

Quincy Visitor

January



2010



**Quincy Lodge No. 230 F & AM
1136 North Anderson Street
Elwood, IN 46036**

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

January

January 5th, Tuesday @ 7:30 pm – Stated Meeting

January 16th, Saturday @ 9:30 am – Founder's Day – Scottish Rite Cathedral

January 18th, Monday – Scholarship applications will be available – Contact
Barry Clouser

January 22nd, Friday @ 6:30 pm – Euchre and Cards night at the Lodge

February

February 2nd, Tuesday @ 7:30 pm – Stated Meeting

February 17th, Wednesday @ 7:00 pm – Madison Co. Masters and Wardens –
Quincy #230 is hosting

February 19th, Friday @ 6:30 pm – Movie Night at the Lodge

March

March 1st, Monday – Scholarship applications due back to Barry

March 2nd, Tuesday @ 7:30 pm – Stated Meeting

March 19th, Friday @ 6:30 pm – NCAA Tourney night at the Lodge

April

April 6th, Tuesday @ 7:30 pm – Stated Meeting

TBD – April Activity Night

May

May 4th, Tuesday @ 7:30 pm – Stated Meeting

May 18th & 19th, Tuesday & Wednesday – Grand Lodge Communications –
Scottish Rite Cathedral

May 29th, Saturday @ 7:00 am – Memorial Day Breakfast

TBD – May Activity Night

June

June 1st, Tuesday @ 7:30 pm – Stated Meeting

TBD – June Activity Night



From the East

Brethren,

I want to start by saying how humbled I am to be serving as Worshipful Master for this great Lodge this year. I know that I have big shoes to fill, but I am confident that I, with the help of your officers, will continue on with our great tradition.

I am looking forward to continuing with proven activities like the Chicken Fry, Memorial Day Breakfast, Glass Festival Booth, Fish Fry, Lodge Picnic, and Holiday Dinner while hopefully starting some new initiatives to help build our Lodge.

One of the new initiatives I will be starting this year is a monthly fellowship activity. I would like to see more time being spent with the brothers AND their families outside of stated meetings. So, we will take 1 night a month to get together and enjoy each other's company while getting to know one another better. This will start in January with a Euchre and Cards night on Friday, January 22nd. Everyone can bring a snack and/or drink to share.

On Friday, February 19th, we will have a Movie night with a movie for adults and a separate movie for kids. We will have the popcorn machine going and pop will be provided. In March, we'll celebrate the NCAA tourney on Friday, March 19th. Everyone can bring their favorite snacks and drinks, we can play games, and I will TRY to get large-screen TV to watch the games.

All of these activities will be at the Lodge, and families are invited. This would also be a great 'recruiting' tool if you have guys interest in joining the Lodge. Even if you aren't a fan of the planned activities, come anyway and just enjoy the fellowship. All activities will start at 6:30 and continue until everyone leaves.

I hope you are all as excited about the upcoming year as I am. I look forward to seeing more of you as the year goes on.

Barry Clouser

Worshipful Master

Things to Know

- Brothers have been asking about getting keys to the lodge. At this time, I have decided to keep access to the lodge limited to officers and Trustees, but I am working on a solution that will allow full access to the Lodge while protecting the assets of the Lodge. So, please be patient while we work through this issue.
- All Entered Apprentices and Fellowcrafts are now able to attend stated meetings. Please come and participate in your Lodge while working toward being raised.
- Please keep in mind that Grand Lodge scholarships are available again this year. I will have the necessary paperwork in mid-January. All applications have to be turned in to me before March 1st. Feel free to contact me for more information.
- If you would like to be on an email distribution list from me, please send a note to barry.clouser@alumni.indiana.edu asking to be added.
- Remember to check the website at www.quincylodge230.org for more up-to-date information and communications.

2010 Officers

Worshipful Master – Barry Clouser

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Senior Warden – Tony Ashbaugh

Junior Warden – Kevin Osborn

Treasurer – John Deckard

Secretary – Eric Reese PM

Senior Deacon – Robert Turpin

Junior Deacon – Eugene Church

Senior Steward – Tom Elder

Junior Steward – Karl Clouser PM

Chaplain – Keith Stiner PM

Tyler – Dick Reynolds

Trustees – John Deckard, Dick Reynolds, Keith Stiner PM

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Craft Club President – Kevin Osborn