



Scottish Rite Bulletin

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"THE VALLEY OF TERRE HAUTE"

MARCH 2006

MARK YOUR CALANDERS

Sinfonietta Band March 12, 3:00 p.m.
 Crossroads of America Youth Orchestra March 19, 7:30, p.m.
 The Robe March 31 & April 1, 7:30 p.m.
 The Robe April 2, 2:30 P.M.
 Feast of the Pascal Lamb April 9, 3:00 p.m.
 Spring Convocation April 21, 22, 28, 29
 Installation of Officers May 13, 6:00 p.m.
 Bean Dinner May 19, 5:00 p.m.
 Crossroads of America Youth Orchestra May 21, 7:30, p.m.

YOU'RE INVITED!! 'THE ROBE'

THE VALLEY OF TERRE HAUTE SCOTTISH RITE HIPPODROME IS IN GREAT NEED OF RESTORATION AND WE NEED YOUR HELP.

THE VALLEY IS STAGING A PRODUCTION OF
'THE ROBE'

FRIDAY, MARCH 31ST AT 7:00 P.M

SAT. , APRIL 1ST AT 7:00 P.M.

SUNDAY, APRIL 2ND AT 2:30 P.M.

ALL PROCEEDS WILL BENEFIT THE RESTORATION OF THIS 1915 CATHEDRAL ABUILDING. TO ALL MEMBERS AND GUESTS, YOUR DUES CARD WILL PROVIDE SEATING FOR THE SUNDAY PERFORMANCE ONLY. YOU WILL HAVE TO MAKE RESERVATIONS BY MARCH 27TH. CALL THE OFFICE 812-234-3761.

TICKETS ARE \$10.00 FOR THE GENERAL PUBLIC AND \$5.00 CHILDREN UNDER 12.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT,
JERRY BURNS, MSA, 33

Applications Now Available for the Scottish Rite Scholarship Program *Eligibility Requirements*

Applicants for scholarships must be children or grandchildren of Scottish Rite Masons, or, be members of youth organizations sponsored by the Masonic Fraternity, (DeMolay, Rainbow or Job's Daughters).

This is open to any college student or graduating senior of a public or private secondary school.

Time is short, if you know of a deserving student, secure an application immediately.

Applications available from the Office of the Secretary.

Secretary MUST receive completed applications by April 1st.

MEMBERSHIP CORNER

It is March and many things will be rapidly approaching. Be sure and check the upcoming events on the Calendar. There will be several County Membership Meetings coming up. These are always fun and is the perfect opportunity to bring either a Brother Mason or a possible future Brother to. Every meeting that is sponsored by the Rite is always enjoyable. The Rite is more than the building at 8th and Ohio, it is a gathering of men who enjoy each other's company, and share camaraderie. The most important part of these meetings for a guest is the fact that the Brethren attending this function are genuinely glad that they are there. Membership doesn't take arm twisting, it just takes a little effort to get people out to attend these functions.

Remember their meal is free and so is yours if you brought the guest. This is also true for the guest's spouse if the meeting is for couples, which many of them are.

Keep in mind the other benefits of top lining petitions. With three top lined petitions you will receive a check for your dues. Six or more petitions put you in the Diamond Pin Club, and if you top line 5 or more for this convocation and have the most of anyone, then you will receive the Master's Cup Award.

One final thought for this convocation. This convocation is named for Louis P. Dunagan, Past Master, MSA, and 33rd Degree. I had the honor and privilege of knowing "Chick" and on a Saturday afternoon in October 1983, Chick raised me to the Sublime Degree of a Master Mason. I hope that we can have a large and successful Convocation to honor the Memory of this Man.

Thank you for taking the time to read this. Support your Blue Lodge and please support the Scottish Rite, Valley of Terre Haute.

Chuck Reed
Membership Chairman

COUNTY MEMBERSHIP MEETING DATES

March, 10 **Park County**
 March, 13 **Owen County**
 March 15, **Greene County**
 March, 21 **Putnam County**
 March 24, **Vermillion County**
 April, 7 **Clay County**
 April, 15 **Fountain/Warren**

Black Powder Shoot Coming up May 20 9:00 A.M.

Its getting closer. Hold steady. This is your chance. Is it a 14 point buck coming into view, a prize elk on a distant ridge? No its something thats more fun and easier to do.

Attend the Black Powder shoot May 20th at the Buck Creek Black Powder Club.

It's a short drive to the Club, located near Linton, maps will be available at the office.

The shooting is fun, the food excelent, all with plenty of good times. Think about getting a shot at a bright orange target thats about 50 yards away and almost completely obscured by leaves. By the way the target is S shaped.

Now you're getting the sight picture. Come share the fun, either shooting or making suggestion to the shooters. See you there.

CHAPTER OF ROSE CROIX TO HOLD MEMORIAL

FEAST OF THE PASCAL LAMB TO BE CELEBRATED SUNDAY, APRIL 9 AT 3:00

TERRY J. MILLER AND THE OFFICERS OF THE HORACE E. TUNE CHAPTER OF ROSE CROIX EXTEND A CORDIAL INVITATION TO ALL MEMBERS, THEIR FAMILIES AND INVITED GUESTS TO ATTEND THE PRE-EASTER OBSERVANCE OF THE FEAST OF THE PASCAL LAMB, HERE-TO-FORE CALLED MAUNDY-THURSDAY. THIS BEAUTIFUL AND TRADITIONAL SERVICE IS PRELIMINARY TO THE EASTER SEASON AND IS THE OCCASION WHEN THE SCOTTISH RITE REMEMBERS THE DECEASED BROTHERS WHOM WE HAVE LOST DURING THE PAST YEAR. SPECIAL INVITATIONS WILL BE MAILED TO THE FAMILIES OF THE DECEASED, AND PROGRAMS WILL BE GIVEN OUT AT THE DOOR. APPROPRIATE MUSIC AND SONGS BY THE SCOTTISH RITE CHOIR WILL BE FEATURED.

Membership Dinner at Vermillion Co.

On March 24th you are invited to attend a Membership Dinner at Vermillion Co. The location is at the Lions Den south of Clinton, the menu will be the tradional Catfish. A social hour will start at 6 PM with dinner at 7 PM. Please call the Scottish Rite and let them know you will be attending, an accurate headcount will help with planning. Candidates and their sponsors eat free. This is an opportunity to introduce a friend to our good times and fellowship. Bring a friend, this may be your best chance to introduce him to Masonry.

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Please Remember these families in your prayers.

"Simply Tasty"

Garlic Cheese Spread
Yields 2 cups

1 8-oz. pkg. Cream Cheese
1 8-oz. jar Cheez Whiz
3/4 teaspoon garlic powder
1/8 teaspoon seasoned salt
1/8 teaspoon pepper

Combine all ingredients and beat with a hand mixer for 2 minutes or until smooth. Serve with freshly toasted French bread.

Annual Bean Dinner EARLY NOTICE PLAN NOW

May is a Great Month
May is filled with fun things to do.
The Indy 500, draws big crowds to Indianapolis.
Attend another crowd pleaser draws Scottish Rite Masons and their friends to Terre Haute.
Our Annual Bean Dinner. Come out to Shrine Hill and enjoy the best Bean Dinner in the State. The 500 has nothing on us. We have a Master Chef making the best ham and beans you can eat. Bring a friend, show him some of the good times that Masons have. We start serving at 5 PM, Plan now to attend and bring a friend.

Wish I'd Said That

It is by the goodness of God that in our country we have those three unspeakably precious things: freedom of speech, freedom of conscience, and prudence never to practice either.

Mark Twain