



The Rough Ashlar

Kempsville Masonic Lodge, #196 A.F.&A.M.
4869 Princess Anne Road
Virginia Beach, VA 23462

Stated Meetings 2nd Tuesday @ 7:00PM
Dinner @ 6:00PM
Work Nights @ 7:00PM

From the East...

Greetings my Brethren. This contribution for the "Rough Ashlar" will be short and sweet as will be my remaining time in the East. The year is drawing to a close very rapidly and after tonight, I will have one more opportunity to sit as your Master. It has been an honor and a pleasure to be in the East and an experience that I will treasure always. I have so many people to thank for the excellent jobs that they have done this year and I will do this formally at our December stated. I would like at this time to thank Bro. Adam Green for getting "Old Glory" and putting it up after such a long absence and a special "Thank You" to Bro. Frank Mathews for the superb job that he and his crew did on landscaping the front of the building. It looks great. May God bless each and everyone of you and yours.

Brother Prentice Tuck, WM

From the West...

The year may be coming to a close but if things go well, it will go out with a bang! November 16th and 23rd promise to be big nights when our Brethren from Willis V. Fentress come over to help confer the Master Mason's degree on the 16th with Kempsville retuning the favor at Fentress on the 23rd. Let's make these "nights to remember" for these Brethren by filling the sidelines.

November 20th is your opportunity to roll up your sleeves and help get Kempsville Lodge cleaned up for the Annual Stated. We'll be stripping and waxing the floors so come on out give us a hand - we'll supply the mops! Breakfast will be at 9AM and the "swabbing" will begin at 10AM. With enough help we hope to be finished around 2PM.

Before you know it, we'll be preparing for the Annual Stated. Are those collards I smell?

Brother Buddy Pate, SW

Trestle Board

November 9.....	Stated Communication
November 15.....	Blood Drive
	Lynnhaven Lodge, 3PM - 7:30PM
November 15.....	Ritual School
November 16.....	Master Mason Degree
	with Wills V. Fentress 296
November 20.....	Floor Cleaning Day
	Breakfast 9AM
	Scrubbing 10AM
November 22.....	Ritual School
November 23.....	Master Mason Degree
	at Willis V. Fentress 296
November 29.....	Ritual School
November 30.....	Entered Apprentice Degree
December 6.....	Ritual School
December 13.....	Ritual School
December 14.....	Annual Stated
December 18.....	Open Installation - 2PM

Lodge Officers

Worshipful Master	Prentice G. Tuck, Jr.	497-2734
Senior Warden	Emmett "Buddy" Pate	306-8048
Junior Warden	Shawn P. Garfield	474-0532
Treasurer	RW George J. Wallace	420-2507
Secretary	RW William H. Pierce	497-5160
Senior Deacon	Roger Cort	467-5349
Junior Deacon	Jeff A. Rasmussen	420-2195
Chaplain	Dennis G. Tompkins	471-4091
Senior Steward	Paul J. Lafond	486-9792
Junior Steward	Albert L. Torres	456-0915
Marshal	Robert C. Metz	497-2886
Musician	Robert S. Foxwell	490-2797
Tiler	Robert L. Lankford	499-0115
Instructor of Work	RW Tom McGowan	497-3881
Education Officer	Wor. Bill Nolan	467-2252
Blood Coordinator	Roger Cort	467-5349

Articles for the next next Rough Ashlar should be submitted by 12/7/2004 to Bro. Buddy Pate (emmett@epate.com).

From the South...

Brethren, I would like to thank those of you who attended lodge last stated for Junior Warden Night. I hope you enjoyed it as much as I did.

I would like to speak for the group and say for the brothers that went to Grand Lodge, we had a great time. A lot of the Shriners that usually go were at Urbana. Hopefully, next year those two events won't conflict.

I'm looking forward to serving as your Senior Warden - pending a favorable ballot! See you all at the Annual Stated - another year has almost past.

Brother Shawn Garfield, JW

The Gift of Life...

Brethren, blood has a variety of uses. Help support our country, our troops, the sick and needy - come out next week, November 15th, and give a pint. The drive is a Lynnhaven 220 from 3:00 to 7:30PM. Be a friend. Be a brother. Donate!

Brother Roger Cort, SD
Lodge Blood Coordinator

Masonic Birthdays for November

WARREN L. ALECK '66
CHARLES E. AUSTIN '93
SELBY R. BALLANCE '73
VERNON B. BENJAMINSON '64
ALBERT L. BONNEY JR. '63
GEORGE E. BRASWELL '59
JOE E. BROWN '64
GORDON C. BURTON '71
DARIO J. CANCLINI '75
HERBERT L. CARTER '66
WILLIAM K. COLE '89
ROGER CORT '65
BRIAN L. COX '77
HARRY L. CUMMINGS '71
RICHARD D. DIFFEE '82
LEWIS A. DODSON '77
DAVID M. DUTCHER '86
KENNETH W. EASTER '60
MICHAEL C. ELLIOTT '65
CURTIS R. EURE '59
CLARENCE G. FELTS '69
MICHAEL P. FITZGERALD '92
ROLFE M. FLEMING '72
FRANKLIN M. GAMAGE '59
STEVEN M. GILBERT '83
MARK R. GILLEAN '88
JUSTIN L. GLASGOW '78
CECIL A. GOODWIN '71
ELWOOD M. GRANT '54 (50 Year Veteran!)

CURTIS M. GRAVES SR. '79 (25 Year Veteran!)

ARTHUR J. GUARINO JR. '92
RAYMOND E. HALL JR. '76
JAMES T. HARE JR. '73
WILLIAM T. HASTE '61
HAROLD F. HATCH '71
DONALD O. HAWKINS JR. '97
RUSSELL L. HOUSTON '85
DONALD E. HOWARD '87
WILLIE L. HUDSON JR. '61
RONALD S. JACOBSON '03
PHILLIP R. JENNINGS '94
BURTON H. JONES '64
MONTAGUE JONES JR. '64
WILLIAM J. KRELL '91
ALBERT J. LALONDE '58
E. LOUIS LANE JR. '72
JERRY W. LEDBETTER '83
JOHN L. LONG '01
CHARLES J. LUND '86
DONALD L. MCBRIDE '54 (50 Year Veteran!)
IRAS W. MIDGETT SR. '64
GEORGE C. MILLER '75
LOUIS F. MILLER JR. '90
CHARLES C. MILLS JR. '79 (25 Year Veteran!)
DORMAN K. MINER '79 (25 Year Veteran!)
ORA M. MOFFETT '65
GERALD E. MONAHAN '55
JAMES G. MOORE '59
ERIC M. NACHMAN '91
LAWRENCE A. NILSEN '51
ROBERT M. OHMAN '65
PAUL W. PENNYBACKER '68
JAMES S. PERRY '79 (25 Year Veteran!)
WILLIAM L. RICE '83
RAYMOND R. ROWLEY '62
THEODORE R. SALEEBY '47
JOSEPH S. SALIH '63
HENRY SARGENT '69
JEFFERY L. SCOTT '91
JERRY SILLA '99
CECIL C. SMITHSON '98
WILLIAM J. SWANNER III '74
PAUL R. SWANSON '90
CHARLES R. TAYLOR '00
ROBERT R. TELLER '88
PRENTICE G. TUCK JR. '98
RALPH W. WARD '76
RONALD H. WHITEHEAD '67
ADRIAN D. WILLIS III '66
HENRY A. YOUNG '58