

## **Alvin Lodge Newsletter**

**June, 2011**

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### **Lodge 'Wax Floors' Day June 4, 2011**

The Worshipful Master invited everyone to the Lodge to help strip and wax the floors. Please join us at 9am for work and fellowship!

### **In Our Thoughts and Prayers**

Please keep the following people in your thoughts and prayers: Steve Rieves, Bill Pannell, Melvin Green, Gene Banks, and Doug Holsenback. Our Masonic family: Derek Dame's Father-in-Law Norman Ogelsby, Nelson Eng's father- Bill. Beth Moser, Blanche Vineyard, Kathy Benoit, Carol Little, June Rowell, Marcia Massey, Faye Saranthus and Susan Selzer. A card was sent to Jacob Porter, a student at Harby Jr. High who was involved in a car accident. Many members of our Masonic families are in need of prayer. Please remember them when offering your daily devotions. Brother Frank Richter, a 65 year member, passed away May 22, 2011.

**John Wayne Chapter News [[www.jwdemolay.org](http://www.jwdemolay.org)]**

### **Alvin OES No. 15 News**

Alvin Chapter Number 15, Order of the Eastern Star, next stated meeting is Tuesday, June 14<sup>th</sup>. Refreshments will be served following the meeting. Installation is June 18<sup>th</sup> beginning at 9AM.

### **New Member of Alvin Lodge!**

Please welcome our newest members of Alvin Lodge:

Scott Given and Brent Bean!

### **June Masonic Birthdays!**

Craig Woodard, Larry Dietrich, Jimmy Laughlin, Cecil Chapmon, Carl Ellis, James Brannan, J Don Little, John Usrey, Ray Brister, John Aucion, Roy Christian, Gerald Wheeler, Ron McClendon, Chris Sembera, George Smith, Shaun Thorpe, Vernon Gray, Shane Cope, Scott Given, Derek Dame, Ross Mitchell, Jerry Whitman, Pete Vaselo, Lonnie McEntire, Hank Chesson, Melvin Green, and Marion Henegar. Happy Masonic Birthday!

### **Lodge retires Station Gavels**

During the stated meeting of May 19, 2011 it was noted that the Lodge history recently published on the Lodge website concerning the Stations Gavels: [Kimmons History p.5] 'After World War I, Brother A.J. Pollard presented three gavels to the Lodge. These gavels were made from a propeller of one the giant airplanes, and are still being used.' The Worshipful noting the condition of the gavels warranted that they be retired. The brethren voted to honor the Worshipful Master's request to retire the gavels.

### **MWSA 31<sup>st</sup> District Meeting at Alvin Lodge**

The Masters, Wardens, and Secretaries Association of the 31<sup>st</sup> District will meet on Wednesday, **July 13<sup>th</sup>**. Dinner is at 6:30 pm the meeting is at 7pm. Dinner provided by **Angleton Lodge No. 829**. Installation of Officers! New event this coming year will be a **Candidate Forum** on **August 10<sup>th</sup>**. You will be able to ask questions of the brethren who have made themselves available to serve as Grand Junior Warden. This will be a **Master Mason only event!**

### **Calendar of Events!**

Wed. June 1 <sup>st</sup>	DeMolay Stated Meeting, 6pm/7pm
Thurs. June 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Stated Meeting 6:30pm/7:30pm
Sat. June 4 <sup>th</sup>	Lodge work day [strip and wax floors] 9am.
Wed. June 8 <sup>th</sup>	Open date [No MWSA]
Thurs. June 9 <sup>th</sup>	Open date [No Family night]
Tues. June 14 <sup>th</sup>	OES Stated Meeting 7:30pm
Sat. June 18 <sup>th</sup>	OES Installation 9:00am
Wed. June 22 <sup>nd</sup>	DeMolay Stated Meeting 6pm/7pm.
Thurs. June 23 <sup>rd</sup>	END OF THE MASONIC YEAR
Sat. June 25 <sup>th</sup>	Lodge Installation 1:00pm.