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TWIN PEAKS LODGE #32

Trestleboard

March 2009

From the East

Grand Lodge visitation in February was a joint success. Our Most Worshipful Grand Master and the Grand Lodge came to Midvale to meet with Mt. Olympus Chapter OES, Canyon Lodge # 13 F&AM of Utah and Twin Peaks # 32 F&AM of Utah. I will admit our banquet room was a bit crowded, however our Junior Warden and his staff were able to seat everyone who attended. It was a pleasure to share this evening with The Grand Lodge, Canyon Lode #13 and Mt. Olympus Chapter #23, OES. The ladies entertainment was a blend of information on The Road Home, and a service project to prepare blankets to be delivered by the OES.

The month of March promises to also be interesting for us. Our regular Lodge meeting on the 2nd, the Lodge of Instruction on the 16th and the Lodge Birthday Party on March 28th.

We are still in need of volunteers for our Judges committee for the Chili Affair, Contact our Junior Warden if you want to help name awards and be involved in this worthwhile affair which helps to raise money for our Lodge Charity "The Road Home"

Sincerely and Fraternally,
Richard “Ric” Wailes
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Warden's Page

March 2009

From the South

Grand Lodge Visitation is behind us and the meal was excellent, Mt. Olympus Chapter #23, OES, Canyon Lodge # 13, Twin Peaks # 32 and the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Utah had a great time together, and the oration by the Grand Orator was to the point focusing on the need for Lodges, concordant and appendent bodies to work together to create the quilt of Masonry. I want to thank all of those who helped me in setting up and tearing down the banquet room. Your hard work is most appreciated.

We will be having our Lodge Birthday Party on March 28th. The cost is $8.00 per adult. Starting time 6:00 PM. Bring your cakes. Again Brother Michael Hartman is willing to be our auctioneer. This is always an enjoyable time for the Lodge. Bring your Ladies, kids, grand kids, whomever... to join us in an old fashioned soup feast, with bread bowls, salad and refreshments.

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From the West

The Lodge of Instruction with Canyon #13 on the 9th of Feb paid off, opening and closing went smoothly and both Masters recived comments on how well the work was done. We will again hold a Lodge of Instruction on the 9th of March @ 7:00 PM after the lodge planning meeting. Come on out and while we practice ritual, we can learn what is behind the ritual we do.

Fraternally,
Lyle G. Miller
Senior Warden, Twin Peaks Lodge #32

MT. OLYMPUS CHAPTER #23

Monthly News

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We were honored to have the "first" joint Grand Chapter/Grand Lodge Visitation in February. Our Officers did an outstanding job and we had about 94 in attendance. There was a great Bar-B-Q dinner after our afternoon meeting and then Grand Lodge let with Twin Peaks #32 and Canyon #13. A Petition for the Degrees was read. The Chapter will be donating an auction basket to the Grand Chapter Hoe Down on March 21st. About 58 fleece blankets were tied during the visitation break after the dinner, hanks to the Grand Lodge ladies and our own members. Our own WM Pam and PM Joan Stringham were given the "Hall of Frame" award from WGM Karen and WGP Bill Jack for their dedication to our Order. Congratulations!!!

FROM YOUR WORTHY MATRON: A great big heartfelt thank you to all for being at our Joint Grand VIsitation. The officers did a fabulous job and I am proud of each one of you. Hard work and practices do pay off. Thank you for being dedicated officers. I urge all of you to attend our next meeting for initiation and welcome in our new members. See you then.

BIRTHDAYS: 05- Lori Dyson; 10- Shirley Poate; 11- Craig Smith; 12- Michael Hartman; 15- Tom Tuckett; 20- Kathy Kirshman; 24- Susan Broyles **Hope you all have a great day!!!**

ROSTER CHANGES: (Please make note)
CHG: Bob Hartman's email to: rmhwmtp32x4@earthlink.net
CHG: Kathleen Hartman's email to: filterchick@earthlink.net
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GOOD NEWS: Thanks to the Jim & Carla Harvey and Angie Chipian for their generous Chapter donations. Lydia Vitkauskis was presented her 25 Year pin by WMPam and Secretary Laurel. Linda & John Glines took a Panama Canal cruise in February.
SICKNESS & DISTRESS: Lois Johnson fell and had to have 7 stitches in her head. Joan Stringham is having kidney stone surgery. Kathy Kirshman is having leg problems. Tammy Gibson had Mono and Lee Rogers was having hamstring problems.

MT. OLYMPUS DATES: Our annual Spring Luncheon is on March 7. Please make sure you let the Assoc. Matron know what you will be bringing or how you can help. We will be honoring the Star Points this month. We will also be initiating two mew members, so please come and welcome them.
OTHER EVENTS: Adah #15, Mad Hatter's Soup & Salad Luch, March 14 Noon. $7.00, Magna Temple. Call Jeanette Clausen @ 969-3000 for tickets. Grand Chapter Hoe Down March 21st @ 6:00 PM SLMT. $25.00 per person. BBQ dinner, silent auctions, line dancing. Check to and send to PGM Joanne Martin or PMPat Kay.

GRAND CHAPTER VISITATIONS: 02- Mizpah #5, SL Masonic Temple 7:30 PM~06- Queen Esther #4, Ogden 7:30 PM~10- Radiant #12, SL Masonic Temple 7:30 PM~21- Country Hoe Down, SLMT~28- Duveromy #17, Vernal Masonic Temple 1:00 PM, Grand Lodge visit at 4:30. BBQ to follow.

"DID YOU KNOW?" When Burger King introduced the Whopper Sandwich in 1957 It only cost 37 cents.
THE TRIVIA CORNER: People who hate cats will come back as mice in their next life.....

DUES REMINDER: Please make sure you have a 2009 Dues Card in your wallet.....or send in $15.00

***** SEE YOU ON MARCH 20TH FOR INITIATION *****

Pamela S. Peters, PM
Worthy Matron

Danon Gibson
Worthy Patron

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R.W. MOORE CHAPTER DeMolay

Monthly News

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Hi everyone,

First off thanks for letting R.W. Moore use the Temple for a sleepover from feb.7th-8th, we appreciate it and we all had lots of fun. If anybody ever needs some help, just call on R.W. Moore and we will be happy to help in any way we can; Like recently we helped Canyon Lodge with the Sweethearts Breakfast on Valentines day.

Also for everyone who doesn't know, March is DeMolay Month! So if anybody has any ideas on how to celebrate, just give us a call. Thanks

Paul Brassard, Master Councilor of R.W. Moore Chapter

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R.W Moore is beginning to grow again. We had five prospects at the sleepover and may have a few more soon. This is a great organization for young men and we are always looking for more to join in the fun. We are looking at joint activities with the Salt Lake Chapter for April. We will have more information later.

There are a variety of ceremonies that the Demolay can perform for both Masonic and non-Masonic organizations. The boys enjoy this interaction and would love to do some of these for others.

If you would like more information please feel free to contact me.

Dad Gibson

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R.W. Moore Chapter of DeMolay meets the 3rd Thursday of the month, 7:30pm at the Midvale Masonic building.

'Dad' Danon Gibson
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Hello everyone! It's Bethel 16 again. We hope everyone had a wonderful Valentine's Day. Some of the events that we had in February were a service project planned by our marshal Sarah Wardrope. The project was to go to the Road Home and pack kitchen and bathroom packages for people who are in need and don't have enough money.

Our Princess' are selling CK Cummings easter eggs for a fund raiser. We are selling the following items:

- Easter Eggs: $7.50
- Fudge (available in 3 flavors, and plain): $8.50
- Pretzels: $4.00
- Mint Boxes: $5.00

Job's daughters also had their ritual competition on February 21st. all the girls worked hard to know their parts and did very well.

Also, on May 9th, we will have our Guide's project. We will be serving a variety of Greek dishes. It is $10 in advance and $12 at the door, so get your tickets early.

If you want Bethel 16 to come to your meeting and perform a ceremony, please let our Guardian Joelle Whelan 272-2150 know; also if you know of a girl between the ages of 10-20 who might be interested in joining Job's Daughters please pass her name along to our Guardian.

Jobie Love,
Tori Mudd
Jr. Princess, Bethel 16

Bethel #16 Chapter of International Order of Job's Daughters Meets the 1st Saturday of the month at 10:00am and the 3rd Saturday of the Month at 7:00pm at the Midvale Masonic building

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