# **The Trestleboard**

### Unity Lodge No. 367 F & AM

Vol. 10 No. 4 April, 2012 <u>WWW.KENOSHAMASONS.COM</u> Lodge Phone 262-657-5575



2012 Officers

Worshipful Master Gordon Charlton 262-697-8573

Senior Warden William Shelley 262-884-8583 sw@kenoshamasons.com

Junior Warden Gerald Hansen 262-770-3214 jw@kenoshamasons.com

Senior Deacon Larry Pfeiffer 920-350-2520 sd@kenoshamasons.com

Junior Deacon Don Glenn 262-358-2695 jd@kenoshamasons.com

Secretary/Treasurer Harold Kreuser 262-694-5925 sec@kenoshamasons.com

Web Manager & Editor Bob Burgermeister 262-654-6190 webmaster@kenoshamasons.com

# The Master's Words

It looks like Spring has sprung. It's nice to get out in the yard, and it's also nice to come to the Lodge. Our meetings only last about one hour, then you can leave or stay for refreshments. Our JW always has something, either kringle or cookies.

I want to thank Gus at this time, for all his hard work. He makes coffee and buys donuts for us on Wednesday mornings, then cleans up after us. Thank you, Gus!

We had an "Honor Masons" night at Lodge #47, put on by the Eastern Star. Thanks to Donna Rae and Craig.

April should be a busy month. My Grandson, Jerry should have his MM proficiency, we have an EA degree scheduled, and we have a number of petitions to read and vote on. I want to thank our JW for working so hard to put on these degrees, and also our SW who gets the positions filled.

Please keep our sick Brethren and their families in your prayers.

S&F, Gordie Worshipful Master



Hello again from the South-

Our next big event wil be a Table Lodge. This will be a catered sit down dinner on Thursday, May 10<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM. A special dispensation is needed to serve wine and beer. This event is for all Masons, EAs included. The charge is \$10 per person and reservations must be called in to Gerry at 262-770-3214 no later than Sunday, May 6<sup>th</sup>, 2012.

See you in lodge, Gerry Junior Warden



# GUS

No need to fuss, call GUS Plumbing, Heating & Cooling Specialist • Certified Technician • Available 23 hours a day • No job too big-No job too small • We service all makes & models of furnaces & cooling units

847-668-7658

**Gus Orozco** 

Ginkowski & Ginkowski	
Stanley A. Gir Accountant - Ta Enrolled to practice before th	x Practitioner
Phone: (262) 652-1771	601 - 60th Street
FAX: (262) 652-4798	Kenosha, WI 53140







## From the Secretary's Desk

This past month, I had the pleasure of meeting Brother Randy Upright, his wife and son, who were here for the weekend visiting his mother. He lives in L.A. Calf. He said to say hello to everyone at the lodge. Also received a nice card from Bro. 1st. Lt. Arron Pomerening wishing he could be back here in the U.S.A. for coffee and rolls on Wednesday mornings and he also said to say hello to everyone.

On July 12, 2012, our WM. is planning to have a PM night and also recognition night for the brothers who have been of the fraternity for years and years.

60 years Ralph A. Moehrke

55 years Marlin Dunham, Charles J. Richter, Louis H. Vandermoon

50 years Early G. Crane, Robert C. May, David K. York 45 years Clifford W. Bailey, Jerry E. Davis, James O. Glover, Charles A. Cornell, Ronald E. Nelson, Randall W. Scott, Jack L. Strouf, Roger C. Strouf, James M. Suksi 40 years Gary E. Armstrong, Ted P. Kyriazes, Dean C. Sukus, Jimmie R. Thomas

35 years Dannye R. Boxx, James D. Gronberg, Michael S. Guerra

30 years Phillip L. Wade

25 years Robert J. Burgermeister

I put this in the TB a little early but in case i missed someone, we can catch it early. Congratulations to each and every one of you.

This is a reminder to a select few: your dues card is in my file. Your dues notice was sent out 3 months ago and I am waiting for an answer.

Remember every Wednesday morning coffee, rolls and you never know what else...

Your Secretary, Harold (Babe) Kreuser



# From The West

Greetings my Brothers, one and all.

Recently our Lodge has undergone some cleaning and reshuffling of furniture and records. As a result, WBRO, Wavne Budwick has indicated that he has received phone calls as to the whereabouts of certain Lodge equipment. The furniture that was removed will be going to Washburn Lodge, as recorded in our Lodge minutes. Further, no lodge records were discarded that belong to Southport or Pike Lodges. No records were discarded that belong to Unity Lodge. All of the Southport Lodge and Pike Lodge records are stored in special file boxes, and placed in the storage room, in the Southeast corner of the Lodge. Anyone can have a look at them, at any time. The Unity Lodge records are now in the (Fire Safe) filing cabinets, located the Lodge Secretary/Treasurer Office, and Counselor, Trustee and Custodian files are located in the Library. These files are open to any member upon request.

My Brothers, a few members of this lodge have done a great deal of work to get things in order, with much left to do. They have made sure to keep the Lodge and Master informed as to their efforts. If, my Brothers, you have any questions or concerns about what is being done in the Lodge, or wish to help, PLEASE call me. I will be more than happy to answer any questions you may have about, what we started with, were we are now and were we plan to be.

S&F,

Bill Senior Warden







#### **April Birthdays**

04/01 Eddie R. Lofton 04/03 James M. May 04/04 Donald D. Boxx 04/05 Kenneth M. Antaramian 04/11 Jack L. Strouf 04/21 James D. Gronberg 04/22 Michael D. Axelson 04/26 Robert W. Haggarty lii 04/26 Aaron L. Pomerening 04/27 Charles W. Brown 04/30 Guy Benvenuti



KENO'S COLLISIONTEK 7514 Sheridan Road • Kenosha, WI 53143 Bus: (262) 605-8921 • Fax: (262) 605-8923







# The Editor

The "behind the scenes gang" has been busy. Furniture got moved, records stored, offices rearranged and much necessary paperwork completed. Much of this won't be obvious, but really helps keep the Lodge running more smoothly. Thanks to all who helped. Bro. Ben survived the heaviest burdens, and we could not have done it without him! One of his "working tools" is an appliance dolly.

I'll see you in Lodge!

Fraternally,

Bob Burgermeister Editor, Web Manager and Chaplain webmaster@kenoshamasons.com



The Trestleboard (Vol. 10, No. 4) is an irregular publication of Unity Lodge #367, F&AM, 4320 Washington Road, Kenosha, Wisconsin 53144-4250 Send comments or suggestions to: editor@kenoshamasons.com









ARLYN R. WADE DENNIS A. WADE DONALD R. WADE (262) 857-6724 15501 93RD STREET KENSOHA, WI 53142



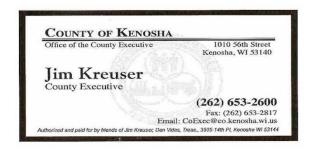


3720-39th Ave. Kenosha, WI 53144

Kenosha, WI 53144 Phone 262-658-4101

Fax 262-653-0076

www.piasecki-althaus.com







Carey Manor Services, Inc. Assisted Living -Providing the services we ourselves would expect if we were in need of them!-Managed care for the elderly in a group home environment

Contact Brenda Carey-Mielke for a free consultation 262-694-3572 10628 – 22<sup>nd</sup> Avenue Pleasant Prairie, WI



#### Dates to Remember March-April 2012

- Warch-April 2012
- Mar 22 Special EA Degree 6:30 PM Apr 2 – Trustees Meeting 6 PM
- Apr 5 Stated Meeting 7 PM (Dinner @ 6 PM)
- Apr 6 Passover begins & Good Friday
- Apr 8 Easter
- Apr 19 Stated Meeting 7 PM

**Every Wednesday** – Lodge Clean Up with coffee and rolls 8 AM, and Degree Practice 10 AM.

#### **April Masonic Anniversaries**

Joseph L. Mc Clelland Gordon Charlton Edward J. Jelinek Charles A. Cornell James L. Shaffer Bruce A. Christianson James E. Hansen Guy Benvenuti Ted P. Kyriazes Paul L. Albano Jerry D. Maddox Donald J. Everett James D. Gronberg Fred W. Ecklor George O. Howen Bruce M. Hoening Keith R. Matus Kenneth M. Antaramian Boyd A. Frederick Vincent S. Tillona Larry R. Pfeiffer Robert A. Mcdowell Richard G. Williams Robert E. Walker Douglas R. Sawyer William Barton



Trestleboard Deadline is the 15<sup>th</sup> of every month. Please submit articles via email to: webmaster@kenoshamasons.com



#### TROWEL

T is for the tools of the first three degrees

R for every rule as each brother agrees;

 $\boldsymbol{O}$  is for the oath, in making all brothers true

W is for the work each one of us must do;

E is for the effort to answer every call

L stands for love, the most important thing of all;

These letters spell **TROWEL**, and as every brother knows;

It spreads love and friendship wherever it goes.

