



CENTRAL SD MASONIC MESSENGER



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DISTRICT MASTER'S REPORT

Greetings:

For Brother James Brink. Original message was canceled. Brother James Brink is getting his chemical cancer treatment adjusted. He has spent a week in Pierre in this effort. Brother James has been encouraged to continue his District Master position and is hopeful that his cancer treatment will help. Let's keep him in our prayers. Respectfully submitted by Eugene Collett.

Fraternally,

James Brink, District Master #13

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PIERRE LODGE #27

Greetings to all the members of Pierre Lodge #27. The dark period of our Lodge shed rays of light in other forms. The all Masonic Picnic in McClure Hall on July 19th brought in a large crowd from all over the state. The installation of officers on August 13th was not without surprises as we had special guests; Alan and Betty Glodt, teachers from Saudi Arabia and the parents of the new Master, Jason Glodt. Betty hosted a reception for her son, the new Master and his officers while his wife Michelle attended to their new daughter. It was a great evening.

Many Masons helped with the Shrine Circus and that was pleasing. Our first stated meeting on September 14th was very well attended and the newly installed officers performed so very well and they are to pat themselves on the back for that. The message we get from the East is "Petitions, Petitions and Petitions". I hope we will all oblige the Master.

We have not yet heard as to when our District meeting will be as there is a health problem with the new District Master from Onida.

We have tentatively locked in the date of January 23, 2010 for the District 13 "one-Day" festival to be hosted by the Pierre Lodge with participants from all the Lodges in District 13. More later.

Please all attend our next stated meeting at 7:00PM on October 12, 2009.

Most Sincerely, Matt Schatz, Secretary

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LILY LODGE #62

The regular meeting was opened in due form on September 21, 2009. Elected and Appointed Officers present were installed by MWB Gerald Johnson, PGM of the Grand Lodge of South Dakota: Dave Ramsey WM, Gerald Johnson JW, Duane Schmautz Secretary/Treasurer, Dean Ritter SD, Erwin Feller JD, Ray Salathe SS, Arnold Webb Chaplin, Erwin Feller Ed Officer. Grand Lodge amendments/bylaw changes were discussed. Membership was discussed and we are hoping to increase our membership this year. Lunch was served by Erwin Feller. October 5th will be our next meeting with Dean Ritter and Ray Salathe on the lunch committee. We invite all to attend.

Respectfully Submitted by Duane Schmautz on behalf of:

Dave Ramsey, Master

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BLUNT LODGE #72

Blunt Lodge #72 met in regular communication on Monday September 14th. Officers for the new year were installed by MWB Gerald Johnson. This included the Master Roland Kleinschmidt and other officers. Regular business of lodge was taken care of and nothing new is to report. Our next meeting is scheduled for October 12th at 8:00PM with lunch to follow. Visitors are always welcome.

Brian Schultz, Secretary

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IONIC LODGE #83

We have a Steak Fry coming up October 1st at 6:45PM. Regular meeting to follow at 8:00PM. Visitors are welcome.

Our Kids Fun Day after the Homecoming Parade on September 25th went very well with over 50 kids between 18 months and 9 years participating. Everything was free with prizes for everyone.

Jerry Knox, a fellow Mason, who recently moved to Gettysburg from Washington state helped.

Dues notices with a Trestle Board will be sent out soon.

Larry Madsen, Secretary

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HIRAM LODGE #123

Hi Brothers,

Hope you are all doing well.

At our first meeting we installed officers, Levi Neuharth as Worshipful Master, Senior Warden Doug Runge, Junior Warden Derek Runge, Treasurer Mike Kirkpatrick, and Secretary Dallas Thompson. Appointed officers were Senior Deacon Dan Wagner, Junior Deacon Steve Kendall.

A meal was served before by Worshipful Master Elect Levi Neuharth and his wife, the soup was awesome.

Next regular meeting October 19th, we hope that all can attend and bring a brother.

See you then....

Dallas Thompson, Secretary

(605) 224-5409

MOBRIDGE LODGE #164

(I didn't receive anything this month.)

EAGLE BUTTE LODGE NO. 172

Eagle Butte #172 came out of darkness September 21st with 11 members in attendance. Items discussed were the District 14 meeting at Lemmon, September 26th, an improved heating system for the hall and the status of the 12- step group which had been meeting in the Lodge basement. A new petition was read and committees assigned. The next meeting will be October 19th at 7:00PM MDT.

Fraternally, Dan Booth, Secretary

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ONIDA LODGE NO. 173

Greetings from Onida Lodge 173,

We installed the following Brothers at our September meeting: WM Paul Eidsness; SW Nick Bown; JW Albert Schreiber.

A 50 year pin was presented to Brother Maynard Bloom on September 20th by PGM Delbert Ripley. SGW Richard Decker and PGM Gerald Johnson were among the Brothers attending. Brother Bloom's wife, Nancy pinned the 50 year pin. A cake and time of visiting followed.

Lunch for October will be furnished by Brothers Albert Schreiber and Jim Bright.

Doug Marsh, Secretary

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YORK RITE NEWS

Greeting Companions and Sir Knights. We have been called from refreshment to Labor. The harvest is plentiful and the laborers are requested to return to the quarries. Most recently the Chapter has begun our work in the Mark Master and Past Master. In October we will continue with the Illustrious Master and will soon be doing the Royal Arch. We need all our Companions to assist with our work.

The Grand York Rite has been completed and it was a nice gathering with several of our members assisting and taking positions within the Grand York Rite. On behalf of us Past, thank you and you did make us proud. Also thank Companion and Sir

Knight Jim Allan for assisting with registration. At our York Rite meeting October 14th we will discuss practice dates and prepare for rehearsal of work in Council and Commandery.
Commander Charlie Walker (605) 224-5259



CENTRAL SOUTH DAKOTA SCOTTISH RITE CLUB

Degree dates are October 23rd and 24th. I haven't received a schedule for when the 30th degree will be presented, which doesn't prevent us from getting our parts assigned and begin practice very very very soon. I encourage any of our Brothers to contact Brother Richard Decker or Charlie Walker if you are available to assist. Not just for this reunion, but also for future reunions.

Brother, Charlie Walker (605) 224-5259



YELDUZ, OAHE SHRINE CLUB

Greetings Nobles,

I hope you all had a refreshing summer and are prepared for some upcoming events. We will be in the Pierre Homecoming Parade and have also submitted for the Parade of Lights. Tentatively scheduled for November 27th. With permission of the Nobles our Ladies night for October will be scheduled for Jake. (October 29th). Our next scheduled meeting is set for October 13th at the Masonic Center unless otherwise notified.

Vice President, Charlie Walker (605) 224-5259

PIERRE MASONIC BUILDING BOARD

When there is Beautiful weather all Summer and now Fall, time has a way of slipping by. The good news about the Building Board is that we are now at the finishing touches of the new back door so that people will not have to come in thru the kitchen. The door is in, but the finishing work not yet complete. Soon we will add a cement walk by the back door, so that when we unload someone in a wheel-chair we will be going on the sidewalk and not into the mud. It will be a nice addition. I have received many "Thank You's" for people that always work at the Temple. The work you guys and gals do is much appreciated. Jim Allan had the yard so very clean. The moon flowers on the East side in perfect bloom and the hedges all trimmed. Jim, please accept our most sincere thanks. All should know that the Building Board meetings are held at 7:00PM on the 4th Monday of each month and anyone is welcome to attend.
Sincerely, WB Darrol Bjerke, Board President



CAPITAL CITY OES Stardust

FROM THE DESK OF THE SECRETARY: – The October birthdays are as follows: Sarah Vanneman celebrates on the 2nd, Jack Fiefield on the 6th, followed by Dean Bartlett on the 9th, Flossie Zigler on the 10th, Jacqueline Mandil the 16th, Gladys Benson on the 16th, Mary Lou Fratzke the 18th, Stacy Gavin on the 21st and Norma Abbott finishes the month on the 22nd. The chapter wishes you all a Happy Birthday.

The 121st Grand Chapter "Circle of Life" session will convene at the Ramkota RiverCentre the first part of October. Registration will begin on Wednesday, October 7th at 10:00AM, until 6:00PM, in the Lake Oahe lobby. A formal banquet by, reservation only, to honor the Worthy Grand Matron and Patron is scheduled at 6:30PM on Wednesday evening.

An informal opening will begin on Thursday evening followed by the formal grand chapter opening. All Eastern Star members are welcome to attend any or all sessions. To register have available your current receipt for dues card and \$15.00 registration fee. Feel free to call your secretary if you have questions concerning this event. All sessions will begin with musical preludes.

The Friday, October 9th session will begin 8:00AM to 6:00PM. Saturday, October 10th, from 8:00AM until Noon. The Eastern Star Home will conduct their annual meeting at 2:00PM. Everyone is welcome to attend if interested. It is very informative.

On Saturday, the session will be from 8:00AM to 2:00PM. The installation of new (2009/10) officers is scheduled to begin at 5:30PM, on Saturday early evening October 10, 2009. All sessions for this event are held at the Ramkota RiverCentre.

This chapter sends condolences to the family of Elinor Clairce Noren Meeker. She passed away on May 26th in Seattle, Washington. Elinor grew up in Pierre. Elinor joined the Order of Eastern Star on June 8, 1945 in Pierre. She received her 50 years certificate and pin in 1995. Helen Neuharth is a niece and a member of this chapter.

Georgene Bjerke and Mary Lou Fratzke joined the ranks of 50 year Eastern Star members. Georgene was honored during the September chapter meeting with her daughter Cindy favored to do the pinning details.

Paula Fratzke took her mother's certificate and pin to Brookings where Mary Lou's was visiting and she was honored by her family with this presentation. Daughters, Paula is from Virginia, Lori from Iowa and Charlene in Brookings. All were initiated and are members of this chapter. Congratulations to the recipients.

Thank you, Dorothea Dailey and Peg Henson for taking charge of the September chapter meeting serving committee. You did a nice job and it was much appreciated.

The next chapter meeting is on Tuesday, October 13th at 7:00PM.

The colors are changing. It is a beautiful time of year. ENJOY.

WANETA CHAPTER #47

We are looking forward to Grand Chapter in Pierre. We wish the best to Worthy Grand Matron Jan and Worthy Grand Patron Robert.

Janet and Larry Madsen attended the Grand Chapter officers fall practice in Faulkton on September 19th. They have both now earned their "traveling pins".

Our regular meeting is on October 14th, after Grand Chapter this year, so we do not need to come up with an alternate plan for election. It is time to start thinking about what office you want!

Larry Madsen, Worthy Patron (605) 765-2746



JOB'S DAUGHTERS BETHEL #10

Jobie Greetings,

Wow, summer has come and gone! In July, the Job's Daughters had a magnificent time participating in the Ft. Pierre July 4th parade and operating the concession stand at the July 4th rodeo that evening. They also enjoyed selling cotton candy at the Shrine Circus. August was busy as well with a very successful Brat Feed Fundraiser at Dakotamart in early August, the proceeds of which went to HIKE (Hearing Impaired Kids Endowment). A big Jobie thank-you to all of you who helped support us, we truly appreciate you ☺! Finally, in late August, the girls headed for the beach for an afternoon of tubing followed by a picnic. A special thank you to Steve Walker for providing his boat and taking the girls for a whirl!

With the end of summer, our Jobie members who are in college headed off to school. We are sad to see them go but we wish them well and encourage them to stop and visit us when they are in town.

Installation of officers was held in June. Please join us in congratulating Gena Burley, Honored Queen; Lisa Jenssen, Senior Princess; Brooklyn Young, Junior Princess; Meredith Keeler, Guide and Kelbie Frederick, Marshall as well as the other officers. Our thanks to Calla Holzhauser; Past Honored Queen for doing a tremendous and beautiful job during her term. Calla exemplified excellent leadership and a true example to the younger girls in the Bethel.

Jobie U was September 11th – 13th at Richmond Lake in Aberdeen. The girls had an excellent time, made new friends and learned a great deal about Jobs. Thank you to the adult chaperones: Kesiah Frederick and Norma Abbott. Two thumbs up to you!!!

Our Guardian Council members were installed on September 20th by Nancy Gonsor, Grand Vice-Guardian and Dallas Thompson, Grand Associate Guardian. Thank you for doing a beautiful installation. Installed were: Deb Gaetze & Ann Holz-

hauser - Co-Guardians; Mike Holzhauser - Associate Guardian; Zoe Jones - Guardian Secretary; Mary Keeler - Guardian Treasurer; Erin Schmidt - Director of Epochs; Sandy Brown - Promoter of Sociability; Norma Abbott - Promoter of Hospitality; Sam Reiss - Director of Music, and Anissa Grambihler - Director of Paraphernalia and Bethel Promoter. Please welcome and thank these volunteers who give their time to our Jobies. We are all looking forward to a fabulous year!

The Job's will be hosting a pancake breakfast on the first Saturday in October, October 3, at the Masonic Temple. The girls are excited to make breakfast after taking a break during the summer. As always, the cost is only \$3.00 for all you can eat – and you get great service with a smile ☺!

Finally, the Job's extend a warm invitation to all Masons and Eastern Star members to attend the next Job's Daughters meeting at 3:00PM on Sunday, October 4th. The meeting will include a special ceremony honoring the Masons and Eastern Star with a reception following the meeting.

Wishing you a beautiful fall from Bethel 10!
Bethel # 10 Co-Guardians Deb Gaetze (224-5956) and Ann Holzhauser (945-1601), Bethel Promoter Anissa Grambihler.



ASHLEY CHAPTER OF DEMOLAY

(I didn't receive anything this month.)

GENERAL COMMENTS

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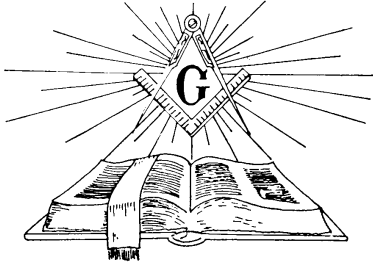
From CSDMM Treasurer:

Please note that CSDMM balance is down to the point that we can only proceed with one more printing unless we receive our per capita from each Lodge for the upcoming year. If your lodge would like to make it in several payments, that is acceptable.

Starting September 1, 2009, our cost per member remains at \$4.00 for the CSDMM to continue.

Secretaries: Please read this at your next meeting, so that it can be acted on.

CSDMM Officers thank you in advance for your support.



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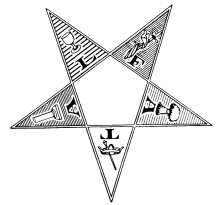
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Thursday	1	7:00pm	Ashley Chapter of DeMolay, Pierre.
	1	7:30pm	Rising Sun Chapter #86 OES, Blunt, regular meeting & lunch
	1	8:00pm	Ionic Lodge #83 Gettysburg, SD, regular meeting & lunch
Saturday	3	7:00am	Breakfast at McClure Hall until 10:00AM - everyone welcome (Job's)
Sunday	4	3:00pm	Pierre Job's Daughters Bethel #10
Monday	5	7:00pm	Eagle Butte Lodge #172, regular meeting & lunch
	5	8:00pm	Lily Lodge #62 Harrold, SD, regular meeting & lunch
Wednesday	7	10:00am	OES' 121st Grand Chapter "Circle of Life" session starts with registration
	7	8:00pm	Onida Lodge #173, regular meeting & lunch
Saturday	10	7:00am	Breakfast at McClure Hall until 10:00AM - everyone welcome (Hiram)
Monday	12	7:00pm	Mobridge Lodge #164, Mobridge, SD, regular meeting & lunch
	12	7:00pm	Pierre Lodge #27, regular meeting and lunch
	12	8:00pm	Blunt Lodge #72, Blunt, SD, regular meeting and lunch
Tuesday	13	7:00pm	Capital City Chapter #39, O.E.S. regular meeting and lunch
Wednesday	14	6:15pm	York Rite, dinner and 7:00pm meeting
	14	8:00pm	Waneta Chapter #47 OES Gettysburg, regular meeting and lunch
Thursday	15	12:00pm	Oahe Shrine Club meets at the Masonic Temple
	15	7:00pm	Ashley Chapter of DeMolay, Pierre.
	15	7:00pm	Onida Chapter #138 OES, Onida, SD regular meeting and lunch
Saturday	17	7:00am	Breakfast at McClure Hall until 10:00AM - everyone welcome (DeMolay)
Sunday	18	3:00pm	Pierre Job's Daughters Bethel #10
Monday	19	7:00pm	Eagle Butte Lodge #172, Eagle Butte regular meeting and lunch
	19	8:00pm	Hiram Lodge #123, Ft. Pierre, regular meeting and lunch
Saturday	24	7:00am	Breakfast at McClure Hall until 10:00AM - everyone welcome (Walkers)
	24	noon	CSDMM articles due in Pierre
Monday	26	7:00pm	Mobridge Lodge #164, Mobridge, SD, regular meeting and lunch
	26	7:00pm	Pierre Masonic Building Board regular meeting
	26	8:00pm	Ree Valley Lodge #70, Highmore, SD, regular meeting and lunch
Thursday	29	6:00pm	Oahe Shrine Club Ladies' Night dinner at Jakes