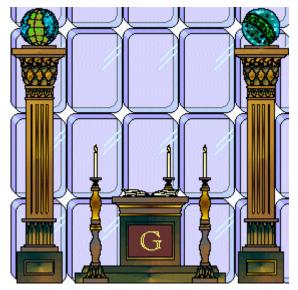
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September Trestleboard 2014



Stated Communications 7:30 PM 1st Tuesday of the Month Dinner: 6:30 PM

Dark - July and August

Dinner Reservations Strongly Requested http://www.gideonlodge.com/Reservations.html

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September Calendar Events

Monday, September 1 -

Tuesday, September 2 7:30pm - Gideon #84 Stated Meeting; 6:30pm – Dinner: Reservations Strongly Encouraged

Wednesday, September 3 7:00pm - St. Johns #1 Stated Meeting

Thursday, September 4 7:30pm - MajGen Jn Sullivan #2 Stated Mtg

Friday, September 5 9:00am - LOI District 4 Penacook 9 AM 4:30pm - LOI District 5 Alton Supper 7 PM

Saturday, September 6 12:00pm - LOI District Six Wolfeboro (noon) 4:30pm - LOI District 5

Monday, September 8 7:00pm - St. Andrews #56 Stated Meeting

Tuesday, September 9 6:30pm - Rockingham #76 Stated Meeting

Wednesday, September 10 7:30pm - Rising Star #47 Stated Meeting

Thursday, September 11 Patriot Day 7:00pm - Star in the East #59 Stated Meeting

Friday, September 12 LOI District 3 Milford

Saturday, September 13 6:00pm - LOI District 7 Holderness

Sunday, September 14 Grandparent's Day

Tuesday, September 16 6:00pm - Sojourners Chapter #386

Thursday, September 18 7:30pm - St. James #102 Stated Meeting

Saturday, September 20 9:00am - 1st District Masters Class

Monday, September 22 6:00pm - St Andrew's Lodge #56 Inspection **Tuesday, September 23** 7:30pm - Tucker #99 Stated Meeting

Thursday, September 25 6:30pm – Masters + Wardens Assn. Meeting

Friday, September 26 6:30pm - District 2 LOI

Saturday, September 27 6:30pm - District 1 LOI Portsmouth NH

Tuesday, September 30 6:30pm - Gideon #84 Inspection FC

Dates Courtesy of: http://www.1stmasonicdistrictofnh.com/calendar.html



Phone Calls

Last year we made phone calls to members who had not been to Lodge meetings for a while or we had not seen lately. It was guite successful except some phone numbers were wrong and I did not have numbers for all the brothers.

I need some help! Please help by giving me any phone numbers that you have. Also if you know of a way to find phone numbers that will be appreciated. If you are talking to any brothers, ask them what they would like to see in the Trestleboard.

RW Clovis Leach



Hello Brethren!!

As the summer of 2014 comes to an end, I hope you all had a wonderful summer spending time with family and friends. The warm summer breezes are giving way to cooler nights and that can only mean one thing! The lights are coming back on at Gideon Lodge!!!

We will be holding our first Stated Meeting after the summer break on September 2nd. As discussed the theme for the evening will be *"New England Clam Bake"*. I hope to see a good turn out as we have a lot of announcements to make with regards to upcoming degrees, inspection and visitation schedules. Don't miss out on all the information and a really good meal to celebrate our re-opening of the lodge. As always, we need a good count of the number of brothers attending for the meal and as families are welcome to join us for the meal, it is even more important that we have a good count.

Our 1st Annual "Mason's on the Lake" picnic event in July was a great success and we had a total of near 40 who attended and enjoyed an afternoon of fun by the lake, some good food and lots of fellowship. Brothers from around the district attended and much fun was had by all. Special thanks to Brother Jason Rodriquez and all the other brothers who helped support the event.

I would like to again recognize Brother Veraneau with a special "Thank you" for his continued dedication to keeping the lodge lawn mowed and trimmed over the summer. It can be at times a "thankless" job, but I know we all appreciate the effort and dedication he makes in keeping our lodge property looking neat and trim. We have a busy schedule coming up Brethren, I know many of us have busy schedules, so please try to work in the important dates for LOI's and Visitations. **MASONIC OPEN HOUSE** is on **October 18th**, we will need volunteers for the day, so please sign up. I hope to see you all out supporting our lodge at our Stated Meetings, visitations and our Fellowcraft "Inspection degree" in late September.

Fraternally,

David S. Henderson, Worshipful Master

Am I allowed to visit in any lodge anywhere on the globe?

No. You have agreed to obey the laws of your own Grand Lodge. Those laws provide that you can visit in the lodges which are under the jurisdiction of Grand Lodges which your Grand Lodge recognizes as legitimate. All United States Grand Lodges are in fraternal relationship with each other. If your travels extend beyond this nation, and you wish to visit in foreign countries, ascertain, either from your *Proceedings* (published yearly by all Grand Lodges), by correspondence with your Grand Secretary, or by consulting the Chart referred to in <u>Question 33</u>, which foreign Grand Lodges your own Grand Lodge recognizes.

P Have I a right to visit in any lodge under a Grand Lodge which my Grand Lodge recognizes?

If you can prove yourself a Mason by passing an examination, and have a good standing card, you will have no difficulty. But your "right" to visit is limited. Any Master can refuse any visitor permission to visit his lodge if he believes that the visitor will injure the peace and harmony of his lodge. Many lodges do not admit visitors during election or installation communications. As a general rule, all lodges are glad to receive visitors and to make them welcome. But a lodge, like a home, is a private institution and need not admit visitors unless the "head of the household" (the Master) so desires.

District 1 – Schedule of Visitations and other Special Events

Inspection Degree & Date	Visitation & Date	Audit Date & Time	Lodge	Location
EA 9/22/14	9/8/14	TBA	St. Andrews #56	Portsmouth
	10/6/14			TT
EA 7/31/14	10/6/14	<u>8/7/14 6 p.m.</u>	Saint James #102	Hampton
EA completed	10/15/14	9/14/14 4 p.m.	Star in the East #59	Exeter
FC 9/30/14	10/7/14	7/13/14 1 p.m.	Gideon #84	Kingston
FC TBA	11/11/14	8/24/14 6:30 p.m.	Rockingham #76	Candia
FC 10/14/14	10/28/14	7/18/14 7 p.m.	Tucker #99	Raymond
MM 11/1/14 10AM	10/30/14	8/17/14 4 p.m.	Rising Star #47	Newmarket
MM 7/16/14	8/6/14	TBA	St. Johns #1	Portsmouth
MM 10/23/14	11/6/14	<u>8/28/14 6 p.m.</u>	MGJS#2	Epping

Lodge:	DEO Program	DDGL Program
Gideon #84	What are the Landmarks of Masonry	Explain the origin and meaning of Due Form
Tucker #99	Connection and when of Scottish Rite	Connection and when of York Rite
Saint James #102	History of Rockingham Lodges in NH	Albert Pike's part in Masonry
MGJS #2	Origin of the Balloting	Protocol of the balloting
Star in the East #59	Glen Payne will give a History of Prince Hall Masonry (He is a PDDGM of Prince Hall)	
Rockingham #76	Masonry in the Civil War	More about the Middle Chamber Lecture
Rising Star #47 St Andrews #56	Masonic Presidents	Origin of the Passwords