

Wausau Trestleboard

Master's Message

Spring is on it's way. Which means golf and baseball in the Barlow household. I know that as I write this, spring while around the corner appears to be around a *looong* corner. In fact, we're to receive 3-6" yet today and another 6 plus" this coming weekend. However, pitchers and catchers have already reported, and spring training games commence later this week. Those on the PGA tour



Forest Lodge 130 - 2019 Officers

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are tuning up in events hoping to get a crack at next month's green jacket in Augusta (The Masters will always be the real official start to spring for me). Spring in Wisconsin is said however to mean nothing more than a wetter heavier type of snow to move with less places to put it. While this is unfortunately *a very real and true* axiom there's more to spring in Forest Lodge than heavy white slush and a bucket of Titleists. Like many Brothers across the state, the Fraternity ramps up events this time of year. Many Scottish Rite Brothers are learning old and new parts for their spring reunions coming up as are York

Rite Brothers for their spring festivals. Here in our community the Wausaken Indians are finalizing plans for their annual spring Zor Shriner Potentate party not to mention the annual spring Shriner Vidalia onion fundraiser. Forest #130 also has additional spring labors this year besides our normal agenda of highway cleanup etc. That of a new building which is chugging along beautifully and there will be a time when manpower will be needed. I request that if you have muscle, skill etc. that you continue to assist when called upon for your new Lodge. Please keep this item in the back of your mind and I thank you in advance as well as your past labors getting us moved out. So, I wish you a pleasant March and hope to see you in Lodge if not the golf course hopefully sooner rather than later. I bid you adieu now. My wife Jean is finally done shoveling all that heavy snow out there and I need to appear like I was busy in here besides watching golf in my Elvis jammies.

Cordially and Fraternally
Joe Barlow

"Give me golf clubs, fresh air and a beautiful partner, and you can keep the clubs and the fresh air." *Bro. Jack Benny, Waukegan Lodge No. 78 A.F. & A.M., Waukegan, IL*

Scottish Rite Breakfast Club

Owing to the closure of Perkin's, the Scottish Rite will now meet for breakfast at the Log Cabin Restaurant at 7:00 A.M. on the first, third, and fifth Wednesdays each month.

Wisconsin Valley Auxiliary

Our March 8, 2019 meeting will be held at Papillions, in the Shopko Plaza from 11:30 – 1:30. Our guest speaker will be Bernie Corsten, Laughter Yoga. Any questions you may have, please contact Gayle Tesch (715-573-6063) or Sally Stober (715-359-8494).

Birthdays - March 2019

March 2nd – Calvin Callahan
March 2nd – Jesse Furrer
March 9th – Donald Jagler
March 9th – Virden Morrison
March 10th – Edward Sahadi
March 12th – Charles Helke
March 13th – Dean Duman
March 14th – Lloyd Scheel
March 16th – Jeffrey Treager
March 20th – Rusty Mitchell
March 21st – Daniel Maguire
March 23rd – Kevin Schumann

Nothing is

IMPOSSIBLE

The word itself says

I'M POSSIBLE

Audrey Hepburn

MARCH

March is the month when mortals greet
The vernal equinox,
And plants, which promise flowers sweet
Come thrusting through the rocks.
New buds are bursting on the trees
And signs of spring are seen.
We hail one, not the least of these
The deathless evergreen.
We Masons most of all hold dear
The evergreen which shows
That Truth persists from year to year
And flourishes and grows.
The little plant which will not die
Gives lessons, very big;
And lasting truths are taught us by
The small acacia sprig.

Walter K. Belt Newport, Or.
The Poet By The Sea
The Freemason March 1970

Dates to Remember

March 6 – Forest Lodge No 130 Stated
Communication Tiling 7:00 P.M.

March 12 – St Omer Commandery Stated
Meeting 7.00 P.M.

March 13 – Forest Lodge - Scottish Rite -
17° Rehearsal - Cast Members Only

March 14 – York Rite Stated Meeting
7:00 P.M.

March 20 – Forest Lodge No 130 Stated
Communication Tiling 7.00 P.M

March 27 – To be Determined



"I was built by a Freemason!"