<u>Alvin Lodge Newsletter</u> May, 2011

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Brother Mike Lansford to receive the Golden Trowel Award

This special award night is May 12, 2011. Brother Mike established the first budget for the Lodge and set up the accounting system when he served as Treasurer. He supports all the Lodge fundraisers and also allows the use of his parking lot for all functions at our Masonic Temple. He supports our school youth fundraisers, as well as other charities in our city! Please mark your calendars and join us in honoring Brother Mike Lansford. Covered dish dinner theme is POT LUCK and will be served at 6:30pm and the program is at 7:30pm.

Prayer concerns:

Please keep the following people in your thoughts and prayers: Nelson Eng's father- Bill, Bill Pannell, Melvin Green, Gene Banks, and Doug Holsenback. Our Masonic family: Beth Moser, Blanche Vineyard, Kathy Benoit, Carol Little, June Rowell, Marcia Massey, Faye Saranthus and Susan Selzer. We have two members who passed away in April: Danny Blackwell and Ray Williams. Many members of our Masonic families are in need of prayer. Please remember them when offering your daily devotions.

John Wayne Chapter News [www.jwdemolay.org]

Charter Squires-Dixon Manor: Ted Frick, Master Squire-Elect; Aieden Farrannacci, Senior Squire-Elect; Steven Mercer, Junior Squire-Elect; Jonathon Harris, Recorder-Elect; Dalton Haynes, Chaplain-Elect; Gavin Ward, Treasurer-Elect; and Andrew Luke-member. John Wayne DeMolay elections: Chris Hernandez, Master Councilor- Elect; Galen Mikel, Senior Councilor- Elect and Michael Chezem, Junior Councilor-Elect. These young men will be installed in their respective offices on Saturday, May 14, 2011 at 6pm. A reception and dance follows the installation! Everyone Welcome!

Alvin OES No. 15 News

Alvin Chapter Number 15, Order of the Eastern Star, next stated meeting is Tuesday, May 10th. Refreshments will be served following the meeting. The results of the election of Officers held April 12th is as follows: WM: Glenda Grubbs, WP: Don Grubbs; AM: Arlene Squires, AP: Calvin Harvey, C: Cynthia Samios, AC: Melinda Hicks, Treasurer: Joe Ann Williams and Secretary: MaeDell French. Installation is June 18th beginning at 9AM.

New Member of Alvin Lodge!

Please welcome our newest member of Alvin Lodge:

Brother Garrett "Cotton" Miller

<u>May Masonic Birthdays</u>!

Mark Harris, Paul Kettler, Tommie Gardner, J.D. Stephens, Kenneth Heimann, Charles Cox, Loy Fay Burkes, Douglas Oberhoff, Durwood Sanders, Jack Caldwell, Derek Shoobridge, Rob Lehnherr, Ben Magness, Hartley Trammell, Donald Treter, Randall Platt, Art Byrd, Roy Lambden, James Bennett, Kenny Caldwell, Micky Rudel, Bruce Mason, James Wilson, David Hudson, Clyde Nordin, Dewey Davis, Michael Koteras, Charles Hinshaw and Dale French!

MWSA 31st District Meeting at Alvin Lodge

The Masters, Wardens, and Secretaries Association of the 31st District will meet on Wednesday, May 11th Dinner is at 6:30 PM the meeting is at 7PM. Dinner provided by *Brazoria Lodge No. 327.* The program will be study groups. The <u>Masonic Oak Picnic and Pilgrimage is May 15th</u> at the Masonic Oak Park in Brazoria. There will be a special program celebrating our Texas Masonic Heritage and a tree dedication. Registration is at 9am and the Morning Devotion is at 10am. Come and enjoy Texas Masonic History!

Calendar of Events!

Wed. May 4 th	DeMolay Stated Meeting, 6pm/7pm
Thurs. May5th	Stated Meeting 6:30pm/7:30pm
Mon. May 9 th	Lodge degree work 7pm
Tues. May 10 th	OES Stated Meeting 7:30pm
Wed. May 11 th	MWSA monthly meeting 6:30pm/7pm
Thurs. May 12 th	Golden Trowel Award program 6:30pm/7:30pm
Sat. May 14 th	DeMolay & Squires Installation 6pm.
Sun. May 15 th	Masonic Oak Picnic and Pilgrimage-Brazoria
Thurs. May 19 th	Lodge Stated Meeting 6:30pm/7:30pm
Wed. May 25 th	DeMolay Stated Meeting 6pm/7pm.