



# THE 142 EXPRESS



## Newton Masonic Lodge #142 Newsletter April 2014

### Events

Mar. 31	7pm	3 ea. 1st Degrees
Apr. 7	7pm	1 ea. 3rd Degree (maybe 2)
Apr. 9	Stated Dinner 6:30 Meeting 7:30	
Apr. 10	Help Halstead Lodge do a second Degree	
Apr. 12	Family Movie night	
Apr. 14	6pm	Practice
Apr. 17	Visit Halstead Lodge	
Apr. 19	Highway Clean-up (get with Chris Koch)	
Apr. 21	6pm	Practice
Apr. 23	6pm	Masonic Study Hall
Apr. 28	6pm	Practice

### From the East April

### From the East

On February 10 we had a second degree for Bill Koonce, thank you all that showed up for Bills degree. Dennis Blickenstaff and I traveled to Hutchison to assist in a second degree for Hutchinson-Reno #124, on February 25. Dennis did the second part of the second degree for them. It was an enjoyable evening spending time with our brothers. Thank you Dennis. We had a first degree on Chris Cornejo on March 4<sup>th</sup>, everyone please welcome our new brother. We will be visiting Albert Pike #303, 401 S Seneca, on March 26, at 6:30 pm. hope to see you there. On March 12 we had Italian theme dinner, everyone enjoyed the fixings. In April the theme dinner will be fried chicken on April 9<sup>th</sup>, everyone come hungry. We will be doing a first degree on 3-31 at 7:00 and a third degree on 4-7 at 7:00, hope to see you all there. We will be visiting Halstead lodge #46 at 127 east first on April 17<sup>th</sup> 2014. HI way clean up April 19, mark your calendar.

The dates are as follows for the Brotherhood Night and the Family night, if you would get them in the newsletter. (Gary has them on the lodge master calendar already)

Brotherhood Night - Sat. March 15 6pm

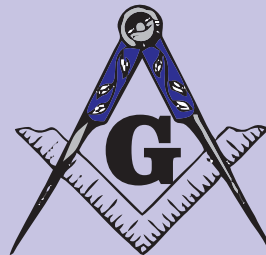
Family Night - Sat. April 12 6 pm

If would just add "more details to come", so once our committee meets to decide on what we are actually going to do on these nights we can inform the brethren.

Thanks,  
Jeff

### From the South

Greets Brothers, another month behind us and still a lot to do. We have 3 Ea's to initiate and at least 1 MM to raise. We still have guys working on getting degree work scheduled out there so plenty to do. I would like to thank the brothers new and seasoned for their help and efforts in proficiencies, we have at least 4 of us trying to get our "B" card and all the help is greatly appreciated. So here we go to Aprils Stated Meeting with a Chicken theme. If you want to bring Chicken let me know, I'm going to try to get 3-4 volunteers for Chicken then everyone else can bring sides (ie. smashed taters, baked beans, chips n dip just whatever goes with chicken ) Hope to see everyone there. Dennis



A.F.&A.M.

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Brothers, one of the ideas discussed was to change the Pot Luck Dinner to a Theme based Dinner Where the lodge or a volunteer Brother would supply the entre and then everybody expand from that. Below is a tentative list of Themes. This will be one of the ideas discussed at January Stated Meeting

April - Fried Chicken

May - Mexican Fiesta ( cinco de mayo)

June - Picnic (samiches chips slaw tater salad)

July - BBQ pork

Aug. - Ham/Baked Chicken

Sept. - Pancakes/ Biscuits/gravy

Oct. - Chili n cornbread

Nov. - Fried Chicken (again cause everybody loves it)

Dec. - Ham n beans

### From the West

Nothing further from the West Worshipful Master





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## March Anniversaries

Harold Ashcraft	61 yrs.
Kenneth Blocher	36 yrs.
Scott Bowlin	38 yrs.
John Duncan	52 yrs.
Bradley Elliott	19 yrs.
John Fisher	63 yrs.
John Harrison	54 yrs.
Kenneth Harvey	53 yrs.
Wallace Hill	54 yrs.
Terry House	31 yrs.
Richard Jenzen	41 yrs.
Jerry Kasitz	26 yrs.
Bart Kellum	3 yrs.
Robert Martin	64 yrs.
Adrian McCulloch	41 yrs.
John Reed	47 yrs.
Ardith Saurwein	55 yrs.
Wendon Senn	51 yrs.
Frank Spangler	44 yrs.
James Underwood	45 yrs.
Ernest Watkins	37 yrs.
John Watkins	10 yrs.

## March Birthdays

Wesley Stamper	1
Ronald Farthing	5
Richard Martin	8
Edward Dare	9
Chris Westerman	10
Chris Wallweber	12
Henry McIntosh	13
Leon Schmidt	14
Eugene Atwood	19
Oliver Hurt	22
Mike Williamson	22
John Rhodes	23
Shawn Sullivan	24
Brian Blomburg	26
Jack Townsley	27
Danny Miller	30

**Lights,  
Camera...  
Action!**

**FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT**  
**Sat. April 12 at 6pm at the Lodge**  
**We will have soda, popcorn and hot dogs**  
 Bring something chocolatey or sweet  
 to share at the Treat Buffet !