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1ST & 3RD THURSDAY
STATED

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MASTER'S MESSAGE

Brethren,

Although the month of December is not over as I write this article, we have been very busy with more to come! Saturday, December 8th saw many members working at the Lodge's first annual "Pancake Breakfast with Santa Claus", ringing bells for the Salvation Army or doing both. The pancake breakfast was deemed a success with several hundred people being served. Santa Claus was a nice attraction which the kids enjoyed. In any case, the breakfast was a great public relations event for the lodge. Bells were "a-ringing" at eleven locations for the Salvation Army throughout Waukesha County from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Early reports by the Army indicate we collected \$4,875.31. Needless to say they were very pleased! To finish up the month, we have at least three Fellowcraft degrees scheduled and of course the Installation of Officers for 2008.

Officers for 2008 are Bob McQuillan, Worshipful Master; Mark Fellman, Senior Warden; Shane Beecraft, Junior Warden; Larry Nines, Secretary/Treasurer; Eugene Johnson, Chaplain; Dale Hartung, Senior Deacon, Brian Renzelmann, Junior Warden; Dan Miller, Senior Steward, Eric Friedrichsohn, Junior Steward; Mark Hanley, Tiler; Paul Goebel, Organist, and Trustees John Marotta, Gary Ebert and Randy Radish.

For January we will have an Entered Apprentice degree on January 10th and Master Mason degrees on January 17th and 31st. The meetings will start at 6:30 p.m. on each of the three dates. In addition to the MM degree on January 17th, we will conduct a Stated Meeting with a lunch preceding the meeting at 6:30 p.m.

Mark your calendars, Saturday, FEBRUARY 23rd, the George Washington Day Dinner will be held at the Machine Shed Restaurant with a fantastic family style dinner being served! Details will be published in the February Temple Topics, make your plans now!

As your newly installed Worshipful Master, I appreciate any input for future meetings, events, fund raisers, outings, etc. that you may have to continue to maintain our reputation as one of the best and most active lodges in the state.

Fraternally

Bob McQuillan, Worshipful Master,

January 2008

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		New Year's Day 1	2	3 7:30 p.m. Lodge Stated	4	5
6 9:00 a.m. E & R Service	7	8 7:00 p.m. Job's Daughters	9	10 6:30 p.m. EA Degree	11	12
13 9:00 a.m. E & R Service	14 6:00 p.m. Commandry Pot Luck Dinner	15	16	17 6:30 p.m. Lodge Stated lunch, MM Degree	18	19 1:00 p.m. Job's Daughters
20 9:00 a.m. E & R Service	21 Martin Luther King Day	22	23	24	25	26
27 9:00 a.m. E & R Service	28	29	30	31 6:30 p.m. MM Degrees		

JOB'S DAUGHTERS

Daughters, Parents & Masonic Friends,

Despite the fact the old man winter cancelled some of our activities, December was still a busy month for our Jobies. On December 8, our girls rang bells for the Salvation Army at the Pick & Save in Wales. We want to thank Molly Martin, Jessica and Rebecca Douglas as well as Mom Lisa Perdue for battling the cold for a great cause. On Saturday, December 15 the girls took part in a special outing and went bowling at Fox Runs Lanes. This was also a prospective members event.

Looking ahead to January, we have meetings scheduled for Tuesday the 8th at 7 pm and Saturday the 19th at 1 pm. A council dinner/meeting is scheduled for Wednesday the 16th. We also hope to attend some area Bethel Installations in January, with details to follow. This will be a great way to see other Bethels in action and meet new friends.

Remember we are always looking for young girls between the ages of 10 and 19, who have Masonic affiliation, to join our fun-loving group. If you know of someone who may be interested in joining, contact Mom Adair (414-916-9207) or Dad Ebert (262-547-0985).

Mom Caryn Adair, Bethel Guardian (pro tem)
Dad Gary Ebert, Associate Bethel Guardian

WAUKESHA 37 F. & A.M. Lodge Masonic

January Birthday List

Raised	Name	Years of Service
01/11/1951	Robert Floyd Smart	57
01/10/1957	Irving R. Dietscher	51
01/20/1959	Frank C. McNabb	49
01/10/1973	William S. Granger	35
01/31/1980	Ellis H. Hughes	28
01/12/1984	Patrick D. Keller	24
01/28/1992	Ralph Stewart Polhamus Jr.	16
01/13/2000	Joseph Patrick Leonard	8
01/30/2003	Charles H. Ellman	5
01/30/2003	John Wood Krinke	5
01/29/2004	Scott J. Cowan	4



Lodge holds its First Annual Breakfast with Santa on December 8th. Pictured with Mr. & Mrs. Claus are some of the Lodge members who took part in the event. The event proved to be a great way to introduce adults and children in the community to the Waukesha Lodge.

Commander S.K.	Homer Armagost, P.C.	262-691-3761
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Captain General S.K.	Bob Uchner, P.C.	262-547-5605
Recorder S.K.	Lauren Handeland	262-544-5962



Sir Knights and Ladies,

The Christmas Observance was enjoyed by all in attendance. We could have fed many more but they were not with us.

As Knight Templar there are THREE required Christian Observances. Christmas, the Birth; Easter, the Crucifixion; and the Ascension into Heaven.

In January the Ladies will bring a pot of their favorite home made chili. We will also need side dishes, breads, veggies and deserts. Make sure you mark the Second Monday of the month for the Commandery Family Pot Luck dinner and stated meeting.

As Knights Templar we hold three Christian Observances. Christmas, The Birth; Easter, The Crucifixion; and Ascension into Heaven. Watch the Temple Topics for notices.

On January 14 we will open in practice for the Full Form Opening in preparation for the Homecoming and Inspection in March. We need all possible Sir Knights who can attend to attend. If you do not have a full uniform, don't worry, we need your attendance and support. The practice sessions are a learning tool for everyone. The old Sir Knights need to brush up on the Ritual and new Sir Knights need to start to feel comfortable with the floor work.

Monday, January 28 will also be a practice meeting. We need your help. We will not turn you away if you do not have a full uniform. Come and enjoy the fellowship of Commandery.

Homer Armagost, Commander

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Companions,

We have no degree work scheduled for January but February is a possibility depending if Waukesha and Oconomowoc Chapters can get their candidates thru the Royal Arch. However, this is a good time for our new Companions to meet with us and we will walk through the Ritual Work and you can assume some of the positions. There is a spot for you on the Royal and/or Select Master Ritual Teams. On that thought please let us know who would like a Ritual Book, so we will have them by our January meeting.

We will be making our selections in January & February for new Ritual Robes. Be there size matters!!!

T R Libby, TIM

Schedule:

January 23, 2008 Stated Meeting 7:30 PM

February 27, 2008 Stated Meeting 7:30 PM



WAUKESHA CHAPTER NO. 37 ROYAL ARCH MASONS

High Priest	Walt Lohman	262-547-4442
King	Bob Uchner	262-547-5605
Scribe	Homer Armagost	262-691-3761
Secretary	Larry Nines	262-691-3761



Dear Companions,

Our January meeting will be again with the Commandery on Monday, January 14th. We will join in the Pot Luck Supper at 6:15 and hold our meeting at 7:00.

We installed our officers in December as we joined in the Christmas Observance with the Commandery. The Following officers were installed:

High Priest- Walter Lohman

King-Bob Uchner

Scribe- Homer Armagost

Secretary/Treasurer-Larry Nines

Captain of Host-Jeff Balis

Royal Arch Captain-Lauren Handeland

Master of 3rd veil-Eric Western

Master of 2nd veil-Arthur Matter

Master of 1st veil-Ed Kodai

Sentinel-John DeCaluwe

Chaplain-Mark Tetzlaff

Principal Sojourner-Orville Swain

We are planning on having a successful year and we hope all of you can join in activities this year. Have a healthy, prosperous, and happy 2008.

Sincerely,

Walt Lohman

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