

Valley of New Bern Bagpipe



Council of Kadosh Annual Feast

The annual feast of the Council of Kadosh will be held prior to our Lodge of Perfection Meeting at 6:30PM on November 9th, 2015. The banquet will be the program event for the evening and there will be a business meeting upstairs at the completion of the banquet. Our Commander, Howard Kahn, has developed an interesting program for the evening. Since this is one of our four required "Reflections" by the Supreme Council, the suggested dress code is coat and tie.

Double Eagle Medals

I am getting many questions and there seems to be much interest in the Double Eagle Medals. For those already tracking their points, I am keeping a total of the points you have previously submitted. You need only turn in sheets to me with points you have earned since the last time you turned in a tally sheet. I am available to answer any questions you have at

Upcoming Events

LOP Meetings

November 9, 2015 7:30 PM Stated
Join us for the Feast of Kadosh at
6:30PM

December 13, 2015 2 -4 PM
Christmas Open House

December 14, 2015 7:30 PM
Stated
Join us for dinner at 6:30PM

January 11, 2016 Stated
Join us for dinner at 6:30PM

Honors Ceremony

November 21
Winston Salem NC

Spring Reunion

No date set.

Ceremony of Remembrance

No date set.

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For those who have not yet enrolled or completed the points tally sheet, both forms can be found on the Valley Web Site, click on the Double Eagle Medal or [Click Here](#).

Knights of St. Andrew

The Knights of Saint Andrew will have their stated meeting on Monday, November 30th at 7PM. We will be balloting and initiating two new candidates. We encourage maximum attendance in order to make this a memorable evening for our new Knights. Additionally, we will be discussing upcoming dates for the election and installation of officers.

Fall Reunion

For those who were not able to attend our fall reunion you missed a treat. Everyone thought it went very well, especially for the first time in a new environment. Some of the comments I heard from the class were; that they were able to hear the cast better, that they felt involved in the drama as it unfolded, and that they understood all that was involved in putting on the reunion. As an active cast member I liked the new format for several reasons. I enjoyed the close proximity of the class. I was able to speak directly to them and not to a dark hall. It was easier to add dramatic effect to my voice when I didn't have to shout to be heard. Finally and most of all, I was able to speak to the class before and after the degree without them being hurried off into a secluded area.

I think the Director of the Work (Bobby Meadows),

Allegiance . . .

The several Bodies of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry, sitting in the Valley of New Bern, Orient of North Carolina, acknowledge and yield Allegiance to the Supreme Council of the Thirty-Third Degree, the Mother Supreme Council of the World, whose see is at Charleston, in the State of South Carolina, of which Ronald A. Seale, 33°, is Grand Commander, 33°, William B. Brunk, 33°, is SGIG in North Carolina, and William L. Dill, 33°, is Chairman, Inspector General's Advisory Conference of the Scottish Rite Bodies in the Valley of New Bern, Orient of North Carolina.

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Stage Crew Director (Ricky Hawkins), and Robing Room Director (Tony Hawkins) deserve a heartfelt thanks for the herculean efforts they put into making this a great reunion. If you see them, let them know how much you appreciate their work.

Thought for the Month

"If you seek to know Truth, study reason and the science of logic. Its rules and syllogisms, when understood, will help you to separate Truth from falsehood. When you can do this, you will be able to form your own opinions without having to rely on the opinions of others." (Fourth Degree)

Just a thought!

Editor

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