

#### The Month's Events

AYL September Stated Communication Tuesday, September 8, 2015 Dinner at 6:30 PM; Lodge opens at 7:30 PM

AYL Special Communication Official Visitation of the DDGM

**Tuesday, September 22, 2015**Dinner at 6:30 PM; Lodge opens at 7:30 PM

AYL Officer's Meeting @ Bro. Henry's Tuesday, September 29, 2015, 7PM.

2nd Masonic Dist. Lodge of Instruction Friday, October 2, 2015 Dinner at 6:30PM; GL opens at 7:30PM

#### **Your 2015 Officers**

Worshipful Master Senior Warden **Junior Warden** Treasurer Associate Treasurer Secretary Associate Secretary Chaplain Associate Chaplain Senior Deacon **Junior Deacon** Senior Steward **Junior Steward** Marshal Organist Historian Tvler Trustee Grand Lodge Rep.

Christopher J. Busby Ryan J. Flynn Richard L. Jones Harold A. Brodell Stephen K. Bahsler, PM Thomas S. Lowe, PM David B. Molnar, PM Michael S. Henry, PM Ronald J. LaTerza Christopher H. Fowler Michael R. Mader Gary D. Waters, Jr. Aaron P. Ladner Shane L. Bertrand Joseph R. Olefirowicz Edmund E. Correa, PM S. Jack Brenner Harold A. Brodell Adam J. Freiband

#### From The East

Brethren,

I hope you all had a great summer, and are looking forward to getting back in the full swing of things with Lodge and the District.

I regret to begin with some very sad news. Worshipful Bro. David B. Molnar, Past Master of Rising Sun Lodge and our Associate Secretary departed this life on Wednesday, August 26, 2015 after a lengthy battle with cancer. His service will be at Davis Funeral Home in Nashua on Tuesday, September 1, 2015 at 7:30pm. Until we meet again in the Celestial Lodge, my Brother!

Congratulations to **Brother Zane Sundquist!** He was raised to the Sublime Degree of Master Mason on August 11, 2015. We know that he will be an active and engaged Brother and welcome him officially to our Lodge!

We are officially entering our Visitation season. Brethren, I would strongly encourage you to d travel with the Brethren of your Lodge. There is very little as enlightening and as fulfilling as visiting other Lodges and meeting new Brothers! Please do all that you can to attend our visitation on Tuesday the 22nd. Let's carry on Worshipful Henry's tradition of tremendous participation!

That being said, I will be making new extrajurisdictional visits this month, and I hope you can attend. The installation of officers at Waltham Triad Lodge in Newton, MA on Sat., Sept. 19 and a Master Mason Degree at Jenks Lodge No. 24 in Pawtucket, RI on Mon., Sept 28. Please let me know if you can make either one!

We also have our Lodge of Instruction in Nashua on October 2. Additional information is below.

In October, we will conduct our Stated Meeting on Tuesday the 13 at William Pitt Tavern. We will have dinner starting at 6:30pm at the Portsmouth temple and have a special guest speaker. Lodge will open at 7:30pm at the Tavern.

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### From The East (Con't)

An important event takes place on on Saturday, October 24, we will have our unique "Veteran's and Special Ladies at the Table. Tickets are \$21.00 for non-honorees. All Masons and their significant others are encouraged to attend. It promises to be a fun night! Tickets are available online at <a href="http://www.ancientyork89.org">http://www.ancientyork89.org</a> or please call R∴ W∴ Lowe or myself. Our Grand Master will be in attendance.

As always, if you need anything or would like to assist the Lodge, please feel free to contact me at any time.

Sincerely & Fraternally,

W∴ Christopher J. Busby, Master (603) 809-3189; master@ancientyork89.org

*Attest:* **R**∴ **W**∴ **Thomas S. Lowe, PM,** *Secretary* (978) 210-8203; <u>secretary@ancientyork89.org</u>

## Proposed By-Laws Change - Musician and Associate Musician

A By-Law change was proposed at the June 9, 2015 Stated Communication by Brother Ryan J. Flynn to change Organist to Musician and add an Associate Musician. This will be voted on at our Sept Stated. ARTICLE II Section 1. The Officers and Standing Committees of this Lodge shall be ranked and titled as follows: 15. Musician 16. Associate Musician.

Section 16. Musician and Associate Musician It shall be the duty of the Musician to utilize the talents at their command, to enhance the charm and dignity of the work of the Lodge with music.

#### Masonic Discussions At Our Stated

Our our September Stated Communication, Bro. Aaron Ladner will share reflections regarding his experience at Masonic Restoration Foundation Symposium in Philadelphia. W : Ed Correa. will speak about Bro. George Washington, and W : Ed Bro. Busby will be covering two very important topics.

## **Finance Committee Recommendation**

The Finance Committee has recommended an increase of \$3 in dues in 2016. \$160 for Dues (\$107 Lodge, \$43.00 GL Per Capita, \$10 MBA Assessment). Our petition fee will remain unchanged at \$225. A vote on this will take place at the September Stated Communication.

July, August & September Masonic Birthdays Robert A. Baer, PM, 58

Charles E. Olander, 38

Michael S. Henry, 37

Andrew L. McLaughlin, 22 Carlos A. Fonseca, 12

Harold A. Brodell, 11

Adam J. Freiband, 8

## 2015 District No. 2 Visitations

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

12/9 Wed, Rising Sun Lodge, Nashua

9/9 Wed, Lafayette-Bible Lodge, Goffstown 9/22 Tue, Ancient York Lodge, Nashua 10/5 Mon, Jewell Lodge, Suncook 10/27 Tue, Washington Lodge, Manchester 10/29 Thu, Spicket Lodge, Salem 11/23 Mon, St. Mark's Lodge, Derry 11/30 Mon, Pulpit Rock Lodge, Pelham

# 2nd District Lodge of Instruction

The 2nd Masonic District Lodge of Instruction takes place on Friday Evening, October 2 in Nashua. Dinner begins at 6:30pm and Grand Lodge opens at 7:30pm. The Grand Master requests that the Master, Wardens, Treasurer and Secretary of the Lodge as well as all Master Masons raised since September 1, 2014 attend this Communication. All officers are requested by me to attend and all Master Masons are welcome. Grand officers will be conducting several Masonic Education programs. The Grand Lodge Education Committee will be in attendance with their book table, and book sales begin at 5:30pm. If you are unable to attend in Nashua, the 3rd District LOI occurs on the following day, Saturday, Oct 3 in Milford. Meal at 6:30; Grand Lodge Opens at 7.

## AYL / 2nd District Upcoming Events

9/3 Master's & Warden's Association, Derry
9/22 AYL Official Visitation
10/2 2nd District Lodge of Instruction, Nashua
10/13 AYL October Stated - William Pitt Tavern
10/17 NH Statewide Masonic Open House

10/24 AYL Veterans & Special Ladies at the Table