

The Masonic Messenger

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Northwoods Shrine Club

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The Masonic Booster Club helps the lodge meet it's charitable obligation to our Masonic brethren who find themselves in need. Contributions can be made to:

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

OCTOBER 2013

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Blue Lodge 7:30	2 OES 7:30 Cards after mtg	3	4	5 Dr. Cortte Iditarod Slide show
6	7 Scouts 6pm	8	9	10	11	12
13	14 Scouts 6pm	15 Blue Lodge 7:30	16 OES Presentation 4pm Pork Dinner 6pm	17	18	19
20	21 Scouts 6pm	22	23 OES Potential/ Inactive Dinner 6pm	24	25	26
27	28 Scouts 6pm	29	30	31 Halloween		

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Rhineland Lodge No. 242 F&AM

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

Greetings Brothers,

As Fall is knocking on our door, we once again have the privilege of watching our landscape turn into an array of spectacular colors. How blessed we are to live in the north woods where beautiful scenery & wildlife are free to view daily.

The month of September went by in a blink & showered the lodge with a wonderful annual steak fry & a profitable scrap metal drive. The steak fry was a great event & 40 plus lodge members, family, friends & invited community members shared in a spectacular meal & joyful greetings throughout the evening. Thanks to all who prepared & served the food & cleaned up the lodge. These types of events help to strengthen our lodge & spread Masonic values throughout our community. The scrap metal event, spearheaded by brother Suffield was the year's largest fundraiser. A lot of labor & time was put in by brother Suffield, brother Riemenschneider, & several other lodge brothers, to accomplish this event. Thank you brothers for serving our lodge & working long hours to raise funds for our lodge. Thank you also to all who supported the event with items.

The next couple months will be of a slower pace as far as scheduled events go. We had a busy year thus far & the lodge can breath a sigh of relief. As Master of our lodge, I am proud to have seen the lodge work together & serve our community throughout the year.

As a friendly reminder, if you have not yet sent in your dues for the year, please do so. If you are unable to; please contact me at my cell number provided on the Messenger.

When we wake in the morning & lay down at night give thanks to our creator for his grace & gifts to all of us.

Your Worshipful Master
Brother Bob Smith

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

Thanks to members who have made Pledges to our "Window Fund": Mike England, Bill Julian, Richard Hougen, Bob Smith, Bill Lonie, Don Schroeder, Brian Dana, Chris Craig.

Highlighted Events & Notifications

**Dr. Ron Cortte
Iditarod slide
show— 10/5 3 pm**

**Presentation—10/16
4pm
Pork Dinner—10/16
6pm**

**OES Potential/
Inactive Dinner
10/23 6pm**

**OES Dress
Hawaiian mtg—11/6**

**OES Thanksgiving
Party— 11/20**

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October 2013

MABEL CHAPTER #181 OES

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

Dear Sisters and Brothers,

Fall is coming in with beautiful color! And great news from the East! Our first new member in about three years assumed the obligation on September 25th. She is a Past Honored Queen of Job's Daughters from Illinois and will be a very positive asset to our Order.

Looking for some fun evenings? October 2, 2013 will be an evening of excitement. There will be cribbage boards and cards for after the meeting with some door prizes. October 5th, Doctor Ron Cortte will be on hand in Harmony Hall with his slides from the Iditarod in Alaska. The doors will be open at 3:00 pm to the public and we will accept donations for the Humane Society. The presentation will be at 4:00 pm. October 16th meeting we will be hosting the Grand Warder for Official Visit. Pork dinner with the fixings will be served at 6:00 pm for \$10.00 a plate. Please RSVP if you would care to join us and if you need a ride, please call me and I will see that there will be transportation for you.

October 23rd we will host another Potential/Inactive dinner for ones that want to see what is happening in our Order. Dinner will be served at 6:00 pm so please come with an empty stomach, questions and ideas for people who want to do things and get the word of the Order into the community.

Would you like to travel to Hawaii? The first meeting in November, which would be the 6th, we will have music and dress in Hawaiian Garb. Again there will be door prizes for the most authentic Hawaiian outfit present. November 20th will be the Thanksgiving Party and games of chance for some fixings for your turkey dinner. Do you enjoy trivia questions? Do you enjoy playing Whist? Donations will be accepted to be taken to the Food Pantry or Humane Society, whichever the case may be.

We still are looking for names of people that are in the service whether overseas or stateside. We wish to send them cards and care packages. There will be a manila envelope in the kitchen for slips of paper with names and addresses of anyone you know.

Again, if there is some special activity that you would like to see us hold or some fund raiser that would be unique to the coffers, please call one of us or email us.

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