

# TRESTLE BOARD

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**All Stated Meetings will be held at 7:30 and will include Business,  
Reception of Petitions, and Refreshments (unless otherwise noted).**

**All V.A. Togus Hospital Visitations are held at 9:30 A.M. on the Second Floor NHC Unit. (BLDG 207)**

**Kennebec Lodge No. 5**, Hallowell, Wor. Mike Kimball, Master, 207-480-9561, [Michael.t.kimball1973@gmail.com](mailto:Michael.t.kimball1973@gmail.com)  
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May 12 (Wed) 7:30 P.M. Stated Meeting. Regular order of business.

May 19 (Wed) Special Communication - Conferring the Past Master Degree

**Temple Lodge No. 25**, Winthrop, Wor. Carroll Paradis, Master, 207-462-1593, [cgparadis@yahoo.com](mailto:cgparadis@yahoo.com)  
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May 17 (Mon) 7:30 P.M. Stated Communication. Regular order of business. No refreshments  
**(All meetings will be held at Lafayette Lodge No. 48, Readfield)**

**Life is a test. It is only a test. Had this been a real life you  
Would have been instructed where to go and what to do. *Poster Saying***

**Hermon Lodge No. 32**, Gardiner, Wor. Mike Clinton, Master, 207-713-0250, [elightspeedcabl@roadrunner.com](mailto:elightspeedcabl@roadrunner.com)  
Wor. Mark Mansir, Secretary, 207-576-7327, [hermonlodge32@gmail.com](mailto:hermonlodge32@gmail.com)

May 4 (Tues) Stated at 7:30 P.M. Regular order of business.

**(All Meetings will be held at Morning Star Lodge No. 41, Litchfield)**

**Bethlehem Lodge No. 35**, Augusta, Wor. Jason Carey, Master, 207-458-8305, [jasoncareyguitar@gmail.com](mailto:jasoncareyguitar@gmail.com)  
R.W. Richard N. Bergeron, Jr. Secretary, 207-240-5752, [rickbergeron@gmail.com](mailto:rickbergeron@gmail.com)

May 3 (Mon) Stated Meeting at 7:30 P.M. Regular order of business. Still no supper.

**Whatever the reasons for our being here, surely one of them  
must be to give us the opportunity to do something, at least in  
some small way, to make the world a better place. *Cleveland Amory***

**Morning Star Lodge No. 41**, Litchfield, Wor. Steven Costello, Master, 207-592-6655, [stevecostello@roadrunner.com](mailto:stevecostello@roadrunner.com)  
Wor. Charles J. Izzi, Jr., Secretary, 207-740-1150, [charlesizzi@roadrunner.com](mailto:charlesizzi@roadrunner.com)

May 18 (Tues) Stated Meeting at 7:30 P.M. No refreshments. Please wear masks. Special Presentation  
from Ms. Susan Scacchi @ 7 P.M. Director Maine Charitable Foundation.

**Lafayette Lodge No. 48**, Readfield, Wor. Charles Colegrove, Master, 207-213-9200 (cell), [c\\_colegrove@yahoo.com](mailto:c_colegrove@yahoo.com)  
R.W. John E. Lord, Jr., Secretary, 207-685-4266, [bjlord@roadrunner.com](mailto:bjlord@roadrunner.com)

May 6 (Thur) Stated Meeting at 7:30 P.M. Regular Order of Business. Refreshments. (1<sup>st</sup> Thurs).

**Note: Lafayette Lodge Hall is now handicapped accessible.**

**Rural Lodge No. 53**, Sidney, Wor. Jaison Hall, Master, 207-446-3576 (cell), jchall874@gmail.com  
Wor. Mathew L'Italian, Secretary, 207-485-5469, mrlitalien@gmail.com

May 24 (Mon) Stated Meeting at 7:30 P.M. Regular Order of Business. Pot Luck Dinner at 6:30 P.M.  
Jun 26 (Sat) Save the Date! Rural Lodge's Annual Strawberry Festival.  
Aug 14 (Sat) Save this Date! Rural Lodge will have a Pig Roast Fundrasier.  
(My Brothers, if you could share that info with your members, we appreciate it!)

**Dirigo Lodge No. 104**, Weeks Mills, Wor. Leonard Goodine, Master, (H) 207-445-5667 (C) 207-458-9871  
Wor. Tom Squiers, Secretary, 207-485-5543, tsquiersjr@gmail.com

May 17 (Mon) Stated Meeting at 7:30 P.M. Regular Order of Business.

**Monmouth Lodge No. 110**, Monmouth, Wor. David Stevens, Master, 207-933-2143, dhstevens4995@gmail.com  
M.W. David Walker, Secretary, 933-2862, dawalkerglme@gmail.com

May 10 (Mon) 7:30 P.M. Stated Meeting, Regular Order of Business, Short Educational Program,  
Refreshments to follow  
May 24 (Mon) **6:00 PM** Master Mason Degree on two candidates, Light meal served at **5:30 P.M.**

**Asylum Lodge No. 133**, Leeds, Wor. Ty Barker

Wor. Matthew J. Sekerak, Secretary, 524-2076, matthew.sekerak@fairpoint.net

May 13 (Thur) Stated at 7:30 P.M. Regular order of business. (2nd Thursday).

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#### **ROYAL ARCH CHAPTERS-CAPITULAR DEGREES**

(Mark Master-Past Master-Most Excellent Master-Royal Arch Mason)

**Winthrop Chapter No. 37**, Readfield, Ex Dan Cronin,  
dcronin16@yahoo.com, High Priest. (897-5939), (1<sup>st</sup> Wed)

##### **Dark for the month of May**

Officers and members of Winthrop Chapter who belong to Alpha Council #3 will meet in Hallowell on May 5th (1st Wed). To conduct Alpha Council business.

**Cushnoc Chapter No. 43**, Augusta, Ex. Gregory Chapman, High Priest. (592-2259) ggc8697@yahoo.com  
(1<sup>st</sup> Thur)

May 6 (Thur) Stated at 7:00 P.M.

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#### **ADDRESS CORRECTIONS WANTED**

Please help us by supplying a correct address to 11th Masonic District, Masters & Wardens Assoc., P.O. Box 201, Augusta, Maine 04332-0201. You may send your changes directly to Ron Emery, 267 Alder Park Road, South China, ME 04358. Thank You. **E-mail:** ronaldemery@gmail.com

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#### **COMMANDERIES OF KNIGHTS TEMPLAR CHIVALRIC ORDERS**

(Order of the Red Cross-Order of Malta-Order of the Temple)

##### **Maine Trinity Commandery No.1, Augusta,**

Charles Wadleigh, Recorder, 293-2308,  
Moosemaster1940@yahoo.com  
Llewelyn C. Manter, Commander, 557-4114

May 26 at 7:00 P.M Stated Meeting

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#### **ANCIENT ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITE VALLEY OF AUGUSTA**

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**Kennebec Valley-Lodge of Perfection - 14th degree**  
Bruce Ruger 32\*, Thrice Potent Master  
**Augusta Council Princes of Jerusalem - 15th degree**  
Edward M. Brownell 32\*, Sovereign Prince  
**Emeth Chapter of Rose Croix - 18th degree**  
Daniel Cronin 32\*, Most Wise Master

Valley of Augusta Scottish Rite bodies will hold regular Stated Meeting May 19 at 7:30 pm in the Prelate's Room at Augusta.

Robert L. Smith, 32° MSA, Secretary  
Valley of Augusta A.A.S.R.  
P.O. Box 324  
East Wilton ME 04234

## DISTRICT DOINGS

**May 26 at 7:30 P.M.** - Masters' and Wardens' meet at 7:30 P.M. at the Abnaki Club Room, Augusta Temple. All Masters and Wardens should make an effort to join us. Please report any illness or hardship of a brother, his wife or widow, to the Chairman of your Lodge's Care and Share Committee. Your support is greatly needed. All Masons invited.

### KENNEBEC VALLEY SHRINE CLUB

The club will be doing the meeting by ZOOM.  
May 24 (Mon) 6:00 P.M. Stated Meeting via ZOOM.  
Those with an active email will receive the meeting ID number and password.

May 8 (Sat)h Ladies Night and Potentate's Reception at the Augusta Elks Club Civic Center Dr. Festivities start at 5:30 pm. For tickets contact Mike at 592-0233

### HIGH TWELVE CLUB (2<sup>nd</sup> Tues)

Maine's First High Twelve Club #730 **will not meet** at the Morning Star Lodge in Litchfield on Tuesday May 11 at 11:00 A.M. Meetings at this time is not being held. For more information call Charles Wadleigh at 207-293-2308.

Any meetings may not be held if Convid virus is a concern. Please check dates Stay Safe and Strong in 2021. Ron Emery

## Important Notice Regarding Trestle board

"Brethren, by vote of the 11th District Masters and Wardens Association, the Trestle board will no longer be printed and mailed after the April 2021 issue. Future monthly issue will be available on the District's website at [www.mighty11thmaine.org](http://www.mighty11thmaine.org). Please contact your lodge for more information."

Bookmark this link in order to display the District's website to retrieve the current or past Trestle boards.

### The 201<sup>st</sup> Annual Communication of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge Of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of the State of Maine

Will meet at Anah Shrine Center, 1404 Broadway, Bangor  
**Tuesday, May 4, 2021**

Every brother will need to show a valid dues card  
to gain admission to the session.

### Masters and Wardens Association Officers

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mpnic@roadrunner.com

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KB1PHS@gmail.com

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**COUNCILS OF ROYAL AND SELECT  
MASTERS CRYPTIC DEGREES**

(Royal Master-Select Master-Super Excellent Master)

**Alpha Council No. 3**, Hallowell, Leo Bellemare,  
Illustrious Master (1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday)

**May 5** (Wed) Stated Meeting. Rehearsal in the Select  
Degree to be confirmed on Companion Brian Farrington  
for the June 2 Inspection. Companions needed to fill  
non and small speaking parts please. Refreshments.

**Adoniram Council No. 12**, Augusta, Joshua Atkinson,  
Illustrious Master. (737-4094.) (4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday)

**May 26** (Wed) Stated Communication at 6:00 P.M.  
at Augusta Masonic Building

**ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR  
DISTRICT NO. 7**

All Chapter Meetings start at 7:30  
Unless noted below

Not all District #7 Chapters have meetings scheduled,  
please contact the Chapter Secretary for further  
information.

**Queen Esther Chapter No. 10**, Hallowell  
(1<sup>st</sup> Tues-7:00 P.M.)

Jean McKenna – 480-1751  
Secretary, Email: r\_mckenna@msn.com

**Marion Chapter. No. 63**, Gardiner (2<sup>nd</sup> Mon)

Rebecca St. Pierre – 582-7014  
Secretary, Email: Rebecca.st.pierre@maine.gov  
(Meeting in Litchfield)

**Mystic Chapter No. 69**, Litchfield (1<sup>st</sup> Mon – 7:00 P.M.)

Paula Nicholas – 622-0381  
Secretary, email: mpnic@roadrunner.com

**Abenaki Chapter No. 116**, Winthrop (2<sup>nd</sup> Fri)

May 14<sup>th</sup> Stated meeting: Memorial Night/white  
gowns

Kelly Hooper – 446-3469  
Secretary, Email: [kelly.hooper@gmail.com](mailto:kelly.hooper@gmail.com)  
Meeting in Readfield (2<sup>nd</sup> Fri)

**Lily of the Valley Chapter No. 157**, Weeks Mills (3<sup>rd</sup> Thur)

Carol Thomas – 445-2633 Secretary

**THE TRAVELING GAVEL**

Mark your calendar for **May 17**. The lodge with the  
most members visiting **Dirigo Lodge No. 104 stated  
meeting in May**, will take home the traveling gavel.  
This is a great opportunity to visit with fellow Masons.  
Just remember a minimum of **three members** from one  
lodge is required.

**The Traveling Gavel is now at  
Dirigo Lodge No. 104  
MEETING IN WEEKS MILLS**

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