

# Gideon Lodge #84 F. & A.M.

Kingston, NH

April 2012 Trestleboard



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142 Years of Masonry in Kingston

*Stated Communications: 7:30 pm*

1<sup>st</sup> Monday of Month

October – June

September – Tuesday after Labor Day

Dinner Reservations Required

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## Dates to Remember

**March 30<sup>th</sup>:** Master and Wardens Association at **Portsmouth Lodge. Dinner will be at 6:30 p.m.** Meeting at 7:15. Casual dress will be appropriate.

**April 2<sup>nd</sup>:** Dinner at 6:30 p.m. Dinner will be provided by the Rainbow Girls. We will be testing our MM degree candidates. **We will also be reading the bylaw changes for a vote on them.**

**April 3<sup>rd</sup>:** We are having a Master Mason Degree for our candidates. **Dinner at 6:30 p.m. Meeting at 7:30 p.m.**

**April 6<sup>th</sup>:** Lunch will be served at 12:00 noon. Everyone is welcome.

**April 23<sup>rd</sup>:** Entered Apprentice degree for our new elected candidate. Dinner at 6:30 p.m. and degree at 7:30 p.m.

If you wish to receive your Trestleboard by e-mail, please e-mail me at [juneclo@comcast.net](mailto:juneclo@comcast.net). This will assure me that I have the correct e-mail and will result in a sizable savings to the Lodge.

Thanks, Clovis

## Elected Officers for 2012

Worshipful Master	Gerald Parziale (603) 382-8478 <a href="mailto:gjparz24@yahoo.com">gjparz24@yahoo.com</a>
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Junior Steward	James Dobson
Marshal	Richard Gordon
Tyler	Mitch Veroneau
Public Relations	Jim Alexander

### **Town Hall Meeting**

The Grand Master has called for a Town Hall Meeting to be attended by ALL members of the First Masonic District.

**Date: Tuesday April 17, 2012**

**Location: Portsmouth Masonic Temple**

**Time: 7:15 p.m. Call to order  
by Grand Master**

### **MORE GOOD NEWS**

The Grand Secretary & Grand Treasurer are going to run training sessions for the Secretary and Treasurer of all the Lodges in the State. To accomplish this in the easiest way, they are doing it by District, or to make it easier, several Districts that are close together will meet on the same date. To that end District Six and District 1 have selected Monday April 30<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. in Rochester at Humane Lodge.

Please give this Due Notice to all Secretaries, Assistant Secretaries, Treasurers of the First Masonic District who are highly encouraged to attend this most important training session. This will help you update your information, get the latest form and learn the best way to do your jobs.

**Robert L. Sutherland, DDGM**

### **31<sup>st</sup> Annual New England Brotherhood Night**

Hosted by the Grand Lodge of N.H.  
M.W. Brother Paul M. Leary, Grand Master

**Where:** Masonic Temple Dining Hall  
1505 Elm Street Manchester, NH  
**When:** Saturday, March 24, 2012

#### **Details**

**Social Hour 3:00 to 4:00 P.M.**

**Dinner at 4:00 P.M.**

**Prime Rib Dinner...\$35.00 per person  
All Master Masons are welcome.**

**Speaker to be provided by the Grand  
Lodge of Massachusetts**

**Dress: Business Suit**

#### **RESERVATIONS**

**Your paid reservation must be received  
By March 15, 2012**

**Checks payable to the Grand Lodge of NH  
mail to: Grand Lodge of NH  
P.O Box 486, Milford, NH  
03055-0486**

## Message from the East

We are having rehearsals for the officers and any brothers who would like to attend. At the last stated meeting, we had a great turnout of our lodge and also from other lodges. We elected a committee for the buying back of Gideon Lodge building and we hope to have a report on their findings soon.

We also gave a generous contribution to Avon Walk for breast cancer and the recipient Rhonda Zarbolias who is a cancer survivor. Thank you to everyone for showing her a lot of support.

We are planning to visit other lodges in our district so we can support some of them. Come and join us for an evening of brotherhood and an evening of fun.

Also this month we would like help in the two degrees scheduled. Please come and join us. Please inform us of anyone who is sick and distressed.

WM Gerald J. Parziale

The donation that the lodge made to cancer was a timely gift. WM Gerald J. Parziale is also a cancer survivor. Donations like this are used for research and have paved the way for discoveries that have developed methods and medicines that make it possible for more people to be survivors of cancer.

Clovis

### **Sheaf of Wheat, Ear of Corn, Waterford, Waterfall-which are correct?**

Either wheat or corn suspended near a Waterford or waterfall denotes plenty and is a symbol of security, since it was at the crossing of the Jordan, where this sign was displayed, that the Ephraimites were defeated by the men of Gilead, being detected by their inability to pronounce the word *Shibboleth*. Either an ear of corn or a sheaf of wheat at the waterfall or Waterford is correct in the jurisdictions in which either combination is used. The meaning is the same.

From: *One Hundred One Questions About Masonry*