



Wadsworth Lodge # 25 F. & A.M. February 2008 Trestle-Board

Message from the Master in the East February 2008 Trestle board

We started out this year with quite a present from Mother Nature (lots of snow!) This month I hope to see more of your happy faces in lodge. Let's try for a full house, wouldn't that be nice?? I am looking forward to a fabulous meal from our brother Will. Table Lodge is coming soon; come enjoy the good food, fun and fellowship. Please bring in other brethren for this fantastic event. Tickets are on sale at \$20.00 a head. February 23, 2008. The time has come for us to begin our studies for our degree work to bring those from darkness to light in masonry. The Friday evening before table lodge we will be putting on a degree. I hope to keep our lodge busy with a lot of ritual work this year. I'm hoping to be getting our trestle board out a little earlier than last month. There are a few bugs to work out.....
From the East

Coming Events

Feb. 1
Wadsworth Lodge stated,
Open in the First Degree.

Lodge Calendar

Feb. 12
Building Trustees
meeting.

Feb. 13
Sparks Assembly meeting.

Feb. 15
3rd Degree

Feb. 23
Table Lodge for all
Masons.
Doors open at 10 am.
Tickets are on sale for
\$20

Rainbow Calendar

Feb 3&4th
Adult Leadership
Conference

Feb 14
Wadsworth Lodge Visit
Regular meeting
Valentines Day

Feb 28
Regular Meeting

Martha Chapter Calendar

Feb. 29
Martha Chapter OES,
Game Night

Birthdays

Alan G. GoldFarb
Justin S. Olin
Guy A. Richardson P.M.



From the West,

Brethren, February is upon us once again and with it Wadsworth 25's annual "Table Lodge" event to commemorate President George Washington's Birthday. This event is our most significant activity of the year and anticipates the expectation of much needed revenue for replenishment of the Lodge treasury. A direct mailing to each and every member of the Lodge was initiated and it is hoped that all will attend to make this event the biggest and best ever. The menu anticipates an outstanding tri-tip meal, under the direction of the Jr. Warden Will Werne IV, with many attendant gourmet delights to include the outstanding home brew of brother Mark "Road Kill" Smith. Contrary to his moniker Brother Smith is an outstanding practitioner of the brewer's art. The Table Lodge has been scheduled for Saturday, February 23rd at "High Noon." The Master has requested an all out commitment from each and every member of the Lodge to attend this opportunity for Masonic fellowship and brotherhood. We are in need of items which can become prizes for the historical, bona fide and statutorily legal "charitable raffle" (ref: Nevada Revised Statutes, 462.064, 462.075, 462.140 (3)[b]) which has become a tradition and one of the most enjoyable activities one can experience without disrobing. The "canons" are being readied for the seven traditional toasts in anticipation of well coordinated fire. It is believed that Brother George Washington may actually be in attendance if in receipt of an appropriate invitation. Senior Warden Rigdon has tickets for sale as does each of the Lodge Officers and it is hoped that all members of the Lodge will help to get them sold. The importance of this event cannot be over emphasized. Our Secretary, Brother Steiner, has done a magnificent job of behind the scenes publicity and correspondence. John Bower printed the tickets and our erstwhile Treasurer, Bro. Grabsky has enthusiastically prepared to receive all proceeds. I apologize that I cannot be in attendance at the Stated Meeting on February 1st but I have another commitment in Las Vegas that I must attend to.



Fraternally, Senior Warden Howard L. Rigdon

Brethren,

We have much work to do and I know we are all up to the challenge. Charlie and Joe - I actually made some copies of the petition (still in my briefcase though). Dana, Howard, and I are discussing and charting our goals and direction this year and I have to say it will be great. Communication and "Getting Back to the Basics" will guide our direction which we hope will bring us all together in friendship and brotherly love. Your input and patient guidance is always appreciated

The Table Lodge is moving along and I am sure all of us will have a good time. Howard is leading the way and will be enlisting helpers so to get the best jobs, see him first!

We will be practicing for a 3rd degree to be delivered in February so stayed tuned and help us help our Fellowcrafts to light. I am of the impression we have a 2nd degree as well and we will work that in soon too.

With the help of Mark Smith, cook extraordinaire, and with some coaxing from some of my friends and family, I intend to have some theme dinners before our meetings. Keep an eye peeled as the themes will incorporate the "Getting Back to the Basics" idea which may include authentic: Basque, Norwegian, Italian, German, and many others. Looking forward to sitting with you in lodge.

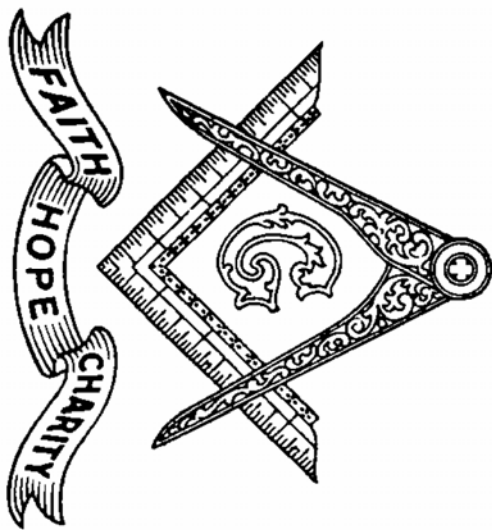
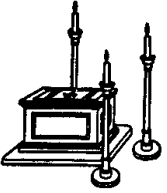
Back from vacation in the South,

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