



LODGE #84 – IOWA’S OLDEST SINCE 1888

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LODGE MEETINGS THURSDAY 10/4 & 10/18 @ 7:30

OCTOBER 2012

New Members

In the month of September we signed up 1 new member, Anthony Zurmuehlen. Anthony was sponsored by Michelle Phillips. We would like to welcome Anthony to the Lodge and look forward to seeing you at club functions.

By-Laws Amendment

At the regular Lodge meeting held on September 20, 2012, a motion was made and duly seconded for the Lodge to amend its current by-laws to adopt the shortened version of the opening, closing, and ritual. (See attached amendment) As required by Grand Lodge Statutes, Section 17.060, the members of Burlington Lodge #84 are hereby notified that there will be a vote on the proposed amendment at the regular Lodge meeting which will be held on October 18, 2012. Any member wanting additional information on the amendment can meet with the Officers at the Lodge meeting which will be held on October 4, 2012.

Christmas Raffle

The Officer's & Trustees have decided to continue our annual Christmas Raffle which will be drawn at our "Free" dinner on December 14th. Each member is receiving 2 books of tickets which sell for \$5.00 a book. There are 6 tickets per book so you can sell 5 tickets and enter your name on the 6th. The proceeds of this sale will help to sponsor our anniversary celebration next year.

Looking back 125 years!

At the regular Lodge meeting held on March 3, 1911, the following members were installed as officers: George E. Hill, Exalted Ruler; H.W. Hughes, Leading Knight; W.C. Kurrle, Loyal Knight; Herbert Rapp, Lecturing Knight; F.F. Graesser, Treasurer; Ed. E. Egan, Secretary; G. Woellhuf, Trustee. Bills against the Lodge totaled \$47.84 and the Lodge had a membership of 529.

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

2nd Leroy Fedler
10th Dale Carden, Trustee
12th Duane Sourwine
26th Becky Klein
28th Dieter Rosellen

3rd Don LaRue, PER, Trustee
10th Bob Foutch
26th Larry Canfield
26th Rachel Leibli
29th Ed Eland, PER

OCTOBER 12TH DINNER

SOCIAL HOUR 5:00 – DINNER 6:30 – \$6.50

On Friday the 12th we will be serving Fried Chicken. Please plan to attend and bring a prospective new member or friend. **We strongly request that if you are planning to attend, please call in a reservation so we can make sure we have plenty of food available.** A covered dish is always appreciated.



MARK YOUR CALENDAR



PLEASE NOTE - DATE CHANGE
FRIDAY APRIL 5, SATURDAY APRIL 6 AND SUNDAY APRIL 7, 2013
(DUE TO EASTER BEING ON SUNDAY OF THE ORIGINAL DATE PLANNED)

OUR NEXT 125TH CELEBRATION MEETING

Our next 125th Celebration planning meeting will on Thursday, October 11th starting at 6:30pm. Our first meeting we had a great turnout! Great ideas were brought out and the fun has just begun! Here are some of the committees and committee chairs (Hopefully I did not miss anyone):

Budget and Hotel Committee: Dana Johnston (Chair),

Art Klein, Bill Miles, Dale Carden, Don LaRue

Save the date, invitations/registrations and payments: Nelson and MaryAnn Showalter (Chairs)

Hospitality Room/Gifts and Rooms for dignitaries: Dick and Sherry Seager (Chairs)

Michelle Phillips, Matt and Jessica McChesney, LA Sexton

Media: Nelson and MaryAnn Showalter

Banquet Decorations & Flowers: Jen Overberg & Jeremy Helling (Chairs)

Jamie and Ursula Wagenbach, Mary Diercks

Banquet Schedule: Dana Johnston (Chair)

Jeff Johnson (audio/video), Paul Miller, Rich Miller, Art Klein, Nelson and MaryAnn Showalter

There are many committees that will need to be worked on, no matter how much or little you can help - please volunteer!

I know that many people said that they would help at the dinner, please send me an email or let Art know what you can help with so that I can put you on a committee. My email is dana.johnston@drakehs.com. You can also leave a message on the answering machine at the Elks. Please state name and phone number so we can contact you.

WORK DAYS

We will be scheduling work days to spruce up the lodge. If you can paint or do any kind of maintenance - We need you! Once we set the dates, we will send out an email for needed help!



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