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DEADLINE FOR JANUARY ASHLAR:

December 20, 2019

The 105th Past Masters Convocation to be Held



Now that the annual meetings and elections have been held for the lodges within our district, those brethren who have been voted to serve their respective lodge as Worshipful Master must take their next step in fulfilling their obligation. Those brothers who plan to serve as Worshipful Master are required to attend the Past Masters Convocation on Saturday, December 14th at Northwest Masonic Temple located at 2436 W Dublin Granville Rd.

If you are a Past Master of your lodge, you are cordially invited to attend the session, as showing your support for the incoming masters would be extremely beneficial for those assuming the east for this masonic year.

Fellowship, coffee, donuts, and registration will begin at 7:00am. A lodge of Past Masters will open at 8:15am. *Masters, please make sure you bring the* ***Grand Lodge Form 52 – Certificate of Election*** *with you.*

Franklin County Memorial Lodge

The 55th annual meeting and installation of the Officers of Franklin County Memorial Lodge will be held on Wednesday, January 8th at Hiram Lodge located at 51 W William St in Delaware. Dinner will be served at 6:30pm and the cost for the dinner is only $10. Please remember that ladies are also invited to the dinner. A brief business meeting and the installation will follow at 7:30pm.

This will also be the evening when the 2019 district directories are distributed. They will be passed out by the district officers shortly following the Memorial Lodge meeting.

Contacts

14th District Officers
President
WB Tim Robinett
1st Vice President
WB John Hicks
2nd Vice President
WB Craig Shumaker
Treasurer
RWB Jeff Rannebarger
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RWB Brian Bolyard
Sergeant-At-Arms
WB Keith Fields
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WB Mike Saum
RWB Ken Cohen
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WB Craig Shumaker

Editor
WB Craig Shumaker

District Advisor
RWB Brian Bolyard

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2020 Inspection Schedule

The 2020 inspection season kicks off in the 14th district on Tuesday, January 7th at Sparrow Lodge No. 400.

Brethren are encouraged to attend inspections. This is a great opportunity to travel with and create stronger bonds among members from your lodge. It's also a great chance for new members to get acquainted with brethren from around the district. As a reminder, members can attend any inspection up to the highest degree they've received.

NAME	Lodge	INSPECTION DATE	Degree
Sparrow	400	Tuesday, January 07, 2020	MM
Reynoldsburg	340	Tuesday, January 14, 2020	FC
Capital City	656	Friday, January 17, 2020	FC
Goodale	372	Monday, January 20, 2020	FC
University	631	Tuesday, January 21, 2020	MM
Hiram	18	Tuesday, January 28, 2020	EA
Arts & Sciences	792	Thursday, January 30, 2020	EA
Blendon	339	Monday, February 03, 2020	EA
Triangle	748	Thursday, February 06, 2020	MM
Ralph R. Rickly	670	Monday, February 10, 2020	FC
Groveport-Lockbourne	801	Tuesday, February 11, 2020	FC
Neoacacia	595	Wednesday, February 19, 2020	EA
Linden	637	Thursday, February 20, 2020	MM
New England	4	Monday, February 24, 2020	MM
Community	684	Tuesday, February 25, 2020	EA
York	563	Monday, March 02, 2020	EA
Columbus	30	Tuesday, March 03, 2020	FC
Magnolia	20	Tuesday, March 10, 2020	MM
West Gate	623	Monday, March 16, 2020	EA
Avery	493	Tuesday, March 17, 2020	EA
Grove City	689	Monday, March 23, 2020	FC
Sunrise	783	Tuesday, March 24, 2020	MM

All EA and FC Inspections begin at 7:00pm (dinner 6:15pm)
All MM inspections begin at 5:30pm (dinner at 6:15), second section at 7pm

Free Masonic Garden Sites



This is a once in a lifetime offer. There are 3 spaces at Forest Lawn Memorial Gardens available for sale. The spaces are located in the Inner Circle of the Masonic Gardens. When you purchase the three spaces for $2000 each, you will receive three more spaces free. The spaces are tiered and are near the Chair in the West. The Lot number is 116, spaces 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, & 6. We will accept the best reasonable offer. If purchased direct through Forest Lawn Cemetery the spaces are currently selling for $2195 per space. For further information, please contact Tim Colburn at 602-885-7544 or firstimpressionwheels@gmail.com.

Installation Photos from Around the District



Hiram 18



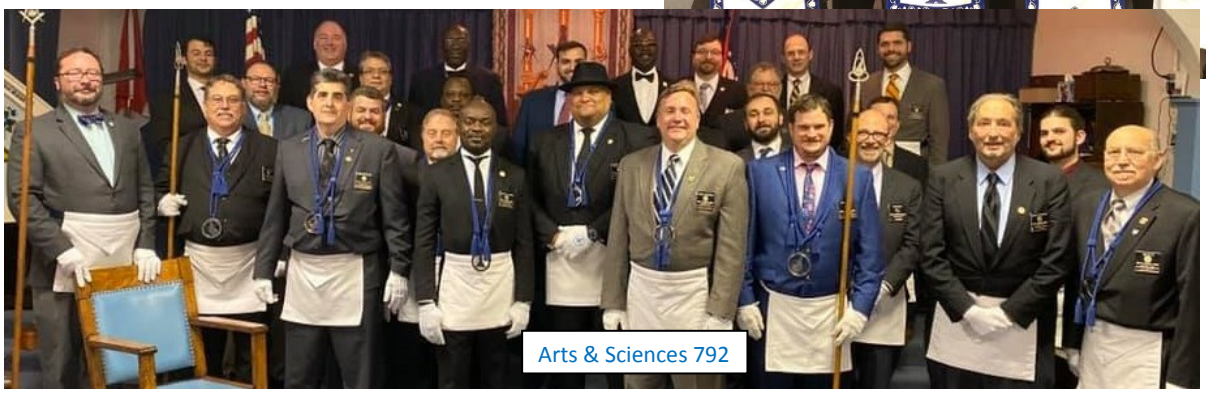
Reynoldsburg 340



Blendon 339



New England 4



Arts & Sciences 792

Dates

12/4 – Deacons & Stewards Training – Magnolia – 6pm

12/14 – Past Master Convocation – Northwest Temple

12/18 – Deacons & Stewards Training – Blendon – 6pm

1/7 – Inspection – Sparrow 400 - MM

1/8 – Franklin County Memorial Lodge – Hiram

1/11 – SYSK I – Avery

1/14 – Inspection – Reynoldsburg 340 – FC

1/17 – Inspection – Capital City 656 – FC

1/20 – Inpsection – Goodale 372 – FC

1/21 – Inspection – University 631 – MM

1/28 – Inspection – Hiram 18 – EA

Masonic Meals

Enjoy Some Great Fellowship

Come out for one of the many breakfasts or dinners around the District and enjoy some great food & fellowship

First Saturday at
Grove City Lodge:
Breakfast, 8 - 10a

First Saturday at
Hiram Lodge:
Breakfast, 8 - 10a
EXCEPT JULY AND AUGUST

Second Saturday at
West Gate Lodge:
Breakfast, 9a – 12p

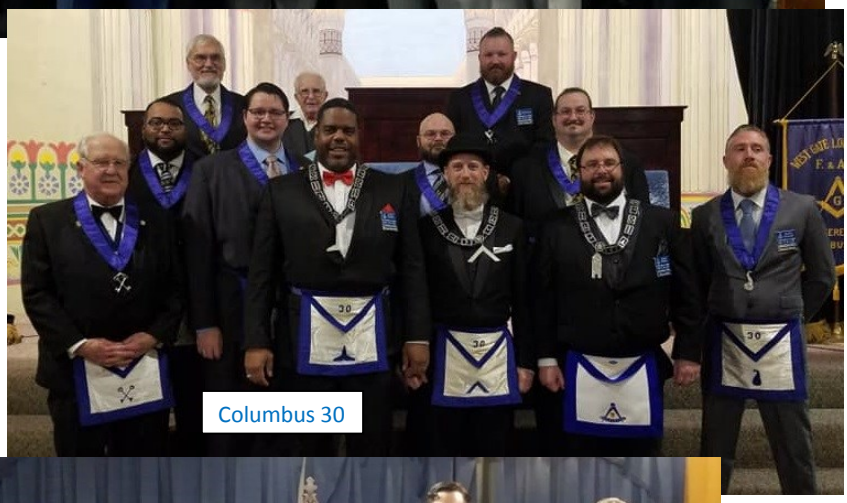
Third Saturday at
Groveport Lodge:
Breakfast, 7:30 - 10a
EXCEPT JULY AND AUGUST

Last Saturday at
Reynoldsburg Lodge:
Breakfast, 8 - 10a

If you are having an event and want to invite the district, please send an email to:

ashlar@14thmasonicdistrict.org


Avery 493


Columbus 30


Groveport Lockbourne 801


Neoacacia 595

2020 CLASS SCHEDULE



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DATES YOU SHOULD KNOW

January 11, 2020 ..... Avery Lodge
February 1, 2020 ..... Blendon Lodge
February 22, 2020 ..... Magnolia Lodge
March 21, 2020 ..... Sunrise Lodge
April 4, 2020 ..... Reynoldsburg Lodge

Coffee & doughnuts: 7:45 am

CLASS: 8:00 AM–NOON

Cost: $25 for materials and pin

FOR YOUR RESERVATION, TEXT

Chad Simpson @ 614-273-9314

DID YOU MISS A CLASS?
MAKE UP CLASSES AVAILABLE.

NEW HOURS – 8 AM - NOON

2020 Masonic Raffle

GRAND PRIZE
$30,000 VOUCHER FOR PURCHASE AT RICART AUTO or A.D. FARROW CO. or $25,000 CASH

Benefits 14th District Grand Lodge Officer Fund and Grand Lodge Charitable Foundation



DRAWING ON FEBRUARY 27, 2020

EARLY BIRD DRAWING OF $1,000 CASH PRIZE ON THANKSGIVING DAY | DEADLINE FOR ALL ENTRIES FEB. 15, 2020 | ONLY 5,000 TICKETS SOLD* |

IF LESS THAN 3,000 TICKETS SOLD, 1ST PRIZE IS 30% OF MONEY COLLECTED, 2ND PRIZE IS 20% OF MONEY COLLECTED.

$25 PER TICKET • 5 TICKETS FOR $100

For information, call Chris Combs at 614.822.9559

SECOND PRIZE
$5,000 CASH

TEN $100 PRIZES

THIRTY-SIX $25 PRIZES

Mail in form to purchase tickets to: University Lodge No. 631 • 2436 W. Dublin Granville Rd., Columbus, OH 43235, Attn: Chris Combs

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ City, State, Zip _____

☐ American Express ☐ Discover Card ☐ MasterCard ☐ VISA To order using a credit card, please call Chris Combs at 614.792.6311

Total Number of Tickets Ordered _____ Total Amount Enclosed $ _____