

# Jackson Lodge No. 17

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From the  
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### "Brothers and Families!"

We are organizing our spring session of the MI-Chip program. This year P.M. Chip Williams will be the chairman, with Brothers Frank Lutze and Eric Cole assisting. The MI-Chip program has been well received in the past and we expect to be really busy again this year. We can certainly use all the help we can get to work with the computers in the various stations. As of now, April 26th (Saturday) 10:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. (or until all parents and children are taken care of).

Brothers, there will be a Fellowcraft Degree practice on the 6th of March at 7:00 p.m. With the degree itself on the 20th of March at 7:00 p.m. Brother Matthew Rubert will be calling on various people to take parts in the second section. Please be ready to give your part.

Would you like to come to lodge, but you don't drive, call any one of the following officers and they will arrange a ride to and from lodge for you.

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### Calendar for

# March

Thurs.  
Mar. 6 - Fellowcraft Degree Practice - 7:00 p.m.

Thurs.  
Mar. 13 - Regular Communication - 7:30 p.m.

Thurs.  
Mar. 20 - Fellowcraft Degree - 7:00 p.m.  
Officers please wear your tuxes or dark suit.

Thurs.  
Mar. 27 - Social Night - 6:00 p.m.

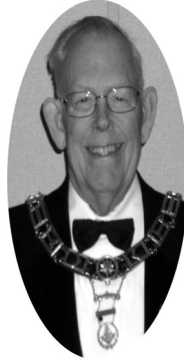
**We are organizing a clean-up committee to do some heavy duty cleaning of our Temple and could use your help.** All cleaning supplies will be provided. P.M. Chip Williams will be the coordinator of the event and W.M. Bill has pledged the support and labor of all of his officers to be on board to help. If you could give one hour or more we would appreciate it. The date for the clean-up is April 12, 2008. Coffee and donuts at 8:00 a.m. with the work to start at 9:00 and ending no later that 1:00 p.m. Please call Chip Williams or Bill Kesterson and let them know that you can help.

## **A FORCE FOR GOOD**

"Our lodges should maintain that high efficiency of moral rectitude, in both principles and practices, which would be helpful and beneficial to the neighborhoods in which they are located. While masonry is neither religious, political nor financial, yet it should stand among all these giving that moral support, to those just and correct relations, that each should sustain to the other. Masons, as men of the community, should in their conduct and conversation create and maintain that healthy public opinion, that assures respect to our churches and sanctity to our religion; that upholds our government and gives dignity to the enforcement of our laws; that sustains our various industries, and promotes honesty and fair dealings in all our financial relations; that creates the community stamina and loyalty; that brings peace and security to our homes, and joy and happiness to our hearts."

**(Milton Winham, P.G.M., Arkansas)**

## **From The Secretary's Desk**



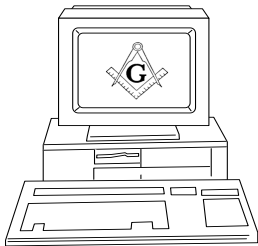
**Remember that March 9 starts Daylight Savings time so be sure to set your clocks ahead One hour. That way you won't be late for Lodge and you will be on time to attend Easter Services at the church of your choice on March 23rd.**

**We can communicate up-coming events to you quicker and cheaper by e-mail.**

**Send your email address to [williamsgl@comcast.net](mailto:williamsgl@comcast.net)**

**Fraternally Yours, Secretary,**

**Gerald L. Williams. P.M.**



**Don't forget to check out our website**

**[www.jackson17.org](http://www.jackson17.org)**

**Steve Vining is our website administrator - let him know what you think about it!**

**There outstanding information that you can find by linking to other sites from our website.**

**If you can think of anything that should be added to the Trestleboard or the website email George M. Otis, P.M. at [gmotis@sbcglobal.net](mailto:gmotis@sbcglobal.net)**