

JUNE 2019 TRESTLEBOARD

Organized October 13th 1859 - Milford, Connecticut

Message from the East



My Brothers,

It's amazing how quickly time passes and each year we seem surprised that we've reached the midpoint of our journey. With the start of another memorial day weekend we unpack our summer clothing, maybe pull out our swimsuits, spend time enjoying family and friends, maybe enjoying a barbecue or day at the beach, survey our accomplishments and calculate a safe trajectory in hopes of rounding out the year happier, better off, and more secure with a renewed sense of contentment to launch us into an even better, more prosperous tomorrow where we are surrounded by our loved one, beautiful memories, and our dreams.

As the sun moves closer to it zenith, as we move forward together in our great and good work, take a moment to look back, take stock, take notice, take a moment to think about your family and friends that have stood side by side with you thus far and remind them how important they are to you. Take a moment to look to the future, the work remaining ahead, gage the opportunity you have before you and while the sun shines on our summer unfolding before us, in its all too brief window, don't miss the opportunity to relax, reflect, and refresh

Wishing you and yours a safe, awesome holiday weekend filled with wonderful memories to start this warm summer season.

Fraternally, Robert G. Womack *Worshipful Master*



2019 Officers

- Worshipful MasterRobert G. Womack Email: wm@ansantawae89.org / Phone: (203) 606-2992
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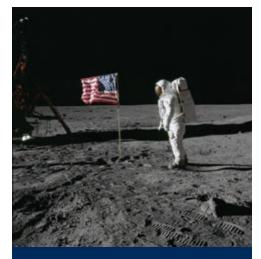
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2021	Greg F. Manley, PM
2021	Mark Wasserman, PM

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JOURNEY TO THE MODI



Astronaut **Edwin E. "Buzz" Aldrin Jr.,** lunar module pilot of the first lunar landing mission, poses for a photograph beside the deployed United States flag during.



As Freemasons, we learn that Geometry is the first and noblest of sciences and by it, we discover how the planets move in their different orbits, and demonstrate their various revolutions. All framed by the Grand Artificer of the Universe.

On May 25, 1961, President John F. Kennedy announced before a special joint session of Congress the dramatic and ambitious goal of sending an American safely to the Moon before the end of the decade. Men and women of NASA were inspired by the liberal arts and sciences, *grammar*, *rhetoric*, *logic*, *arithmetic*, *geometry* and *astronomy*. Resulting in **Project Apollo** becoming a reality by 1969 and the human race would set out to journey to the Moon.

Apollo 11 launched from Cape Kennedy on July 16th 1969, carrying Commander Neil Armstrong, Command Module Pilot Michael Collins and Lunar Module Pilot Edwin "Buzz" Aldrin. Commander Neil Armstrong and lunar module pilot Buzz Aldrin, landed the Apollo Lunar Module Eagle on July 20, 1969, at 20:17 UTC.

Fifty years ago, the world watched two brave men journey and take those historic first steps. Armstrong became the first person to step onto the lunar surface six hours later on **July 21** at **02:56:15 UTC.** Aldrin joined him 19 minutes later.

Edwin Eugene "Buzz" Aldrin was born on January 20, 1930 and became the second man to walk on the moon. The first Freemason to set foot upon that celestial globe.



Long before his first step on the surface of the moon. He took his first steps in a Masonic Lodge and was Initiated at Oak Park Lodge No. 864, Montgomery, Alabama, on February 17, 1955; Passed to Fellowcraft on April 12, 1955; Raised to the Sublime degree of Master Mason in Lawrence N. Greenleaf Lodge, No. 169 in Denver, Colorado. On February 21, 1956, York Rite Degrees, Waco Texas and on May, 1967 Member Arabia Shrine Temple, Houston.

As we approach the golden anniversary of one of mankind's greatest achievements, traveling to the celestial globe that governs the night. We as a fraternity can take pride in the fact that Bro. Edwin "Buzz" Aldrin made his mark on history and stepped off as a Brother on the surface of the Moon.



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. **Beverages include**: Beer, Soda, Juice and Water.



Horseshoes, Bocce, Raffle Prizes and Cigars



FORTICKETS, PLEASE CONTACT ANY ANSANTAWAE LODGE OR FELLOWCRAFT ASSOCIATION OFFICER.

Picnic is open to all Masons and Non-Masons, Men only and Must be 21 years of age.

Ansantawae Lodge Secretary's Corner



Brethren;

September 6th marks the annual Roll Call Night, where we will honor **40**, **45**, **55 & 65 year members.** The following Brothers are eligible.

FORTY YEARS

FIFTY-FIVE YEARS

John D'Avignon

FORTY-FIVE YEARS

- Rodger J. Addil R.W. Robert E. Bateman W.B. Kenneth L. Dworkin Lynn E. George Ronald A. Glifort Fred A. Knight John A. Knight Lawrence W. Lloyd Stanley G. Manchester II Eugene Ott W.B. Bruce I. Silverstein Joseph F. Turechek Jr
- Stephen M. Babbitz James P. Edgett W.B. Joseph H. Introcaso Robert H. Miller Robert W. Volgmuth Glenn B. Zwiebel Jr

SIXTY-FIVE YEARS

Leslie L. Baston Earle O. Hanson P. Roy Hucke

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.

For those who have heretofore paid their 2019 dues, a sincere thanks you. Your thoughtfulness has allows us to conduct the numerous membership programs and pay our bills, including our Grand Lodge assessment.

For those who not, please submit them as soon as possible. You will soon be receiving the second bill, either by snail mail or electronically.

Should any Brother have questions or issues you would like to discuss, please contact me at either of the above contact points.

May our entire Masonic Family have a safe and relaxing summer.

COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

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1070	T.D. Disharda	2000	CA Dubaia
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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MASONIC TEMPLE CORPORATION

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

David K. Eisenman	President
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Milford Assembly No. 4, Rainbow

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

Brenna Wrinn	Worthy Advisor
Amy Wrinn	Mother Advisor
Stephen T. Hill	Chairman

Rainbow Calendar

June 6th – Business meeting, White gowns – 7pm Setup at 6:30pm

June 20th – 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



The International Order of the Rainbow for Girls

LUCIA CHAPTER NO. 25, ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

June 13th September 12th

Stated Session, 7:30pm 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

June 12th – Stated Communication – 7:30pm June 26th – Stated Communication – 7:30pm Jul 12th -14th – 89th Connecticut DeMolay Conclave CCSU, New Britain, CT



DeMolay Advisory Board

Daniel J. Adams, PMC, CHEV • Julio Calvao • 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

June 19th September 18th

Stated Session, 7:30pm

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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	-

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.



Hamilton Commandery #5 Knights Templar

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



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

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.

June 8th – Grand Master's Day Parade, Masonicare 9am June 27th – Ladies Degree at Trinity Commandery - Norwalk, CT



BENEFIT GOLF TOURNAMENT

Tuesday, June 11, 2019 The Geoffrey Cornish-designed The Farms Country Club

180 Cheshire Road, Wallingford, CT 06492

Registration and raffle ticket sales starting at 9:30am, 11am Lunch, shotgun start at 12pm in a 4-player scramble. Dinner, silent auction, and raffle prize awards following tournament. Prizes for 1st and 2nd low gross and low net, longest drive and closest to the pin, men and women.

Sponsorship levels:

- \$2500 Tournament Sponsor (includes 8 golfers)
 \$1200 Gold Sponsor (includes 4 golfers)
 \$1000 Silver Sponsor (includes 4 golfers)
 \$600 Bronze Sponsor (includes 2 golfers)
 \$500 Breakfast or Beverage Sponsor
 \$250 Longest drive sponsor
 \$800 Foursome and tee sponsor
- \$2500 Shirt Sponsor \$2000 - Cart Sponsor \$1000 - Lunch Sponsor \$750 - Golf Ball Sponsor \$250 - Closest to the pin sponsor \$150 - Tee sponsor

\$175 - Individual player\$50 - Non-golfing social

All sponsorships include acknowledgement in the Connecticut DeMolay Journal.

For registration flyer, please contact:

Chris Earle, The Campaign for Connecticut DeMolay

or

\$450 - Twosome and tee sponsor

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David O. Stern (203) 444-2077 or dsternct@gmail.com Make checks payable to:

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REGISTRATION WITH PAYMENT DUE BY MAY 30, 2019



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ANSANTAWAE LODGE No. 89 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

JUNE

Jun 3rd	MasonicTemple Corporation Meeting, 7pm	TBD	Milford Yankees Special Olympians vs. Ansantawae Lodge #89 – Softball Game
Jun 5th	Masons Night at Orange Ale House, 7pm		Jonathan Law High School
	517 Boston Post Rd, Orange, CT 06477		20 Lansdale Ave, Milford, CT 06460
Jun 7th	Stated Communication, 7pm Conferring of Master Mason Degree ,		SEPTEMBER
	WM Robb Womack presiding in the East — Dinner served at the Break	Sep 2nd	Masonic Temple Corporation Meeting, 7pm
		Sep 4th	Masons Night at Orange Ale House, 7pm
Jun 8th	Grand Masters Day & Parade, 9am – 4pm		517 Boston Post Rd, Orange, CT 06477
	Masonicare, 69 Masonic Ave, Wallingford, CT 06492	0 01	
		Sep 6th	Stated Communication – Roll Call Night
Jun 16th	Masonic Family Breakfast, 8–10:30am		6:30pm Steak Dinner, Reservations Required. 7:45pm Roll Call Night Program. Business
	HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!		Meeting to follow. FAMILIES INVITED !
Jun 21st	Stated Communication, 7:45pm		Meeting to follow. TAMILLES INVITED:
	Annual Strawberry Festival	Sep 20th	Stated Communication, 7:45pm
	Familes and friends are welcome to attend!		Entered Apprentice Degree (Kiddie Korp)
			Dessert after meeting.
Jun 22nd	ANNUAL FELLOWCRAFT PICNIC		
	11:30am to 3:30pm – \$25 per person	Sep 27th	Widow's Night Dinner, 6:30pm
	Polish American Club		
	194 W Spring St, West Haven, CT 06516		
	Open to Masons and Non-Masons,		
	Men only and Must be 21 years of age.		

JULY