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NASHUA, NEW HAMPSHIRE

The Month's AYL Events

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**AYL Special Communication
Official DDGM Visitation
Tuesday, October 4, 2016**

Dinner at 6:30 PM; Lodge at 7:30 PM

**AYL October Stated Communication
Tuesday, October 11, 2016**

Dinner at **6:10 PM**; Lodge at 7:30 PM

**Nashua Masonic Open House
Saturday, October 15, 2016**

Breakfast from 8-10a; Open House 9a-3pm
Attendance and assistance requested!

From The East

Brethren,

What a whirlwind last few weeks we have had in Masonry! There have been some wonderful and historic events that have taken place in the last few weeks.

On Tuesday, September 27, Bro. Peter Bouchard was Passed to the degree of Fellow Craft at the Pelham Masonic Temple, home to Pulpit Rock Lodge No. 103. Our Brother received a wonderful degree led by our Senior Warden, Bro. Ryan Flynn as Master. After which, we listened to a fantastic lecture by Bro. Matthew 'Doc' Perry, Director of the Museum at Fort Adams, Newport, R.I., who offered evidence associated with early 15th century settlement of the Narragansett Bay, rune stones and the Newport Tower.

Several of us were lucky to witness the bicentennial rededication of the NH State House cornerstone. Approximately 250 Masons were there from around the state and several other jurisdictions. Honored guest speakers included our Governor.

In the weeks ahead of us, we will have a number of events including our DDGM Visitation on 10/4, our Stated Communication on 10/11, and our Open House on 10/15. Please see more below on the Open House.

At dinner and before our Stated Communication, we will be welcoming staff from Bridges, which provides domestic & sexual violence support for members of the Nashua and Milford communities. *Please note the earlier start time of dinner, 6:10PM as we will be presenting a donation from Nashua Freemasons before we open Lodge.* We will also be presenting a video on the Bektash Shrine Clowns which features Bro. Ron Laterza.

A final note Brethren, be constantly practicing Brotherly Love. Always give the Brother the benefit of the doubt and remember that someone may be undergoing struggles of which you are not aware. Treat them with kindness and understanding.

Sincerely & Fraternally,
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Your 2016 Officers

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AYL / District 2 Calendar

10/4 AYL DDGM Visitation, Nashua, 6:30pm
10/11 AYL October Stated Communication, 6:10pm dinner
10/15 Nashua Masonic Open House, 8am - 3pm
10/20 Spicket Lodge DDGM Visitation, 6:30pm
10/22 MM Education Seminar, Nashua. 9-3pm.
10/27 District 2 Master's Class, Manchester, 6:30pm
10/29 Tri-State State Masonic Social Gathering, Attleboro, MA, 4PM
11/1 Washington Lodge DDGM Visitation, 6:30pm
11/8 AYL November Stated and Military Vets Celebration, Nashua, 6:30pm.
11/9 Lafayette-Bible DDGM Visitation, 6:30pm
11/19 GL of NH Semi-Annual Communication
11/29 AYL EA Degree (TENTATIVE), 6:30pm dinner
12/1 Masters & Wardens Meeting, Pelham, 6:30pm
12/5 Pulpit Rock DDGM Visitation, 6:30pm
12/10 AYL Christmas Party, Henry Household, 5pm
12/13 AYL December Stated Communication (Officer Elections), 6:30pm
12/14 Rising Sun DDGM Visitation, 6:30pm
12/16 AYL Monarchs Hockey Outing, 7pm

Nashua Masonic Open House

Nashua has some great programs for our Annual Open House on **Sat., 10/15** and we need your help!, or to answer visitors questions, we would love to have you represent your Lodge. Please contact the Master, Senior Deacon, or Treasurer if you are available to assist. Please tell your friends, family, and coworkers about the event. We have flyers available and ask for help in distributing them. A digital copy is available at <http://www.ancientyork89.org/nashua-masonic-bodies-host-open-house/>. The schedule of the days events is below and we look forward to seeing you there!

8 - 10AM Pancake Breakfast, Free.

10 AM A History of Masonry in Nashua and the Nashua Masonic Building by Bob Bianchi of Rising Sun Lodge

11 AM An open Q&A Session with representatives from all of Nashua's Masonic Bodies.

1 PM A talk by Bro. Ryan Flynn of Ancient York Lodge, discussing the genesis of operative medieval Masonic Guilds to "speculative" modern Freemasonry.

October Masonic Birthdays

Joseph J.H. Beaumont, PM, DDGM, 34 Years
Howard S. Ehrlich, 15 Years
Tony Zanichkowsky, 6 Years

Master Mason Education Seminar, 10/22

A great day of Masonic Light conducted by the Grand Lodge of NH Education Committee covering Masonic History, ritual evolution, Lodge protocol, and more. Taking place in Nashua on Sat. 10/22 from 9-3PM. Cost: \$25 with new raised Masons free. Contact Bro. Paul Gross at deo4@nhgrandlodge.org for more info.

ATTENTION: NOV STATED PROGRAM

AYL is having a special program at our November Stated Communication (11/8) for our Military Veterans. Dinner will be free for all Brothers who have served. and we will have a few special programs with a short business meeting. Bro. Flynn will be presenting on Bro. Audie Murphy and the evening will include specific recognition and presentations to Vets. If you are a Vet and have not already spoken with him or you wish to RSVP to attend, please contact Worshipful Bro. Busby at (603) 809-3189 or master@ancientyork89.org as soon as possible.

Manchester Monarchs Hockey Outing, 12/16

Bro. Ryan Flynn has reserved a luxury suite for the Friday, December 16 game against the Elmira Jackals. Tickets are \$32 per person, which includes food. There is a limit of 32 tickets, so please purchase early! You may purchase tickets online at <http://www.ancientyork89.org/shop/> or at Lodge with our Secretary. The game starts at 7pm; and car pooling will be available from the Park and Ride at Exit 7 in Nashua. We look forward to seeing you at what will prove to be a fun night of fellowship!

Save the Date! AYL Christmas Party, 12/10

Worshipful Brother Michael Henry and his lovely wife Gail will be hosting the annual Christmas Party in Nashua on Saturday, 12/10 starting at 5pm. This will be a potluck event with a gift swap similar to last year. This is a family event and children, spouses and significant others are encouraged to attend. Stay tuned for more information.