

TRESTLEBOARD

Northwood Ancient-Craft No. 551

OCTOBER 2010

850 HORACE BROWN DRIVE • MADISON HEIGHTS, MI 48071

Arthur Gustafson, Worshipful Master

WIDOWS & VETERAN'S DINNER

Thursday, November 11th, 2010

at 1800 hrs. (6:00 p.m.)

Casual Dress

Everyone is invited to join the Officers and myself for dinner to pay our respects to our deceased brothers, and to recognize all those brother's who served in the Armed Forces.

Yes, this dinner is for everyone... widows, brother's and wives. Dinner will be proceeded by a short program by W.B. Ray Doyscher plus a memorial service for our deceased brother's in the lodge room. Please call for reservations. R.S.V.P. by Monday, November 8th.

To make a reservation call:

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LODGE ACTIVITIES

October 2010

10-07 THU Potluck Dinner – bring a dish and join us (6 PM)
Business Meeting (B) Open Lodge 7 p.m.

10-14 THU EA Degree - 7 pm
Officers Tuxedo

10-21 THU FC Degree Practice - 7 pm

10-28 THU EA Degree Proficient - 7 pm
FC Degree Practice, Officer's Meeting

November 2010

11-04 THU Potluck Dinner - bring a dish to pass (6 PM)
Business Meeting and Election of Officers

11-08 MON Last day to call for dinner reservations
for Widows & Veteran's Night

11-11 THU Widows & Veteran's Dinner - 6 PM
Casual Dress; Officer's only: Dark Business Suit

11-18 THU FC Degree - 7 PM
Officer's Tuxedo

11-25 THU DARK - Happy Thanksgiving

December 2010

12-02 THU Potluck Dinner - bring a dish to pass - 6 PM
Business Meeting - 7 PM

12-05 SUN Annual Childrens Christmas Party - 1 PM - 3:30 PM
Bring a dish to pass - R.S.V.P. by December 2nd

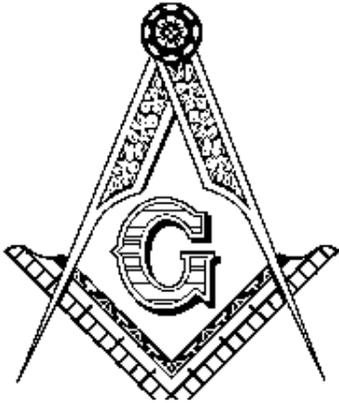
12-09 THU Installation of Officers 2011 - 7 PM
Mason's only social evening to follow

12-16 THU Master Mason Degree Practice - 7:00 PM

12-23 THU DARK

*Merry Christmas and Happy New Year
from the Officer's of
Northwood Ancient Craft #551*

FROM THE EAST



Brothers,

As the weather outside begins to get cooler, and the leaves on the trees start changing their colors, I believe it may be that time of the year to think about moving our outdoor activity back indoors. And I have just the right place, with a freshly

painted dining room and a clean lodge room. What better place to be? Spending time with some Brother's watching Degree work.

I would also like to thank everyone who joined in at the Annual Corn Roast. It was a nice time with some great friendship. Special thanks to all the Brothers and their wives who helped with the preparation and cleanup. Great Job!! From the corn roast we did receive a new petition for membership and one transfer to our Lodge. It will be nice to have Degree Work for the remainder of this year.

Some important Lodge activities that I have planned. First is a dinner on Thursday, November 11th, at 1800 hours, (that's 6:00 p.m. for all you civilians). It's a Widows and Veteran's Recognition Dinner. Everyone is invited, casual dress. Hope you can find time to join me on this important night. Second is the Annual Children / Grand-Children Christmas Party. I know some of you may be thinking it's too early to talk about Christmas, but by the time you receive this Trestleboard; Christmas will be less than 100 days away.

This years party is Sunday, December 5th, from 1:00 til 3:30 p.m. Remember to bring a dish to pass and a small gift for each child with their name on it. The Lodge will provide the meat and \$5.00 for each gift. You make a better Santa knowing what they like.

Serving you all,

Art Gustafson, P.M.
Worshipful Master

Children's Annual Christmas Party

Sunday, December 5th, 2010
1:00 - 3:30 P.M.

R.S.V.P. by December 2nd
to:

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