

# NOTICE

Williamsport, PA, March 1, 2009

**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 Tuesday evening, March 3, 2009, at 7:00 o'clock and 30 minutes P.M.**

**PROGRAM: Coin Collecting by Roger Mills, PM – Watontown Lodge 401**

**Dinner will be served in the Fourth Floor Dining Room prior to the Stated Meeting at 6:30 P.M.**

## **Menu for March**

**Lasagna, Salad, Rolls & Garlic Bread, Spumoni (ice cream) for dessert**

### **RESERVATIONS ARE NECESSARY**

**Call the Worshipful Master at 323-0205 or the Secretary at 220-1663 no later than February 27, 2009 to make your dinner reservation. You may also sign up on the Tyler's Desk at the Lodge Hall. The dinner price is \$9.00**

### **NO RESERVATION – NO DINNER**

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**An Extra 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, March 5, 2009, at 7:00 o'clock P.M.**

## **Degree Work**

The Entered Apprentice Mason's degree will be conferred upon:

**REFER TO PRINTED NOTICE**

The Master Mason's degree will be conferred upon:

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A free luncheon will be served after the degree work for those attending

*By Order of the Worshipful Master*

### **DeMOLAY ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

Meets in the Scottish Rite on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month at 6:30 PM. The local DeMolay Chapter will meet the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday at 7:00 PM. at the Scottish Rite

## **From The East**

It was a real pleasure to have 25 members and visitors present at the February Stated Meeting. We enjoyed another excellent dinner followed by a really good meeting last month. Brothers James Wirt and Thomas McNutt received their 50 year service emblems and Brother Albert Miller received his 60 year service emblem. My congratulations to these Brethren and I thank the members who came out to help them celebrate their Masonic milestone.

As of this writing we have only 14 Brethren who have not paid their 2009 Lodge dues. Please bear in mind that you have until the April Stated Meeting to have your dues paid or you will be suspended. Remember – if you are suspended from Blue Lodge you are suspended from all other Masonic bodies as well.

Our program for the March meeting will be a presentation by Brother Roger Mills, PM from Watontown Lodge No 401 on coin collecting. Roger will have some coins for you to see and if you have any coins you may wish to bring to the meeting to have him look at and give you an idea of what they may be worth he will be glad to do that.

Again, we can use help at the Temple on any Saturday morning. Stop by – the coffee pot is always on – and visit for awhile.

Remember that reservations are absolutely required for the Stated Meeting dinner. Call either the Secretary or myself by the Friday before the Stated Meeting to make your reservation.

See you at the March meetings.

Sincerely and fraternally,

Glen E. Paulhamus, WM

## **DAFFODIL DAYS**

Ivy Lodge will again be supporting the American Cancer Society by selling daffodils on Friday, March 20, 2009 at two locations. Help is needed. If you have an hour or so you can spare please come to Lodge to sign up or call the Secretary at 220-1663 to volunteer some time.

## **Membership Tally**

**12/27/2008 (307)**

**March 1, 2009**

<b>Last Month (February 2009)</b>	<b>305</b>
<b>Petitions</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Entered</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Deaths</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Resignations</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Suspensions</b>	<b>0</b>

**This Month** **303**

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## **18<sup>th</sup> Masonic District School of Instruction**

Feb. 11: REHEARSAL

Fellow Craft Mason's degree

**All officers requested to attend**

Feb. 25: REHEARSAL

Fellow Craft Mason's degree

**All officers requested to attend**

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## **SECTIONAL SCHOOL**

A Sectional Meeting of the Schools of Instruction for Region Six which includes Masonic Districts 16, 17, 18, and 46 will be held on:

**DATE:** Saturday, April 18, 2009  
**PLACE:** Muncy Lodge No. 299  
 East Penn Street  
 Muncy, PA 17756  
**TIME:** 8:45 AM  
**REGISTRATION:** 8:00 - 8:45 AM

**All Lodge Officers, Floor Workers, School Officers and Instructors are expected to attend this most important of all Ritualistic functions. All Master Masons are also welcome to attend.**

The District Schools of Instruction expend much time and effort to prepare for this Meeting. Please join us.

A lunch will be served. Lunch tickets will cost \$7.50 and reservations can be sent to Brother Allen L. Smith, 237 Old Glade Run Road, Muncy, PA 17756. He can be reached at (570) 546-8362 with any questions or concerns you may have regarding your reservation.

Reservations are to be received **no later than April 12, 2009.**