	Total
12/1/15 119				1		4/01/16 120

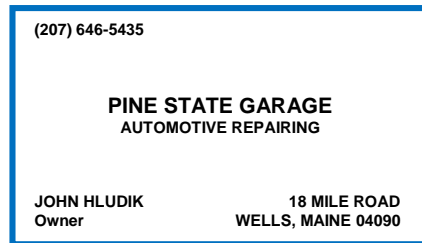
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## In Memory






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

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

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 <p><i>IN MEMORY OF My Father</i></p> <p><b>Guy William Savage</b></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>	 <p><i>IN MEMORY OF My Friend</i></p> <p><b>Joseph (Joe) Cummings</b></p> <p><i>Past Master of York Lodge No 22 1984</i></p> <p><i>01/15 Dan Fink</i></p>
 <p><i>IN MEMORY OF My Brother</i></p> <p><b>Richard B. Cluff, Jr.</b></p> <p><i>1955-2014 Past Master of York Lodge 2003</i></p> <p><i>04/15 Tim Cluff</i></p>	

## **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	<b>1990 Adam Hunnewell</b>
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	<b>1993 Gerry Goulden</b>
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	<b>1996 Edward Thyng</b>
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	<b>2000 Stephen D. Nason</b>
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

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