

ANCIENT ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITE, VALLEY OF STEUBENVILLE

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THE SCOTTISH RITE EXPERIENCE NIGHTS

Great things are happening at the Valley of Steubenville. Four separate Scottish Rite Experience Nights were planned to lead us into our Spring Reunion. This is and has been a great opportunity for us to bring Scottish Rite to you! Three of these four nights will have been enjoyed by Scottish Rite Masons both new and old by the time you get this newsletter, but you still have an opportunity to join us and encourage any new candidates from your lodge to join us for the remaining night of these great evenings of fellowship at Ohio City Lodge in Martins Ferry. Refreshments will be provided by the Valley of Steubenville. Looking forward to seeing you there! **Please mark your calendar!** Here are some pictures of the three previous experience nights. (full size photos attached to the e version of our newsletter)

NIGHT 1

NIGHT 2

NIGHT 3

NIGHT 4



Ohio City Lodge,
Martins Ferry
April 10, 2018
at 7 PM

The following degrees
will be portrayed on DVD
20th ~ 31st

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SPRING REUNION & AWARDS NIGHT



FRIDAY, APRIL 20, 2018

Masonic Temple
227 N. 4th St. Steubenville, OH 43952
Dinner 6:00 pm

32° to be performed **LIVE** by
Jefferson Consistory S.P.R.S.
following dinner. \$15.00 per plate
Reservations needed by April 13, 2018
Please call the office @ 740-282-1391 There
will be a Ladies Program during the 32°

Spring
REUNION
BROTHER DON MOORE, 32°, MSA CLASS

The class is named in honor of Donald J. Moore, 32°, MSA. Brother Moore is a member of Toronto Lodge # 583 where he served his Lodge as Worshipful Master and is currently the Tyler. He is a KYCH of Ohio Priory #18. He belongs to Toronto Chapter, Union Council and Steubenville Commandry. Brother Don also belongs to A.M.D. and Knight Masons. He joined the Valley of Steubenville in 1993 and received his MSA in Columbus in 2014. Brother Moore participates in various degrees and fills in at a moments notice. He is the first line signer on 35 petitions. He was chairman of the Scottish Rite Clubs for numerous years.

Special points of interest:

- Scottish Rite Experience Nights
- Spring Reunion/ Awards Night
- Family Life & Scholarship Dinner
- OCD Golf Outing
- Installation of Officers
- Washington Wild Things Family Life Outing

Spring Reunion

Please call the office or return the reservation form **No Later** than April 13, 2018.

Mail Today: P.O. Box 698, Steubenville, OH 43952

Spring Reunion — FRIDAY, April 20, 2018 Check enclosed for \$_____ for _____ reservations at \$15.00 each.

(Make check payable to the Valley of Steubenville)

FAMILY LIFE & SCHOLARSHIP DINNER

The Family Life & Scholarship Dinner is a way for the Valley to say thank you to our families that support us in our masonic endeavors and to show appreciation to our youth for their academic achievements. Please join us on Sunday, May 20, 2018 at 3 p.m. for an enjoyable afternoon as we pause a moment to thank our families for their support and



honor our young scholars. We feel this is an important night for our young scholars as we show them our appreciation for their hard work and dedication. Lunch will be served at 3 p.m. by the members of the family life committee with the presentation of scholarships and entertainment to follow.

Family Life & Scholarship Luncheon

Please call the office or return the reservation form No Later than Friday, May 11, 2018.

Mail Today: P.O. Box 698, Steubenville, OH 43952

Family Life & Scholarship Dinner — SUNDAY, May 20, 2018—3 PM

Check enclosed for \$_____ for _____ reservations at \$ 15.00 each.

(Make check payable to the Valley of Steubenville)

Name _____ Address _____

(Remember when you don't honor your reservation, the Valley loses!)

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

You are hereby notified that the Annual Meeting of the Four Coordinate Bodies of the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite, Valley of Steubenville, will be held on:

THURSDAY, MAY 17, 2018 AT 7:30 PM

Prominent on the agenda will be the election of officers of the Four Coordinate Bodies and members-at-Large for the Executive Committee. All members of the Valley of Steubenville are urged to attend this meeting.

III. Jason Gorney, 33°, VSA III. Carol E. Monday, 33°, VSA B. Lewis Hartsough, 32°
Thrice Potent Master Sovereign Prince Most Wise Master

Brian J. Breyer, 32°, MSA, VSA O. Wayne Fulmer, 32°, VSA III. Ben Moxley, 33°, MSA
Commander-in-Chief Secretary Treasurer

Installation of Officers Dinner

Please call the office or return the reservation form No Later than Friday, May 18, 2018.

Mail Today: P.O. Box 698, Steubenville, OH 43952

Installation of Officers Dinner — FRIDAY, May 25, 2018—6 PM

Check enclosed for \$_____ for _____ reservations at \$ 15.00 each.

(Make check payable to the Valley of Steubenville)

Name _____ Address _____

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OCD GOLF OUTING



2018 Ohio Council of Deliberation AASR Joins the Valley of Columbus!

OCD/VOC GOLF OUTING
 Monday, June 25, 2018
 4 Person Best Ball Scramble

SHOTGUN Start at 12:00 PM (Noon)

York Golf Club,

7459 N. High Street, Columbus, OH 43235

\$80 Per Person or \$320 Per Team

(Fee includes golf, cart, dinner, & prizes)

Reservation Deadline June 15, 2018

Please Call the Valley of Steubenville's Office to register your team and choose your meal selection of beef or chicken. The event is open to non masons and the entire family.



BLUE ENVELOPE APPEAL

The amount of money we receive for our Abbott Scholarships from Supreme Council is directly related to the amount given by our Valley of Steubenville members to the Blue Envelope Appeal. Please remember, the more our membership gives, the more we get back!

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

OPEN INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS
 VALLEY SERVICE AWARDS (VSA)

and SPIRIT OF THE VALLEY AWARD

FRIDAY, MAY 25, 2018—DINNER AT 6:00 PM

2018 Valley Service Award Recipient:

John "J.T." Morgan, 32°

Come join and meet the new officers of the Valley for dinner on May 25, 2018 and also to congratulate the dedicated brother that was selected as our newest VSA for the Valley of Steubenville; John "J.T." Morgan, 32°. The officers and members join in extending him a "Hearty Well Done". He will receive his Green and Gold VSA Cap during the Annual Open Installation of Officers.

Please send in your reservations ASAP and join us for an enjoyable evening!

GREETINGS FROM YOUR VALLEY SECRETARY



What a joy to be your Valley Secretary! We are busier than ever but when we step back and see what the Valley has accomplished; it makes all the hustle and bustle well worth it. We have great things coming up soon with a Family Life baseball

trip, Scholarship Luncheon, Valley Awards, & Officers Installation. As you read this newsletter we will have had 3 of our Scottish Rite Experience Nights. We are working towards our goal of forty one new members. We are very close. Please keep *all* of our destitute brethren in your daily prayer. Father Time has a way of catching up to all of us. We do not want to talk about anyone more than the others, as all brothers of the Valley of Steubenville are special people, but **Anthony Viola** who has been our choir director for many years, fell and broke his arm and could not be our Director at the Feast of the Paschal Lamb this year. We wish Anthony a speedy recovery! He will be **100 years old** on May 4th, 2018.

Well, I was told to hush up as this needs to go to print!

Your Valley Secretary,

O. Wayne Fulmer

Be Safe God Bless
"When buildings or lives collapse, there is almost always a foundation problem"

IN MEMORIAM



The Grand Architect of the Universe has received the following into His presence".

Our deepest sympathy is extended to the families and friends of these our departed Brethren. May our Heavenly Father have them In his Holy Keeping.

	Lodge#	Date
Arthur S. Thomas	438	11/02/2017
Charles G. Hockenberry	45	09/27/2017
Charles D. Bishop	486	12/08/2017
James E. McLaughlin	565	12/12/2017
Edwin D. Cusick	333	12/12/2017
Howard V. Lyons	583	12/16/2017
Harry A. Skelton Jr.	681	12/28/2017
William E. Johnson	45	12/24/2017
Paul C. Bailey	691	11/02/2017
Donald H. Weigand	486	01/17/2018
Richard M. Pflugh	182	01/22/2018
Raymond N. James	180	02/10/2018
Charles L. Stingle Sr.	182	02/16/2018
Fred A. Bense	45	02/17/2018
Fred L. Elbert	681	02/18/2018
John W. Taylor	681	02/21/2018
Ill. Randall B. Craven, 33°	45	03/14/2018

FAMILY LIFE OUTING



Wild Things Baseball Game
 Washington, PA

Saturday, May 26, 2018 7:00 pm
 Transportation provided by
 Advanced Entertainment

Leaving the Masonic Temple @ 5:00 pm
 \$30.00 per person + the price of game ticket
 (ticket price dependent on how many attend)
 Please call the office to reserve your seat
 (740)-282-1391

COMMUNITY SERVICE



In December members of the Valley and their family rang bells at Rural King for the Salvation Army. It was a

cold day but there was a warm feeling in their hearts. Secretary, Wayne Fulmer, Andy Celestin, Doug Cunningham, Joe and Diane Benline, Mike and Nicole Wood, and Tim and Kim Walters kept the bells ringing steady! We raised a total of \$302.00. Pictured above is Andy Celestin taking his turn! Thank you to all who volunteered and we hope to have an even bigger group of bell ringers in 2018.

OHIO COUNCIL OF DELIBERATION ANNUAL MEETING

The One Hundred and Twenty-First session of the Ohio Council of Deliberation is set for June 2, 2018 in Independence, Ohio. This year's meeting will be held at the Holiday Inn, Independence, 6001 Rockside Road, Independence, OH 44131.

Members of the Council consists of the Actives, Emeriti, honorary members of the Supreme Council, past presiding officers of our Valley, MSA members, and the top three elected officers of our four coordinate bodies as well as the Treasurer and Valley Secretary.

At this meeting, Brothers O. Wayne Fulmer, 32°, VSA and Richard M. Maloney, 32°, VSA will receive their "Red Caps and Jewels" as our recipients of the Meritorious Service Award (MSA). On Saturday, the 2nd of June the MSA nominees for next year will be announced.

If you are a member of OCD, as stated above, and wish to attend, please contact Secretary O. Wayne Fulmer in the AASR Office for the necessary information.



HELP NEEDED

We would like to put together a list of Helpers and Trades people such as plumbers, electricians, carpenters, etc. who would be willing to donate some time to work on items that need repair at the Masonic Temple. Please fill in the information below and mail it back to the office.

P.O. Box 698 Steubenville, Ohio 43952

Name: _____
 Occupation:(such as carpenter, plumber, painter, etc.) _____
 Phone #: _____ Cell #: _____
 Email Address: _____

I am willing to help with _____ in my field.

Thank you in advance. A.A.S.R. & Temple Building Manager

WITH SYMPATHY



It is with broken hearts that the Valley of Steubenville sadly reports

the passing of Illustrious Randall B. Craven, 33° on March 14, 2018. (Randall's full memorial will be in our next newsletter)

CONGRATULATIONS



Congratulations to our newest VSA Recipient John "J.T." Morgan! J.T. will receive the Valley Service Award at our Installation of Officers night on May 25, 2018. Thank you for your dedication to the Valley!

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

APRIL

- April 1—Easter
- April 10—7 PM Scottish Rite
Experience Night at Ohio City
Lodge in Martins Ferry
(20th & 31st Degrees on DVD)
- April 12—7:30 PM Temple Board Meeting
- April 13—23rd District Grand Master
Reception Francis Restaurant,
Cambridge, OH:
Social Hour 6 PM & Dinner 7 PM
- April 14—24th District Grand Master
Reception Das Dutch Haus
Village Inn Columbiana, OH:
6:30 PM (reservations needed)
- April 20th—Spring Reunion at Steubenville
Masonic Temple Dinner at 6PM
(32° performed live after dinner)
- April 24th—OCD Meeting (Columbus)
- April 26—Executive Committee
Meeting 6:15 PM
A.A.S.R. Stated Meeting 7:30 PM

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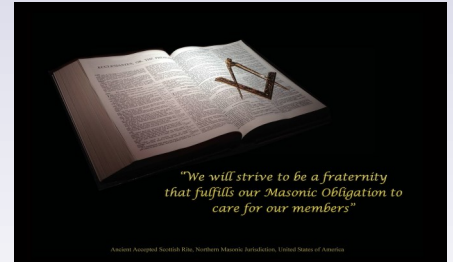
- May 10—7:30 PM Temple Board Meeting
- May 13—Mother's Day
- May 17—Executive Committee
Meeting 6:15 PM
A.A.S.R. Stated Meeting 7:30 PM
(Annual Meeting)
- May 20—Family Life & Scholarship
Luncheon 3 PM
- May 25— 6 PM Installation of Officers Dinner
- May 26— Washington Wild Things Baseball
Game 7:00 PM (Leave Temple @ 5 PM)
- May 28—Memorial Day (Office Closed)

June

- June 2—OCD in Independence, Ohio
- June 7—7:30 PM Temple Board Meeting
- June 14—Flag day
- June 17—Father's Day
- June 25—OCD Golf Outing, York Country
Club, Columbus 12:00 PM (noon)
- June 22— Executive Committee



Mark Your Calendar!



Vision Statement for NMJ

"We will strive to be a fraternity that fulfills our Masonic obligations to care for our members."

*III. David A. Glattly, 33°,
Sovereign Grand Commander*

Mission Statement for NMJ

Provide inspiration for our members' meaningful programs and degrees.

Provide convenient opportunities for our members to enhance their lives.

Provide enjoyable programs and fellowship for our members.



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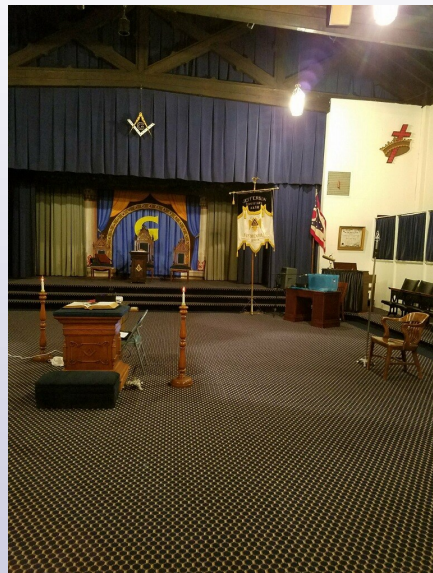
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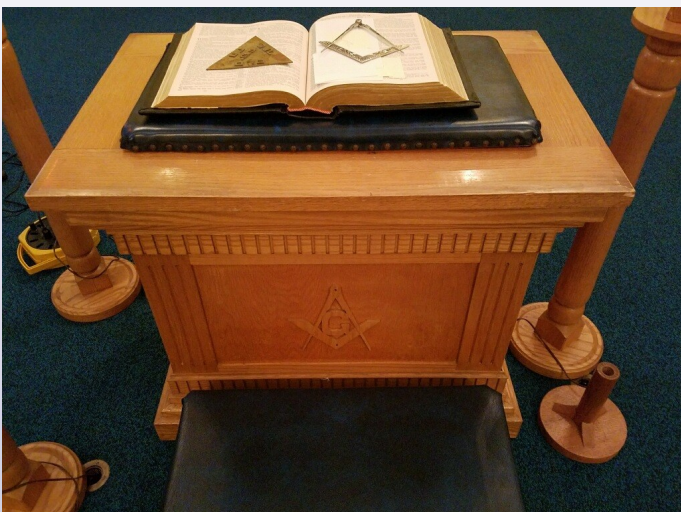


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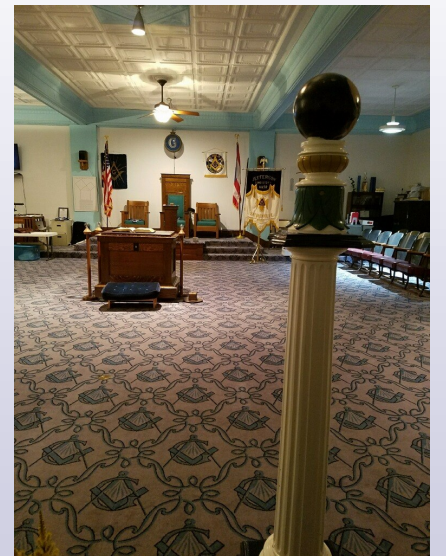
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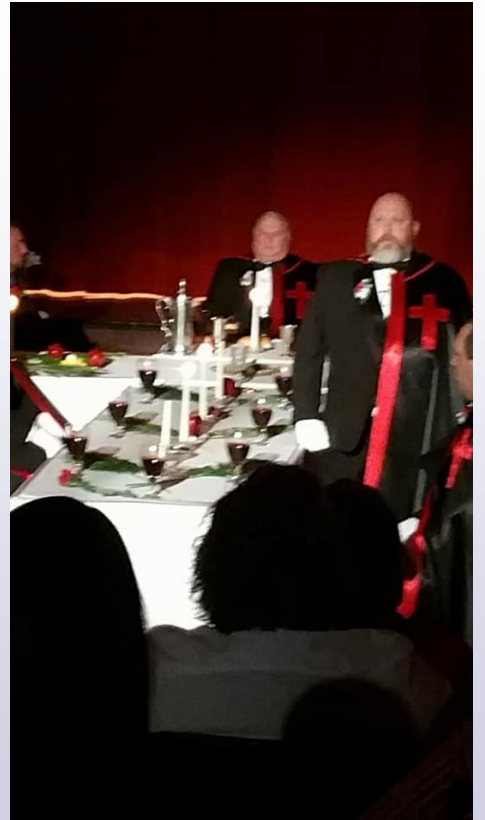
THE SCOTTISH RITE EXPERIENCE NIGHTS
NIGHT 2—TORONTO (CONTINUED)



THE SCOTTISH RITE EXPERIENCE NIGHTS NIGHT 3—FLUSHING



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