

Alvin Masonic Lodge E-Letter
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Family Night with the Lodge and OES

Worshipful Master Al Pool and Worthy Matron Glenda Grubbs invite everyone to attend the Masonic Family Night to be held on October 19, 2011, at the Alvin Masonic Temple. Covered dish dinner is served at 6:30 pm and the theme is '50's-'60's Party. This is an 'open' meeting and families and friends are welcome.

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. Beth Moser, Blanche Vineyard, Carol Little, June Rowell, Marcia Massey, Janet Yancey's husband, Arch, Faye Saranthus and Susan Selzer. Our sincere sympathy to the families of Carol Little (Mom) and Derek Dame (Uncle), whose family members passed away in September.

Stewards Night Off!

John Wayne DeMolay Chapter will provide the October 6, 2011 Stated Meeting meal as a fundraiser for the Chapter. Come and support the DeMolay!

Steak Night at the Lodge

WM Pool has asked SS Derek Dame to have a steak night for a Stated Meeting meal. The date is October 20, 2011. You need to fill out an order blank to reserve your steak! See Brother Derek Dame for the forms!!

Trick or Treat Trail October 31, 2011

The Lodge will participate again this year in the City of Alvin Trick or Treat Trail on October 31st. Please support this fun event by bringing candy to the Lodge and placing it in the collection bin by the coke machine! Thanks!!

John Wayne Chapter News www.jwdemolay.org

We are providing the Masons' Stated Meeting dinner on Thursday, 10/6/2011. The Installation of Officers is Saturday, 10/8/2011. The Squires meeting is at 5 pm and the Chapter meeting is at 6 pm. The dance is after the Installations. An Initiation of both degrees is Saturday, 10/22/2011, 10 am till

2 pm. A BBQ Brisket Sales fundraiser is Saturday, 10/29/2011 (FYI- Need pit at Lodge 10/24/2011).

Future dates to note:

1. Saturday, 12/10/2011, DeMolay activity.
2. Saturday, 12/17/2011, 1 pm till 4pm is the Christmas party.
3. Saturday, 1/21/2012 is the next Installation of Officers
4. Wednesday, 2/29/2012 is Honor Teacher Night
5. Friday, 3/2/2012 is a DeMolay Patriotism Event 6 pm till 9 pm.
6. Wednesday, 3/14/2012 is Clean the Lodge Day.
7. Thursday, 3/22/2012 is a Fidelity Event for WM Al Pool, Initiation of both Degrees for the Lodge.
8. Saturday, 4/21/2012 is a San Jacinto Day Baked Potato Sale, 8 am till 3 pm.
9. Saturday 5/12/2012 is an Obligatory Day and Parents' Dinner, 4 pm till 8 pm.
10. Saturday, 5/19/2012 is Installation of Officers.
11. Saturday, 5/26/2012 is the next BBQ fundraiser.
12. Saturday, 6/9/2012 is Ritual practice 12:30 pm till 3:30 pm.
13. Thursday, 6/14/2012, is Ritual practice 6:30 pm till 9:30 pm.
14. Monday, 6/18/2012 is Ritual Practice 6:30 pm till 9:30 pm.
15. Saturday, 6/23/2012 is Ritual Practice 1 pm till 4 pm.
16. Thursday, 7/12/2012 is Ritual practice 6:30 pm till 9:30 pm.
17. Monday, 7/16/2012 is Ritual practice 6:30 pm till 9:30 pm.
18. Saturday, 8/18/2012 Initiation of both degrees 10am till 2pm.

Please Come and support DeMolay!!!!

Children Christmas Musical

Sister Marjorie Lawrence is hosting a Children Christmas Musical on Saturday, 12/17/2011 from 4 pm 5 pm. This is immediately following the DeMolay Christmas party. Hope to see you!

Alvin OES No. 15 News

Alvin Chapter Number 15, Order of the Eastern Star, next stated meeting is Tuesday, 12/19/2011. Dinner is pot luck and will be served at 6:30 pm. The stated meeting is at 7:30 pm. Happy Birthday to Dale French (10/27), Don Grubbs (10/22), Melinda Hicks (10/2), Reah James (10/6), Don Little (10/21), Beth Moser (10/31), Hortense Redd (10/25), and Nell Taylor (10/24)! November activities include the following: 11/01/2011 Game Night (bring refreshments), 11/08/2011 Patriotic Program by WP Don Grubbs and Wednesday, 11/16/2011 Family Night with the Masons, Annual Thanksgiving Dinner and Program. December activities include the following: 12/13/2011

stated meeting, 12/21/2011 family night with the Masons and annual Christmas party with Santa!

New Members of Alvin Lodge

Please welcome our newest member: Jake Starkey!

Happy Masonic Birthday!

The following brethren received the Master Mason Degree in October:
Joey Tomlinson ('09), Albert Murphree ('90), Gene Banks ('70), John Taylor, PM, ('98), Mike Clawson ('71), Marion Ober ('86), Don Burkhart ('02), William Koenig ('52), Larry Smith ('82), Steven Miller ('93), George Nichols ('79), Silver Garza ('09), Ronald Daniel ('86), Jack Hall ('93), Gaylon Hughes ('72), Roy Stokes, PM, ('67), Tommy Grupe ('82), Dennis Rhodes, PM, ('75) and Steven Landry ('07)!!!

Other Announcements!

Alvin Lodge Golf Tournament plans announced! The Golf Tournament is set for 11/03/2011 at the Texas City Bayou Golf Course, 2800 Ted Dudley Dr. Please sponsor a hole, get a team together or send in a donation. This is a fun way to raise money to support the Lodge and our charities. Register and pay online at www.762golf.com. All donations accepted! Take part and promote Masonry! Open to all golfers!!

MWSA 31st District Meeting at Alvin Lodge: The Masters, Wardens, and Secretaries Association of the 31st District will meet on Wednesday, 10/12/2011. Dinner is at 6:30 pm the meeting is at 7 pm. This meeting will be the Grand Master's Workshop and will start after the opening of the stated meeting and roll call of Lodges. Come and hear the Grand Master's Message!!

Grand Lodge of Texas Annual Golf Tournament is 10/27/2011 at the Texas City Bayou Golf Course, 2800 Ted Dudley Dr. For additional information contact your DDGM: R.:W.: Fred Quenzer [31A] 281-326-4701, R.: W.: Paul Weber [31B] 713-899-7035, R.: W.: Paul Romine [31C] 979-292-4065 or email at glotexas.golf@gmail.com . Cliff Guidry (Chmn) 409-935-3825.

For a complete, updated calendar as of October 2, 2011, go
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