

Brethren,

I would like to take this opportunity to thank one of the Brethren who put a new American flag on our Lodge flag pole. For more than 200 years, the American flag has been the symbol of our nation's strength and unity. It's a source of pride and inspiration for millions of citizens. And the American flag has been a prominent icon in our national history. On June 14, 1777, in order to establish an official flag for the new nation, the Continent Congress passed the first flag Act: "Resolved that the flag of the United States be made of thirteen stripes, alternated red and white; that the union be thirteen stars, white in a blue field, representing a new constellation.

Today the flag consists of thirteen horizontal stripes, seven red alternating with 6 white. The stripes represent the original 13 colonies; the stars represent the 50 states of the union. The colors of the flag are symbolical as well: Red symbolizes Hardiness and Valor, White symbolizes Purity and Innocence and Blue represents Vigilance, Perseverance and Justice.

Fraternally,
Forrest A. Andrews
Worshipful Master

Brethren: We have received word that RW Brother William H. Goshen is presently at: North Cape May Center, 700 Townbank Road; Room 211-A; North Cape May, NJ 08204. Telephone # 609-884-3446. A call, card or visit would be appreciated.

MISSED APRIL MASONIC BIRTHDAY

Edward J. Parabych 4/4/1978

MASONIC BIRTHDAYS MAY

Brethren, please note: The following dates are for your date of raising not your date of birth.

William Allen	5/22/1964	Daniel LaFerrier	5/27/1966
Earl Banks	5/27/1955	Gary Lee	5/10/1983
Robert Berry	5/24/2002	Richard Lorence	5/14/2004
Charles Bowker	5/2/1963	William Nichols	5/28/1974
Charles Dayton Jr	5/23/1989	Jonathan Pacs	5/31/1996
Gerard Dowd Jr	5/31/1996	Norman H. Peek	5/22/1970
David Exel	5/11/1985	Kenneth Peplow	5/4/2001
Bruce Ferguson	5/27/1977	Walter Phifer	5/4/2001
Dreu Ferguson	5/27/1977	Gary Read	5/31/1996
Wilbert Goodwin	5/27/1960	Wayne Rodney	5/23/1991
Richard Gruff	5/24/1977	Charles Sparks	5/25/1979
Kurt Haywood	5/25/1979	Brian Thomas	5/25/1990
Donald Heer	5/24/2002	Lewis Tomlin	5/23/1989
William Herman Sr	5/25/1990	Charles Vetter	5/21/1966
Augustus Hudson	5/26/1978	Richard Weber	5/1/1998
Harry Hunter	5/27/1960	Marvin White	5/30/1980
Walter R. Johnson	5/25/1956	Robert Willis	5/4/2001
John Keeler	5/18/1977		

MOST WORSHIPFUL JOHN S. RYAN

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My Brother, you are cordially invited to attend the following communications:

REGULAR COMMUNICATION

Friday, May 4, 2007 – 7:30 PM – Business meeting. Masonic Birthdays. Refreshments.

EMERGENT COMMUNICATIONS

Friday, May 11, 2007 – 7:30PM – The Entered Apprentice Degree will be conferred upon Mr. John H. Gainfort. Refreshments.

Friday, May 18, 2007 – 7:30PM – The Fellow Craft Degree will be conferred upon Brothers Entered Apprentice Brian Scott Smith, Willis Wareham. Refreshments.

Friday, May 25, 2007 – 7:30PM – The Master Mason Degree will be conferred upon Brothers Fellow Craft James Burllew, Herman Campbell and Carlos Nieves.

OFFICERS REHEARSAL – 7:00 PM

Officers are required to attend and members are always welcome.

May 1, 3, 8, 10, 15, 22, 24, 2007

DATES TO REMEMBER

Wednesday, May 9, 2007 - 7:30PM – District Lodge of Instruction at Shekinah Lodge #58, Millville. Final Rehearsal for Grand Lodge of Instruction. Officers are required to attend, brethren are welcome.

Thursday, May 17, 2007 - 6:45PM - Grand Lodge of Instruction at Shekinah Lodge #58, Millville. Dinner 6:00PM.

Sunday May 20, 2007 - 9:30 AM – Shekinah Lodge’s Annual Church Visitation at the New Jersey Veterans Memorial Home, Vineland, NJ.

Sunday, May 20, 2007 - 9:00 AM - Registration - 8:00 AM – ARC Walk-A-Thon at Parvin State Park, Almond Rd. (Rt. 540), Centerton, NJ. Volunteers needed, report 8:00AM at main (beach) entrance.

Monday, May 28, 2007 – Millville’s Annual Memorial Day Parade. Meet 8:30 AM at the American Legion Nabb-Leslie Post #82, Buck & Mulberry Sts. Millville.

Friday, June 1, 2007 - 6:30 PM Dinner - 7:30 PM Meeting – Shekinah Lodge’s Gold Token and Annual Awards Night. Open to family and friends, 25, 50 & 60 year awards.

Saturday, June 2, 2007 - 8 AM to 8 PM – Bus trip to the House of the Temple Washington, D.C. and George Washington Masonic National Memorial, Alexandria, VA. Open to members, their families and friends Ticket \$40.00per person and includes dinner at the Memorial. See any officer for more info/reservation.

Attest: **Ronald N. Spiels, PGC, Sec’y**

THE MASONIC SERVICE ASSOCIATION EVENTS

New Jersey Veterans Memorial Home, Vineland, NJ

Please contact Richard Reynolds if you could assist

at any of these events – 696-5038

CHAPEL ESCORT – EVERY SUNDAY AT 9:30AM

BINGO

(All times 6:30 to 8:30 PM)

Wednesday, May 30, 2007 / Main Auditorium

OFFICERS FOR 2007

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BRIAN MAKOS	Jr. Master of Ceremonies
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JAMES E. STITES	Junior Steward
ROBERT THORNBOROUGH, PGC	Marshal
HAMMOND T. FERGUSON	Organist
BELFORD J. RIGGINS, PM	Historian
MILTON MOROZ, PJGD	Tyler
RONALD N. SPIELS, PGC	Director of Work
ROBERT J. RIGGINS, PM	Asst. Director of Work
HARRY S. HOFFMAN	Proxy to G/L

TRUSTEES

James F. Eager - 1 yr.
George Carty, PM - 2 yrs.
C. Randall Quay, PDDGM - 3 yrs.

WAYS & MEANS COMMITTEE

George Carty, PM, Chmn.
E. Lee Myers, PGC
Joseph Moroz, SW

RELIEF & SICK COMMITTEE

Paul E. Lokey, Chmn.
Joseph Moroz, SW
Robert Thornborough, PGC

RITUAL COMMITTEE

Ronald N. Spiels, PGC
Robert J. Riggins, PM

KITCHEN COMMITTEE

Stewards
Masters of Ceremonies

AUDIT & BUDGET COMMITTEE

Marvin White, PM, Chmn.
William Moore, II
J. Roy Oliver, PM

BLOOD BANK (Account #4582)

George Carty, PM, Chmn.
James E. Stites

HOUSE COMMITTEE

James Hines, Chmn.
Harry Hoffman, Co-Chmn.
James E. Stites

LIVING PAST MASTERS

Frank B. Lutz 1943	J. Douglass Abdill 1978	Howard J. Young, PGC 1992
Charles F. Finch 1952	Russell C. Parsons, Sr. 84-1978	E. Lee Myers, PGC 1993
Robert T. Shannon 1955	Robert L. Davidson 1979	William S. Davis 1993
William S. Stagg, Jr. 1961	J. Roy Oliver 1980	Robert Thornborough, PGC 1994
Milton Moroz, PJGD* 05-1964	George Carty 1981	Richard A. Hinckley 1994
James S. Wylie 1965	Leonard R. Potter, Jr. 1982	Brian A. Thomas 1995
Robert D. Barber, PGC 1966	John G. Keeler, PGC 1982	David E. Exel 1996
Donald B. Pike 1969	Randall C. Quay 1982	Wm. Anthony Loteck 1997
William H. Goshen, PGLT 1970	Paul N. Pantelis 1983	Brian N. Myers 1999
C. Randall Quay, PDDGM 1970	Kirk A. Karrer 1985	Richard C. Panas 2000
Russell A. Roberts, PGC 1971	Marvin White 1986	Bruce Ferguson, DRI 2001
Robert F. Andrews 1973	Gary R. Lawson 88-1987	Edward Galiagher 2001
William H. Stiles 1975	Richard Weber* 93-92-89-88-1987	James L. Sheats 2002
Ronald N. Spiels, PGC 91-1976	Robert A. Tesoroni, Jr., PGC 1988	Belford J. Riggins 2004
Robert W. Karrer, PGC 89-1976	Terry L. Sherman, PGC* 89-1988	H. Stu Harris, IV 2006
Norman H. Peek, PDDGM 90-1977	Floyd G. Taylor 1989	
Frank B. Camp 87-1977	Robert J. Riggins 1991	

*Affiliated *Dual

HONORARY MEMBERS

Edgar N. Peppler, PGM

Morgan T. Morris, Jr., PGM

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