



2021 Officers

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Trustees

Mark C. Roth, PM, until Jan. 2022
David A. Hardy, PM, until Jan. 2023
Richard Holden, until Jan. 2024

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.

Horace Chase Lodge No. 72, Penacook, NH

TRESTLEBOARD

September 2021

The Master's Message

Brethren,

I hope that you have all had a great summer. The time is now one hour past meridian, and it's time to return from refreshment to labor. Although from my perspective, it seems like we were never in darkness because the Light of Freemasonry brightened just about every one of my days.

Since our June Stated Meeting, we've initiated a new member, had two movie nights and two fantastic dinners where Brethren and their ladies got together, broke bread, shared laughs, and renewed the bond of fellowship between us. Also, the Wandering Wayfarers visited two (well technically three) Lodges outside our District. We got to enjoy the beautiful nature of Freemasonry by embracing the similarities and differences between us and discovering new enlightenment through travel.

During our travels, as one of our Brothers put it, we "liberated" the District Four Traveling Gavel and brought it back to our Lodge. It has travelled with us a bit, and we can show off our new "trophy"—so watch out for visitors this fall!

Visitation season began while we were in "darkness." We started by visiting King Solomon's Lodge in Elkins and enjoyed that fellowship and beauty of travel that I spoke of earlier. On a personal note, I got to meet my longtime insurance agent for the first time who is the Master of Elkins Lodge. We recently traveled to Claremont for the triple Visitation of Hiram, Faithful, and Cheshire Mount Vernon Lodges. There were 28 Brethren on hand for a good meal and a great program by our District Officers and we were able to meet some new Brothers and reunite with some old ones.

So, you see Brethren, "darkness" is an inaccurate description about the time between our two meetings. The light is always on—all we have to do is seek it out. Even during those times when I am visiting the Lodge alone, I can close my eyes and see the faces of my friends, hear their laughter and amazing stories, smell and taste the many dinners that I've enjoyed with you, and feel the deep history of the Lodge with each breath that I take.

Welcome back to your Lodge, my friends. We are always here for you because we never left.

Your friend and Brother,

Wil ☼

HORACE CHASE LODGE PRESENTS

53 N MAIN ST, BOSCAWEN NH

STAR TREK

INTO DARKNESS

MOVIE NIGHT

TUES SEPTEMBER 7TH @ 630P

Commemorating the 55th anniversary of the September 8, 1966 airing of the very first Star Trek episode.

SNACKS TO BE PROVIDED - RSVP BY SEPT 4TH
[HTTPS://FORMS.GLE/27EQNNTERTUA2DHT5](https://forms.gle/27EQNNTERTUA2DHT5)

September 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
5	6 6:30 pm Movie night— Star Trek: Into Darkness		7	8 6:30 pm Dinner 7:30 pm DDGM Visita- tion	9	10
11			12	13	14	15
16	17 6:30 pm "Proposition 47" Cornerstone Roundtable		18 7:00 pm DDGL Inspection rehearsal	19 7:00 pm DDGL Inspection rehearsal	20 6:30 pm Dinner 7:30 pm DDGL Inspec- tion	21 12:00 pm 4th District LOL in Concord
22	23	24	25	26 1:00 pm Unity Picnic	27	28
29	30					

4th District Calendar

Visitations

Thursday, September 9	Horace Chase 072	6:30 p.m. dinner 7:30 p.m. meeting	53 N. Main St. Boscawen, NH
Wednesday, October 6	Blazing Star Eureka 011	6:30 p.m. dinner 7:30 p.m. meeting	53 Iron Works Rd. Concord, NH

Lodge of Instruction

Saturday, September 25	Blazing Star Eureka 011	12 p.m. lunch 1 p.m. meeting	53 Iron Works Rd. Concord, NH
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Inspections

Thursday, September 23	Horace Chase 072	6:30 p.m. dinner 7:30 p.m. meeting	53 N. Main St. Boscawen, NH
Tuesday, October 5	Hiram Lodge 009	6:30 p.m. dinner 7:30 p.m. meeting	40 Maple Ave. Claremont, NH
Saturday, October 9	Cheshire Mount Vernon 023	6:30 p.m. dinner 7:30 p.m. meeting	36 School St. Cornish, NH
Saturday, October 16	King Solomon's 014	6:30 p.m. dinner 7:30 p.m. meeting	453 Elkins Rd. Elkins, NH
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



Tickets available at

<https://www.nhgrandlodge.org/product/2021-masonic-unity-party-ticket>

Picnic open to everyone

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

Brothers Raised in September

Jeremy J. Sawyer	September 20, 1973
George R. Cushman	September 27, 1973
Kenneth L. Demick	September 16, 1980
Leslie J. Reid	September 7, 1985
Steven W. Frost	September 21, 1987
Richard D. Holden	September 11, 1999
James R. Higgins	September 23, 2000
James S. Blodgett	September 9, 2001
Michael A. Drotar	September 6, 2003
Jason R. Stiles	September 25, 2004
Robert E. Arata	September 30, 2006
Zacariah K. Derby	September 30, 2006
Scott C. Roberts	September 30, 2006
Thomas Economides	September 6, 2008
James M. Griffin	September 22, 2012
John T. Willis	September 7, 2013
Joshua S. Craggy	September 12, 2015
Todd P. Doherty	September 12, 2015

Lodges of Instruction

September 11		
District 8	Colebrook	11:30 a.m. lunch 12:15 p.m. GL opens
District 7	Tilton	6:30 p.m. dinner 7:30 p.m. GL opens
September 18		
District 6	Holderness	12 p.m. lunch 1 p.m. GL opens
District 5	Rochester	6 p.m. dinner 7 p.m. GL opens
September 25		
District 4	Concord	12 p.m. lunch 1 p.m. GL opens
District 3	Milford	6 p.m. dinner 7 p.m. GL opens
October 2		
District 2	Derry	12 p.m. lunch 1 p.m. GL opens
District 1	Portsmouth	5:30 p.m. dinner 6:30 p.m. GL opens