

MASTER'S MESSAGE

Brothers:

It is an honor to serve as Worshipful Master of Daskam-Columbia Lodge #25 for the year 2004. This year I intended to do many of the usual things, such as visitations to nearby lodges, support of Grand Lodge initiatives, i.e. "Make a Wish" and "CT CHIP" and to continue our projects in the community.

We have raised four brothers and we will raise two more this fall. Our scheduled "**Bring a Friend**" dinner should provide candidates for next year. I hope many brothers participate in not only the work of that evening but the contribution of names worthy members of the community to invite. *Please send names to myself or Brother Paul Blake P.M.*

Hopefully word will continue to ripple out, as to the beneficial nature of our order. District 6C has a very solid core of Lodges. Our local reputation is good, and my strongest encouragement is for Brothers to join me this year in the various local works that we do. It would be unfortunate, with so small a percentage of men interested in the concepts we hold dear, if they in their lives were never to become aware that we exist and are open to them. Would it be a disservice to them and a failure on our part, if we don't hail them when we find them? Please try to find these men of goodwill and speak of Freemasonry.

Fraternally,
Donald A. Wills



The Lodge was cooking outside and in at Barbecue on June 15, 2004

CALENDAR

Unless specifically stated, all meetings start at 7:30 PM

- September 1** Stated Communication
Business Meeting
- September 15** Stated Communication
Business Meeting
Program: *US Flag History*
- Laurence E. Atwell, PM
- September 24** **Bring~A~Friend Night** (*Gather at 6 PM*)
(*Dinner 6:30 PM - Program 7:30 PM*)
- September 29** **Sixth District Blue Lodge Council Meeting**
Orient No. 62
784 Main Street, East Hartford, CT
Dinner: 6:30 PM (\$10)
- October 3** E.A. Rehearsal 7 PM
- October 6** **Entered Apprentice Degree** (*Officers Tux*)
Stated Communication
Business Meeting
- October 9** **Make-A-Wish Dinner** (*Show in Sixth District*)
- October 13** **Ladies Night - 'nStyle Quartet**
Gallery Restaurant – Glastonbury
- October 16** Semi Annual Grand Lodge Communication
Shrine Pyramid Temple - Milford, CT
- October 17** F.C. Rehearsal 7 PM
- October 20** **Fellow Craft Degree** (*Officers Tux*)
Stated Communication
Business Meeting
- October 23** Putnam No. 46 - **Table Lodge** 5 PM
- October 27** M.M. Rehearsal 7 PM
- November 3** **Master Mason Degree** (*Officers Tux*)
Stated Communication
Business Meeting
- November 14** **Worship Service** at MHCC 3 PM
- November 17** Stated Communication
Business Meeting
- December 1** Stated Communication
Annual Business Meeting
- December 15** **Installation Night** (*Lodge to Open Early - TBA*)
Stated Communication
- December 16** **Eastside Past Masters**
Oriental-Evergreen No. 114

"Once you hear the details of victory, it is hard to distinguish it from a defeat."

- Jean-Paul Sartre

VIEW FROM THE SOUTH



Awards Night, May 19, 2004: Bob, Ed and John Nordstrom represent 121 years of Masonry

Running the Boston Marathon for Dyslexia

The 32° Masonic Learning Centers for Children program was established in 1994 to provide dyslexic children with specialized tutoring to enable them to read and write more effectively. This service, offered free, will be offered at 55 centers in the 15-state jurisdiction. Forty-seven centers are open to date, already resulting in many success stories of young children being able to overcome their disability. Each year Scottish Rite Masons are granted a number of charitable entries in the Boston Marathon. The team runs the 26.2 miles of this famous marathon to benefit the Children's Learning Centers. Each runner on our team is asked to raise \$5,000 to sponsor a child for one year at a Learning Center of his or her choice, and the community of the selected Center gets behind this runner to help raise money.



Arnie Grot, our Junior Warden and Deputy Master of the Charter Oak Lodge of Perfection of the Scottish Rite Valley of Hartford, will be running in the 2005 Boston Marathon for the Waterbury Learning Center.

You can help Arnie reach his goal in two ways. First, if you know of a community organization who would welcome a speaker on dyslexia and marathon running, have them contact Arnie. Second, you can send a check directly, payable to 32° Masonic Learning Centers for Children, Inc. (Memo & on envelope: In support of Arnie Grot, 2005 Boston Marathon) at:

The Children's Learning Centers
33 Marrett Road
Lexington, MA 02421
ATTN: Joseph J. Berlandi

"Happiness does not come from doing easy work but from the afterglow of satisfaction that comes after the achievement of a difficult task that demanded our best."

- Theodore Rubin

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Masonic Anniversaries

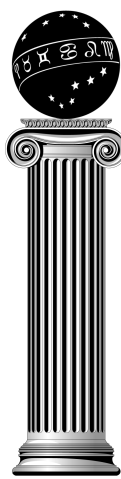
Dates of Brothers Raised during September-December



M/D	Brother
9/18	J Ernest Gross
9/18	Joseph A Goodhue, Jr.
9/18	Louis O House, IV
9/18	Louis Jackson Walls III
9/18	Harold S Rosenthal
9/22	Arnold S Grot
9/25	Allen H Pike Jr.
9/27	James C Ferris
9/27	David J Willette
10/1	Raymond H Chapman, Jr.
10/3	Peter Konney
10/9	Louis O House III
10/9	JamesA Collins, Jr.
10/11	Ralph H Sinay
10/22	Donald F Hibbert Jr.
10/26	Donald L Coyle
10/26	Robert M Beisel
10/27	Ansel L Ross
10/28	Durward D Wakefield
11/1	John Nave
11/3	Paul F Blake
11/4	William S Edge, Jr.
11/5	Donald W Moore
11/5	Fred Moultrie
11/6	Arthur A Chase
11/6	Anthony J Gesnaldo
11/7	Leon W Turner
11/7	Charles London
11/9	John R Heacock
11/9	Jordon D Smith
11/10	Horace E Moore
11/11	Carl L Edgerton
11/11	Ward M Edgerton
11/11	Charles E McLain
11/11	Donald I Kilgore
11/11	David R Graham
11/12	Donald P Mayo
11/12	James W Bain
11/12	Alan M Wasserman
11/12	Paul H Garneau
11/12	Andrew K Nisbet
11/13	Chris M Totten
11/14	Emerson Charles Reed Jr.
11/14	Howard D Turner
11/15	Delmar G Cooke, Jr.
11/15	John L Nachilly
11/15	Michael T Aglio
11/15	George L Tryon
11/15	Philip A Grasso
11/16	Alexander Motyka

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M/D	Brother
11/16	William B Henry
11/17	Lucius U Tallman
11/17	Kalyan K Chakravarti
11/17	William G Wilcox
11/19	Samuel W. P McGill, Jr.
11/19	Andrew A Barnard
11/19	David E Söderberg
11/20	Barclay W Ellison
11/20	Raymond A Conti
11/21	Paul R Klausen
11/22	Mark L Lincoln
11/22	Lorne D Pulcifer
11/23	Albert J Dahms Jr.
11/26	Edward A Portalippi
11/28	Burton F Turner
11/28	Robert C Nordstrom
12/1	Robert C Noble
12/4	Daniel B Selders
12/6	Robert H Kellogg III
12/12	Richard P Taylor
12/17	William H Bland

"Lead the life that will make you kindly and friendly to everyone about you, and you will be surprised what a happy life you will lead."

- Charles M. Schwab

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Mentor Captain: *Walter Grube*;
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E-Communication: *Arnold Grot*;
Publicity Reporters: *Jack Walls* and *Arnold Grot*;
Action Programs: *John Heacock*



We are saddened by the recent loss of
Arthur L. Cofield
Richard S. Hacker

"The only thing that stands between a man and what he wants from life is often merely the will to try it and the faith to believe that it is possible."

- Richard M. DeVos

PAST MASTERS

OF DASKAM - COLUMBIA LODGE NO. 25

Living

Leon W. Turner, PDD 6S	1959/1950
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. Geoffroy	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. McMahan	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 (Wyllys-St. John's No. 4)	1971
Anthony F. Keegan, PAGM 6C 1993 (Wyllys-St. John's No. 4)	1982
William S. Edge Jr. (Van Courtlandt #1034, NY)	1952
Louis O. House IV (Mosaic #52, ME)	1986
William G. Bryce (Manchester #73, PLR)	1994, 99

"Few will have the greatness to bend history itself, but each of us can work to change a small portion of events, and in the total of all those acts will be written the history of this generation."

- Robert F. Kennedy

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