Wausau Trestleboard

Master's Message

What makes a good story? We are told that it takes many different things to make a good story, good plot, good conflict resolution, and must be relatable. Personally, I love all stories from books to movies or even sitting down with a stranger and hearing a story from their past. I believe we are the authors of our own story; it is up to us to make it a good story. A story of love and loss, life lessons, self-sacrifice, and events that make us who we are today. I remember I was class marshal for Scottish Rite and one of the class members



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in conversation or participated much at all, he just sat by himself, and I could tell he was shy around strangers. After the day's events we were in the basement by the bar, I bought him a drink and he asked, "how much do I owe you?" I told him if he wanted to pay me back, he could do so by telling me a story. He looked confused so I encouraged him to tell me his story, who he is, where he is from, why he joined Freemasons or why we were joining Scottish Rite. So, he told me his story, and the next Scottish rite reunion he was more involved and participated more. Next

time you see me, feel free to tell me a story I would love to hear it.

Scottish Rite Breakfast Club

Meet for breakfast at the Log Cabin Restaurant at 7:00 A.M. on the first, third, and fifth Wednesdays each month.

Treasured Quotes from Albert Einstein

- "A smart person knows what to say. A wise person knows whether to say it or not."
- "A ship is always safe at shore, but that is not it was built for."
- "When technology passes human interaction, we will have a generation of idiots."

When Einstein met Charlie Chaplain, Einstein said, "What I admire most about your art is its universality. You do not say a word and yet the world understands you." To which, Chaplin responded, "Its true, but your fame is even greater! The world admires you, when nobody understands you!"

Shriners Hospitals Lauded

Shriners Hospitals for Children have been recognized by U.S. News and World Report in its "Best Children's Hospitals" rankings, with six different Shriners Hospitals named in the report.

These rankings are designed to help families, facing complex and rare conditions, to find the best medical care for their children. U.S. News and World Report is considered a global leader in quality ranking that empower consumers to make better, more decisions informed, about important issues. The "Best Children's Hospitals" rankings

Birthdays – August/September 2021

August 5th – Kevin Sorenson September 1st – James Epp August 8th – Robert Bullock September 2nd – Stephen Britton August 13th – Carl Berg September 6th – Dave Renly September 7th – Richard Knechtel August 20th – Lars Framness August 23rd – Peter Rotter September 12th – Roger Hancock August 25th – Clem Dozer **September 16**th – Charles Ehrhardt August 25th – Mark Partridge September 19th – Sean Dean August 25th - Brian Tomski September 28th – Donald Wendt August 26th – Gilbert Holcomb September 29th – Randal Senn

evaluate medical centers in 10 pediatric specialties. This year's rankings will be published in the "U.S. News and World Report's Best Hospitals 2022 Guidebook," available in stores October 5.

Lodge Family Picnic

Brethren you are reminded the Annual Lodge Picnic is scheduled for the afternoon of September 18, 2021 commencing at 3:00 P.M.. This is a social event where you, your family, friends and potential candidates are invited to enjoy good food and festivities in a family environment and enjoy an Open House environment from which new membership may evolve. On this occasion, please bring a dish to share and condiments, garden salads, bread rolls, brats and hamburgers will be provided.

Kronenwetter Lions Fall Festival

Following a notification from Mr. Emil Wasnieski of the Lions Club of Kronenwetter our Lodge, via Brother Steve Peterson, have been invited to participate in the Kronenwetter Lions

Dates to Remember

September 2 – Wausau Council #22 Meeting at 6:30 PM

September 8 – Stated Communication & initiation of Mr. Arron Wulk to 1st Degree – Tiling 7:00 PM

September 18 – Lodge Family Picnic

September 22 – Stated Communication – Tiling 7:00 PM

Fall Festival of September 18, 2021. This festival clashes with our Lodge Family Picnic; however, since the subject Festival occurs during the period of 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM it is possible for some of our members to attend for a few hours in the morning. This would be an ideal venue where; with the use of the SC-Van, we could advertise Shriner activities and promote Masonic membership. Brothers, this is a great opportunity to introduce future membership and your

assistance will help. Interested members should contact Brother Steve Peterson on 715 573 4059 or petestrout@msn.com.