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Wed., Oct. 4, 7:30 p.m. - Stated Meeting  
Mon., Oct. 9 – Columbus Day  
Wed., Oct. 18, 7:30 p.m. – Stated Meeting  
Thurs. thru Sat., Oct. 19 thru Oct. 21 - Grand Lodge, Dayton  
Wed., Oct. 25, 5:00 p.m. – Chili and Bean Soup Dinner  
Tues., Oct. 31 - Halloween

Greetings Brethren! Here we are in October. Dues notices for the next year should have already reached you so make sure you have paid your dues or have plans to do so. The big event this month is of course, the traditional Bean Soup and Chili Dinner which is being handled by Worshipful Brother Bob Wiley who is our Junior Warden. The cost is the same as it has been in years past and is still all you can eat. For the brave souls out there I am told there will be some spicy offerings this year.

I and my line officers are looking forward to seeing you in lodge; it's great to see you at Scottish Rite or York Rite Bodies and it really is but, supporting the blue lodge is where it all begins. Your knowledge of the craft and years of service are worth so much to the new members who would like the chance to sit next to you in lodge and learn what they can from all of you. Keeping that in mind I am looking forward to seeing some brothers of this great lodge who I do not or have not seen for awhile.

**Ty Youngman, Worshipful Master**

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Fri., Oct. 13, 7:30 p.m. – Stated Meeting

Thurs. thru Sat., Oct. 19 thru Oct. 21 - Grand Lodge, Dayton

Fri., Oct. 27 7:30 p.m. – Stated Meeting, Tentative Costume Night

Tues., Oct. 31 – Halloween

Greetings Brethren! As autumn approaches and our country recently dealt with catastrophic weather events, let's remember our charity and think about our countrymen, our brethren and those lodges in Florida and Texas. It's humbling to think what we take for granted every day, can be wiped away in an instant. Thoughts and prayers go out to all affected in the storm areas.

On a brighter note, I would like to thank the brethren of Wm McKinley Lodge 431 for a great Past Master's Picnic held at Magnolia Park on Saturday, August 26<sup>th</sup>. A special thanks to Brother Dan Thomas for the Corn and roaster which made it fantastic, and my lady Jen, for all her help and her wonderful "Buffalo Chicken Dip;" and all who contributed to the meal. We had a blast playing volleyball, corn hole and some of the brothers had more fun on the teeter totters and slide.

I will also thank RWBro. R. Wesley Webber and Wor. Brp. Glen Greenamyre for their assistance and guidance with the William McKinley Memorial Service on Friday, September 8<sup>th</sup>. A special thanks to kitchen styling's and a fantastic spaghetti dinner served by Wor. Bro., Bob Martelet and Wor. Bro., Clyde Vickers; many compliments and full bellies attest to this!

**Quote:** What we have done for ourselves alone, dies with us; what we have done for others and the world, remains and is immortal. *Brother Albert Pike*

**Word of the month:** secret, covert, stealthy, furtive, surreptitious, underhanded mean done without attracting observation. Secret implies concealment on any grounds for any motive. (answer, page 11)

**Jeff Hager, Worshipful Master**

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Mon., Oct. 9 – Columbus Day  
Thurs., Oct. 19, 7:30 p.m. – Stated Meeting, Elections  
Thurs. thru Sat., Oct. 19 thru Oct. 21 - Grand Lodge, Dayton  
Tues., Oct. 31 – Halloween  
Fri., Nov. 3, 7:00 p.m. – Installation of Officers

We had our first Stated Meeting after the summer break and also our Windows Dinner Program. The Masonic Temple crew prepared an excellent open roast beef dinner and a beautiful cake for the occasion. Thanks Bill and your crew for a great jab!

Upcoming in the next few months we have some important events. First: Dues are now due! October 19<sup>th</sup> we will be holding our election for the new 2017-2018 lodge officers. In November we will be having two important events: Friday, November 3<sup>rd</sup> we will be having our Installation for incoming officers and on Thursday, November 16<sup>th</sup> we will be honoring our long time members with service awards. Brethren please come and honor our long time members when they are receiving their awards and please keep our brethren in Florida and Texas in your prayers in their time of need.

Sincerely,

Brad J Cioca, Worshipful Master

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Tues., Oct. 3, 7:30 p.m. – Daughters of Mokanna, Stated Meeting

Mon., Oct. 9 – Columbus Day

Wed., Oct. 11, 5:30 p.m. – Social Hour

6:30 p.m. – Dinner Served

7:30 p.m. – Stated Meeting

Tues., Oct. 31 - Halloween

## Monarch's Message

Membership is the back bone of every organization. If you are already a member get active, 7 or 10 active members can not keep an organization running without soon burning out and we are very close to achieving that burnout state. If you are not a member, consider becoming a member. We are now in the second month of our membership drive. Contact one of our officers listed above for more details.

Our Secretary will be sending 2018 due notices out in the next few weeks. Please contact and inform Prophet David with any changes to your status.

Visit you Blue Lodge regularly!

Yours in Good Fellowship!

**Gary Gruber, Monarch**

## Masonic Trivia

Brother “Buzz” Aldrin, a member of Clear Lake Lodge No. 1417 in Texas, when he stepped onto the surface of the moon, carried a special deputation from his Grand Master to claim the moon as being in the territorial jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of Texas.



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Tues., Oct. 17, 7:00 p.m. – Stated Meeting  
Tues., Oct. 31 – Halloween

We will be having our first Stated Meeting in about a week and once we see our inspection schedule and plan our year, I will have more to report. I'm looking for a great year with Companions Robert Wiley, serving as King and Ty Youngman, serving as Scribe.

Fraternally,  
**Brad J Cioca, High Priest**

Your Changing Temple



Ladies Lounge Yesterday



Ladies Lounge Today

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Mon., Oct. 9 – Columbus Day  
Tues., Oct. 17, 7:45 p.m. – Stated Meeting  
Tues., Oct. 31 - Halloween

If this is delivered before October 1<sup>st</sup>, remember that you still have time to attend Grand Council at Kalahari Resort on October 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>. This is a great time to renew old acquaintances and begin the kickoff to York Rite Week in Ohio. We hope to see you there and at Grand Chapter and Grand Commandery.

The inspection schedule in the 8<sup>th</sup> Arch will not begin before the end of November, so we have time to approach the new One Day Masons about joining York Rite. Please assist Chapter in conferring the degrees so that we can bring new men into Cryptic Masonry. Remember to help your Blue Lodge by bringing in candidates and conferring the work. We are all joined together in one interdependent Brotherhood and cannot forget our obligation to all the bodies we belong to. See you in Council!

**Wes Webber, Illustrious Master**



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Tues., Oct. 17, 8:30 p.m. – Stated Meeting  
Tues., Oct. 31 - Halloween

Greetings Sir Knights! The time is soon approaching where we will begin practicing for the Order of the Temple. I also anticipate we will have a couple conferrals before inspection, so I'd like everyone to try to have their parts as smooth as we can as early as possible.

This month, our current Grand Commander, Sir Knight Ron Vicars, will be headed out of office and it would be nice to have as many Sir Knights present as we can to show our continued support for him, as well as our own Sir Knight Larry Haines who is to be installed as our next Division Deputy Commander. The Annual conclave will be held October 6 and 7 at the Crown Plaza North, at 6500 Doubletree Avenue, Columbus, OH 43229.

Additionally, I would like to thank those from the Commandery who were able to attend the Annual Memorial service for Sir Knight, William McKinley last month.

Thank you for your continued help and support of our Commandery, and God Bless!

**Bob Wiley, Commander**

**New Bern, North Carolina**

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Masonic True Stories ans Events







## Autumn! Editorial



Ah yes, autumn. To many, the most beautiful season of all as the small rodents and animals find refuge under the sod in preparation of cold weather and shelter. The bugs seek shelter under the bark of old trees or spin cocoons in hope of survival through the harsh weather to come. The birds stop singing and fatten up for their long journey to warmer climates and the leaves give up their green chlorophyll coloring for the brilliant oranges, yellow, brown and reds of the season; detaching themselves from their life giving parents who have sustained their existence through the past few months, as they float aimlessly and helplessly to earth completing their life's cycle of bringing nourishment from deep in the earth to the surface. The annual flowers wilt and dry producing seed to be dropped and wait nourished next year by spring rains which will send them souring into bloom for beauty and happiness. Perennials go dormant waiting for the warmth and moisture of a new year to once again burst into life and health and bring forth flowers and remarkable scents to fill the air. The honey bee makes its rounds gathering nectar in preparation for the cooler weather to come, as it stores food for the coming months. The grass gives up its brilliant green for the yellowish color of autumn as if stops growing and lies sideways in the ground. All this is witnessed by man, you and me, who are expected to clean up this mess as Mother Nature does her yearly thing. It's



known as “fall!” It is named fall because everything dies and falls to the ground where man, you and me again, are expected to clean it up keeping the planet neat and tidy because our neighbor does the same. The name “fall” is relevant because: the temperature will fall, the leaves will fall, the snow will soon fall, the moods of people enjoying the warmth or summer will soon fall, the hours of sunlight will fall, the hours of daylight will fall and than there is always, “footfall,” as the N. double F.L. commands most TV channels during the weekends further forcing man, you and me, to vegetate and fall into an easy chair and watch as our bellies fall over our belt buckles.

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## Autumn! Editorial



I hate “fall!” It represents the end. It’s the most depressing, lonely and disheartening season of all. There is nothing to look forward to except cold, snow and ice, drab day and colder nights. It’s no wonder many animals hibernate, they don’t like it either. Baa! Now spring! Now there’s a season to celebrate.

*Now many of you may not agree with my humorous editorial this month. Well that’s “O-Kay” and I don’t really care. Do not e-mail me or write derogatory comments to me in the Bulletin mail box. It won’t change my mind! This is my opinion and I will live with it; so there! Write your own editorial about the seasons if you wish and I will print them, if you put your name to them.*

**With rake in hand, Bobel**

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## True Stories and Events

### Why President McKinley Became A Mason

When General Horatio King asked William McKinley how he happened to become a Mason he explained: “After the Battle of Opequum, I went with our surgeon of our Ohio regiment to the field where there were about 5,000 Confederate prisoners under guard. Almost as soon as we passed the guard, I noticed the doctor shook the hands with a number of Confederate prisoners. He also took from his pocket a roll of bills and distributed all he had among them. Boy-like, I looked on in wonderment; I didn’t know what it all meant. On the way back from camp I asked him:

“Did you know these men or ever see them before?”

“No,” replied the doctor, “I never saw them before.”

“But,” I persisted, “You gave them a lot of money, all you had about you. Do you ever expect to get it back?”

“Well” said the doctor, “If they are able to pay me back, they will. But it makes no difference to me; they are brother Masons in trouble and I am only doing my duty.”

“I said to myself, If that is Freemasonry I will take some of it for myself.”

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### Ritual . . by George

Past Sovereign Grand Commander George Newbury of the Northern Jurisdiction of the Scottish Rite tells this story. It seems that shortly after he was raised, one of his first accomplishments was learning the Middle Chamber lecture in the Fellow Craft Degree. The first time that he gave it in open lodge, one of the old Past Masters got up just before lodge closed and said, “I want to congratulate George on the rendition of the lecture. He did a mighty fine job. Of course, there were a few things I didn’t hear. . . , but I must admit there were some I’d never heard before.”



**Masters, Wardens & Deacons  
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**TRESTLE BOARD**

Sat., Oct. 14, 10:00 a.m. - Canton Temple  
Breakfast at 9:00 a.m.

Greeting Brethren! I hope all had a great summer and enjoyed the sun shine and great weather.

The Masters' Warden's & Deacons Meeting was held at Hoover Lodge No. 770. The meeting started at 10:00 a.m. and finished at 11:15 a.m. There was a breakfast supplied by the Hoover Brethren before hand. The attendance was disappointing! I know we had just came off of our summer break, but your input was needed for the up coming years events. This body meets in a relaxed atmosphere with the intention of informing and updating the lodges of the important scheduled dates. We also talk about the 21<sup>st</sup> District Picnic and how to improve this event, the Special Olympic Trip or any other ideas or project you might want to add to promote Brotherhood. These matters may seem trivial, but your input is needed to carry these projects on into the next year and beyond.

If Saturday morning is not working, than the day and time needs to be changed! Let us know. This body cannot survive without your help and input! If for nothing else, come for the food and stay for the meeting. Fraternally

**Daniel J Schario, President**

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