Black Hawk Lodge #11 A.F.&A.M. Chartered October 1866



Regularly Stated Meetings Held 2nd & 4th Thursdays at 7pm Friendship-Schiller Lodge 4625 Morrison Road Denver, CO

# Meeting Schedule May 2011

May 12, 2011 Dinner - 6:00pm Light Business Special Presentation Open Meeting all are welcome 7:00 pm

May 26, 2011 Regular Communication 7:00 pm

Brethren standing on any degree are always welcome. Various degree work will be done as needed.

Any Brother who needs a ride to lodge, please call the Worshipful Master at 303-987-1236

# **Master's Message**

Brothers,

As we draw near to the middle of the year we have made some great strides.

Ed Sisk stood his Fellowcraft proficiency on Thursday and on Saturday took his Master Mason degree at Aurora #156. I believe that he is planning on standing proficient on his MM before we go dark.

Our next meeting RW Ed Zorn will be at lodge to start off the 150<sup>th</sup> celebration at Blackhawk. We will start the evening with dinner, having a roasted pig done by Bro. Bill Johnson, open lodge to perform some needed business, be at ease, enjoy RW Ed's program then come back in to lodge to complete our business.

As of last meeting we now have 5 men standing on there Entered Apprentice degree, and I am hoping to have them all proficient and ready for there Fellowcraft degree before June.

Plans for our celebration in August are being finalized, Bro. Robert Elsloo will be joining us with his Anniversary program; we have 3 fifty year pins to present that evening. Friendship Lodge will be joining us for the evening festivities and the barbeque.

Remember that the spring reunion is May 12-14. The York Rite degrees start on June 4<sup>th</sup>. If you are interested in joining these bodies I have applications for both.

Best wishes to all that are sick, and a special note to Bro. Bill Lloyd to get better so you can return to Lodge.

Practices are on our off Thursdays; also help for those who are standing on degrees. Any member can attend.

I hope to see all our brothers at our next meeting, as it will be a fun evening along with some great history about Masonry in our State.

We go dark in June & July with an anniversary meeting in August. Future plans will be a Rusty Nail Degree in September; maybe an open table lodge in October.

Have a great Month and remember that the more you participate, the more you will get out of Masonry.

Fraternally, Mark W. Ralston Worshipful Master

## **Other Messages**

From the Entertainment Committee – Eddie McGrady, Chairman

Bill 'Tiny' Johnson, of El Jebel Shrine, will be roasting a pig for our first meeting in May. PGM Ed Zorn is going to be doing a presentation on the History of Masonry in Colorado.

There will be no bingo as this is an open meeting, and the Ladies, or any other guests are invited to attend our Lodge meeting to enjoy the presentation.

# May Birthday Wishes for

Casey Metcalf	May 7 (1909)
Jerry L. Fenimore	May 16
Norman C. Lane	May 16
Charles D. Stevens	May 17
Timothy Ryan	May 17
Donald M. Shea	May 18
Claud E. Dutro	May 21
Gregory A. Campbell	May 22
John W. Gay II	May 22
Robert D. Elso	May 22
James C. Chappell	May 30

Dues are \$42.00, please forward to the Lodge Secretary, Glenn Smiley.

If you wish to receive updates via email or to contact the Worshipful Master: Mark Ralston, WM - mwr5588@hotmail.com

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# Committees

# Standing Committees

## FINANCE RECOMMENDATIONS COMMITTEE

Jerry Fenimore, Bill Newton, Gardner Sanford

#### SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

Bill Newton, Gardner Sanford, Glenn Smiley

## MEMBER INVESTIGATION COMMITTEE

Jerry Screws, Charles Watts, Wayne Mulroy

#### BEREAVEMENT

Doug Cline

#### ENTERTAINMENT RECOMMENDATION

Eddie McGrady [chair], Mike Rowan, Charles Watts

#### TRESTLEBOARD

John Figler [DadFig1@yahoo.com]

# **Special Committees**

Director of the Work Karl Koenig, Assisting Doug Cline & Roy Snyder Funerals Doug Cline Masonic Education Public Schools Investments Preparation Refreshments (non-Dinner nights) Charles Watts

#### If you are interested in serving in any open committee position, please contact the Worshipful Master

Each Mason is requested to tell his wife, sons or daughters, or other member of his immediate family of his Masonic connections. Ask them to notify the Secretary of the Lodge in the event that he is called away by death.

Also, any that are in the hospital, PLEASE CALL ANY OFFICER

Chase Withrow 1866 Harper Orahood 1867 Harper Orahood 1868 J. W. Nesmith 1869 Harper Orahood 1870 George Congden 1871 Harper Orahood 1872 Harper Orahood 1873 Harper Orahood 1874 William Fullertom 1875 John Ballard 1876 John Boylan 1877 John Ballard 1878 Harper Orahood 1879 1880 James McCrog James McCrog 1881 John Harland 1882 William Rust 1883 P.B. Wright 1884 N.C. Hanson 1885 Ed Hughes 1886 Ed Hughes 1887 James Richards 1888 James Richards 1889 Alex Taylor 1890 lames Richards 1891 James Richards 1892 lames Richards 1893 James Richards 1894 James Richards 1895 Ed Hughes 1896 lames Richards 1897 James Richards 1898 1899 Edwin Grenfell Harry Clark 1900 Charles Stout 1901 John Stroehle 1902 Charles Stout 1903 John Stroehle 1904 1905 James Seright James Seright 1906 George Mathews 1907 William Monghan 1908 John Haskins 1909 John Haskins 1910 Thomas Dunstone 1911 Charles Chatfield 1912 1913 John Eatwell George Fritz 1914 George Fritz 1915 Chase Withrow 1916 Otto Ruttkamp 1917 Clerence Froid 1918

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