MAY 2019 TRESTLEBOARD

Organized October 13th 1859 - Milford, Connecticut

Message from the East



My Brothers,

As we draw closer to Summer and rapidly crest the midpoint of the year I encourage you, my Brothers, to take a moment to look back and reflect on our journey together thus far, the aspirations and goals you gave yourself strictly in charge as the year began and what you still hope to accomplish as we labor together in this great and good work.

Our many paths separate but one, are united in our common vision for a better more perfect brotherhood, a better more perfect refection of ourselves as we move day by day in our many vocations and friendly comings and goings to shape and hew that rough ashlar of our life.

I encourage you to be steadfast in your gratitude for what we have been granted, thankful for the many challenges and opportunities to employ the working tools of our craft in our constant work to be better men, hopeful for our part in the master plan the grand artificer of the universe has allowed and will allow us to play.

Take a moment to pause, rest and refresh yourself our the victories thus far, then grasp the tools of our craft once again taking a time to say thank you to your families for their love, to your brothers for their support, and reflect on that commitment to yourself in our shared belief in the eternal spirit which holds our path from sunrise to sunset.

Wishing you and yours peace, happiness, and success!

Fraternally, Robert G. Womack Worshipful Master



2019 Officers

| Worshipful MasterRobert G. Womack Email: wm@ansantawae89.org / Phone: (203) 606-2992 |
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Ansantawae Lodge No. 89

Ancient Free & Accepted Masons of the State of Connecticut

59 Broad Street, P.O. Box 173, Milford, CT 06460-3351

WB Kevin M. Field, Secretary



The "Masons Only" section of the Connecticut Grand Lodge website's will be going away. It is being replaced by our new membership management system called "Grand View". It is a cloud-based system and can be accessed at www.ct.grandview.systems.

All Connecticut Masons can go to www.ct.grandview.systems and access your Connecticut Grand View account. To do so, you will need your member ID number (number located on your dues card), mother Lodge number, and Last name.

- **Step 1.** Enter the url for your jurisdiction
- Step 2. Click on Member Portal
- Step 3. Click on Member Registration
- Step 4. Enter your Lodge Number
- Step 5. Enter your Member ID
- **Step 6.** Enter your Last Name (case sensitive)
- Step 7. Click on Check Membership Status
- Step 8. Enter your email address
- **Step 9.** Enter a password that you can remember
- Step 10. Enter Confirmation by entering password again
- Step 11. Click on Submit

You are now in Grandview and returned Member Record. All manuals, rules, ceremonies, reports, etc. will be made available there in the "Resources" section.

If you have any questions or problems, call the office at (203) 679-5903 or email **GrandLodge@ctfreemasons.net**

Ansantawae Lodge Secretary's Corner



Brethren;

Friday, June 21st marks the **Annual Strawberry Festival,** where we honor brothers of our lodge who have attained 10, 20, 25, 30 & 35 years of Masonic service. The following Brothers are eligible.

TEN YEARS

Mark D. Boss

W. B. Jesse T. Batterton

Jonathan W. Lynn

Timothy S. Millard

John D. Mizzone

W. B. Michael G. Nowlin

Christofer J. Oliveri

TWENTY YEARS

Keith L. Flaherty

Dennis G. Conroy

Richard L. George

Matthew R. Goodrich

Richard C. Marquette

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS

William F. Jaques III

William F. Jaques Jr

Howard E. Kelly

THIRTY YEARS

Lawrence J. Nugent Sr

THIRTY-FIVE YEARS

Mark R. Laufer

Frederick A. Traut

Armen A. Abrahamian

Russell E. McKinnon

If your name appears above and you plan on being present, **PLEASE** contact Ken Hawkins at (203)783-8742 or by email ken.hawkins@cbmoves.com.

40, **45**, **55**, **60** & **65** year membership pins will be presented at Roll Call night on **September 7th 2018**. Those names will appear in the June Trestle Board.

FELLOW CRAFT DEGREE TEAM

Julio A. Calvao, Coordinator

Gregg E. Bateman Jesse T. Batterton Joseph R. Borack T. Raymond Brooks Charles A. Buck, Jr. Raymond J. Cruciani Kevin M. Field Calvin K. Foreman Robert S. Gavlik
Kenneth B. Hawkins, Sr.
Robert E. Kee
Frank P. Lyons
Dean L. Manley
Gregg F. Manley
David J. Millington
Jeff E. Morgan
Joseph D. Morgan

Craig R. Nelson, Sr. Sean P. Ronan William W. Roots Steven P. Schreck Richard P. Smeland, Jr. Robert L. Thomas Robert W. Volgmuth Mark Wasserman

COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

| Candidates | Jeffrey R. Brockett (203) 306-9578 |
|------------------|--|
| Endowments | David K. Eisenman, P.M. (203) 641-2426 |
| Member Retention | Kenneth B. Hawkins, Sr., P.M. (203) 783-8742 |
| Photography | Kevin M. Field, P.M. (203) 506-6410 |
| Trestle Board | Kevin M. Field |
| Widow s Program | Kenneth B. Hawkins, Sr. |

ANSANTAWAE LODGE LIVING PAST MASTERS

| 1972 | T.R. Richards | 2000 | E.A. Dubois |
|------|-----------------------|------|---------------------|
| 1973 | K.B. Hawkins, Sr. PGM | 2001 | J.A. Harker |
| 1980 | J.D. Lang | 2002 | T.R. Brooks |
| 1981 | F.E. Schumitz | 2003 | J.A. Victor* |
| 1982 | A.H. Jennings* | 2004 | R.X. Goodrich |
| 1984 | A.M. Brown, PDD | 2005 | M.J. Basque |
| 1985 | C.A. Buck, Jr., PGM | 2006 | K.I. Greenhill, PDD |
| 1986 | J.D. McCormack | 2007 | R.F. Lutinski |
| 1988 | D.J. Darak | 2008 | S.T. Hill |
| 1989 | T.J. Ritter | 2009 | D.K. Eisenman, PDD |
| 1991 | A.E. Dubien | 2010 | S.T. Sherrick, PDD |
| 1992 | E. J. Mikita | 2011 | C.J. Buck |
| 1993 | B.R. Somers* | 2012 | R.L. Thomas |
| 1994 | J.J. Blair* | 2013 | K.M. Field |
| 1995 | R.L. Jess, PAGT | 2014 | J.W. Hanson |
| 1996 | S.P. Schreck | 2015 | J.T. Batterton |
| 1997 | R.S. Zwiebel | 2016 | M.G. Nowlin |
| 1998 | B.A. Rumford | 2017 | G.E. Bateman |
| 1999 | J.H. Tweedie, PAGM | 2018 | M. Wasserman |
| | * Not Active | HON | R.D. Sherrick, PAGM |
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LIVING ANSANTAWAE MEMBERS WHO WERE PAST MASTERS OF OTHER LODGES

R. E. Bateman, P.D.D. #143

A. M. Brown, P.D.D. #79

J. H. Burbank #95 (Missouri)

R. R. Cole #87

D. G. Conroy #143

J. S. Demko #143

K .L. Dworkin #143

R. M. Dworkin #143

J.E. Dyer #143

P. V. Edelen #143

R. M. Eldridge M.L.R.

K. E. Fears #144

A. M. Friedman #143

R.J. Furce #142

C. T. Gagel #143

R.W. Harriman #143

J. H. Introcaso #143

D. L. Manley #143

G. F. Manley, P.A.G.M. #143

R. C. Marquette #143

J. T. Mcwain, P.G.M. #65

H. E. Newton, P.G.C. #289 (New York)

D. Parkinson #104

R. D. Sherrick, Sr., (Massachusetts)

B. L. Silverstein #780 (Italy)

B. J. Simonetti #83

C. J. Smyth #143

R. V. Travis #144

R. W. Van Horn #84 (Maine)

HONORARY MEMBERS

Gustaf R. Bodin, PGM George S. Greytak, PGM Lewis G. Myrick Sr., PGM, PH Charles W. Yohe, PGM

MASONIC TEMPLE CORPORATION

Meeting the first Monday of each month at 7:00 pm

| David K. Eisenman | President |
|------------------------|----------------|
| Scott T. Sherrick | Vice President |
| Jesse T. Batterton | Treasurer |
| Kevin M. Field | Secretary |
| Kenneth B. Hawkins, Sr | Director |
| Greg F. Manley | Director |
| Bruce A. Rumford | Director |
| Salvatore Siconofi | Director |
| Richard P. Smeland, Jr | Director |
| James H. Tweedie | Director |

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ANCIENT FREE & ACCEPTED MASONS OF THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT

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March 1, 2019

ELMER F. MANLEY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

Ansantawae Masonic Lodge No. 89, is offering two "Memorial Medical Scholarships" for \$1,000 each to a college student studying counseling, social services, psychology, psychiatry, nursing, medicine, social work, gerontology or pharmacology and having completed a minimum of two college semesters in their chosen field, and maintaining a minimum GPA of 2.75 are encouraged to apply for this scholarship. Candidates must be a daughter, son, granddaughter, or grandson of a member of Ansantawae Lodge No. 89 or a resident of the town of Orange.

Also being offered are two "Memorial Lodge Family Scholarships" for \$1,000 each. Candidates must be a daughter, son, granddaughter, or grandson, of a member of Ansantawae Lodge No. 89. Applicants must have completed a minimum of two college semesters in their chosen field, and maintained a minimum GPA of 2.75. Qualified students are encouraged to apply.

Interested students should send a synopsis of their credentials and current social interests within their chosen field, along with a current official school transcript. [Transcripts should be sent directly from your school.]

To: Lodge Scholarship Committee, Mrs. Elmer F. Manley, 1014 Fernbrook Road, Orange, CT 06477-1011.

All requests must be received by **May 25, 2019.** Your full name, address, email and phone where you can be reached must also be included. For further information call (203) 799-2651 or (203) 623-9421 or email hcbypolly@yahoo.com Subject: **Scholarship**

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WB Kevin M. Field, Secretary

March 1, 2019

MILFORD MASONS OFFER SCHOLARSHIP

Robert E. Hall and Family Scholarship

Ansantawae Masonic Lodge No. 89, A.F. & A.M. is offering a scholarship for \$1,000.00. College students having completed a minimum of two college semesters in their chosen field and maintaining a minimum GPA of 2.75 are encouraged to apply for this scholarship. Applicants must be a member of the Milford Chapter, Order of DeMolay or Milford Assembly No. 4, International Order of Rainbow for Girls. A daughter, son, granddaughter, grandson, wife or godchild of a member of Ansantawae Masonic Lodge No. 89, A.F. & A.M.

Interested students should send a synopsis of their credentials, a list of current social interests within their chosen field, along with two letters of recommendation from a Mason in good standing and a current official school transcript. (*Transcript should be sent directly from the school.*)

Send to: Lodge Scholarship Committee,

Mr. Robert E. Hall, 197 Walnut Street, Milford, CT 06461

All requests must be received by May 25, 2019. Please include your full name, address, email and phone ·number where you can be reached. For further information call (203) 507-1181 or email rhall1944@hotmail.com with Subject: Scholarship.

Fraternally,
Kevin M. Field, P.M.

Secretary

Ansantawae Lodge No. 89 A.F. & A.M.



Milford Assembly No. 4, Rainbow

Meetings 1st and 3rd Thursdays, 7:00pm Email - milfordrainbow@yahoo.com

| Brenna Wrinn | Worthy Advisor |
|-----------------|----------------|
| Amy Wrinn | • |
| Stephen T. Hill | |

Rainbow Calendar

May 2nd – Business meeting, White gowns – **7pm** *Setup at 6:30pm*

May 16th – Pledge and Fun meeting Bring a friend – 7pm

Rainbow Advisory Board

Tony Barcia • Denise Curcio • Stephen T. Hill • Kristy Mascia Andrea Nadel • Liz Plasky, PWA • Steve Mullins

#thumbsupforrainbow



LUCIA CHAPTER NO. 25, ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

May 9th Stated Session, 7:30pm
June 13th Stated Session, 7:30pm



Milford Chapter Order of DeMolay

Meetings 2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 7:30pm (except July & August)

| Master Councilor | Sebastian Pesquera |
|------------------|--------------------|
| Senior Councilor | KJ Pokornowski |
| Junior Councilor | Isaac Evans |
| Dad Advisor | Dad Mark Hawkins |

DeMolay Calendar

May 8th – Stated Communication – **7:30pm**May **22**nd – Stated Communication – **7:30pm**



DeMolay Advisory Board

Daniel J. Adams, PMC, CHEV • Susan Carpenter, COH
Kevin M. Field, Chairman, PMC, CHEV, LOH • Kenneth B. Hawkins, CHEV, LOH
Mark H. Hawkins, HON • Becca Sheffler, Scribe • Michael P. Sheffler, PMC, CHEV, LOH
John M. Sheffler, PMC, CHEV • Scott T. Sherrick, PMC, CHEV • Robert G. Womack, HON

PYREMUS NO. 82, DAUGHTERS OF THE NILE

May 15th Stated Session, 7:30pm

June 19th Stated Session, 7:30pm



Housatonic Chapter #13, Royal Arch Masons

Stated Convocations for this Chapter will be held at **7:30pm**, on the **2nd Friday** of each **ODD** month.

Officers for 2019-2020

| Most Excellent High Priest | Gary Shepard |
|----------------------------|---------------------|
| Excellent King | Craig R. Nelson |
| Excellent Scribe | James Whitaker, Jr. |
| Treasurer / Secretary | Charles McCollum |
| Chaplain | John Mellor |
| Captain of the Host | Andrew Flasko |
| Royal Arch Captain | Michael Sabia |
| G M 3rd Veil | Robert Womack |
| G M 2nd Veil | David Millington |
| G M 1st Veil | Julio Calvao |
| Sentinel | Harvey Hartin |
| Organist | Richard Kassay |

This Chapter meets 5 times during a calendar year with meetings being held in January, March, May, September, and November.

The Convocations for this Chapter are to be held at the America-St. Johns Masonic Temple, 3960 Main Street in Stratford, Connecticut. The Annual Meeting of this Chapter shall be held on the Stated Convocation of March of each year.



Paugussett Council #16 Royal & Select Masters

Stated Assemblies for this Council will be held at **7:30pm**, on the **2nd Tuesday** of each **EVEN** month.

Officers for 2019-2020

| Thrice Illustrious Master | Craig R. Nelson |
|---------------------------|---------------------|
| Deputy Illustrious Master | James Whitaker, Jr. |
| III. Prin. Cond. Works | Gary Shepard |
| Recorder /Treasurer | Charles McCollum |
| Capt. Of the Guard | Andrew Flasko |
| Conductor | John Mellor |
| Steward | Robert G. Womack |
| Chaplain | Robert Sherrick |
| Sentinel | Scott Sherrick |
| Organist | Ernest A. Dubois |
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This schedule will have the new Council meeting 5 times during a calendar year with meetings being held in February, April, June, October, and December.

The Assemblies for this Council are to be held at the Ansantawae Masonic Lodge located at 59 Broad Street in Milford, Connecticut. The Annual Meeting of this Council shall be held on the Stated Assembly of April of each year.



Hamilton Commandery #5 Knights Templar

3960 Main Street, Stratford, CT **7:30pm** – 3rd Thursday, Except July & August

May 16th – Stated Conclave & Reception of Sir Knight Michael E. Seamon, Right Eminent Grand Commander at **7:30pm**

May 30th – Ascension Service, 6 Church St, Ansonia, CT at 6:30pm



THE ANNUAL FELLOWCRAFT PICNIC

SATURDAY, JUNE 22, 2019 11:30am-3:30pm

Polish American Club

194 West Spring ST, West Haven, CT 06516



DONATION: \$25 per person

Plenty of Food and All You Can Eat!

Hot Dogs, Hamburgers, Clams, Clam Chowder, Sausage & Peppers and Liver & Onions.

Reverages include: Beer, Soda, Juice and Water





Horseshoes, Bocce, Raffle Prizes and Cigars



Picnic is open to all Masons and Non-Masons, Men only and Must be 21 years of age. Ansantawae Lodge No. 89 A.F. & A.M. P.O. Box 173, Milford, CT 06460 (203) 874-9888 **Time Value Mail** RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

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MAY 2019 Trestleboard

ANSANTAWAE LODGE No. 89 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

| | MAY | | JUNE |
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| May 1st | Masons Night at Orange Ale House, 7pm 517 Boston Post Rd, Orange, CT 06477 | Jun 3rd | Masonic Temple Corporation Meeting, 7pm |
| May 3rd | Stated Communication, 7:45pm Special Program: The Bee Hive Lecture, | Jun 5th | Masons Night at Orange Ale House, 7pm 517 Boston Post Rd, Orange, CT 06477 |
| May 64h | presented by RW Alan M. Brown. Ladies, friends and non-Masons welcome to attend. | Jun 7th | Stated Communication, 7pm Conferring of Master Mason Degree , WM Robb Womack presiding in the East |
| May 6th | Masonic Temple Corporation Meeting, 7pm | | — Dinner served at the Break |
| May 12th | Masonic Family Breakfast, 8–10:30am HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY! | Jun 8th | Grand Masters Day & Parade, 9am – 4pm Masonicare, 69 Masonic Ave, Wallingford, CT 06492 |
| May 17th | Stated Communication, 7:45pm Conferring of Fellowcraft Degree, with | Jun 16th | Masonic Family Breakfast, 8–10:30am |
| | WB Kevin M. Field presiding in the East and special "Senior DeMolay" Degree team. Refreshments to follow meeting | Jun 21st | Stated Communication, 7:45pm Annual Strawberry Festival Familes and friends are welcome to attend! |
| May 27th | MEMORIAL DAY | Jun 22nd | ANNUAL FELLOWCRAFT PICNIC 11:30am to 3:30pm – \$25 per person Polish American Club 194 W Spring St, West Haven, CT 06516 Open to Masons and Non-Masons, |

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