## **MASTER'S MESSAGE**

#### Brothers:

I would like to thank you for the opportunity to be Master of this lodge. I wish I could make a drastic change that would fill our lodge with brothers and we would have many applicants to join. Although I do not have the secret to accomplish this I do know that it is time to stop being the "Quiet Fraternity" and start making "Noise". We have been so quiet about "Masonry" that our communities, friends and even our families are not familiar with the Masonic works that are all around us. Our latest endeavor, "Child Identification Program" is not only a noble cause but an excellent opportunity to introduce Masonry to the public, and especially to young families. I would ask any brother who is able to help in a Chip Event to please do so and wear his apron proudly. Over 9000 children were processed though this program in Connecticut this year. I am sure that most of the parents heard of the Masons for the first time through these events.

I look forward to working with you this year and invite rusty brothers to come to lodge back to lodge. Remember, you never have to work your way into your own lodge, simply you're your paid dues card for admission.

Fraternally, Donald A. WIlls

## **Masonic Anniversaries**

Dates of Brothers Raised during January-February



"In the game of life, it's a good idea to have a few early losses, which relieves you of the pressure of trying to maintain an undefeated season." Bill Vaughan

## CALENDAR

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Unless specifically stated, all meetings start at 7:30 PM		
January 7	Stated Communication Business Meeting	
January 10	Lunch at Griswald Inn in Essex and Ct. River Museum (Model trains)	
January 18	E.A. Degree Rehearsal - 7 PM	
January 21	Inspection Night E.A. Degree (Officers Tux) Stated Communication Business Meeting	
January 29	Blue Lodge Council Meeting Daskam-Columbia Lodge No. 25 Dinner – 6:30 PM Meeting - 7:30 PM	
January 31	Masters Meeting-DD/AGM School Round Table for Lodge Responsibilities Chairman – New Haven Temple	
February 4	Stated Communication Business Meeting	
February 18	Stated Communication Business Meeting Program O.E.S. " <i>Pink Degree</i> "	
UPCOMMING EVENTS		
March 30	Grand Lodge Banquet (Farmington)	
March 31	Grand Lodge Annual Meeting	
December 16	Eastside Past Masters Oriental-Evergreen No. 114	



We are saddened by the recent loss of Maurice I. Johnson, PM Henry Saglio

"Perseverance is not a long race; it is many short races one after another." - Walter Elliot

#### Lodge Areas of Responsibility

Mentor Captain: Walter Grube; Ritual Coach: Gerald Thompson; Masonic Outreach: Donald Wills; Lodge Almoner: Win Jensen; Financial Advisor: Bob Flint; E-Communication: Arnold Grot; Publicity Reporters: Jack Walls and Arnold Grot; Action Programs: John Heacock.

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#### Each Committee Chairman may call on you for help. Please answer his call in the affirmative.

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**INSURANCE** Carl L. Edgerton, CH

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#### WIDOWS COMMUNICATION

Winthrop Jensen, CH



"The man who lives for himself is a failure; the man who lives for others has achieved true success." - Norman Vincent Peale

## **PAST MASTERS**

#### OF DASKAM - COLUMBIA LODGE NO. 25 Living

Living			
Leon W. Turner, PDD 6S 1959	1950		
Richard H. Sweet	1954		
Louis O. House III	1956		
Mario L. Accornero	1958, 95		
Robert H. Kellogg Jr.	1959		
James W. Bain	1961, 86		
Henry L. Killam	1961		
Reno L. Ferrando	1962		
Leon E. Gardiner	1965		
Winthrop Jensen	1967		
Robert W. Flint	1968, 76, 87		
Franklin J. Davis Jr., AGM 6C 2002	1972		
George N. Seely *	1973, 84		
Harold M. Waters Jr.	1973, 93		
Michael A. Geoffrey	1974		
Delmar G. Cooke Jr.	1975		
Carl L. Edgerton, PDD 6A 1980	1975, 85		
Paul H. Garneau	1976		
Frederick R. Tongren Jr.	1977		
Richard T. Chapman	1978		
Arnold B. Waterman	1979		
Franklin C. Field	1980		
Edward A. Portaluppi	1981		
Lorne A. Pulcifer	1983		
Douglas S. Haseltine *	1986		
Franklin J. Davis	1988		
Richard P. Taylor, PAGM 6C 1996	1989, 90, 91		
Gerald F. Thompson, PDD 6C 1993	1989		
Frank J. Decker	1990		
Steven P. McMahon	1991, 92		
Walter Grube	1993, 94, 97, 2001		
Herbert E. Grommeck	1996		
Arnold S. Grot	1998, 2002		
Paul F. Blake	1999, 2003		
Peter J. Hunt, DD 6C 2002	2000		
Ralph Sinay, PAGM (PM Wyllys-St. John's No. 4) 1971			
Anthony F. Keegan, PAGM 6C 1993 (PM Wyllys-St. John's No. 4) 1982			
William S. Edge Jr. (PM Van Courtlandt #1034, NY)1952			
Louis O. House IV (PM Mosaic #52, ME) 1986			
William G. Bryce (PM, Manchester #73, PLR) 1994, 99			
* Demitted			
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"You can use most any measure when you're speaking of success. You can measure it in a fancy home, expensive car or dress. But the measure of your real success is one you cannot spend--it's the way your child describes you when talking to a friend." - Martin Baxbaum

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# DASKAM-COLUMBIA LODGE NO. 25 AF. & A.M



January - Feruary 2004

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