THE CABLE TOW



Hartford Evergreen Lodge No. 88 1559 Main Street, South Windsor, CT 06074

SPRING 2017

"Master's Message"

Brothers! What a great first quarter we have had. It is so nice to see the lodge full for our meetings and events. Boy, time flies! I can't believe three months have gone by already.

We have introduced three brothers this year, and I hope this continues. The EA Degree brought many compliments and visiting Brethren. Everyone did a super job with the degree. I can't wait to see the FC degree in June.

Our tour of Waypoint Spirits brought 18 brothers, families and guests. What a great turnout for our first event. I am looking forward to continuing the fellowship of Brothers, family, and friends. This facility might be a great place to have our lodge picnic. Thoughts, Brothers?

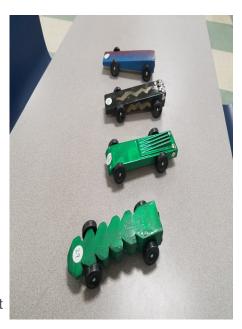
I would like to commend the brothers of this lodge who have stepped up and assisted with the lodge activities. It is so nice to see the Brothers taking pride in their lodge. Remember, the more you put into Masonry, the more you will get out of it.

That being said, we have a Fellow Craft degree coming up in June. I will be putting out some rehearsal dates soon. Any brother, wishing to take part in this degree, please let me know. We have many opportunities, in this degree, to help our new EA's to further their light in Masonry. Please let me know if you are interested in taking part.

As always, if any brother has any ideas for the betterment of the craft, please let me know. My virtual office door is always open.

Jon

Jon Hibbard, Worshipful Master



DUARTE FAMILY RACE CARS

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SCOTTISH RITE DAY NOVEMBER 2017
Can you pick out Brothers Curt Dynak, Lou Lamphear, Brian Warren, and Khamp Phimvongsa ?

Hartford Evergreen #88 Activities Winter & Spring 2017

February Hockey

February Quilts of Valor

March Stated Communication EA DEGREE

March Ladies at Table

March Waypoint Spirits Brewery Tour

April Grand Lodge Annual Dinner

April Grand Lodge Annual Communication

April CT Science Center

May Broad Brook Playhouse - Titanic

June Lodge Summer BBQ

June Fellow Craft Degree

June New Britain Bees Baseball Game

June Food Drive

July Chip Event

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Hartford Evergreen Lodge #88

Officers 2017

WM Jon Hibbard

SW Charles Jewart

JW WB Dwaine Clarke

SD BR Bob Malt

JD BR Curt Dynak

SS BR Brian Warren

JS BR Dave Prior

Secretary BR Pat Jones

Treasurer RWB Gregory J. Stump, AGM

Chaplain BR Dave Larsen

Marshall BR Robert Dynak

Tyler BR Roger Bristol

Almoner BR Lou Lamphear

Organist BR Edward Minor

Historian BR Gil Gamboa



PINEWOOD DERBY CARS OF WB DAVE DUARTE AND SONS

DUARTE FAMILY MAKES US PROUD

In one of the most successful ventures that HE #88 has ever supported, WB Dave Duarte and his sons, Caleb and Gabe, entered the Pinewood Derby, and all three took top honors. Dave's car (3rd from left) won the Adult Race, Caleb's car (far left) won First Place in his den, and Second in the pack overall, and Gabe's car (2nd from left) won the Sibling Race. Dave even managed to make a car representing HE #88 (far right) which came in Second in the Sponsor Race. Great job guys! As a grandfather who was involved in numerous races over the years, with no success, I can attest to the time and skill necessary to come out a winner. Masonry proudly supports this kind of activity that is so important to young people.

Hartford Evergreen Lodge #88

LIVING PAST MASTERS

"Masons Make Your World Better"

William R. Swanback 1964 Mike Seamon PDD 1996, 1999, 2005

G. Herbert Clarke 1965 Gregory J Stump 1998

William S. Young 1966, 73 Scott F. Horsfield 1999

Lyman P. Harding, Jr, PAGM 1968, 85, 89

RWB Charles D. Weiss 2001, 02, 04, 05 DD

Edward J. Krpata 1968 RWB Peter T Arnold PAGM 2002, 06

Phillip A. Prisk, Jr. 1969 Wayne S. Rettburg 2008

Keith B Brown 2010

Fletcher W. Kinsley, Jr, PDD 1972, 95 David C Duarte 2012

Arthur J. McKinney, PDD 1974 Steven Munz 2013

Lawrence J. Moore 1974 Matthew Nodland 2014

Charles J. Abronze 1977 Dwaine Clarke 2015

Herbert W. Wentworth 1978, 2003, 2004 Jason Elkhay 2016

Angelo Pedrazzini, PAGM 1979, 82, 90, 97, 07

Robert A. Hathaway 1981

Richard B. Niese 1982

Ronald R. Goodrich 1983

James P. McWalter 1983

Rudolph A. Gaydos, Jr. 1987

Wilbert E. Nead 1988

RW William T. Fraize, Jr., PDD 1988, 89, 94, 95, 96, 2000, 2003, 2006, 2007

Denis B. Lambert 1991, 92, 93, 96, 97

Mark F. Stuart 1992

Robert H. Marlatt 1993, 94

Jeffrey L. Herz 1995

Paul A. Nai 1996

Lodge Responsibilities

Mentor Chairman: BR James

DeVanney

Ritual Advisor: WB Dwaine

Clarke PM

Masonic Outreach: WB Ste-

phen G. Munz, PM

Hospitality Committee: WB

William Fraize, PDD

E-Communications: WB Ste-

phen G. Munz, PM

Publicity Reporter: BR Jona-

than Hibbard

Widows & Birthdays WB

Angelo Pedrazzini, PAGM

Scholarship Committee

WB Charles Jewart, Chair

RWB Greg Stump, PM, AGM

WM Jason

Elkhay





Brothers Lamphear, Warren, and Jones

Wolf Pack Hockey Night

February 24, 2017

Approximately 60 brothers enjoyed a night out to watch Wolf Pack Hockey and have some fun with brothers, friends, and family. Brother Curt Dynak's skillful negotiations provided the brothers with some very nice seats at a very reasonable price. It was \$1 hot dog and \$2 Beer night to boot. Thank you Brother Curt! Although the home team lost, the brothers had a great time!

Ladies at Table

March 25, 2017

Approximately 30 Brothers and their wives, girlfriends, and daughters had a fun night and at the same time reminded their special partners why they are so special to us. Brother Malt cooked a delicious meal for all.

EA DEGREE

March 20, 2017

Three new brothers were initiated: Rafael Miranda, Michael Veillette, and Evan Seals. Congratulations and welcome to all three!

Waypoints Brewery Tour

On Saturday March 11, 2017, approximately 20 brothers relaxed and took a tour of the Bloomfield brewery. Thanks to WM Jon for arranging this event.

OEMBC

OFFICERS

President WB Steve Munz PM

Vice President BR Richard Lumpkin

Treasurer BR Gilbert Gamboa

Secretary BR Robert Malt

Philanthropic Committee

BR Gil Gamboa

WB Steven Munz PM

BR Richard Lumpkin

WM Jason Elkhay

BR Aaron Gersten

Building Corporation Meetings

Second Monday @ 7:00pm

Every Month

at Hartford Evergreen Lodge # 88

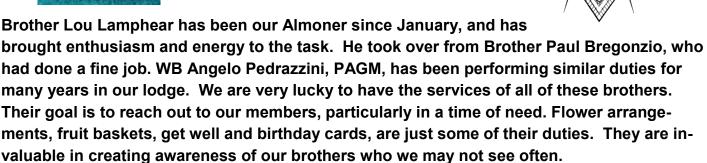






ALMONERS

The "Caring Officers"



According to Wikipedia, "the Masonic Almoner, sometimes called the "Caring Officer," is responsible for the well-being of lodge members and their families. He remains in contact with members who are not well, and also provides a discreet presence in the lives of widows of former members, so that the lodge can readily assist them if they have any needs. A good almoner is well versed in local and national Masonic charities, and the scope of their charitable work, so as to offer advice for those who might qualify for such assistance."

Their job is important and quite a challenge, with approximately 150 current brothers, and almost as many widows. I can certainly attest to their helpfulness to the lodge Secretary. I join them in encouraging brothers and their families to contact us in a time of need.

BROTHERS! If you haven't been to lodge, or think that you are not missed, we'd love to hear from you. If you are sick, or housebound, let us know. I will feature you in our next "Cable Tow", unless you tell me otherwise. Please send me an email at he88secretary@gmail.com, or send a letter to Pat Jones, Secretary, Hartford Evergreen Lodge #88, 1559 Main Street, South Windsor, CT 06074. Phones work too! Call me at 860-836-8392. I'd love to hear from you!"

If you wish to contact a brother, don't hesitate to call or email me, and I will give you their phone number or email address.

Pat Jones, Secretary (ALL ERRORS ARE MINE, BUT YOURS TO POINT OUT!)