



Horace Chase Lodge No. 72, Penacook, NH

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November 2021

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Mark C. Roth, PM, until Jan. 2022
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Don't miss out on anything that happens at the Lodge. If you need a ride to an event, call 738-2708 or email horacechase72@gmail.com.

The Master's Message

Brethren,

Most recently, I attended the "Lodge on a Train" event with over 100 of my Brothers from around NH. As I was enjoying a slow ride through the scenic White Mountains, I began to think about how our Masonic journey is like a train ride.

Sometimes the scenery is beautiful, and we are awestruck by the majesty of what is all around us.

Sometimes we enter a dark tunnel and do not know what is at the end of the tunnel; we only have the light to guide us.

Sometimes we go around a bend not being able to see what is in front of us or where the track ahead may take us.

But the whole time, we are there with our Brethren travelling on that same Masonic track. Together we share that journey. We share that laughter, that fellowship, and that camaraderie that keeps us coming back again and again.

At our October Stated Meeting, we voted for another candidate to receive the degrees in Masonry. We also read a petition for a fourth candidate. I think this illustrates that "Freemasonry notwithstanding still survives." People long for that light when we are in that deep dark tunnel. They need something to hold onto and connect them to something larger than themselves. Looking forward, please be aware of the rehearsal and degree schedule in the calendar and weekly emails.

In October, we also had a great return to the breakfast that is a trademark of our Lodge. It may have been chilly outside, but with a warm reception and a hot breakfast, we made our mark. I am grateful to Bro. John Moore and his friend, Paul Morrison, for all their cooking expertise. I am thankful to Pemigewasset Assembly Rainbow Girls for assisting with serving. I am grateful to the Brethren for their donations to the breakfast—groceries, gift cards, and time—so that all our income was profit. And I am thankful to Pope Memorial SPCA for arranging for a volunteer to be onsite with information; Katie even pulled the gift card raffle winners. As monetary donations are still coming in, the final total raised will be announced at the November meeting.

Our next Wandering Wayfarers trip will be on Tuesday, November 9th. We will join the Brethren of Ancient York Lodge of Nashua at their Stated Meeting being held at the William Pitt Tavern (416 Court St., Portsmouth) on the grounds of Strawberry Banke. The meeting begins at 7:00 pm; please plan to arrive by 6:30 pm and watch the weekly Notes from the East for carpool information.

Lastly, as we head into the holiday season, I wish you all happiness, good health, love, and joy with your family and friends.

Your friend and Brother,

Wil



Wandering Wayfarers

William Pitt Tavern

Tuesday, November 9
7:00 p.m.

Strawberry Banke
416 Court St, Portsmouth, NH

**Horace Chase Lodge
presents**

MOVIE NIGHT



Tuesday, November 2 at 6:30 pm

Snacks provided

RSVP by Oct. 30, at

<https://forms.gle/39LQFj6EdrNNbC4k6>



Bektash

SHRINERS

“Fez-tival Of Trees”

A CHRISTMAS TREE EXTRAVAGANZA

November 21–28, 2021

Bektash Shrine Center



189 Pembroke Rd.
Concord, NH

November 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2 6:30 pm Movie night— Free Guy	3	4	5	6
7	8 7:00 pm Wandering Wayfarers— William Pitt Tavern	9	10	11 	12	13
14	15 6:30 pm "Proposition 47" Cornerstone Roundtable Zoom meeting	16 7:00 pm EA Degree rehearsal	17	18 6:30 pm Dinner 7:30 pm Stated Communication	19	20 9:30 am Grand Lodge
21	22	23 7:00 pm EA Degree rehearsal	24	25 	26	27
Festival of Trees at Bektash Shrine—November 21 through 28, 2021; runs all week long, through Sunday, November 28, 2021.						
28 2:00 pm Veterans and Special Ladies program	29	30 7:30 pm EA Degree				
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Living Past Masters

George A. Langwasser	1977
Terry S. Gregg	1979–1980
Dale C. Nudd	1981–1982
Sumner Goldman, PGSB	1989–1990
Albert W. Fifield	1991
Fred W. Courser III	1992–1994
Mark C. Roth, PDDGM, PGC, PGP	1994–1995
Robert W. Lawrie, Honorary	1995
Herbert S. Carpenter IV, PDEO	1996–1997
Dana B. Reddish	1997–1998
Robert S. Hansen	1998
Gary E. Roy, PDDGM	1999–2000
Andrew F. Lane	2003–2004
Roger A. Becker	2003–2005
Kenneth A. Clay, Jr., PGM	2005–2006
Donald H. Wheeler, Jr.	2006–2007
Robert M. MacLean, Jr., PGP	2007
Robert C. Lethbridge, GC	2008
Peter D. Crouch, DDGL	2008–2009
Robert W. Lawrie	2009–2010
David A. Hardy, PDDGM	2010–2011
Louis M. Corson	2011–2012
Joseph A. Hardy	2012–2013
Brian Stiles	2013–2015
Jason M. Valley	2014
James M. Triacca, Honorary	2015
Karl R. Olson, GH	2016–2018
Michael A. Drotar, PGS	2016
Glenn A. Patterson	2017
Rodney W. Sewall, Jr.	2018–2019
Andrew J. Bennert, JGD	2019–2020

4th District Calendar

Inspections

Monday, November 1	Faithful 012	7:30 p.m. meeting collation to follow	94 Main St. Charlestown, NH
Wednesday, November 10	Blazing Star Eureka 011	6:30 p.m. dinner 7:30 p.m. meeting	53 Iron Works Rd. Concord, NH
Saturday, November 6	King Solomon's 014	3 p.m. meeting	464 Old Rte 11 Elkins, NH

Brothers Raised in November

Roger W. Tansey	November 3, 1960
Wilbur L. Ashworth	November 28, 1977
Albert W. Fifield	November 1, 1984
Harvey J. Greenberg	November 30, 1988
Robert L. Ballantyne	November 30, 1989
Donald A. Crete	November 8, 1991
Brian S. Stiles	November 14, 1991
Robert M. MacLean, Jr.	November 12, 1992
Thomas G. Yestranski	November 17, 1993
Robert E. Koski	November 9, 1994
Mathias K. Roth	November 24, 2001
Trent C. Zanes	November 4, 2009

