

April 2002

My Brother,

As we enter the spring season and our thoughts begin to turn to our family outings we must still remember our Masonic families and think what we can do as masons for the good of our fellow man and for our communities. Also what we can do for our Lodge in coming out to the meetings and remembering a brother who has not been out for a while and asking him to accompany you to the lodge meeting. We must keep in mind the defenders of our country in far away places and remember them in our prayers. You must also remember that the fellowship of the lodge does not confine itself to the lodge room but also to the dinners before and refreshments served after the meetings. As always I look forward to fraternal communications with you both in the Lodge Room and in the Banquet room before and after our meetings.

In Brotherhood,

James L. Sheats
Worshipful Master

In Memoriam

BROTHER ASA WILLIAM GARRISON

Raised February 26, 1954 Died February 16, 2002

THE MASONIC SERVICE ASSOCIATION EVENTS

New Jersey Veterans Memorial Home, Vineland, NJ

Please contact Bob Estell if you could assist at any of these events – 825-7864

CHAPEL ESCORT – EVERY SUNDAY AT 9:30AM

BINGO

Monday, April 29, 2002 - 6:30 - 8:00 PM

Our Sub Sale will be on Saturday, May 18th, work will begin at 7:00 AM and pickup will be from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM. Contact our JW Belford Riggins to schedule your hours of help with him so that we have complete coverage and no one has to kill themselves as has happened in the past when not enough help was available at all times. Please commit to the hours you will be there and stick to them, if enough help is available all the time then it is easy for all helpers.

MOST WORSHIPFUL DAVID A. CHASE

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

REGULAR COMMUNICATION

Friday, April 5, 2002 - 7:30 PM - Business meeting. Balloting on the petition for membership of Mr. Erik Jason Smith, age 24, residing at 2423 Linden Court, Millville, NJ; employed as a Corrections Officer. Slide presentation by our Sec'y RW Ron Spiels, PGC on Russia - After the Collaspe. Refreshments.

EMERGENT COMMUNICATIONS

Friday, April 12, 2002 - 7:30 PM - The Entered Apprentice Degree will be conferred upon Mr. Joseph Moroz, son of RW Milton Moroz, PJGD, our past secretary.

Friday, April 19, 2002 - 7:30 PM - The Fellowcraft Degree will be conferred upon Brothers Entered Apprentice Berry and Heer.

REHEARSALS

Thursday, April 4th, 11th & 18th, 2002 - 7:00 PM - All officers are required to attend, and brethren welcome as always, we will be rehearsing all three degrees.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Saturday, April 6, 2002 - Shekinah Lodge's Yearly Bus Trip to our sister lodge in Phoenixville PA. Bus will leave the lodge at 4:00 PM sharp. Bus is only \$10.00 per person. Any brothers who have not signed up please contact our Jr. Warden Belford Riggins @ 856-765-0297, please leave a message if he dosen't answer so that you will be included in his totals.

Tuesday, April 9, 2002 - 7:30PM - District Lodge of Instruction at Elmer Lodge #160, Elmer, NJ. Officers should make every effort to attend. Brethren always welcome.

Saturday, April 20, 2002 - South Jersey Past Masters, Masters, & Wardens Association Candidates Night at Kove Caterers, Palmyra, NJ. Cocktails 5:00 PM, Dinner 6:00 PM, Cost \$24, Contact RW Bruce C. Golway, DDGM for tickets.

Wednesday, April 24, 2002 - Grand Lodge Banquet, Royal Swan Ballroom, 4th Floor, Tropicana Hotel & Casino, Atlantic City, NJ. Social 6:00 PM, Dinner 7:00 PM, Broiled Salmon, Cost \$40 per person. Entertainment by The Van Dells. Deadline for reservations, Friday, April 5, 2002. For reservations send your payment along with a Stamped, Self-Addressed Envelope to the Grand Lodge Office, or see DDGM.

Wednesday, April 24 & Thursday, April 25, 2002 - 215th Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of New Jersey, at the Tropicana Hotel & Casino, Atlantic City.

Saturday, May 4, 2002 - Grand Master's Church Service - 4:00PM, Masonic Home Chapel. Grand Masters Banquet and Reception - 5:00PM Social, 6:00PM Dinner, Choice of Roast Tenderloin of Beef or Baked Salmon. Cost \$35 per person. For Banquet Reservations send checks payable to Merchantville Lodge No. 119 to Brother Ray Taylor, Sr., Merchantville Lodge No. 119, PO Box 1295, Merchantville, NJ 08109-0295.

Sunday, May 5, 2002 - 2:00 PM - Final rehearsal for GLI, on Monday the 6th, at Vineland Lodge #69.

Monday, May 6, 2002 - 7:00 PM GLI - 6:00 PM Dinner - GLI at Vineland Lodge #69.

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

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ROBERT SHANNON, PM	Asst. Director of Work
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TRUSTEES

Robert W. Estell, DRI - 1 yr.
Robert Shannon, PM - 2 yrs.
Bruce Ferguson, PM - 3 yrs.

BLOOD BANK (Account #4582)

George Carty, PM (Chairman) – 825-7932
Richard A. Hinckley, PM (Co-Chairman) – 327-1689

CHARITY COMMITTEE

W. Louis Henry, SW (Chairman)
Belford J. Riggins, JW (Co-Chairman)
All Lodge Members

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

W. Louis Henry, SW (Chairman)
Belford J. Riggins, JW (Co-Chairman)
All Lodge Officers

RELIEF COMMITTEE

Brian N. Myers, PM (Chairman) - 401-6870
Paul E. Lokey - 327-4488
C. Randall Quay, PDDGM - 825-0110

SQUARE CLUB COMMITTEE

James L. Sheats, WM (Chairman)
W. Louis Henry, SW (Co-Chairman)
Belford J. Riggins, JW (Co-Chairman)

DIRECTORS OF THE CRAFT

MM Degree - Ronald N. Spiels, PGC
FC Degree - George Carty, PM
EA Degree - C. Randall Quay, PDDGM

WAYS & MEANS COMMITTEE

W. Louis Henry, SW (Chairman)
Belford J. Riggins, JW (Co-Chairman)
Charles F. Hoover

AUDIT COMMITTEE

J. Roy Oliver, PM (Chairman)
Chester M. Goodwin
Richard A. Hinckley, PM

SICK COMMITTEE

Scott Cossaboon (Chairman) – 825-1771
Paul E. Lokey - 327-4488

LIVING PAST MASTERS

Frank B. Lutz	1943	William H. Stiles	1975	Marvin White	1986
Charles F. Finch	1952	Ronald N. Spiels, PGC	91-1976	Gary R. Lawson	88-1987
Robert T. Shannon	1955	Robert W. Karrer, PGC	89-1976	Richard Weber ¹	93-92-89-88-1987
John A. Shea	1957	Norman H. Peek, PDDGM	90-1977	Robert A. Tesoroni, Jr., PGC	1988
William S. Stagg, Jr.	1961	Frank B. Camp	87-1977	Terry R. Sherman ¹	89-1988
Herbert W. Dunham, Jr.	1963	Thomas H. Litterer, PJGS ¹	97-1977	Floyd G. Taylor	1989
Milton Moroz, PJGD*	1964	J. Douglass Abdill	1978	Robert J. Riggins	1991
James S. Wylie	1965	Russell C. Parsons, Sr.	84-1978	Howard J. Young, PDRI	1992
Robert D. Barber, PGC	1966	Robert W. Estell, DRI	98-1979	E. Lee Myers, PGC	1993
F. Edward Barsuglia	1968	Robert L. Davidson	1979	William S. Davis	1993
Harry H. Potter	1969	J. Roy Oliver	1980	Robert Thornborough, PGC	1994
Donald B. Pike	1969	George Carty	1981	Richard A. Hinckley	1994
William H. Goshen, PGLT	1970	Leonard R. Potter, Jr.	1982	Brian A. Thomas	1995
C. Randall Quay, PDDGM	1970	John G. Keeler, PGC	1982	David E. Exel	1996
Russell A. Roberts, PGC	1971	Ernest S. Barry, PGC ¹	1982	Wm. Anthony Loteck	1997
Herbert E. Reback ¹	1971	Randall C. Quay	1982	Brian N. Myers	1999
Richard A. Jervis, PGC	1972	Paul N. Pantelis	1983	Richard C. Panas	2000
Robert F. Andrews	1973	William C. Parr, Jr.	1985	Bruce Ferguson	2001
Lawrence Smith, PGC	1973	Kirk A. Karrer	1985		

HONORARY MEMBERS

Edgar N. Peppler, PGM
Morgan T. Morris, Jr., PGM

Richard R. Boston, PDDGM
Norman W. Timberman, PDDGM

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¹Dual