



Acme News

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Tidings from the East

May is here. Flowers are blooming, trees are budding and there is grass to mow. Grand Lodge Annual Communication is being held May 18 and 19. We will be attending and bringing back important information. May 30th is the first day to work for the Indianapolis Motor Speedway. We have ten people signed up and ready to work. We'll make \$800.00 - \$1,000.00 that day for the Lodge. July 25th and August 29th are the other 2 days slated to work. For those of you who are uninformed, call me at 219-362-5573 or e-mail me at dennydavis12@hotmail.com, for the particulars. It is not too late to sign up and help on the other events.

Each of you will be receiving a letter and/or e-mail in the very near future explaining the upcoming event of our Junior Grand Deacon, Daniel J. Barenie's election as the 164th Grand Master of Masons in the State of Indiana. This will take place in May, 2014. As an ACME #83 member, you play a very big part. We as a fraternity must support and help in any way we can. This letter will explain everything in detail. Please read and respond to this official communication from the Worshipful Master and GM 2014 Committee Chairman. I know that 2014 is four years away, but we need to start planning now. Please make sure that you read this letter.

In closing, I would like to see more faces at our meetings. We have our faithful members attending and they are very much appreciated, but what about **you**? I haven't seen you there lately. Come and tell us what has been going on and your ideas and input are always welcome. Good health to you and yours.

Fraternally,
WM Dennis R. Davis, PM

Tidings from the West

Brethren,

Summer will soon be upon us and when several other lodges do not have much going on it appears we will be quite busy. Obviously we have our typical summer fundraisers and some new ones. It appears we will have several degrees to confer this summer as well. Our by-laws committee has met and amended the by-laws to allow the Masonic Temple Association to function as it should. They will be voted on at the May stated meeting. If you do not have a copy of the by-laws you can obtain one from Ed Davis, the lodge secretary, he would be happy to e-mail you a copy or send it to your home. Don't forget - our sign dedication is coming up soon hope to see you all there.

Fraternally,
John E. Stalbaum
Senior Warden

Tidings from the South

Greeting Brethren,

I would like to thank WM Denny Davis for allowing me a second time to sit in the East and do a degree. Congratulations to all the new Brothers, remember we are always here to help you with your work in progressing to the next degree.

As spring is here I have been thinking of new beginnings, and I for one plan to redouble my efforts to achieve the goals I set for myself as your Junior Warden this year. I am aware that one individual can rarely

accomplishes these goals alone; therefore, I am extremely grateful for the assistance, guidance, mentoring and support I have received from my brethren at Acme Lodge.

The next few months are full of activities at Acme Lodge starting with the stated meeting on May 4th with a dinner at 6pm provided by Brother John McCarty and his wife, then the meeting at 7pm. On May 8th at 10am the Indiana Grand Lodge Officers will be here to dedicate our new sign in front of the building, followed by a great brunch meal.

Remember, July 3rd is our annual Pancake Breakfast from 7am until 11am, plan to attend with your families.

Have a pleasant spring and take a moment to thank someone who has helped you in your travels.

Fraternally, David L. Pawson, JW

The man that wandereth out of the way of understanding shall remain in the congregation of the dead.

Proverbs 21:16

May Trestleboard

Tue., May 4th – Acme #83 Stated Meeting, Eat at 6:00PM, Meeting at 7:00PM
Sat., May 8th – Acme Sign Dedication 10:00AM, Brunch at 11:00AM
Tue., May 11th – York Rite Stated Meeting, Eat at 6:00PM, Meeting at 7:00PM
Tue.-Wed., May 18th-19th – 192nd Annual Grand Lodge Communication
Sat., May 22nd – Three Oaks MM Degree 1:00PM (EST), 12:00PM(CDT)
Mon., May 24th – Ultimate Meeting 6:30PM
Sat., Jul 3rd – Acme Pancake Breakfast 7:00AM-11:00AM



Famous Masons

General George E. Pickett

General George E. Pickett will always be remembered for “Pickett's Charge” at the Battle of Gettysburg. The most important battle of the Civil War came down to one final Confederate charge into Union lines. When Pickett's Charge failed, the fate of the South was sealed. General Pickett was a member of Dove Lodge # 51 in Virginia.

Acme 83 Sign dedication.

As a reminder Brethren, Grand Lodge representatives will be dedicating our Lodge sign. The sign was completed in July of last year, and completely funded by the donations of members, and their families. Please RSVP, as we will be having brunch after the dedication. Saturday, May 8th 2010. Dedication at 10:00AM, eat at 11:00AM



Do you have an idea, comment, or submission to submit in the Acme News? If so, please send it to jim@dunetek.net for his consideration.