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TWIN PEAKS LODGE #32

Trestleboard

MAY 2008

Greetings from the East

This Month it looks like we are going to get a little bit of rest from Degree work. Thank you brethren for all your hard work on the degrees that we have had the past two months, you have done a great job.

We are currently working with Canyon Lodge #13 and St. Andrews Lodge #34 planning a joint table lodge. I will send out notices when we finalize the dates, it should be a lot of fun.

The planning for the Lodge's "Mason's at Work" picnic in June is well under way, we have the Midvale Bowery again this year, look for more information soon. We are challenging both RW Moore and Bethel 16 to a "mushball" game again this year. It was suggested that we might want to get some practice in before the game, so we will be setting up some time to do so in the next little bit.

Calendar

May 5th	6:00PM Dinner at Bohemian
	7:00PM Regular Business Meeting (on MM Degree)
May 12th	6:00PM Officers Meeting
	7:00PM Lodge of Instruction

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Warden's Page

MAY 2008

From the West
Brethren,
I am proud to say that the degree work the lodge performed during April was outstanding. Congratulations to all of you.
May looks like a quiet month for us, at least at this time. We have several brothers who are working with their coaches and I am sure we will have at least one EA degree by the time we go dark at the end of June.
Currently we are scheduled for our regularly stated meeting on 5 May @ 7:30 PM and our regular lodge of instruction on May 12th @ 7:00 PM.
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From the Secretaries Desk

I want to welcome Brother's Dan Detmers and Joel Reifsnyder. These Brothers became members of Twin Peaks through affiliation at our last meeting. Please add their information to your rosters:

Detmers, Daniel C. (Master Mason)
Spouse: Sue Date Raised: 6/7/2003
Birthdate: 4/25/1942
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Reifsnyder, Joel K. (Master Mason)
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Birthdate: 7/13/1959
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Email:

Also Brethren, there are a few that have yet to pay their dues. ***PLEASE*** do so as soon as you can. The money received is what operates your Lodge. If there is a problem, let me know and proper arrangements can be made.

Fraternally,
Jim Wadley, PGM
Secretary
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Fraternally,
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MT. OLYMPUS CHAPTER #23

Monthly News

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It was good to see Bill Vitkauskis and Aleta Phelps at our April meeting. It was discussed that an amendment be made to our By-Laws to change the meeting time from 7:30 PM to 7:00 PM. A resolution will be presented at the May meeting and will then lay over one month before a vote is taken. Congratulations to Melissa Roundy on her May 10th wedding. Remember to let Kathleen Hartman know of any volunteer hours you have done. Also, Kathleen is still collecting food items for the WGM's project. Kathy Kirshman volunteered to take over the Midvale Masonic Messenger. THANKS Kathy!!! We were not able to do an Initiation in April, so please come and welcome our new member in May. Monthly drawing winners were: Danon Gibson (who graciously gave his ticket to Kathleen Hartman), Aleta Phelps and Carol Kaddas.

MAY BIRTHDAYS: 04-Frank Harper; 06-Vicki Tuckett; 06-Lisa Blycker; 08-Karen Pullman; 09-Sandra Hartman; 10-Carol Kaddas; 16-Jim Kirshman; 26-Tammy Gibson; 29-Rebecca Himsl; 29-Patrick Cohen; 30-Meghan Hartman; 31-Edie Rein ~~~ A Very Happy Day To All

ROSTER CHANGES: (Please make note) If you have any changes, please let the Secretary know.

GOOD NEWS: Lee Rogers had the pins in his foot removed and returned to work in late April. Thanks to Tom Tucker for his generous donation to the Chapter General Fund. Robert Jones celebrates 20 year in Eastern Star on the 20th.

SAD NEWS: We send our sympathy to the family of Grand Martha, L. Ann Lewis who passed away in March.

SICKNESS & DISTRESS: Lydia Vitkauskis is still having back problems. Meghan Hartman was ill. Linda Glines was on pain medications for an infection.

MT. OLYMPUS DATES: May 14th we will help serve at Martha Chapter #7's Grand Visitation. June 21 will be our fund raiser Miniature Golf Tournament. PLEASE mark your calendars NOW. We need all member to support this event to keep from having to raise our dues. If you are unable to attend, please consider making a donation. The Chapter hopes to participate in a Special Olympics event at the end of September.

OTHER EVENTS: May 10th, Radiant #12 Luncheon 11:00 Bazaar, Noon lunch. $9.00 Adults. Call Ruth Hodges for reservations at 359-2563.

GRAND CHAPTER VISITATIONS: 13-Bethsaida #22, Bountiful at 7:00 PM-14-Martha #7, Midvale at 7:30 PM-16-Naomi #13, Price at 7:30 PM-17-Bethany #9, Green River at 2:00 PM-23-Clara Barton #16, Logan at 7:00 PM-24-Corrine #11, Brigham City at 11:00 AM

THE TRIVIA CORNER: When the winds are 50 miles an hour, the Statue of Liberty sways three inches and the torch sways five inches.

ANIMAL TRUISMS: I wonder if other dogs think Poodles are members of a weird religious cult???

DUES REMINDER: Please get your 2008 dues paid as soon as possible. Mail to the Secretary.

***** HOPE TO SEE YOU ON MAY 16TH FOR INITIATION *****

Marge Shanley, PM
Worthy Matron

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Worthy Patron

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It's May! It's May!
The lusty month of May!
- Lerner and Lowe

How many of you are glad that winter is almost just a memory? Martha Chapter is eager to celebrate not only the return of warmer temperatures, but our Official Visitation by the Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Patron and Grand Officers, as well as our Chapter anniversary. Martha will be 98 on May 13th! Yes, only two more years until we turn 100 and we are eagerly awaiting that special time. Our Official Visitation is on May 14th and we look forward to a fun evening. This year it is even more special because of our very own PM Jennifer P. Lee, Grand Lecturer. There will be a practice for our Official Visitation on May 7th at 7:30 pm.

MAY BIRTHDAYS. Sandi Nelson (9); Robert K. Chapman (19); Barbara McMillan (13); and Dorothy Davis (29). A VERY HAPPY DAY to all!

ROSTER CHANGES. Please make the following change in your roster for Norma Scott: 9075 S 700 E Apt 109, Sandy, UT 84070-2455. If you have any changes that need to be made to our roster, please notify our secretary, Dianne Vardiman.

GOOD NEWS. Mandy Wessman is cancer free and was at our April meeting. Irene Grant is home now and continues to improve. PM Dianne Vardiman will be vacationing in Boston and Nova Scotia the first of this month, but will be back in time for OV.

SICKNESS & DISTRESS. PGP Art Austin had surgery and is home. Susan Christiansen had surgery and is home. Kathryn Wood will start radiation treatments soon. PM Jennifer Lee was in an automobile accident coming home from the Hands Across Nevada weekend. We are thankful that she and her fellow passengers were uninjured. PM Mary Carstensen had additional arm surgery and may need to see a specialist. Karen Stauffer will need to have knee replacement surgery within the year. Our thoughts and prayers go out to these members.

MARTHA CHAPTER EVENTS. At our June meeting we will be honoring our Past Matrons and Past Patrons. There will be a dinner at 5:30 pm. Please contact either PGP Stan and PGM Nancy Strader (278-5776) or PGP Art Austin (255-2596) if you need a ride. We will be honoring our special guests prior to the start of our regular stated meeting so that those who wish to return home before dark may do so.

OTHER MAY EVENTS. Health Fair at the Midvale Center (May 17th), and Masonic Youth Day at Lagoon (May 25th).

DUES REMINDER. For those members who still need a 2008 dues card, please send your check or money order for $25 to our secretary, Dianne Vardiman, at 9078 S Daybreak Drive, Sandy, Utah 84093-2618.

Nancy Strader, PGM
Worthy Matron

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Worthy Patron

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MARTHA CHAPTER #7