

The Master's Trestleboard

2011

Lake Drummond Lodge No. 178, A.F. & A.M.

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"Strengthening Our Brotherhood"

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Hello Brethren,

WOW! It is hard to believe we are in the second quarter already. It has been a wonderful experience thus far and let me say again what an honor it is to serve you and Lake Drummond this year. Lake Drummond has been very busy so far and it does not look like we will be slowing down anytime soon. We have quite a few candidates working on catechisms and new members even participating in degree work.

I am especially proud of the officers and committee members of Lake Drummond. You all are making this year more pleasurable and rewarding than I even thought possible. Thank you for your hard work and dedication.

Lake Drummond is doing great charity work for your community and also for our youth organizations. The members of Lake Drummond and the members of the 36th district came to the aid of needy family, a special thank you to Great Bridge Lodge for their generous donation. The funds we raised helped ease their financial burden. Our Jobies had a bowling tournament to help raise funds and let me say what terrific support we had from the entire district. It was a great opportunity to help out the young women in our organization and a great chance to have wonderful fellowship outside of the lodge. These young people are our future and thanks to all who worked so hard to make this event such a success.

Well it's spring again and that can only mean one thing, Lake Drummond's Annual Spring Barbeque fundraiser. Come out on April 30th for some of Worshipful Kenny Strickland's nearly world famous barbeque. Not only will we be having a barbeque dinner on the 30th of April but on June 24th we will be holding our 3rd Annual Golf Tournament. Both events are wonderful opportunities to come out and enjoy some fellowship and maybe even see some brethren whom you haven't seen in a long time.

Time is flying, do not let the chance to get out to your lodge pass you by. We are always working on ritual at Lake Drummond. Even if you cannot make it out to our stated, come on out and jump into some degree work or support our brethren from the sidelines. I know our candidates will greatly appreciate the support as well as the officers and myself. Contact any officer or check out our website at Lakedrummond178.org. For any dates on upcoming events, our website is a great way to stay up to date on anything that is happening in Lake Drummond or in the 36th district. We are always looking for innovative ways to keep Lake Drummond moving toward the future and your input and feedback is needed and appreciated. Thank you for your support and help to strengthen our brotherhood.

Fraternally Yours,



Kenneth Lee Hobbs Jr.

APPEAL FOR RELIEF - NEW ZEALAND - JAPAN

The Masonic Service Association of North America - News Release, May 14, 2011

Contact: Richard E. Fletcher, 301-588-4010

The appeal directive is quoted herewith for our member's information.

“Many parts of the world are experiencing horrendous weather patterns. None have suffered more than the countries of New Zealand and Japan. This appeal is being put out on behalf of both of those countries.

When remitting funds to the MSA, in response to this appeal, please mark clearly on your check how you wish the funds designated. If you do be assured the funds will be distributed exactly as the donor requests. If no designation is made the funds will be divided equally between New Zealand and Japan.

Please forward to the MSA such funds as you feel appropriate to help our devastated Brethren and their families in these stricken jurisdictions. Please make checks payable to the MSA Disaster Relief Fund and send to 8120 Fenton Street, Ste. 203, Silver Spring, MD 20910-4785.

Thank you very much for your help!”

The appeal letter is signed by Richard E. Fletcher, PGM, Executive Secretary

APPLICATIONS FOR LAKE DRUMMOND'S 2011 SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS **DATE DUE - APRIL 1, 2011**

As previously announced the deadline for receiving applications for the Lake Drummond Lodge Scholarship Fund has been changed to April 1. Also, the change in date will enable the committee to make a decision in a timely manner. This will ensure that the recipient can be recognized in lodge with his/her parents before they have left for college. The application form is available from the Lodge Secretary or from Worshipful Ray Lowery, (757-487-8690) the Chairman of the Scholarship Committee.

Note: Due date extended this year to April 20th by the Scholarship Committee Chairman.

OUR NEW WEBSITE!

Please visit us at

www.lakedrummond178.org

Any brethren wishing to receive this communication via email please contact
Bro. Sonny Tate at webmaster@lakedrummond.org



PRESENTATION OF MASONIC SERVICE AWARDS

25 Year Service Award

to be presented

Brother John V. Matthews, III	Raised - April 3, 1986	April 14, 2011
Brother Kenneth P. Strickland, PM	Raised - June 5, 1986	June 9, 2011

60 Year Service Award

Brother Robert Richard Jones	Raised - May 2, 1951	May 12, 2011
Brother Dr. Jack Hanson Phillabaum	Railed - June 7, 1951	*June 7, 2011

**Lives in Tempe AZ. His service award will forward through Grand Lodge channels to Grand Lodge of AZ for delivery to him by a local lodge in Tempe, AZ unless he notifies the Lodge Secretary otherwise.*

DONATIONS TO THE LODGE SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Victory Chapter No. 16, O.E.S.

MEMORIAL DONATIONS TO THE GENERAL OPERATING FUND

In memory of our late Brother Ascanio Edward Ciccotti,
given by Mrs. Iva G. Ciccotti and Brother Charles E. Ciccotti

DONATIONS TO THE LODGE BUILDING FUND

Brother Scott V. Smith, donation of cost of 2,900 Barbecue tickets

NEW MEMBERS

Brother Robert Dane Preedy, Jr. - Raised - January 13, 2011

Brother Bryan Richard Pratkano - Raised - February 17, 2011

WITH THE SICK

Please report all sick Brethren and/or family members to the Sick Committee Chairman, Wor. Elmer E. Walters, Sr., (757) 547-3484 or any Lodge Officer. See front cover of Lodge's Trestleboard for telephone numbers of Lodge Officers.

Brother W.C. "Bill" Meiggs, Jr., 50 MV

Brother Erskine C. White, 60 MV

Brother A.S. Atwood, Sr., 50 MV

Brother Gerald V. Cox

Brother Ralph M. Greenwood

Brother Wiley J. Wilson, Jr.

Brother Frank Forbes, Jr., 60 MV

Brother Randolph W. Pritchard

Brother Gene C. Walters, LMIP

Brother Gary E. White, Sr.

Worshipful James R. "Bobby" Gray

Brother Marlin C. "Mo" Patrick

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DUES - \$100.00 PER YEAR, EFFECTIVE JAN. 1, 2004

2011 Dues Reminder Envelopes were mailed to the membership with the Oct./Nov./Dec. 2010 Bulletin. The Secretary reports there are 06 members owing 2010 dues as of this date.

GRAND LODGE'S LIFE MEMBERSHIP IN PERPETUITY PLAN FOR MEMBERS

Life Memberships can be paid in full or by an installment schedule of your own choosing. More details can be obtained from the Lodge Secretary. Effective January 1, 2004, \$100.00 x 16 years = \$1,600.00 with current year's dues paid. We have 100 LMIP members. We now have 3 members who are making installment payments for their life membership.

IN MEMORIAM

Brother Virgil Edmund "Buzz" Sawyer

Raised - June 6, 1989

Died - January 11, 2011

Brother Stephen Ronald Ward

Raised - July 2, 1981

Died - March 19, 2011

Brother Bartlette Albert Beck, Jr., 57 MV

Raised - April 1, 1954

Died - March 21, 2011

Note: The Lodge makes a memorial contribution to the Building Fund in memory of every deceased member.

SPRING ANNUAL BARBECUE - APRIL 30, 2011

Notices concerning this event have been mailed to all lodge members, enclosing four tickets and a return envelope. Cost this year will be @ \$7.00 per ticket. As usual, our Lodge Widows will receive a free ticket. Lets all come out, bring our friends and neighbors, to make this event successful.

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTER NOMINATION

Grand Master's Executive Order No. 2-11 sets forth the regulations governing the nominations for the office of District Deputy Grand Master for the Masonic Year 2013.

South Norfolk Lodge No. 339 made their nominations at their March 1, 2011 stated communication and Lake Drummond Lodge will vote to concur in their nominations at our April 14, 2011 state communication.

For District Deputy Grand Master for 2013 - Worshipful Jeffrey Allen Rowland

For Alternate Nominee for DDGM for 2013 - Worshipful John "Chum" Springer

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS / MEETINGS DATES

Please Note: Some events are subject to change, please visit the Lodge web site at www.lakedrummond178.org for an up to date listing of events.

Mon	Apr	4	Bethel #11, Job's Daughters, 7:00 PM @ Lake Drummond
Tues	Apr	5	South Norfolk #339 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Wed	Apr	6	Lake Drummond Work Night, 7:00 PM
Thurs	Apr	7	Lake Drummond DARK, to visit Berkley No. 167 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Sat	Apr	9	C. Frank Hicks Area School of Instruction @ Lake Drummond, 8:00 AM
Mon	Apr	11	Victory Chapter #16, OES Stated, 7:30 PM @ Lake Drummond
Tues	Apr	12	14th Annual Ian McLaurin Shipley, Jr. Memorial Golf Tournament, Check in @ 11:00 AM Kiln Creek Golf Club & Resort, 1003 Brick Kiln Blvd., Newport News, VA
Tues	Apr	12	Doric #44 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Thurs	Apr	14	Lake Drummond Stated Communication, 7:00 PM, Dinner 6:00 PM Speaker: Worshipful Jerry M. Walters, Great Bridge #257
Mon	Apr	18	Bethel #11, Job's Daughters, 7:00 PM @ Lake Drummond
Tues	Apr	19	Indian River #252 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Thurs	Apr	21	Lake Drummond Work Night, 7:00 PM, Refreshments 6:00 PM
Fri	Apr	22	Grand Master's Official Visit Districts 36 and 56 (Open Meeting), 6:00 PM SHRINE Khedive Temple
Mon	Apr	25	Victory Chapter #16 OES Stated, 7:30 PM @ Lake Drummond
Tues	Apr	26	Cradock Chapter #72 Stated, 7:30 PM, Covered Dish Dinner 6:30 PM
Wed	Apr	27	Great Bridge #257 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Thurs	Apr	28	Lake Drummond Work Night, 7:00 PM, Refreshments 6:00 PM
Sat	Apr	30	Bar-B-Q Fund Raising Dinner Lake Drummond, noon - 5:00 PM, Tickets @ \$7.00
Mon	May	2	Bethel #11, Job's Daughters, 7:00 PM @ Lake Drummond
Tues	May	3	South Norfolk #339 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Thurs	May	5	Lake Drummond DARK, to visit Berkley No. 167 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Fri	May	6	Bethel No. 11, Job's Daughters Bar-B-Q Fund Raising Dinner 4:00 PM
Mon	May	9	Victory Chapter #16 OES Stated, 7:30 PM @ Lake Drummond
Tues	May	10	Doric #44 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Thurs	May	12	Lake Drummond May Stated Communication, 7:00 PM, Dinner 6:00 PM Speaker - Rt. Wor. William E. "Billy" Irving, DIW 36
Mon	May	16	Bethel #11, Job's Daughters, 7:00 PM @ Lake Drummond
Tues	May	17	Indian River #252 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Thurs	May	19	District Blood Drive @ Lake Drummond, Bloodmobile in parking lot, 1:00 to 6:00 PM

Thurs	May	19	Lake Drummond Work Night, 7:00 PM, Refreshments 6:00 PM
Sat	May	21	Bethel #11, Job's Daughters @ Lake Drummond
Mon	May	23	Victory Chapter #16 OES Stated, 7:30 PM @ Lake Drummond
Tues	May	24	Cradock Chapter #72 Stated, 7:30 PM, Covered Dish Dinner 6:30 PM
Wed	May	25	Great Bridge #257 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Thurs	May	26	Lake Drummond Work Night, 7:00 PM, Refreshments 6:00 PM
Thurs	June	2	Lake Drummond DARK, to visit Berkley No. 167 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Sat	June	4	Allied Masonic Degrees Council No. 155, 7:30 PM
Mon	June	6	Bethel #11, Job's Daughters, 7:00 PM @ Lake Drummond
Tues	June	7	South Norfolk #339 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Thurs	June	9	Lake Drummond Stated Communication, 7:00 PM, Dinner 6:00 PM Speaker: Worshipful Kyle W. Strickland, DBC 36
Mon	June	13	Victory Chapter #16, OES Stated, 7:30 PM @ Lake Drummond
Tues	June	14	Doric #44 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Thurs	June	16	Lake Drummond Work Night, 7:00 PM, Refreshments 6:00 PM
Sat	June	18	Lake Drummond Lodge Family Picnic, 12 - 3 PM Lodge members and their families
Mon	June	20	Bethel #11, Job's Daughters, 7:00 PM @ Lake Drummond
Tues	June	21	Indian River #252 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Wed	June	22	Great Bridge #257 Stated, 7:30 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM
Thurs	June	23	Lake Drummond Work Night, 7:00 PM, Refreshments 6:00 PM
Fri	June	24	Lake Drummond Third Annual Golf Tournament, Sleepy Hole Golf Course, Suffolk, VA Tee Time: Sign in @ 11:30 AM, Shotgun Start @ 1:00 PM
Sun	June	26	Lake Drummond to visit Deep Creek United Methodist Church, 10:30 AM St. John the Baptist Day
Mon	June	27	Victory Chapter #16 OES Stated, 7:30 PM @ Lake Drummond
Tues	June	28	Cradock Chapter #72 Stated, 7:30 PM, Covered Dish Dinner 6:30 PM
Thurs	June	30	Lake Drummond Family Night Covered Dish Supper, 6:00 PM Open to all Lodge members and their families

*The Rt. Wor. Robert Reardon, 36th District, Ritual School
is Dark the Months of July, August and December
and will meet every Monday, 7:00 pm at Indian River No. 252, thereafter

MEETING HOURS:

Lodge - 7:00 PM • R. A. Chapter - 7:30 PM • Victory Chapter - 7:30 PM • Job's Daughters - 7:00 PM

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F.L. Younger, Sr., PDDGM	1970	R.S. Best	1985	K.T. Decker, Sr., PDDGM	1993	W.R. Manier	2005
J.R. Gray, Sr.	1973	J.V. Matthews, Jr., PDDGM-NC	1986	W.R. Manier	1995	R. G. McEvoy	2006
J.E. Morgan, Sr., PDDGM	1974	L.P. Fields	1987	R.L. Elrod	1997	K.T. Decker, Sr.	2007
J.H. Matthews	1979	C.R. Jefferson	1988	P.W. Morley, Jr.	1998	R.D. Reed	2008
S.D. Archer	1981	M.B. Joyner	1989	H.C. Slaughter	2000	K.W. Strickland	2009
R.B. Holmes	1982	G.E. Brown	1990	R.L. McDaniel	2001	K.E. Stephens, Jr.	2010
E.C. Whitlock, PDDGM	1983	K.P. Strickland	1991	E. E. Walters, Sr.	2002		

LIVING MEMBERS WHO ARE PAST MASTERS OF OTHER MASONIC LODGES

R.L. Williams, Jr.	Oregon Military #223, Germany	1967	J.V. Matthews, Jr., PDDGM-NC	Garland #664, NC	1997-2001
J.A. Bass	Harmony #149	1969	J.D. Royals, Jr.	Prudie #170	2007, 2011
C.E. Kight, PDDGM	Naval #100	1978			

LIVING AFFILIATED MEMBERS WHO ARE PAST MASTERS OF OTHER MASONIC LODGES

B. R. Faulkner, PDDGM - SC	SC - Solomon's, #1	1976 & 1999	R.G. "Rick" Underdown	Campbell #316	1981
	SC - Old Fort #420	1981 & 1982	R. Dominguez, Jr.	MA Village #26	1998
R.M. Lowery	Corinthian #266	1979 & 2007			

LIVING FIFTY/SIXTY-YEAR MEMBERS

G.C. Freeman	1938-2008	J.H. G. Spindler	1952-2002	R.B. Barham	1957-2007	R.A. Ashley, Jr.	1960-2010
G.L. Lutz	1943-2003	R. P. Nelson	1953-2003	T.J. Summerour	1957-2007	J.S. Forbes	1960-2010
M.S. Block	1943-2003	T.L. Brown	1950-2004	W.E. Winslow	1957-2007	A.S. Atwood, Sr.	1961-2011
O.L. Baumgartner	1945-2005	C.J. Robinson	1954-2004	C.R. Young	1957-2007	E.V. Wiggins, Jr.	1961-2011
E.C. White	1946-2006	R.L. Williams, Jr.	1954-2004	Dr. E.C. Lyons, Jr.	1958-2008	B.W. Parrish	1961-2011
W.L. Conner	1947-2007	J.A. Dietrich	1955-2005	R.M. Jennings	1958-2008	E.L. Baynor	1961-2011
H.J. "Pete" Kidd	1947-2007	T.E. Thornton	1955-2005	F.G. Ballance	1958-2008	C.R. Gibbs	1961-2011
F. Forbes, Jr.	1948-2008	R.L. Templeton	1956-2006	W.W. Yau, Jr.	1958-2008	D.E. Wheelbarger	1961-2011
H.P. Affeldt	1949-2009	G.W. Renfrow, Sr.	1956-2006	J.H. Reid, Sr.	1959-2009	L.W. Kight, Jr.	1961-2011
H.E. Spiers, Jr.	1951-2011	J.C. Simons	1956-2006	K.E. Stephens, Sr.	1959-2009	J.A. Bass	1961-2011
R.R. Jones	1951-2011	A.B. How	1956-2006	E.E. Walters, Sr.	1959-2009	E.E. Powers	1961-2011
J.H. Phillabaum	1951-2011	A.B. Sawyer, Sr.	1957-2007	W.C. "Bill" Meiggs, Jr.	1960-2010		
H.E. Boomhower	1951-2011	F.L. Younger, Sr.	1957-2007	L.K. Hartung	1960-2010		