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Well I hope this letter finds all of my Masonic brethren and their family's in good health and warms spirits these cold winter months of January and February. The first thing I must say is a huge thank you to all of my officers and brethren for electing me to such an honorable position as Master of the Lodge. Second, thank you to my family, Sara and my four children, for standing by and understanding, the time commitment that this Masonic position requires constantly. And lastly thanks to my parents, Robert and Bonnie VanderLeest, for introducing me to such a beautiful fraternity of Freemasonry.

I know this will be an enjoyable year for the members and officer of Washington lodge #21. There will be some nice social events and some degree work in the year to come, as we have received some petitions for membership as of recently. If you are a member that has not been to a stated meeting for some time I urge you come back and enjoy some fellowship and refreshments on the first or third Thursday of the month. Our first social event, Past Masters Night is coming up in the month of February and we are looking forward to celebrating with some newly made Master Masons, as well as some seasoned veterans. I look forward to seeing everyone in the ensuing year. If any one would need to get in touch with me please feel free to call. I always look for to talking to my Masonic brothers and discussing Masonry or the craft.. The officers for the 2009 term are as follows, and I wish them a congratulations.

Worshipful Master	Marcus VanderLeest
Senior Warden	Michael Scalf
Junior Warden	Joseph Chilcote
Treasurer	Larry Zochert
Secretary	Charles Clarage
Senior Deacon	Mark Ellis
Junior Deacon	Jeff Harrison
Senior Steward	Jake Lancell
Junior Steward	Jeff Lancell
Chaplin	Nicholas Brosig
Tiler	David Kimme
Lodge Councilor	Dan Lyons
Trustee	Dan Lyons
Trustee	John Huss

Jan. 1st, Thursday - No Meeting (New Years day)
 Happy New Year!!!!!!

Jan. 15th, Thursday - 6:30 Refreshments (dinner)
 7:30 PM - Degree work Possible EA or FC
 Officer Dress: Tux

Jan. 29th, 5th Thursday
Feb. 5th Thursday - Officers Practice for Degree Work
 6:30 PM - Dinner Social
 7:30 Entered apprentice degree(s)
 Officers' Dress: Tux

Feb. 19th Thursday - 6:30 PM - Social Hour (Dinner)
 7:30 Business meeting
 Officers dress Blue and Gray

Feb. 21st, Saturday - 8:00 AM - Past Masters' MM Degrees
 Lunch @ Noon; Past Masters' Dinner at River's Bend \$20 per person (Past Masters - No Charge), cash bar @ 5:00 PM
Reservations a must, contact Charles Clarage or Marcus VanderLeest @ the numbers or emails above

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I hope everyone had a blessed and Merry Christmas. I would like to thank everyone who attended and helped to make the Theodore Roosevelt Lodge Christmas party a success. They include Mike Belanger, John Sage, John Pratt and Chris Young.

A special note of thanks to all who took time to ring bells and collect money for the Salvation Army. Once again thank you Brother Dale Vollrath for organizing and planning this event

A new year is upon us and a new set of line officers have just been installed and as you can see below much work needs to be done. In the past few years we have had over 20 men join our Lodge, looking for ways to improve there lives and the community in which they reside.

Brethren, I need your help, these are terrific young men looking for the meaning in Masonry, I believe it lies in each one of us, so please make time to attend our meetings and introduce yourself to these newly made Masons, share your Masonic heritage with them.

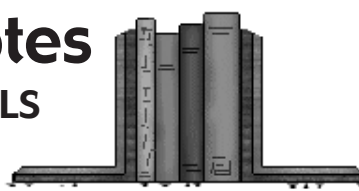
Remember, when someone believed in you so much that they recommended you become a Mason, I ask that you help me and them in passing on our Lodge and Masonic traditions to these new members.

W.M. Michael J. Belongia

January 6th	Business Meeting 5:30pm Dinner Lodge Opens at 6:30pm Posting in the Fellowcraft Degree A night honoring Brother Dale Vollrath M.M, practice
January 12th	M.M. Practice 6:30pm
January 15th	M.M. Practice 6:30pm
January 20th	M.M. Degree 5pm Dinner Lodge Opens at 6pm Master Mason Degree for Brothers Mike Ellingsworth and David Bartolac.
February 3rd	M.M. Degree 5:30pm Dinner Lodge Opens at 6:30pm Master Mason Degree for Brother Kyle Roeser.
February 17th	Business Meeting 5:30pm Dinner Lodge Opens at 6:30pm Degree Posting A night honoring Brother Tom Strong.

Library Notes

Alice Byrnes, DLS
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You are missing a real treat, if you have not visited the Museum since it has been refurbished.

The installation of new carpeting and additional display cases has really changed the complexion of the space and increased the items on display.

Now is the time to donate/loan your Masonic Artifacts and fill the display cases.

On a sad note, please be reminded that the Library operates on the honor system.

A number of individuals have kept books out well beyond the usual lending period. If you are one of these individuals, your name is listed on the dining room bulletin board.

If these books are not returned, you will be billed for the book(s) replacement cost.

We still have a few 24" x 48" folding tables for sale.

The Low Twelve Club

Gerry Brebner - President; Vice President - vacant; Dale Vollrath - Sec - Treas.; TRUSTEES: Dale Vollrath 2008 - Allen Karr - 2009 - Ken Bierke - 2010 - Eric Kilman - 2011 - Gerry Brebner - 2012 - Dick Peterson - 2013 - John Jahnke - 2014

THE ANNUAL MEETING WILL BE HELD ON JANUARY 3, 2009 AT 1: PM AT THE NEW MASONIC CENTER - REGULAR BUSINESS, REPORTS, ELECTION OF OFFICERS AND TRUSTEE.

Assessments are \$2.00 per deceased member - benefit is at \$250.00 Our present membership is 168 - try to keep your dues current. WE NEED YOUR ATTENDANCE - WE NEED MORE MEMBERS - THIS IS NOT INSURANCE - THIS IS MASONIC CHARITY - WE ARE ONE OF THE LAST LOW TWELVE CLUBS IN OUR STATE - LET'S KEEP THIS GREAT TRADITION GOING - IT ALL BEGAN IN 1936 WHEN THE ECONOMY WASN'T DOING WELL - THIS IS OUR 73RD YEAR.

SNACKS WILL BE SERVED AND DOOR PRIZES AWARDED.

The following brethren were called to Eternal Rest.

#578	1-14-08	Donald J Fletcher	T Roosevelt # 322
#579	1-16-08	John D Tennant	T Roosevelt # 322
#580	2-18-08	Frank J Mullen Jr.	T Roosevelt # 322
#581	2-29-08	Gene R Schoen	Washington # 21
#582	3-10-08	Ralph R Sheldon	Washington # 21
#583	2-26-08	Alvin A Janda	Washington # 21
#584	4-6-08	Howard A Quehl	T Roosevelt # 322
#585	4-25-08	Robert J Manthey	Washington # 21
#586	5-28-08	Ralph F Knowlton	T Roosevelt # 322
#587	7-2-08	Raymond C Harrel	Sturgeon Bay #174
#588	10-11-08	Harold W Krueger	T Roosevelt # 322
#589	9-4-08	Glen K Knudson	T Roosevelt # 322
#590	11-13-08	Ellis M Jahnke	Washington # 21

Nazarene White Shrine No. 8

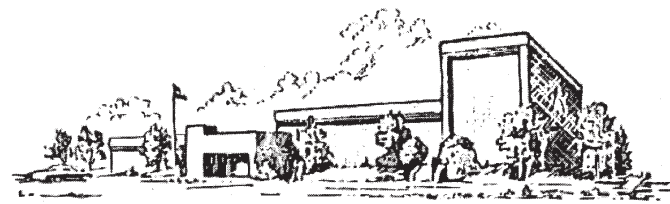
Karen Parfitt • Worthy High Priestess • 437-8004
Chris Biskner • Watchman of Shepards
Alice Byrnes • Worthy Scribe

White Shrine will be dark during the months of January and February. Please report any sickness or distress to Karen Parfitt 437-8004 or Alice Byrnes 662-9191
 Our next meeting will be March 16 and will be election of officers.

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Northeast Wisconsin Masonic Center Building Board

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Congratulations to our newly elected Building Board members – Nick Brosig, Jude Burkhardt, Rollie Wozniak and Al Malmberg. Our election of (Board) officers will be held at our January meeting. Positions to be filled are President, Vice President, Treasurer and Secretary.

You may have noticed some work was recently done in the Back Entrance stairwell. Our contractor (Basten Construction) worked to repair leaks that were in the wall near the stairs. We would like to take the next step immediately and get painting done – but it has been decided to leave the unfinished concrete until spring. We want to ensure that the leaks have been fixed and no problems develop with the spring thaw.

Many of the stained ceiling tiles throughout the building have been replaced and stains painted where the tiles could not be replaced (in the Auditorium). We also have a plumber who will be working on replacing kitchen faucets and working on our bathroom fixtures.

We appreciate those who have been using our clipboard to note items that need attention (the clipboard is on the Boiler Room door in the Small Dining Room). We will address items as our budget and necessity allow. Your feedback and comments are appreciated.

On behalf of the entire Building Board - Happy New Year to all!

Gerry Brebner
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Upcoming Events:

- January 21, 2009 7 P.M. Stated Meeting
- March 18, 2009 7 P.M. Voices of the Crucifixion
- April 15, 2009 7 P.M. Feast of the Paschal Lamb (Easter ceremony with York Rite) Dinner at 6 PM/Ceremony at 7 PM.

Spring Reunion dates and details: To Be Announced!

Always check the Valley Website for the latest Announcements:

Happy New Year from the Valley of Green Bay! Spring is just around the corner and our Spring Reunion, too! We will be finalizing the Reunion details soon! Please check the Valley website and look for the Reunion Announcement coming soon to your mailbox.

As a prelude to Easter – the play “Voices of the Crucifixion” will be performed this spring. Please mark March 18th on your calendar, when it will be performed.

A joint Ceremony is being planned with York Rite for our Annual “Feast of the Paschal Lamb” (Maundy Thursday). It will be held on April 15th.1

We wish all our Scottish Rite Masons and all our Brethren in York Rite and all other appendant bodies and Lodges - a happy and prosperous new year!

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- Jan. 12 Honor Star Points, bring a pound of something to be auctioned off. Money will go to ESTARL charity. Dress OES casual.
- Jan. 26 Compass Night Dress OES casual.
- Feb. 9 Honor Warder and Sentinel. Dress OES casual
- Feb. 23 Honor Organist, Marshall. Dress OES casual.
- Mar. 9 Jobie and DeMolay Charity World of Youth. Forma. Pot Luck at 5:45 PM.
- Mar. 23 Election of Officers. Dress OES casual.
- April 13 Ugly outfit night, come prepared to pick out the ugliest outfit with your change.
- April 27 Play OES Jeopardy. Be prepared with out knowledge of our organization. Dress OES casual.
- May 11 50-year Member night. Dress formal.
- May 18-21 Grand Chapter at the KI Center in Green Bay
- June 8 or 22 Installation of new Officers. Show your support.

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- January 4 12:30P Council meeting – 2:00P Official Visit
- January 7 Beja Dinner
- January 24 2:00P Installation
- January 26 Vets of Valor Dinner
- February 1 2:00P Meeting
- February 4 Beja Dinner
- February 21 12:30P Council meeting – 2:00P Meeting
- February 22 9:00-1:00 Pancake Brunch

Green Bay Chapter of DeMolay

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A big warm Holiday hello to all. We hope everyone enjoyed their time off, and look forward to a new year filled with new events. We would like to Thank everyone who helped out in our big event on Dec 6th. It appeared that all had a great time, and we now have 5 new members. We would like to say Thank you to all of the members from West Bend who help make that happen. As we look to the future, we would like to remind everyone of our up coming fish dinner on good Friday. If any one knows of a young man look for more info on DeMolay please let us know. Thank you.

- Jan 5 7:00pm Regular stated meeting. Plan activities for new year.
- Jan 19 7:00pm Regular stated meeting. Open Chapter. Work on LCC.
- Feb 2 7:00pm Regular stated meeting. Final planing for installation.
- Feb 7 2:00pm Green Bay Chapter Installation of new officers. Reception and dance to follow.
- Feb 16 7:00pm Regular stated meeting. open Chapter. work on LCC

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York Rite did not submit an article by the deadline for this Trestleboard edition. *The Editor*

Des Peres Lodge No. 85

Masonic Birthdays



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|-----------------|---------------------------------|---------|
| January | | |
| | 01/08/1975 Kenneth Hall | 34 yrs. |
| | 01/08/1997 Dennis Rubenzer | 12 yrs. |
| February | | |
| | 02/08/1967 Raymond Peterson Jr. | 42 yrs. |
| | 02/28/1978 John Stamatopoulos | 31 yrs. |
| | 02/26/1968 Isaac Mensah | 23 yrs. |
| | 02/17/1988 Jose Tavera | 21 yrs. |

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Greetings Brothers,

Wishing each of you a Happy and Prosperous New Year. Thanks to all who helped prepare for our Installation, especially John and Gerry for the classy program. Thanks again to our bell ringers at Bay Park Square. A nice group of 18 at our last meeting, Masonic Education by Jack Gragg and a good lunch provided by Tom & Jack.

Leave everything a little better than you found it - Take good care of those you love - Commit yourself to constant self-improvement.

JANUARY 8TH 10: AM

Stated Meeting - Masonic Education - Door Prize drawing - Lunch to follow by our chefs Tom and Jack.

FEBRUARY 12TH 10: AM

Stated Meeting - Masonic Education - Commemorate Lincoln's Birthday - Door Prize drawing - Lunch to follow.



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