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Appointed Officers

Senior Deacon – Robert Casto
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Senior Steward –Guy Claudy
Junior Steward – Don Hendricks
Tyler – Trey Brown PM

Committees

Masonic Education

Rick Reichert*
Bob Johnston**
Frank Glover**
Richard Neiman

Finance Committee

Mike Tavares* (**)
Barry Rimmey Fred Hope
Joe Madenjian Bill McAfee

Charity

Ernie Liverman*
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Membership

Mike Tavares *
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Masonic Foundation

Rich Reichert*
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Masonic Home

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Calling Committee

Gene Middleton*
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Fund Raising

Jim Howard*
Richard Neiman
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Public Schools and Youth

Dick Wright*
Bobby Brice Mike Tavares

Events

Jim Howard*
Richard Nieman
Trey Brown Robert Casto

* Indicates chairman of committee
** Proficiency card committee

Living Past Masters

Robert Jones	1954	Benjamin Clark	1977	Robert Johnston	1993
Steve Phillips	1962	Robert Chula	1979	John Crary	1996
Alphus Clark	1963	Joseph Goldman	1979	Kyle Steuven	1997
Frank Vellella	1966	Fred Hope	1983-1984	Arvid Bergman	1998-99
Kenneth Law	1967	Frank Glover	1985	Tom Dials	2000
Klemens Nelson	1970	Robert Johnston	1986	Mike Patterson	2001
Eugene Fluke	1973	Frank Glover	1988	Mike Tavares	2002
Royal Brown	1976	Robert Johnston	1990	Rick Reichert	2003
Julian McWherter	1977	Matt Vlademar	1991	Herbert Merrick	2004
		Bill McAfee	1992	Trey Brown	2005



Maj. Gen. Winfield Scott Hancock

**Hancock Lodge
No. 311
Grand Lodge of
Ancient Free & Accepted
Masons of Kansas**



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*Meets the 1st and 3rd Thursdays
Except July and August
See Signaleer.com/Hancock for details.*

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Fraternal Greetings to You Brethren

 **From the East:** We have a lot of work on our trestle board and it will take a lot of help to get it done. We are still waiting for grand lodge to officially decide about 1 Day classes. However, we need to plan to do this the other way if we cannot get a 1 Day class organized. Right now if all of these on our list go I will be looking for a dozen coaches. Also, I hear that we may have a few more applicants in the wings so let's get the petitions in as soon as possible.

 **Tidings from the West:** : Thanks to all for the support of the 2 third Degrees this month... We had a great number of Brothers on the sidelines for the 2 events, which showed the newly Raised Brothers that we care. I have contacted all of those who signed up during PAIR Day that didn't attend Friends of Masons Day and am getting responses that they are interested. I will continue to make contact and get as many as we can to become Masons. If anyone is interested in learning more about Masonry and would like to sit in a chair next year, please let me know as soon as possible.

 **Greeting from the South:** Nothing from the south.

 **From the Secretary's Desk** From the Secretary's Desk. 2007 dues notices will be mailed out after the 5 Oct 2006 vote as to whether or not dues will be raised to \$70 in 2007 or remain at \$55. As of 29 Sep, only one unfavorable comment has been received in writing about the proposed dues increase, and that Brother subsequently dimited. Perpetual Life Membership (PLM) purchases are being made thanks to W Bro Tavares' excellent letter about a PLM's benefits to both a Brother and our Lodge, now and forever. You can purchase yours for \$1045 (\$1100 minus \$55 (2006 dues)), if you submit your funds NLT 31 December 2006. If dues rise to \$70, a PLM will cost \$1400 starting 1 Jan 07.



From the Webmaster: Brethren: Hancock Lodge is the jewel of Area 1. You are doing great Masonic works and it shows. Your accomplishments challenge other lodges to match our prestige and inspire newer members to become active. For this reason, I encourage you to mark your calendar for January 27, 2007 and attend the Second District School of Instruction. This is not just for officers but for all Master Masons to see all the work in its proper form. We have a new lecturer, Brother Wayne Rector, who will bring a lively forum to the craft. The school will be held at King Solomon Lodge #10, 423 Delaware, Leavenworth. King Solomon #10 will also host an Awards Banquet for their 50 year members on November 4 with guest speaker John Mowen, Past Grand Master. They have opened this event to our district. Finally, please make every effort to be on hand for our District Deputy Grand Master's fall visit to Hancock Lodge on October 19th. Fraternally, Rick Reichert, ADGM1 Brethren: Our web site is a valuable resource that must be used frequently to make it worthwhile. If you are searching for something and cannot find it on the site, please click "Comments" on the home page and let me know about it. If you have something of interest, send it along. If it's just for the brethren, it can be password protected. Most of all, check it before meetings and get the latest updates. Pass the link along to others who may interested in visiting or becoming a member.—Our site is both a public window and a private cache. Please help me make it a great resource for you.



Greetings from Area Deputy Grand Master: Brethren: Hancock Lodge is the jewel of Area 1. You are doing great Masonic works and it shows. Your accomplishments challenge other lodges to match our prestige and inspire newer members to become active. For this reason, I encourage you to mark your calendar for January 27, 2007 and attend the Second District School of Instruction. This is not just for officers but for all Master Masons to see all the work in its proper form. We have a new lecturer, Brother Wayne Rector, who will bring a lively forum to the craft. The school will be held at King Solomon Lodge #10, 423 Delaware, Leavenworth. King Solomon #10 will also host an Awards Banquet for their 50 year members on November 4 with guest speaker John Mowen, Past Grand Master. They have opened this event to our district.

Work in Waiting ►

This information is updated weekly on our web site!

Petition Read – Investigation Committee Appointed

Mr. David Black; Mr. Alexander Mandes, Mr. Briayon Fugate, Mr. Matthew Jarzyk, Mr. Mark Shelton, Mr. Kenneth Wiscal, Mr. LeonardTrey Brannom, III, Mr. Robb Mitchell, Mr. Brian Resch.

Awaiting Entered Apprentice Degree

Mr. William DeWare, Mr. Earl Genter

Awaiting Fellow Craft Degree

Br. Charles Roberts*, Br. Anthony Howard*, Bro. D Thomasson, , Bro. Adam Pearson

Awaiting Master Mason Degree

Bro Josh Hoppes (Dec 05)

Newly Raised Master Masons:

Bro Chris Ohlstein, Bro Sidney McManus**, Br. Randall Combs, Jr, Br. Jeff Britton

* Indicates proficiency proved (or imminent) and now ready for degree work.

** Indicate courtesy work for another lodge.

(D) Deployed
(C) College

Calendar of Events

Thursday, 5th **Stated** – 7:30 p.m. Business meeting Vote on Candidates and By Law Changes

Thursday 19th **Stated** – 7:30 p.m. DDGM Fall Official Visit 2nd Degree Conferral

Thursday 26th **Study Club** – 6:30 p.m.

Freemasonry is "veiled in allegory and illustrated by symbols" because these are the surest way by which moral and ethical truths may be taught. It is not only with the brain and with the mind that the initiate must take Freemasonry but also with the heart. –MW C. H. Claudy

Other Masonic Events

National Sojourners 4 October & 1 November 6:30 p.m.

Byington OES 13 October 7:30 p.m. WGM Official Visit 50 Pins Present at 7 pm

Byington OES 27 October 7:30 p.m.

DeMolay Adult Training 21 October 10:00 a.m. (King Solomon #10)

Armed Forces Scottish Rite 12 October 7:30 p.m. 6th Degree

High Twelve Fridays 12:00 Pullman

11th Annual Masons' Day, OCTOBER 7, 2006 8:30 AM - 1:PM, Hixson Atrium, University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City, KS Reservations (913) 588-4732 or online: <http://kmcric.kumc.edu>

Bylaws insert is provided this month incase you did not bring your copy. This provides the recommended text for discussion and vote and background on the dues increase rational.

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