

UPCOMING EVENTS:

February Communication for  
Stephenson Lodge

**FIRST MEETING, FEBRUARY 3<sup>RD</sup>**

REGULAR ORDER OF BUSINESS  
7:30 pm

Opening in Master Mason Degree-Master Masons Only

**SECOND MEETING, FEBRUARY 17<sup>TH</sup>**

REGULAR ORDER OF BUSINESS  
Fellowcraft examination on all worthy Brothers  
7:30 PM

Opening in Fellowcraft Degree-Master Masons  
& Fellowcrafts Only

STEPHENSON LODGE

**Christmas Donation**

All of the donations (food, supplies, and monetary) given by the brothers of Stephenson Lodge were presented to the *Twice Blessed Thrift Shop* which is located in our Lodge building and are our renters.

They will distribute the items as part of the good work they do. The photograph below shows Nancy Weaver of the *Twice Blessed Thrift Shop* receiving a part of the donations from Clinton Adams, HPM.



**STEPHENSON LODGE'S**

*Line Officers for 2010*

Worshipful Master ..... Carl W. Lee  
Senior Warden ..... Stacy C. Hale  
Junior Warden ..... William A. Bridges, Sr.  
Secretary ..... Jerry R. Arnold, PM  
Treasurer ..... Thomas J. Boyle, PM  
Senior Deacon ..... Keith J. Thompson, Sr., PM  
Junior Deacon ..... Richard Turkin, II  
Senior Steward ..... Clinton Adams, HPM  
Junior Steward ..... Dave Kraus, PM  
Tyler ..... Frank W. Fowler, HPM  
Chaplain ..... Oscar R. Baldwin, PM  
Musician ..... Vernon K. Stearn, PM  
Marshal ..... C. Dayton Miller, PM  
Ritualist ..... Duane A. Duncan, PM  
Grand Inspector ..... William Dula, PM, GI

**WORSHIPFUL MASTER**

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**RITUALIST**

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**THE COST OF MEMBERSHIP**

Stephenson Lodges Annual Dues ..... \$48.<sup>00</sup>  
Affiliated Member Annual Dues ..... \$25.<sup>50</sup>  
Petition ..... \$210.<sup>00</sup>



**TRESTLEBOARD**

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Back Row, l to r: Jerry R. Arnold, PM Secretary; Vernon Stearn, PM Musician; Frank Fowler, HPM Tyler. Middle Row, l to r: Dave Kraus, PM Junior Steward, Clinton Adams, HPM Senior Steward; Stacey Hale, Senior Warden; Bill Bridges, Sr. Junior Warden; Oscar Baldwin, PM Chaplain; Bill Dula, PM Grand Inspector. Front Row, l to r: Duane Duncan, PM Marshal; Tom Boyle, PM Treasurer; Carl Lee Worshipful Master; Richard Turkin Junior Deacon; Keith Thompson, Sr., PM Senior Deacon

STEPHENSON LODGE'S 2010

**Officers Invested & Installed**

On January 6<sup>th</sup>, the officers of Stephenson Lodge were invested and installed in a closed installation ceremony following a covered dish dinner. We had a large number of visiting brethren who witnessed the event.

Due to an illness within past Master C. Dayton Miller's family, he was unable to attend and perform his duties as Marshal. Past Master Duane Duncan filled in for him. Past Master Miller will be installed as Marshal for 2010 at a later date. Meanwhile, the officers and members of Stephenson Lodge are keeping Brother Dayton and his family in their prayers.

A MESSAGE FROM

# Our Worshipful Master

Brethren one & all,  
January has been a busy month for the Officers and members of Stephenson Lodge.

We visited four neighboring lodges this month, attending Installation of Officers for three of the four lodges visited.

In addition, we attended Aberdeen Lodge and saw four newly raised Brothers during their second meeting of the month.

Many thanks to the members and visiting Brother's who attended our Installation in January. We had a terrific meal before our meeting and great fellowship among the Craft. Let's keep the attendance going for the rest of the year.

If anyone is having trouble getting to or from Lodge just give me a call and someone will be glad to bring any Brother to Lodge.

Also, if you have any concerns, projects or suggestions, please give me a call at any time. My phone number is listed in the contact information in each issue of our Trestleboard. I look forward to hearing from you.

Fraternally, Carl Lee, WM

UPCOMING EVENTS FOR OUR MEMBERS:

## Perrypoint VA Pusher Service

We are in need of a Brother to assume the chairmanship of our Perry Point Hospital pusher service. It only takes a couple hours on a Sunday morning and the patients appreciate it so much. If you can organize a group of volunteers to escort our disabled veteran's to Church please contact our Secretary, Brother Jerry Arnold at [jerryra@zoominternet.net](mailto:jerryra@zoominternet.net).

Pusher Service dates for 2010 are:

February 21 <sup>st</sup>	April 18 <sup>th</sup>	June 20 <sup>th</sup>
August 22 <sup>nd</sup>	October 24 <sup>th</sup>	December 19 <sup>th</sup>



UPCOMING EVENTS FOR OUR OFFICERS:

# Harford County School of Instruction

Several changes are occurring in the Schools of Instruction. Brother *Gus Vourvoulas* has been appointed Deputy Grand Lecturer At-Large for Harford County. Schools of Instruction will still be held on the second Friday of the month and **ALL Schools of Instruction will be held at Mt. Ararat Lodge No. 44 in Bel Air, Md.**

Please join us on Friday Feb. 12<sup>th</sup> to assist in the Entered Apprentice Degree practice.

STEPHENSON HOLDING COMPANY

## Meeting

As in accordance with our by-laws, Past Master Keith Thompson, has been appointed President of Stephenson Holding Company for 2010. We will be have a holding company meeting on Feb. 3<sup>rd</sup> to vote on any holding company business. The meeting will start at 7:00pm before we open Lodge.

STEPHENSON LODGE'S

## Traveling Schedule

Part of this year's Officer's activity will be traveling to visit other Masonic Lodges in the area. This once was an activity performed by all Lodges and seems to have disappeared over the years. Our Worshipful Master is endeavouring to bring back this important activity which connects the Lodges together.



All Master Masons members are more than welcome to join our officers in the visitation. Please join us on **Tuesday, February 9<sup>th</sup>** as we visit **Susquehanna Lodge No. 130.**

Their address is 215 North Washington Street, Havre de Grace, Maryland. Help show our county Brother's that we support their Lodge as well as our own. Their Lodge starts at 7:30 pm, so plan on arriving between 7:00-7:15 pm with your fellow brothers.

STEPHENSON LODGE

# Committee Appointments

On January 20th the Worshipful Master, Carl Lee announced his standing committees for his term.

**AUDIT COMMITTEE**

*Eugene Burchette, PM; Clinton Adams, HPM Keith Thompson, PM*

**SICK COMMITTEE**

*Oscar Baldwin, PM*

**BANQUET COMMITTEE**

*Duane Duncan, PM chairman; Carl Stearn, PM; Bill Bridges, Sr.*

**BLOOD DONATION COMMITTEE**

*Bruce Flaughter, PM*

**MASONIC CHARITIES SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE**

*Duane Duncan, PM*

**DARLINGTON APPLE FESTIVAL COMMITTEE**

*Keith Thompson, PM chairman; Dave Krause, PM; Bill Bridges, Sr.*


**STEPHENSON LODGE BY-LAWS COMMITTEE**

*C. Dayton Miller, PM; Jerry Arnold, PM; Ron Stearn, PM*

FEBRUARY

## Masonic Birthdays

The following brothers celebrate being raised  
In the month of  
FEBRUARY.  
If you see them,  
tell them "Happy Birthday".



Clifford Trott .....	February 21, 1945
Emory Rasnake .....	February 20, 1957
Bob Farrington .....	February 6, 1974
Thomas Boyle, PM .....	February 18, 1981
David Scarborough .....	February 17, 1988
Mark Schlottman.....	February 17, 1988
James Lunney .....	February 20, 1991
Donald Norris.....	February 20, 1991
Duane Duncan, PM.....	February 7, 2001
Jim Johnson .....	February 18, 2004