

# The Beehive

November, 2017 A.D.; 6017 A.L

Nashua, New Hampshire

Greetings from the East,

As you can see from our schedule, we are incredibly busy this month. It's fantastic to see the lodge being so active. We have a new member who will be receiving his EA degree this month, another two who are affiliating, our candidates are being active and supportive. I truly feel that the lodge has become closer than ever these past months and it is fantastic to see. Let's keep up the good work: Officers, work on your ritual, and as always try to understand it as well as you memorize it, and Brothers on the sideline, please keep attending! Your presence in lodge is just as important as the officers.

Fraternally,

Ryan J. Flynn

Worshipful Master

## Open House & Holiday Stroll

In October we held our annual open house at the Temple. We had a small turnout of guests who asked great questions and ended up with a brother seeking affiliation.

The Open House generates interest but not as much as the Holiday Stroll. The stroll is always the Saturday night after Thanksgiving. We will be holding an open house during the event. If you can, please help us by assisting us in answering questions and touring the many guests that we expect that evening.

If you are willing to assist, please reach out to Wor. Busby at [secretary@ancientyork89.org](mailto:secretary@ancientyork89.org) or Bro. Harold Brodell at [treasurer@ancientyork89.org](mailto:treasurer@ancientyork89.org).

### 2017 Lodge Officers

<i>Worshipful Master</i>	<i>Ryan J. Flynn</i>
<i>Senior Warden</i>	<i>Michael S. Henry, PM</i>
<i>Junior Warden</i>	<i>Michael R. Mader</i>
<i>Treasurer / Trustee</i>	<i>Harold A. Brodell</i>
<i>Associate Treasurer</i>	<i>Stephen K. Bahsler, PM</i>
<i>Secretary</i>	<i>Oliver P. Frates, PM</i>
<i>Associate Secretary</i>	<i>Thomas S. Lowe, PM</i>
<i>Chaplain</i>	<i>Ronald J. LaTerza</i>
<i>Senior Deacon</i>	<i>Gary D. Waters, Jr.</i>
<i>Junior Deacon</i>	<i>Aaron P. Ladner</i>
<i>Senior Steward</i>	<i>Tyler R. Crosson</i>
<i>Marshal / Historian</i>	<i>Christopher J. Busby, PM</i>
<i>Tyler</i>	<i>S. Jack Brenner</i>

### November Masonic Birthdays

Thomas Cott .....	61 Years
Henry A. Demanche .....	59 Years
Robin A. Guthrie .....	43 Years
Bernard A. Reagan .....	32 Years
Robert E. Bergevin .....	25 Years
Christopher D. Fickett.....	12 Years
Douglas L. Krailo.....	12 Years
Carlos E. Campos .....	10 Years
Joseph R. Olefirowicz .....	15 Years
Aaron P. Ladner .....	4 Years
Gary D. Waters, Jr. ....	4 Years
Tyler R. Crosson .....	3 Years
Jason J. Merrill .....	3 Years



## Upcoming AYL Events

**November, 7<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

### **Officer Meeting/Rehearsal**

Meeting at 6:45 at the Temple to go over EA Degree floor work

**November, 14<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

### **Stated Communication**

Dinner at 6:30pm, Lodge opens on the EA at 7:30pm. Education for the night will be a discussion will be on the upcoming votes at Grand Lodge, and on lodge elections.

**November, 18<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

### **Grand Lodge Communication**

Masonic Temple in Manchester. All Masters, Wardens and Grand Lodge Reps are required to attend. All other Master Masons welcome.

**November, 25<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

### **Nashua Holiday Stroll**

There will be an open house during the Holiday Stroll, we will need volunteers to be at the temple during the event to answer questions and tour guests.

**November, 28<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

### **EA Degree**

Dinner at 6:30pm, Lodge opens on the EA at 7:30pm. All able bodied members of Ancient York Lodge are expected to attend.

**November, 29<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

### **Rising Sun Visitation**

Dinner at 6:30pm, Lodge opens on the Master Mason Degree at 7:30pm.

**December, 8<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

### **Friday Night Fellow Craft Degree**

Dinner at 6:00pm Lodge opens on the FC at 7:00. After lodge, we will be inviting our significant others to join us for drinks at Fratellos.

## Lodge Elections in December

As a reminder, the election of officers is held each December at our stated communication. If you are an officer, please let the Worshipful Master (who is seeking re-election) know if you are officially seeking re-election or stepping out of line. Also, if you are interested in becoming an officer, please reach out to the Master. He will not appoint an officers position to anyone who has not asked for it.

## 2018 Dues

In our October Stated Communication it was voted to keep the dues at the same rate of \$170 per year. We have set up a paypal link on our website for easy payments. As always, if you are having trouble making payments or are in need of help from the lodge, do not hesitate to call Wor. Flynn at 978.996.8881 or email him at master@ancientyork89.org.

## Quote of the Month

**Only I can change my life, no one else can do it for me**

*-Carol Burnett*



Ancient York was fortunate to have seven Past Masters of the Lodge in attendance at our official visitation in October.

## Masonic Trivia of the Month:

**This Past Master of Faith and Friendship Lodge #270 in Berkeley, England will most likely will go down as the Mason who has saved the most lives.-Answer in next issue**

*Last Months Answer: Missouri*

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