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Rick Reichert*
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John Crary
Tom Dials

Proficiency Card Committee

Bob Johnston**
Frank Glover**
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Fred Hope
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Membership

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Masonic Foundation

Mike Patterson*
Rick Reichert
Arvid Bergman
Bobby Brice

Masonic Home

Tom Calloway*
Eric Anderson
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Bob Johnston
Victor Henke

Charity

Master and Wardens

Calling Committee

Gene Middleton *
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Public Schools and Youth

Dick Wright *
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* Indicates chairman of committee

** Proficiency card committee

ADGM Area 1, Rick Reichert, PM

Living Past Masters

Robert Jones	1954	Robert Chula	1979	John Crary	1996
Steve Phillips	1962	Joseph Goldman	1979	Kyle Steuven	1997
Alphus Clark	1963	Fred Hope	1983-1984	Arvid Bergman	1998-99
Frank Vellella	1966	Frank Glover	1985	Tom Dials	2000
Kenneth Law	1967	Robert Johnston	1986	Mike Patterson	2001
Klemens Nelson	1970	Frank Glover	1988	Mike Tavares	2002
Eugene Fluke	1973	Robert Johnston	1990	Rick Reichert	2003
Royal Brown	1976	Matt Vlademar	1991	Herbert Merrick	2004
Julian McWherter	1977	Bill McAfee	1992	Trey Brown	2005
Benjamin Clark	1977	Robert Johnston	1993	Ernie Liverman	2006



Maj. Gen. Winfield Scott Hancock

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

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Boughton Memorial Hall

*Meets the 1st and 3rd Thursdays
Except July and August*

See <http://www.hancocklodge311.org/> for details.

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Fraternal Greetings to You Brethren


 **From the East.** I want to thank everyone for coming out and supporting Pair Day, it was a success. We are supporting the Leavenworth Spring Clean up on 14 April and I need the Brothers to sign up again this year. We were well supported and had a great time contributing back to the community. We also have a lot of work that has to be completed in the Lodge. It was announced that the clean up date for our Lodge was on the same date. This could be accomplished if we have a great number of our Brothers signing up. I am looking forward to having another great year in Masonry, and I want to thank everyone for their support. Anyone that wants to assist or sit in a chair, don't hesitate to ask, there is a lot of work to do and we can have fun in doing it and learn from getting involved.


 **Tidings from the West** From the West: Thanks to the Brothers that come and contribute to the Fraternity. The attendance is up and looks great on the sidelines, especially for the Candidates and Brothers going through the Degrees. Your continued support will only strengthen the Lodge and encourage our new Brothers to learn more about Masonry. Please take time to share news or suggestions that would enhance the Fraternity. Thanks to those that supported Pair Day, it was a success. Continue to make our visitors welcome by engaging in conversation and their view points of the way we conduct Business or Degree work. Bro Richard.


 **Greeting from the South:** I would like to thank the brothers who have provided refreshments after our stated meetings. I am pleased at the bounty of our fest board and would encourage any one who has not, to volunteer their services for future meetings. Please see me at our next Lodge meeting to sign up. Also I would remind the brethren to look around the Lodge room and Boughton Hall in general for any repairs/work that will need to be addressed, paying particular attention to those things we can do ourselves. Thanks: R.Casto

 **From the Secretary's Desk:** |

 **From the Webmaster.**

 **From the Building Managers** Spring clean up I am still looking for a good date. The first date may conflict with the community clean up. That master was looking to be part of that so if that committee can let me know we can reschedule the lodge clean up.

 **Sickness and Distress** Bro Vic Henke's mother passed away on February 22nd, please keep their family in our prayers.

 **CHECK THE ONLINE TRESTLE BOARD FOR MESSAGES FROM TRAVELING BROTHER.** Brother Ron Diz, who sojourned with us two years ago stopped by my office. Ron is now with the NYPD Counter Terrorism Bureau and will deploy to OIF this fall. Brother Guy Claudy is on orders to deploy with a reserve unit late this spring as 1SG.

Work in Waiting ►

This information is updated weekly on our web site!

Petition Read – Investigation Committee Appointed
Mr. Jason Summer (D-OIF); Mr. Davis Ennis (D-OIF)

Awaiting Entered Apprentice Degree

Awaiting Fellow Craft Degree

Br. Lucian Laurie, Br. Mark Shelton, Bro. Nolan Vineyard, Bro Danny Thomasson, Bro Alex Mandes*,

Awaiting Master Mason Degree

Br. Melvin Mack, Bro Matthew Jaryzk; Bro Gregory Rocha

Newly Raised Master Masons:

Bro Bryon Fugate

* 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, 1st **Stated** – 7:30 p.m.
Saturday, 10th **Friends of Masons** – 1:00-3:00 pm
Thursday 15th **Stated** – 7:30 p.m.
Thursday 22nd **Study Club or Specials for Degrees** – 6:30 p.m.
Thursday 29th **5th Thursday Social** – 6:30 p.m.

Check web site for updates!

Other Masonic Events

National Sojourners 7 March

Byington OES 9 March

Byington OES 23 March

DeMolay Pizza 24 March at Solomon #10

Armed Forces Scottish Rite 8 March Business

Annual Grand Communication: Salina, Kansas

March 16 to 18, 2007

High Twelve Fridays Noon at the Pullman Leavenworth

The Masonic Service Association of North America (MSANA) was formed in 1919 to provide services to its member Grand Lodges that they would find difficult to provide for themselves. Thus the national voice that the MSA has is dedicated to Service to the Masonic community. The primary functions and activities of the MSANA are:
[Disaster Relief](#) - since 1923 the MSA has collected and forwarded funds for disasters around the world.

[Education/Information Publications](#) - the MSA has a free catalog of publications, bulletins and other materials available.

[Masonic Information Center](#) - to provide information on Freemasonry to Masons and non-Masons alike and to respond to critics of Freemasonry.

[Hospital Visitation Program](#) - provides assistance and service to our sick or wounded veterans.

[Service](#) - The Masonic Service Association of North America is a servant of Freemasonry. Formed of and supported by Grand Lodges, it is a voice that they can move to action, that the great heart of the Fraternity be made manifest and that the will of a united Craft may be done.

