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# Wausau Trestleboard

## September 2014

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Brothers:

Forest Lodge had the privilege, honor and pleasure of a visit from our Grand Master William Beetcher on Wednesday September 17, 2014. The Grand Master addressed us about three important items. The first was to remind us about the Wisconsin Masonic College Leadership Program. This is a program to help provide the necessary education to Masons who are on track for leadership roles in their lodges. Of course the program is open to any brother interested in furthering his knowledge about lodge operations. It looks to be an excellent program and will be offered multiple times in different locations and dates around the state. You may find more information at the Grand Lodge website where you may also enroll electronically. There is a fee of \$25.00 but it looks like it will be well worth the expense. I would urge every brother to attend but most especially the deacons and wardens of the lodge as this will help prepare you for your upcoming leadership.

The second topic was the coordination of the Grand Lodge and Blue Lodge years. This would provide greater continuity between the Grand Lodge and Blue lodges as each set of Blue Lodge leaders would deal with one set of Grand Lodge officers. Also, it would mean that the new Blue Lodge master is not required to file reports immediately upon taking office as happens so often now. The proposal is to have all Lodge years begin in June, consistent with the annual communication. This is a big change and will require the changing of our bylaws. It is important that we discuss these changes so that we can come to a decision about this proposal.

Finally Grand master Beetcher spoke about the new membership committee that was established at the last annual communication. It is important that we continue to create new masons. This is good for our lodges but good for the men we raise and good for our communities as our efforts help to develop men into better men.

Please take the time to let me know your thoughts on these matter.

Peter C. Rotter  
Worshipful Master,  
Forest Lodge #130, F&AM

### Forest Lodge No. 130, F & A.M.

Oct 1<sup>st</sup> 7:00 PM Stated Communication.  
Oct 15<sup>th</sup> 7:00 PM Stated Communication.

#### 2014 Officers—Forest Lodge

Peter Rotter.....Worshipful Master  
Stephen Britton .....Senior Warden  
Jake Seever.....Junior Warden  
Roger Hancock.....Secretary/Treasurer  
Jim Carlson.....Chaplain  
Dan Maguire .....Counselor  
David Bartlemay.....Senior Deacon  
Jesse Furrer.....Junior Deacon  
Cory Lemons.....Senior Steward  
Dave Imlah.....Junior Steward  
Joe Barlow.....Tiler  
Joe Barlow.....Trustee  
Dan Maguire .....Trustee  
Jesse Furrer .....Trustee

### Mosinee Lodge No. 318, F & A.M.

Oct 2<sup>nd</sup> Stated Meeting. Discuss recent Fund  
Raisers: Log Jam and Car Show.  
Oct 16<sup>th</sup> Stated Meeting

#### 2014 Officers—Mosinee Lodge

Steve Prewitt.....Worshipful Master  
Rick Schnabel.....Senior Warden  
Kevin Sorenson.....Junior Warden  
Tom Nomady.....Secretary/Treasurer  
Bob Koskey.....Chaplain  
Steve Peterson.....Senior Deacon  
Seth Meltesen .....Junior Deacon  
Gerald Klein.....Tiler  
Rick Schnabel...Trustee  
Gerald Kline.....Trustee  
Kevin Sorenson.....Trustee

### Wisconsin Valley Shriners Auxiliary

On Friday, October 10, 2014 the Wisconsin Valley Shriners Auxiliary will meet at the Palms Supper Club at 11:00 AM followed by a noon luncheon. The program for October will be presented by Terri Kischel of the Northern Valley Industries. Information will be given on exactly what the Northern Valley Industries is and how it helps individuals with disabilities gain access to meaningful work.

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Jim Bitner, Thrice Illustrious Master

**St. Omer Commandery # 19**

John Eldred, Commander

Oct 9<sup>th</sup> 7:00 PM. Stated Meeting.

Oct 21<sup>st</sup> 7:00 PM. Stated Meeting

**Scottish Rite Breakfast Club**

Meets for breakfast at 7:00 AM on the first, third, and fifth Wednesdays at Perkins.

**Wisconsin Valley Shrine Club meets every Friday for a noon luncheon at the Wausau Elks Club.**