

Quincy Visitor

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MARK YOUR CALENDAR

October

October 3rd, Monday @ 6:00 pm – Master Mason Degree

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

October 15th, Saturday @ 4:00 – 7:00 pm – Fundraiser Chicken Dinner

October 20th, Thursday @ 6:00 pm – Lodge of Instruction – Frankton Lodge #607

November

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

December

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

December 9th, Friday @ 6:30 pm – Holiday Dinner

New Storage Building

We got a great start last year on funds for a new storage building, but we still need a lot more. We have received approx. 35% of the funds we need to get this done.

Some of you may know that we actually had a mower stolen this past spring. We really need the building to help secure the equipment throughout the year.

If you would like to contribute, simply send a check to the Lodge with 'Storage Building' in the memo line and we will put those funds in the appropriate place.

From the East

Brethren,

Well, welcome to Fall. Leaves are falling, temperatures are falling, my energy levels are falling. ☺

Seriously, though, we've had a really great year. We were very busy conferring degrees this year. We had a total of 3 Entered Apprentice Degrees, 2 Fellowcraft Degrees, and our 4th Master Mason Degree of the year is scheduled for Monday, October 3. Needless to say, it's been tough to find enough time to get all the Degrees in, but I want to give a special thanks to all my officers and visitors for helping get all of the work done.

We still have a busy couple of months for the end of the year. We have a Chicken Dinner (which you should have already seen a letter about) and Lodge of Instruction coming up in October. We may have 1 more Fellowcraft Degree in November, and then we're looking forward to our annual Holiday Dinner, an Actual Past Master degree, and possibly Installation of 2012 officers all coming in December. Whew.

As this is my last newsletter as Worshipful Master, I want to really thank everyone who has helped to make this a great year. We're growing in membership, our finances are leveling out, and I see great excitement for the Craft from our newer Brothers. Having said that, I want to encourage all of you who can to come to Degrees and stated meetings. Our 'core group' of guys are doing a great job keeping the Lodge going, but we need help. There are a lot of guys whose names I see, but I have never met. I would like to get to know more of you and would like to see our Lodge grow in the number of activities we can engage in because we have more help doing those activities.

Thanks again for a great 2 years in the East. I wish everyone health and happiness.

Sincerely,

Barry Clouser

Worshipful Master

2011 Officers

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Senior Warden – Kevin Osborn
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Chaplain – Keith Stiner PM
Tyler – Dick Reynolds

Trustees – Dick Reynolds, Keith Stiner PM, Karl Clouser PM
Indiana Masonic Home Ambassador – Kevin Stiner PM
Craft Club President – Kevin Osborn

Things to Know

- All Entered Apprentices and Fellowcrafts are now able to attend stated meetings. Please come and participate in your Lodge while working toward being raised.
- 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.

