



From The East - Steven J. Rosensweig - Worshipful Master

Hello Brothers, Thankfully the winter has not been to bad yet. The weather has been mild making it easy to get around.

I hope every one had a great start to the year at Brother Cowarts house. I know everyone ate lots of black eye peas so I am sure we are going to have a great year.

Our Lodge has been very active with degree work. We have been putting on both First and Second Degrees with more to follow. On the Fourth Tuesday we visited Wheaton Lodge. It was a great experience. Euclid had 16 brothers in attendance. Wheaton served hot dogs and salad one of my favorite dinners.

February is going to be as active as January. We will start with a super bowl party at the lodge on

Sunday, February 1st. Next we have our Official Visit, I hope to see may brothers at lodge for this event to help make it fun. Then Euclid will be visiting Keystone Lodge Saturday February 7th, and MIB Wednesday, February 25th. February is also the time for the academic bowl. Euclid is again sponsoring both Naperville North and Naperville Central. The schools will be competing at sight 25 Fenwick High school in Oak Park on February 21th. The start time is 8:30am. The kids have always been appreciative of our support so let try being there to cheer them on.

To all the brothers, stay warm, have fun, help support and strengthen our lodge by being a part of it.



Steven J. Rosensweig
Worshipful Master

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From The Secretaries Table

DUES

Eighty-five members have paid their 2015 dues to date.

We still have twenty-one members who have not paid their 2014 dues and of that group, six have not paid their 2013 dues.

DEGREES

The Fellowcraft degree will be conferred on multiple candidates on Tuesday, February 17. Dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m.

The Worshipful Master has tentatively scheduled the conferral of the Master Mason degree on March 17 and March 31 if our candidates are ready.

Electronic Equipment

The Naperville Masonic Temple Association has purchased and installed a 65" flat screen TV, Blue Ray/DVD player, and sound system in the dining room. In addition, we now have wifi internet access available in the Lodge.

Birthdays

The following members celebrate their birthday on the day indicated.

Patrick J. McGee	Feb 6
Roger W. Webb	Feb 8
Brady D. McDaniel	Feb 10
Lloyd G. Van Bergen	Feb 16
Charles E. Kreps	Feb 16
William A. Kurz	Feb 17
Edward F. Steigelmann	Feb 19
William Armel O'Connell	Feb 20
Kyle P. O'Mara	Feb 22
Thomas J. Moylan III	Feb 22
Thomas C. Behr	Feb 23
Ronald J. Keller	Feb 24
Gary W. Theis	Feb 24

Master Mason Anniversary

The following members observe the

Timothy J. Dry Secretary

anniversary of their Master Mason Degree on the date indicated. The number in the () is the number of years.

Frank R. Fryer	Feb 7 (9)
Robert B. Cash	Feb 9 (16)
Elmer G. Kaldoff Jr.	Feb 11 (51)
Harold L. Olson	Feb 18 (46)
Robert L. Hudlow	Feb 18 (40)
Jack M. Payne	Feb 18 (1)
Michael A. Norwood Sr.	Feb 18 (1)
Phillip A. Ward	Feb 19 (35)
Kevin M. Cassidy	Feb 20 (8)
Roy S. Pedersen	Feb 21 (9)
Joseph T. Schofield Jr.	Feb 21 (3)
Wayne Brazinski	Feb 21 (3)
Jason J. Jeffers	Feb 21 (3)
Alexandre D'Avila	Feb 22 (5)
Jon S. Erlenbush	Feb 23 (27)
Robert Q. Drebing	Feb 28 (66)
Vernon A. Soukup	Feb 28 (64)
Ilani S. Valero	Feb 28 (39)
Brian M. McLees	Feb 28 (31)

So Brethren, until next month, "There is nothing on the Secretary's table Worshipful".



Timothy J. Dry
Secretary

George Washington - The Mason



George Washington joined the Masonic Lodge in Fredericksburg, Virginia at the age of 20 in 1752. His Masonic membership, like the other public titles and duties he performed, was expected from a young man of his social status in colonial Virginia. During the War for Independence, General Washington attended Masonic celebration and religious observances in several states. He also supported Masonic Lodges that formed within army regiments.

At his first inauguration in 1791, President Washington took his oath of office on a Bible from St. John's Lodge in New York. During his two terms, he visited Masons in North and South Carolina and presided over the cornerstone ceremony for the U.S. Capitol in 1793.

In retirement, Washington became a charter Master of the newly chartered Alexandria Lodge No. 22, sat for a portrait in his Masonic regalia, and in death, was buried with Masonic honors.

Such was Washington's character, that from almost the day he took his Masonic obligations until his death, he became the same man in private that he was in public. In Masonic terms, he remained "a just and upright Mason" and became a true Master Mason. Washington was, in Masonic terms, a "living stone" who became the cornerstone of American civilization. He remains the milestone others civilizations follow into liberty and equality. He is Freemasonry's "perfect ashlar" upon which countless Master Masons gauge their labors in their own Lodges and in their own communities.

FEBRUARY 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 FEBRUARY Lodge Super Bowl Party	2 Lodge Officer Practice	3 Euclid Lodge No. 65 Stated Meeting	4 Blue Lodge Ladies Night Out	5	6	7 Loaves & Fishes
8	9 Lodge Officer Practice	10 Euclid Chapter No. 13 Adoniram Council No. 95	11	12	13	14
15	16 Lodge Officer Practice	17 Euclid Lodge No. 65 Special Meeting	18	19	20	21 ACADEMIC BOWL Fenwick HS
22 George Washington Birthday	23 Lodge Officer Practice Academic Team Pizza	24 Temple Board Meeting	25	26	27	28
1 MARCH	2 Lodge Officer Practice	3 Euclid Lodge No. 65 Stated Meeting	4	5	6	7 Loaves & Fishes

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- **Feb 1** Super Bowl Party at the Lodge 3:00 p.m. until ??? See details on page 4
- **Feb 2** Lodge Officer Ritual Practice 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. All Master Masons Welcome
- **Feb 3** Euclid Lodge Stated Meeting 7:30 p.m.
- **Feb 4** Blue Lodge Ladies Night Out See details on page 4
- **Feb 7** Loaves and Fishes
- **Feb 9** Lodge Officer Ritual Practice 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. All Master Masons Welcome
- **Feb 10** Adoniram Council Meeting 7:00 p.m. Euclid Chapter Meeting 7:30 p.m. Conferral of degrees
- **Feb 16** Lodge Officer Ritual Practice 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. All Master Masons Welcome
- **Feb 17** Euclid Lodge Special Meeting Dinner at 6:30 p.m. Conferral of the Fellowcraft degree on multiple candidates at 7:30 p.m.
- **Feb 21** Masonic Academic Bowl Section 3A Tournament. Fenwick High School, 505 Washington Blvd., Oak Park, IL 8:30 a.m.
- **Feb 23** Academic Teams Pizza Dinner at the Lodge - 4:30 p.m. Lodge Officer Ritual Practice 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. All Master Masons Welcome
- **Feb 24** Naperville Masonic Temple Association Meeting 7:30 p.m.
- **Mar 2** Lodge Officer Ritual Practice 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. All Master Masons Welcome
- **Mar 3** Euclid Lodge Stated Meeting 7:30 p.m.
- **Mar 7** Loaves and Fishes
- **Mar 9** Lodge Officer Ritual Practice 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. All Master Masons Welcome
- **Mar 10** Euclid Chapter Meeting 7:30 p.m. Adoniram Council Meeting 8:45 p.m.
- **Mar 16** Lodge Officer Ritual Practice 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. All Master Masons Welcome
- **Mar 17** Euclid Lodge Special Meeting Dinner at 6:30 p.m. Conferral of the Master Mason degree at 7:30 p.m.
- **Mar 23** Lodge Officer Ritual Practice 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. All Master Masons Welcome
- **Mar 24** Naperville Masonic Temple Association Meeting 7:30 p.m.
- **Mar 30** Lodge Officer Ritual Practice 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. All Master Masons Welcome
- **Mar 31** Euclid Lodge Special Meeting Dinner at 6:30 p.m. Conferral of the Master Mason degree at 7:30 p.m.

Committees

Membership

Joseph Ingraffia Chairman

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Table Lodge

Michael D. Ault Chairman

Sickness/Distress

Dainon S. Setzer Chairman

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Community Days

Paul Felstrup Chairman

Award of Excellence

Paul Felstrup Chairman

Naper Boulevard Cleanup

Scott D. Schmied Chairman

Blood Drive

????????? Chairman

Bylaws

Carl Crownhart

Sickness and Distress

WBro. Carl Crownhart has gone through the first round of chemo-therapy treatments and has responded well.

Karen Ault has also gone through treatments in a new drug trial to combat her cancer and is also responding well.

Andrew Siedelmann's wife Alice slipped and fell on the ice and broke her wrist again. She will be off recuperating for the next four to six weeks.

Please keep them all in your thoughts and prayers.

Naperville Masonic Temple Association

The new 65" flat screen TV has been installed in the Lodge dining room. The Super Bowl Party is on!! The Temple Board has budgeted money to purchase new sideline seating and also to install more bookcases and paneling in the library, paneling in the dining room and hall outside the kitchen and dining room. Plans also include closing off the current kitchen pass through and building a permanent display case in its place. A new pass through will be made directly into the dining room from the kitchen. Plantation style shutters are planned for the two large north facing windows in the dining room and library.

As always, members are welcome to attend the monthly meetings of the board.

Super Bowl Party

With the installation of the new 65" flat screen TV and additional sound system, we are going to have a Super Bowl Party at the Lodge.

Sunday, February 1, 2015, 3 p.m. until after the finish of the game. ???

Bro. Dry is preparing Italian Meatball sandwiches. Please bring an appetizer or dessert. Liquid refreshments will be provided by the Temple Board. (NO ALCOHOL)

The building will be open at 3 p.m. Kickoff is 5:30 p.m.

Open to all Euclid Members and their wives or significant others, honorary members and widows.

Get there early to reserve a seat.

Blue Lodge Ladies Night Out

The wives of the members of the Lodge have scheduled a night out.

They will meet Wednesday, February 4th, 6:30 pm at Heaven on Seven, 224 S. Main Street, Naperville
Phone 630-717-0777

Please RSVP to Vandna at vandnakapoor@hotmail.com so that the proper notice can be given for reservations.

We will have separate checks. If you would like, wear something blue!

Masonic Quote

"It is most reverently to be wished, that the conduct of every member of the fraternity, as well as those publications that discover the principles which actuate them, may tend to convince mankind that the grand object of Masonry is to promote the happiness of the human race."

George Washington

LaGrange Children's Home Donation



Jerry Yingling, Jill Morrison, WM Steven Rosensweig

The Naperville Masons have responded to a need for urgent repairs at the Masonic Children's Home in LaGrange, Illinois. Brought to our attention by Dainon Setzer, Senior Warden, this urgent need was to repair chimney liners and water heater flues in cottages at the Home. At a recent Euclid No. 65 lodge meeting, a check representing funds to repair three cottages was presented to Jill Morrison, Administrator of the Illinois Masonic Children's Home. Pictured are Jerry Yingling, Treasurer, Jill Morrison, and Steven Rosensweig, Worshipful Master. The funds are provided by the Naperville Masonic Temple Association and are given in the name of the Masonic organizations that meet in the Naperville Temple.

Past Master Highlight James Frederick Cubbidge 1966, 1977

CUBBIDGE, James Frederick was born October 2, 1922 in Chicago, Cook County, Illinois the son of Frederick William Cubbidge and Daisy Gertrude Daily. He graduated from Kelyvn Park High School in 1940 and served as the class Vice-President. He was a World War II veteran of the U. S. Navy, serving on the hospital ship, the U.S.S. Sanctuary, as a Radio and Electronics Technician. He married Grace G. Roskam Prickett December 2, 1983. He was employed as a Project Engineer for Bell Laboratories. He affiliated with Euclid Lodge September 19, 1957 from D. C. Cregier Lodge No. 643, Chicago, Illinois and served as Master of the Lodge in 1966 and 1977. He died October 23, 2003 in Woodstock, McHenry County, Illinois and was buried in Mt. Emblem Cemetery, Elmhurst, Illinois.



**Bell Labs
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1st and 3rd Tuesday

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Euclid Lodge No. 65 A.F. & A.M.

The Oldest Lodge In DuPage County Founded September 28, 1848 Chartered October 2, 1849

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George Washington Masonic National Memorial

Alexandria, Virginia

This magnificent structure is privately funded through the grateful contributions of Freemasons and others, and remains open to the public, seven days a week. The George Washington Masonic National Memorial is more than a colossal memorial and museum. It is a tourist attraction and destination; research center and library; community center; performing arts center and concert hall; banquet and celebration site; and meeting site for local and countless visiting Masonic lodges and organizations. However, first and foremost, it is a memorial to honor and perpetuate the memory, character and virtues of the man who best exemplifies what Freemasons are and ought to be, Brother George Washington.

