

Notice

Williamsport, PA, January 1, 2008

A Stated Meeting of Ivy Lodge No. 397, Free and Accepted Masons, will be held in the Masonic Temple, 360 Market Street, Williamsport, PA., on Thursday evening, January 3, 2008, at 7:00 o'clock and 30 minutes P.M.

PROGRAM for the JANUARY STATED MEETING

Ben Franklin: America's Masonic Renaissance Man

Dinner in the 4th Floor Dining Room at 6:30 pm

Just like old times. . . elevator service is available

Reservations ABSOLUTELY necessary

Make your reservation with the Worshipful Master no later than December 31, 2007 by calling 322-7760.

Everyone attending MUST call for a reservation. No reservation – No dinner.

DONATION -- \$9.00 for adults and \$4.50 for children

There will be NO DEGREE WORK in January

Brethren, take notice:

The phone number for the Office of the Secretary is now (570) 220-1663.

Please adjust your records accordingly.

Membership Tally

December 27, 2007 (321)

Last Month	Petitions	Entered	Deaths	Resignations	Suspensions	This Month
322	0	0	1	0	0	321

DUES

Deadline for paying 2008 Lodge dues is Thursday, January 3, 2008.

DON'T RISK SUSPENSION FOR NON-PAYMENT OF DUES.

Mail your check TODAY to:

Ivy Lodge No 397 F & A M

Office of the Secretary

1910 Round Top Road

Montoursville, PA 17754-9612

2008 Lodge Dues are \$50.00

STATED MEETING ON THURSDAY THIS MONTH

Due to the New Year's holiday falling on a Tuesday in 2008, the January 2008 Stated Meeting of Ivy Lodge No 397 will be held on Thursday, January 3, 2008 at the regular time. Dinner at 6:30 and the meeting at 7:30.

Masonic Education

January 9 – Rehearsal: Business meeting – open and close – ballot

All Masters, Wardens, and appointed officers

January 23 – Admission of the DDGM

All Masters and Pursuivants requested to attend

DeMolay Stated Meetings

January 13 – 7:30 pm

January 27 – 7:30 pm

Dinner Menu

January 3

Traditional Sauerkraut Dinner

Ivy Lodge Blood Pressure Clinic

**Free Blood Pressure Check
from 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm
in the Ivy Lodge office on each
Stated Meeting Night**

**Personal blood pressure record cards
will be available**

**Keep an eye on your health – get your blood
pressure taken before dinner at Lodge each month.**

Compliments of the Worshipful Master

Letter from the Worshipful Master

Brethren,

I would first like to thank all of you who returned the questionnaires that were sent out. The information gathered will help make this year a better year.

IVY LODGE had its first annual Christmas party December 14, 2007; there were more than 50 people in attendance. I would like to personally thank Brother Bill Welter and his wife Roxanne for making this a successful event and all who attended – Stay tuned for #2.

During the first quarter of the year there will be a question box placed in the Lodge room for you to submit Masonic questions that will be answered later in the year by our Past Masters. So do some research and bring your best questions with you and try to stump our Past Masters.

I plan to have informative meetings so I encourage all of you to come out and participate to make your Lodge one of good times and fellowship.

The fourth floor dining hall has been reopened and I would like to take advantage of this awesome facility.

I am looking forward to meeting each of you this year in the Lodge room. Throughout the year I will keep you up-to-date on the happenings of the Lodge and encourage you to attend. I am always available for comments or suggestions at any time.

Fraternally,

V. Josh Fremberg
Worshipful Master