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The Nutley **Order of The Eastern Star** Hosted "Master Mason Night" on February 16th. In traditional "**Wolf Pack**" fashion, the Officers of Nutley Lodge #25 showed up in Full Force!!



LIVING PAST MASTERS

Robert G. Handy - 1965 Richard S. Kondak - 1967 Edward H. Honchen, PGC - 1970 Anthony Restivo - 1975/79 Richard Kacvinski - 1977 Donald J. Testa - 1981 Rich C. Petermann, PDDGM -1983/96 Eugene D. Fucetola - 1984* Carl E. Steinmetz, PGC - 1988 Richard A. Goldrick Sr., PGC - 1999 Neil S. Henning - 2001 Nigel A. Duguid - 2002 George H. Heflich Jr., PDDGM - 2003 Dale D. Weingarten - 2004/05 Rowland L. Francis, PIGD - 2005*/08* Langdon A. Wagner Jr. - 2006 Anthony Santiago - 2007 Wayne A. Petermann - 2008 Franklin M. Suco - 2009 Dalton Mejia, PDRI - 2010 Jose E. Villalta, PDDGM - 2011/14 Iavier Florez - 2014 Bagrat Lalavan · 2014*/ Girard Lukowiak - 20 Erick Andersen - 201 Joel Finnerty, GC - 20 Javier Osorio - 2017 Michael R. Diaz - 2018 Raul Maldonado - 2020 G. Daniel Lukowiak - 2021 *Affiliated

LODGE TRUSTEES

R.W. Joel Finnerty	2022
R.W. George Heflich	
W.B. Jerry Lukowiak	2024

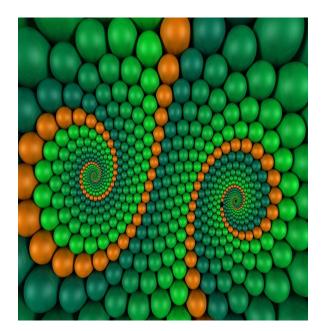
Every 3rd Tuesday we open our doors to the Red Cross!

NUTLEY LODGE NO. 25 OF FREE & ACCEPTED MASONS

EST- JANUARY 12TH, 1853



MARCH 2022



Stated Communications held on the First and Third Mondays The Gavel sounds at 7 PM

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MASTER'S MESSAGE

Brethren,

As we are still very much experiencing the frigid cold of Winter, we are also starting to see glimpses of Spring on the horizon. It is incredible how a little bit of warm weather can drastically change our mood for the better. Installation season, which takes place in the heart of the Winter, is now officially behind us. Similar to the season of Spring, our attention is geared towards growth and new beginnings, as we welcome Entered Apprentices into our beloved craft.

The month of March is not only the beginning of Spring, but it is also when the celebration of St. Patrick's day takes place. On the surface, the majority of people who observe this day usually associate traditional signs and symbols such as shamrocks & four-leaf clovers, or the folklore character of the leprechaun. You also have the legendary story of St. Patrick chasing snakes away from Ireland.

My favorite thing about St. Patrick's day is walks of life, coming together in celebration for a day. Freemasonry does the same. At our core, we come together and unify, regardless of Religion, Race, Political Party etc. It is a beautiful sight to see, when everyone is smiling, laughing and enjoying themselves without a care in the world. Just for that little moment in time, we get to truly appreciate each other without the rigors of every day life clouding our happiness.

The color Green is a special color, & it dominates the festivities. During this time, I wish you all Luck & abundance as we transition out of the Cold days of Winter, and into the warm & prosperous season of Spring.

"The Worshipful Wolf" William J. Sikora III Worshipful Master

MASTER'S NOTES

March 5th – St. Paddy's Day Parade in Nutley

For the First time in over a decade, Nutley Lodge & The 8th District will be Marching in a parade in the town of Nutley! Please Meet at Holy Family Church located at 28 Brookline Ave. at Noon. Parade to begin at 1pm. Corned Beef & Cabbage to be served after the Parade at Nutley Lodge.

March 7th- Regular Communication

After being postponed in January, The **Rainbow Girls** Mistletoe Assembly #20 will be coming to do their "Gavel Presentation Ceremony". This will also be Birthday Night for Brothers Raised in March.

Dinner: 6:00 Gavel: 7:00

March 21st- Regular Communication

RW Moises Gomez will be doing a new lecture titled "Freemasonry Reimagined". This lecture looks at the Masonic ingredients and foundation for Freedom, Democracy, Unity, Tolerance & Equality for all.

Dinner: 6:00 Gavel: 7:00

March 22nd - The Third Eve Society

This months presentation and discussion will be "Invest in Yourself" by Mr. Dan D'Liah. Using your mindset to succeed in your life.

Lodge: 7:00 **Open** To Everyone

March 28th - DLI- Copestone Ophir #108 Dinner 6:30 Masters/Wardens 7:15 D.L.I 7:45

Nutley Lodge #25 **Superbowl LVI Party**



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Dual Petitions Pending Br. Julio Colmenares Br. Nicholas Luciano

Awaiting EA Degree Mr. Carlton Grant

Awaiting Investigation

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> Mr. Julius Osifo Student Irvington, NJ

Mr. Luis Garcia Rivas Store Manager Belleville, NJ

Petitions Pending

Mr. Gnel Mkrtchyan **Director of Commercial Global Biologics Operations** Oakridge, NJ

> Mr. George Smith IV Musician & Entertainment Belleville, NJ

MARCH BIRTHDAYS

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