

Valley of New Bern Bagpipe



Working Party

Everyone is invited to a "Party" (a working party that is), the Building and Maintenance Committee needs your help. Because of the recent changes in the internal building assignments, we need to move and remove a lot of "stuff". Brethren we are going to re-organize some the spaces on the first floor and we need bodies to help with the moving and removing years of accumulated junk. Billy anticipates several loads to the land fill and volunteers with utility trailers or pick-up trucks are desperately needed. This wild and fun time is scheduled for Thursday, October 17 at 9AM. There is quite a bit of work to be done and all help will be appreciated. Please contact Billy or Elaine (252) 638-4031 and put your name on the list of craftsman for the temple. If you can provide a pick-up or trailer please let that be known.

Master Mason's Reunion

Brethren, our fall reunion is right around the corner. Festivities begin with registration on Friday, November 1 and end with the conferral of the "Master of the Royal Secret Degree" on the afternoon of Saturday, November 2. We are going to try to get

Upcoming Events

LOP Meeting

October 14, 7:30PM.

Join us for dinner at 6:30PM

November 11. 7:30PM

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Master Mason's Reunion

November 1 & 2

Christmas Open House

December 9th at 6:30 PM

Family Members and Guests are encouraged to attend.

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

letters out to the Masters of the lodges. We would like for you to contact your local Masters and invite them for dinner on Friday night. We will have a special program and all Lodge Masters attending the dinner will receive a special commemorative coin. They do not have to be a Scottish Rite Mason to come to the dinner. They are encouraged to bring their wives as well. We will be getting invitations out shortly. If they are planning to attend, we will need a head count so we will have an idea of how much to cook.

Scottish Rite Bodies in the Valley of
New Bern, Orient of North Carolina.

KCCH and 33 Degree Ceremonies

The KCCH and 33 Degree ceremonies will take place in Charlotte on November 23. There are several Brothers from New Bern attending as well as the Honorees. Contact the Temple Staff for more details if you are planning to attend.

Christmas Open House

The Valley of New Bern has scheduled a Christmas Open House at the Scottish Rite Temple for December 9th, 2013 at 6:30PM. The event will be open to the public. The auditorium will be open and an appropriate scene displayed. Current plans are to have St. John's lodge room open and individuals available to provide background and historical information about the lodge. There will be snacks and light hors d'oeuvres in the dining hall. Santa is scheduled to arrive about 7PM. Brethren this a

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perfect opportunity to introduce prospective candidates and family members to Scottish Rite Masonry. The building will be lit up, scenery displayed, and questions answered. The purpose of this event to show the community and family members how “Masons meet” and demonstrate brotherly love and friendship. Please attend this event and more importantly bring a friend or two!

Degree Masters

The Master Mason's Reunion is right around the corner on November 1 & 2 . Contact your team and let the [Director of the Work](#) know if you need any replacements.

Silent Auction

Don't forget your silent auction item.

Sick & Cheer

Please keep all the sick and shut-ins in your prayers. Too often we hear about our members after the fact. If you know of anyone who is in need of prayer from his brethren, please contact the Valley Secretary at (252) 638-4031.

Editor

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