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# February 2025

Stated Meeting Present were 33-Masons 0-visitors. Charter—1 70-Year-1 50-Year-3 25-Year-7 Past Master-16 Veteran & First Responders-7 Endowed Members-17

## **Upcoming Events**

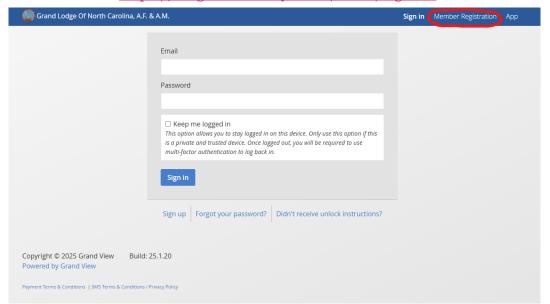
March 18, 2025 March Stated Meeting Our March Stated meeting will be opened in the 3rd Degree in due form at 7:00 p.m. Coffee and fellowship will begin at 5:00 p.m. Dinner will be served at 6:00 p.m. Ziti bake, Caesar salad, garlic bread, dessert

**April 15, 2025 March Stated Meeting** Our March Stated meeting will be opened in the 3rd Degree in due form at 7:00 p.m. Coffee and fellowship will begin at 5:00 p.m. Dinner will be served at 6:00 p.m. Pork chops, baked potatoes, green beans, dessert

May 20, 2025 March Stated Meeting Our March Stated meeting will be opened in the 3rd Degree in due form at 7:00 p.m. Coffee and fellowship will begin at 5:00 p.m. Dinner will be served at 6:00 p.m. Chicken hibachi, egg rolls, dessert

# How to access your Masonic information and pay Dues

https://nc.grandview.systems/users/sign in



**News from the Lodge** Bro. Jerry Taylor died on December 22, 2024. A motion was made and 2nd to donate \$50.00 to the MHCO in memory of Bro. Taylor. Approved by vote of the Lodge.

The WM opened a Lodge of Sorrow for the year 2025.

#### Miscellaneous News & Notes

**Families are Welcome** Please remember that families and friends are welcome to join us for the meal before each stated meeting.

## Sick, Distressed and Bereaved

Please keep, Carey Mock, Mrs. Bill Moon, Glenn Oaks (& Mrs), Randy Shore, Billy Walters, Bruce Montgomery, Claude Royall, Eddie Albert Wife, Paul Hauser, Mark Howell, Steve Masencup and Jerry Taylor in your thoughts

#### Secretary

WB Scott Horn 336-480-6704 shorn@allmanspry.com

#### **Stated Meetings**

Every 3rd Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm Dinner served at 6:00 pm Coffee & Fellowship 5:00 p.m.

#### Wish to Join?

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https://lodgelocator.com/old-town-751 and select Membership Inquiry

#### **Newsletter Information**

To be added or removed from out email list, please contact WB Norman Noah at ncnoah@gmail.com
Please send any proposed newsletter content to WB Norman Noah at the email above.

# Masonic Education Materials Education Presenters, please sub-

mit your presentation materials that will need to be projected (Powerpoint slides, videos, etc.) to WB Scott Horn shorn@allmanspry.com at lease one day before the Stated Meeting in order to assure that the presen-

# tation is ready for the meeting. Grandview

All Brothers are encouraged to use the Grand Lodge Grandview system for their Masonic Information.

#### **Old Town Lodge Website**

https://lodgelocator.com/old-town-751

#### Old Town Lodge Facebook

https://www.facebook.com/ profile.php?id=100066237650357

## Old Town Lodge Email

oldtownlodge751@gmail.com

#### <u>Dues</u> \$189.00

nc.grandview.systems/users/sign\_in Select Member Registration (if new)

# News from around the Lodge

At our January Stated: A proposal to name **WB Tom Hauser** as a **Tyler of Distinction** was read and approved by vote of the Lodge.



A proposal to name **WB Scott Andrews** as a **Treasurer of Distinction** was read and approved by vote of the Lodg

e. Both Brothers received Certificates for these prestigious honors.

At our February Stated: A proposal to name **WB Scott Horn** as a **Secretary of Distinction** was read and approved by vote of the Lodge. Bro. Horn was overwhelmed by the vote and unable to express how much of an honor and a privilege it has been to serve as Secretary of the Lodge for so many years. He was presented with Certificates from the Grand Lodge and Old Town Lodge for this prestigious honor.



The Finance Committee presented its annual audit of the Lodge finances for 2024 and proposed a budget for 2025, all of which are attached to these minutes. The finance committee moved that we adopt the 2025 budget as proposed. Approved by vote of the Lodge.

A motion was made and 2nd that we limit what will be paid out of the Lodge Charity Account in any calendar year to an aggregate amount equal to no more than 20% of the total value of the LCA as of January 1 of the same calendar year. Approved by vote of the Lodge.

#### Masonic Education

For our Masonic education, the WM instructed the Lodge through a practice reception of District Grand officers during an official visit. We expect an official visit from the DDGM and DDGL next month.



January Birthdays	
Randy Young	9
Glenn Oakes	14
William Cheek	17
Tom Hauser	22
Sam Dotson	25
Tyler Leinbach	28
William Moody	30
Raymond Staley	31
Clarence Tatum	31

February Birthdays	
Joel Ornstein	1
Scott McNeely	2
Roy Long	12
Terry Hauser	13
Claude Royal	13
Daniel Leach	22
Arnold Booth	24
Jeffrey White	26

March Birthdays	
Deane Muhlenberg	2
Andrew Hindes	6
Anthony Morgan	8
Michael Grubbs	9
Chad Leinbach	13
Allan Caporuscio	17
Bobby Adams	19
Ray Pope	23
Billy Sparks	25
Paul Tutherow	25
Scott Andrews	28
Paul Hauser	31

## What we Do....

# **Mason's Support Local and State Organizations**

# THE MASONIC HOME FOR CHILDREN AT OXFORD

HTTPS://MHC-OXFORD.ORG/



### WHITESTONE A MASONIC & EASTERN STAR COMMUNITY

HTTPS://WWW.LIVEATWHITESTONE.ORG/



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Ziti bake, Caesar salad, garlic bread, dessert

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Pork chops, baked potatoes, green beans, dessert

May 20 @ 7:00pm ;Coffee @ 5:00 PM Dinner @ 6:00 PM **OTL Stated Meeting** 

Chicken hibachi, egg rolls, dessert

June 17 @ 7:00pm ;Coffee @ 5:00 PM Dinner @ 6:00 PM **OTL Stated Meeting** 

Beef nachos, rice, dessert

**OTL Stated Meeting** July 15 @ 7:00pm ;Coffee @ 5:00 PM Dinner @ 6:00 PM

Hot dogs/hamburgers, baked beans, potato salad, cole slaw, desert

--- Family, guests, and visitors are welcome to attend All Socials and Dinners ---

#### Who to Contact:

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Scott Horn Secretary @ 336-699-8935

Old Town Lodge Brothers Membership Web Page: https://lodgelocator.com/old-town-751