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

SEPTEMBER 2013

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 Labor Day Scouts 6pm	3 Blue Lodge 7:30	4 OES 7:30	5	6	7
8	9 Scouts 6pm	10	11	12 Steak Fry Dinner 6pm	13	14 OES Bake Sale Pioneer Park am
15	16 Scouts 6pm	17 Blue Lodge 7:30	18 OES 7:30	19	20	21 Scrap Metal Pickup POC—Jim Suffield
22	23 Scouts 6pm	24	25	26	27	28
29	30 Scouts 6pm					

Messenger Masonic

Rhinelander Lodge No. 242 F&AM

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

Greetings to my Lodge Brothers; I want to start off our messenger by welcoming Brother Chris Craig, a newly raised Master Mason in our lodge. The raising of Brother Craig was an excellent Steak Fry Dinner night and professionally performed degree by all involved, and I thank each and every one of my brothers that assisted in raising Brother Craig. Congratulations Brother Craig!

Moving on to the August Lodge events, we had a full plate and once again we completed all our events and strengthened our community ties by serving and socializing through concerts, stand sales, rummage sales and this last weekend of August a breakfast sale, which I am sure will go well. The Brothers who have given graciously of their time and labor; you have my most sincere thanks and I now ask my fellow Brothers to join in this fellowship with us. You will enjoy yourself and meet new members of your lodge so take time and rejoin what you joined year's past. The month of September holds two events; the first of which is our steak fry dinner held on September 12th at 6 pm. Please RSVP Brother Lonie at 715-490-0497 for a head count. The meal cost is \$15, but you have the Master's word it cannot be matched anywhere for that price. You only need to bring your appetite and guests.

On September 21st, several lodge Brothers will do a scrap metal pick-up. If you have any metal to donate please contact Brother Suffield at 715-362-5971 to schedule a pick-up time. Thank you for your donations.

In closing I want to apologize to those who never received last month's Messenger. The post office returned several damaged letters recently and informed me that we were not taping them properly. My mistake; I will correct this problem. A friendly reminder; if you can receive the messenger by email please send me your email address and we will add you to the current email list.

May we never take for granted our daily blessings and spread our Masonic fellowship among our fraternal family and community.

Your Worshipful Master Brother Bob Smith

Highlighted Events & **Notifications**

9/12 6 pm

Eastern Star Bake Sale Pioneer Park— 9/14

Scrap Metal Pick up 9/21

You may contact WM Bob Smith at brotherrbsmith@gmail.com or 715-360-2390

September 2013

MABEL CHAPTER #181 OES

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

Dear Sisters and Brothers, An executive decision was made in July to forego doing the Brat Sale at Trig's on the 27th as it was cold, rainy and only a couple of Sisters could work it. The month before we had not been that profitable and in fact our bake sales show more profit. Therefore, come to Pioneer Park on the 14th of September to either purchase or donate baked goods. If you are unable to bake but still wish to donate, you may send donation to Sister Jane Brokaw with it ear marked as the Bake Sale. GREAT NEWS! We have a petition and will need officers to help initiate the new candidate. She is a former Past Honored Queen from Illinois but has been in Wisconsin for a number of years. Please come to welcome her into our organization and see what more you can do for the Chapter. We are looking at doing initiation on September 18th meeting. Be on the watch for a call from me or the Secretary pertaining to the meeting! It is also great news that between Eagle Lodge, Rhinelander Lodge, and Island City Lodge with assistance from Eagle Chapter and Mabel Chapter, we have reaffirmed the Demolay Chapter - Northern Lights and initiated three (3) members into that chapter with the help of three Demolay Chapters from the southern part of the state. The Masonic Family is growing. Let us each look into our obligation and see how we can best help these new members and the Chapter. The September meetings are September 4th and the 18th at 7:30 pm. If you wish to attend but do not have transportation please call me. I will either find you someone to pick you up or will be there to get you myself. My cell phone number

Have a great September if we don't see you.

Fraternally, Lori E. Philbrick, WM Dave Imlah, Jr. WP

is 715-771-9561

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 Śmith, Bob Bateman, Tony Schroeder, Jerrad Raths, Robert Herich, Maxine Kral family, William Allen III, Don Schueler, Marten Lawrence, Brian Dana

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