

The Masonic Messenger

Rhineland Lodge No. 242
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Northwoods Shrine Club

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Masonic Booster Club
P.O. Box 794
Rhineland, WI 54501

Thanks to members who have contributed to the Masonic Booster Club: Brian Dana

DECEMBER 2013

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 Scouts 6pm	3 Blue Lodge 7:30	4 OES Annual Pot Luck 6pm	5	6	7
8	9 Scouts 6pm	10	11	12	13	14 Masons Officer Installation 11am Lunch following
15	16 Scouts 6pm	17 Blue Lodge 7:30	18 OES 7:30	19	20	21
22	23 Scouts 6pm	24	25 Christmas Day	26	27	28
29	30 Scouts 6pm	31 New Years Day				

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Rhineland Lodge No. 242 F&AM

Meetings: 1st and 3rd
Tuesdays, 7:30 pm

Greetings Brothers,

As we close-out the month of November, my family & I hope that our fraternal family had a wonderful Thanksgiving Day with family & friends. We also hope that those who participated in the hunting season had a safe & bountiful hunt.

Our lodge has a new line-up of officers for the upcoming 2014 year. I want to congratulate & thank my brothers for their acceptance & dedication to serving our lodge.

The Installation of Officers & Elected Members is scheduled for December 14th at 11:00 a.m. with a wonderful meal following the installation. All fraternal members, families & friends are invited to attend. We ask that you please contact Brother Bill Lonie at 715-490-0497 with a head count so we can plan the luncheon accordingly. Please leave your name & head count on his voice message.

I want to inform all our lodge brothers that we have had three Master Masons transfer into our lodge this year. They are Brother Barry Hugo, Brother Robert King, & in the process, Brother Bruce Gary. We welcome you brothers to our lodge & our family. Thank you for transferring to our lodge.

This is my final Messenger as your Worshipful Master & I want to express my gratitude to my brothers; your support was greatly appreciated. Thank you brothers.

May the upcoming holidays bring you joy & remind us all how blessed we are to live in a Free Nation.

Your Worshipful Master
Brother Bob Smith

Highlighted Events & Notifications

**Eastern Star Annual
Pot Luck— 12/04
6pm**

**Masons Installation
of Officers—12/14
11am Luncheon to
follow installation**

**Crazy Ball Bowling
Tournament—01/11**

You may contact WM Bob
Smith at
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or 715-360-2390

December 2013

MABEL CHAPTER #181 OES

Meetings: 1st and 3rd
Wednesdays, 7:30 pm

Dear Sisters and Brothers,

The Holiday Season is upon us, but let us not forget the Reason for the Season. I wish you a Joyous Greeting to each and every one of you.

You are all invited to come to the Annual Pot luck on December 4th in Harmony Hall food will be consumed at 6:00 to 6:15 pm. Bring your favorite holiday dish to pass. There will be a few games of chance and trivia games, so be sure to polish your brain cells!

We will be dark the months of January and February but we will try to have a fun event besides the Crazy Ball Bowling Tournament on January 11th at Hodag Lanes. This fun event will also be a fundraiser for our Scholarship Fund. The cost is only \$12.00 per person with door prizes and a 50/50 raffle. You do not need to know much about bowling except how to stand on the approach and throw the ball at the pins. Come and enjoy an afternoon from the Winter Blues. Reserve you lane today!

On behalf of Mabel Chapter, I want to extend congratulations to the incoming officers of Rhineland Lodge. If we can help in anyway, please do not hesitate to contact us. We are here to offer support to all in the Masonic Family. Communications is the key to a successful organization. I hope that we can communicate between the organizations to keep the legacy alive, strong and growing.

Mabel Chapter also wants to wish the new DeMolay Chapter good luck with their growth potential. The DAD Advisor meeting will be December 2nd, at Eagle Lodge. Anyone may attend who is interested in supporting the new young men in their endeavors.

Have a very Merry Christmas and safe travels over the holidays.
Star hugs to all,

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Thanks to members who have made Pledges to our "Furnace Fund"!!! : Elaine DeBrock - Conrad Dietz - Charles Douglas - James Dyreby - Florence Kincaid - Paul Gaboriault - Betty Helgson - Iris House - Robert Johnson - Bill & Loretta Julian - George Kinsler- Bill & Jean Lonie - John Metternich - Ray & Irene Oster - Don Schroeder- John Stamher - Edward Ring - James & Nancy Willis - Douglas Zache - Everett Boerner - Brian & Donna Dana - Blaine Haney - Kenneth Miller - Edward Perdew - James Piasecki - John Tilley - Wayne Hurlbutt -Family - Sal Giammo - Jim Suffield - Kenneth Remington - Elaine Dotter - Al Lis - Evelyn Milward - Jeff Smoczyk—Everett Ellingson - Sybil Reider, George Nance, George Sanders, Tom Sansone, Larry Martin, O.J. Sabatke Family, Bob Smith, Bob Bateman, Tony Schroeder, Jerrad Rath, Robert Herich, Maxine Kral family, William Allen III, Don Schueler, Marten Lawrence, Brian Dana

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