



CENTRAL SD MASONIC MESSENGER



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DISTRICT MASTER'S REPORT

(No message for this month.)

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PIERRE LODGE #27

Greetings brethren!

I hope you have all had a Merry Christmas and I trust that the year 2018 that just marched out was a rewarding and memorable year for you. Pierre Lodge #27 has received the best gift a lodge could ever ask for. A new Master Mason! We are so blessed.

On January 12, 2019 Pierre Lodge #27 will host the Grand Lodge Officers for their mid-winter meeting. We are very pleased to know that the Most Worshipful Grand Master is inviting all Masons to attend. Meeting is at 10:00AM in January 12, 2019. To have lunch at noon that day please contact Uncle Matt at 280-7248 or via E-mail at unclematt@AOL.COM.

At 1:00PM on the same day the South Dakota Lodge of Masonic Research will meet at 1:00PM at the Pierre Masonic Temple. As Master of the Pierre Lodge, I invite all members to come and assist me in welcoming all out of town visitors. Our very own, WB Jon Gonsor is the Master of the Lodge of Research and he has planned a wonderful meeting that you will not want to miss. I have instructed my officers to roll out the welcome mat.

Our District 13 one day festival is slated for January 19, 2019. All three degrees will be conferred. **At 8:00AM the Moberidge Lodge will confer the EA Degree** and the new members will be instructed. Gettysburg Lodge will confer the Fellow Craft Degree. We will enjoy a nice lunch and at 1:00PM Ft. Pierre Lodge will confer the Master Mason Degree.

We intend on doing our part to make the day's activities run smoothly and hopefully the experience for the candidates solemn and impressive. As a reminder I wish to have **all Pierre Lodge officers report at 7:00PM on the 18th for the purpose of opening the lodge and going over the last minute details.**

We are planning to celebrate the Birthday of George Washington on January 22, 2019. My Chairman, Perry Anderson is promising a fine meal with homemade Cherry Pie. It will be a nice program.

The New Year is standing before us like an open book with blank pages. I invite all my brothers to fill the pages well, so that when the book is complete it will be a book well written. That is my New Year's wish for each of my Brothers.

Justin Stanek 32°, Master

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LILY LODGE #62 HARROLD-BLUNT

Our November meeting was held with 12 members and guests present for the meeting. We thank the visiting Brothers for attending and the input each had to contribute to the meeting. We had a short meeting due to time of year with all of the Christmas programs etc. going on. The Lodge passed out treats at school Christmas program thanks to Brother Randy Pool and others who helped get this done. The subject of our annual oyster stew came up as we did not have it in December due to health issue of the cook. I would like to inform all Brothers that oysters are ordered and there are plans to have **oyster stew at JANUARY 7, 2019** meeting unless there is blizzard on that date. We invite all brothers and visitors to attend the meeting and partake of the food and fellowship. **The Brothers of Lily Lodge wish everyone MERRY CHISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR.**

Gerald Johnson, Master

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IONIC LODGE #83

Ionic Lodge #83 did not get opened in December, but we did have Oyster Stew and fellowship. Three Brothers from Pierre joined us. We extend our sympathies to the family of Marlin McKenney. Brother Norm Kostboth is in the hospital with respiratory problems. We need to keep him in our prayers.

We did have a nice visit from Masonic Brothers from Minnesota. They were in the area pheasant hunting. They expressed an interest in a more organized fraternal event on their pheasant hunt next year.

Ezra Mink, Master.....(605) ???-????

Larry Madsen, Secretary

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HIRAM LODGE #123

The Brothers of Hiram Lodge #123 will be doing the Third Degree at the One Day Festival in Pierre on January 19th. Contacts and reminders will be going out to cover all the roles. Please check your e-mail and voice mail over the next few weeks.

Our regular meeting on January 21st will be designated as Past Masters Night and the Mortensons will be serving prime rib. Dinner at 6:30 and the meeting to follow at 8:00.

As we enter a new year, another reminder that 2019 dues have been sent out and if they can be paid promptly, it would ease the job of our Secretary and Treasurer.

Have Merry Christmas and Happy New Year and we look forward to seeing everyone in the new year.

Respectfully Submitted:

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MOBRIDGE LODGE #164

(No message for this month.)

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MOBRIDGE YORK RITE BODIES

(No message for this month.)

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MOBRIDGE SCOTTISH RITE CLUB

(No message for this month.)

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MOBRIDGE SHRINE CLUB

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EAGLE BUTTE LODGE NO. 172

Eagle Butte Lodge #172 met Mon. Dec 17th with (11) members present. This is our first meeting since darkness last July!

Business discussed was the up-coming Grand Masters of Masons conference February 16-19 in Rapid City. Volunteers are

needed from the area Lodges to help with the several hundred Grand Masters expected to attend from across North America.

The recent District Meeting held in Faith was discussed by the Secretary. Some dues were collected & the Charter was draped in memory of Brother Ben Ehly who passed away on September 30th. Masonic services were by Brother Jerry Weischedel of Mobridge Lodge.

The CHIPs (Child Identification Program) that was held December 10th was discussed. The families of (11) children participated.

Next meeting will be January 21st at 7:00PM.

Fraternally,
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ONIDA LODGE NO. 173

(No message for this month.)

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YORK RITE NEWS

Pierre Chapter #22 of Royal Arch Mason was opened in due form by HP Matt Schatz PGHP. We discussed the meal Pierre York Rite will be preparing for meeting of the officers for the Grand Lodge of South Dakota and Masonic Lodge of Research. If there is enough interest, Capitol City Commandery may have a Christmas observance next year.

Pierre York Rite meets the second Wednesday of the month at 7:00PM with supper at 6:15PM, all are welcome to the supper.

We had an official visit from our Grand High Priest Jon Gonsor.

We had elections for next year with the following officers:

Royal Arch Masons:

High Priest — Darrol Bjerke

King — Greg Hall

Scribe — John Willoughby

Recorder/ Treasurer — Gary Waack

Principle Sojourner — Kirk Livermont

Royal Arch Captain — Brian Ballow

Council:

Illustrious Master — Todd Fuoss

Deputy Illustrious Master — Kirk Livermont

Principle Conductor of Work — Brian Ballow

Captain General — John Willoughby

Commandery:

Eminent Commander — Greg Hall

Generalissimo — Kirk Livermont

Captain General — Brian Ballow

Senior Warder — Robert Demery

Junior Warder — John Willoughby

Gary Waack

Recorder Pierre York Rite.

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CENTRAL SOUTH DAKOTA SCOTTISH RITE CLUB

(No message for this month.)

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(No message for this month.)

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PIERRE MASONIC BUILDING BOARD

(No message for this month.)

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CAPITAL CITY OES #39 Stardust

I hope everyone had a wonderful Christmas and are looking forward to 2019!

Our Official Visit will be on February 16, 2019; Associate Grand Conductress Nancy Gonsor will be our official visitor. This is the District's combined School of Instruction so we hope lots of people will attend!! The meeting will begin at 1:00PM. Additional details will be coming in the next Masonic Messenger. Keep the date open!!

The McClure Christmas Party for area children was held at the Discovery Center on December 8th. It was a big hit with the kids. Santa was there and the kids got to decorate cookies along with other activities.

Building Board: The roof and landscaping will be done in the spring of 2019. Eastern Star will need to appoint a new representative to the board.

After our December meeting we had our Christmas party in McClure Hall. We played games, had white elephant gifts and an ugly sweater contest. There was lots of laughter and fun.

Installation of two offices was done at our December meeting – Marshall, Todd Fuoss and Ruth, Cheri Bartlett. Cheri was also introduced in the East as Grand Ruth.

Come join us at our meetings, we have a good time and great fellowship. Our next meeting is Tuesday, January 8th at 7:00PM with fellowship in McClure Hall after the meeting. Hope to see you there. If you haven't paid your 2019 dues, please contact me!

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JOB'S DAUGHTERS BETHEL #10

(No message for this month.)

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ASHLEY CHAPTER OF DEMOLAY

(No message for this month.)

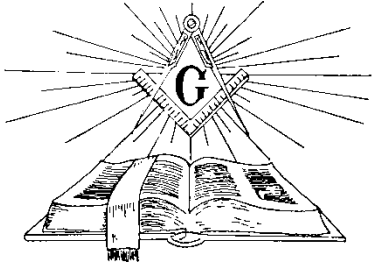
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Chapter Dad Liberty Chapter Demolay Sioux Falls, SD

Advisor Pierre Demolay

GENERAL COMMENTS

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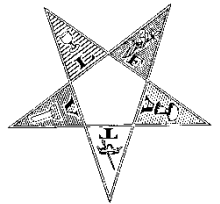
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MASONIC TRESTLE BOARD

January 2019



Wednesday	2	8:00pm	Onida Lodge #173, regular meeting & lunch
Thursday	3	7:30pm	Rising Sun Chapter #86 OES, Blunt, regular meeting & lunch
	3	8:00pm	Ionic Lodge #83 Gettysburg, SD, regular meeting & lunch
Sunday	6	3:00pm	Pierre Job's Daughters Bethel #10
Monday	7	8:00pm	Lily Lodge #62 AF&AM Harrold Blunt in Blunt, SD (oyster stew)
Tuesday	8	7:00pm	Capital City Chapter #39, OES regular meeting and lunch
Wednesday	9	6:15pm	York Rite, dinner and 7:00pm meeting
	9	8:00pm	Waneta Chapter #47 OES Gettysburg, regular meeting and lunch
Monday	14	6:00pm	Mobridge Lodge #164, Mobridge, SD, dinner & 7PM regular meeting
	14	7:00pm	Pierre Lodge #27, regular meeting and lunch
Thursday	17	7:00pm	Oahe Shrine Club meets at McClure Hall
	17	7:00pm	Onida Chapter #138 OES, Onida, SD regular meeting and lunch
Sunday	20	3:00pm	Pierre Job's Daughters Bethel #10
Monday	21	6:30pm	Hiram Lodge #123, Ft. Pierre, supper and regular meeting (8:00PM)
	21	7:00p MT	Eagle Butte Lodge #172, Eagle Butte regular meeting and lunch
	21	8:00pm	Faulkton Lodge #95 regular meeting
Thursday	24	6:00pm	Oahe Shrine Club Ladies' Night dinner at ???
Saturday	26	noon	CSDMM articles due in Pierre
Monday	28	7:00pm	Mobridge York Rite Bodies
	28	7:00pm	Pierre Masonic Building Board regular meeting
Tuesday	29	7:00pm	Masonic Fun night at McClure Hall in Pierre