



Luther B. Turner

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Brotherly Love, Relief and Truth

December 2014

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Stated Meetings 1st Tuesday of each month @ 7:30 PM except July and August
Special Meetings to be called at the direction of the Master



Fraternal Greetings,
I would like to open by thanking the Brethren of Luther B. Turner for their vote of confidence with our new line of officers. I have set some high goals for our officers and lodge this year, and feel confident that we will accomplish them.

One of our main goals in lodge this year will be **new membership!** Over the past seven years our membership has decreased by about 30%. We now have approximately 150 members. With this in mind we should focus on increasing our members by at least 20 Master Masons, this year. To help accomplish this goal we are going to have an Open House on Saturday, March 7, 2015. I am asking all members to bring at least one potential candidate. Every member knows at least one "good man" to bring to this Open House. Also, don't forget about the ladies, they too can also help by finding us some "good men" who could be potential candidates.

Our second goal is fundraising, as always. We are approaching this topic a little different this year. We are establishing a (5) five year budget plan for the lodge. This budget plan will help us forecast our costs. The financial data will be used in the process of developing new fundraisers and determining which traditional ones we keep.

Therefore, we do have a pancake breakfast scheduled for Saturday, February 7th from 7 to 11 am. Please bring yourself, family and friends to the breakfast. We greatly appreciate your continued support for our lodge.

In closing, I look forward to serving our lodge as Worshipful Master this year. If any Brethren needs transportation to lodge, please call

me at 614-554-4371. We will assure that you get picked up and taken home, by a Brethren.

Respectively Submitted,
WM Steve Miller



From the Secretary

I like to thank all the Brethren that came to our annual meeting to elect and support our new officers for the 2014/2015 year. We had a very nice turnout and are looking forward to a great year.

Our installation on November 16, 2014, turned out to be another well attended event. We had a total attendance of 54 with 34 of them being guests. Thanks to all who helped to make it a nice evening.

We are concerned that we don't always know how our "sick" members are doing so we are instituting a new position in the lodge as a way to keep in touch and keep up to date with our members who are not doing well. Bro. Bill Dawson will be our liaison with you and the lodge. If you or anyone you know are sick please contact Bill and he will contact that person to see if any assistance is needed and he will make a report at the stated meeting and inform us of that persons status. Bill's contact information is 614-755-9909.

I appreciate all of those who have paid their dues in a timely manner, and all of you that have made contributions to the lodge building fund. The lodge building fund is used for updating and maintaining the building. So far the total in the

From The Secretary (Cont.)

lodge building fund is \$6,235.00 to date. This year alone \$1,780 was contributed. Soon we will be replacing lights in our parking lot for easier access into the building and for safety purposes. We also need to do repair work on the gutters which is in the plan.

IT'S TIME TO BOWL....our bowling league is starting back up starting December 21, 2014 until April 5, 2015. That's 16 weeks of fun for our members and their families. You can still participate - we need couples and singles. We will be bowling at Grove City lanes on Sundays at 4:00. If you are interested you can call Bruce Schreiber 614-445-0761.

Fraternally,
Ronald Dews P.M., Secretary
Home 614-710-1572
Cell. 614-332-2463

From the Turnerettes:

The tree is up and the Holiday Season is underway !!! We are getting ready for the Holiday Activities and looking forward to a fun time.

The Turnerette Christmas is December 13, 2014 at 5:30. The Turnerettes will be providing the meat and we will do our normal Jitney routine for the rest of the party. I will be calling you to get a count this week. We have some fun things planned, so please come....If you need to be picked up call me and we can arrange for you to get there.

If you have any dish towels that you would like to donate please bring them to the lodge....Some of ours look like they are on their last leg and need to be tossed.

If you have any old computer "Mouse Pads" and wish to get rid of them, please bring them to the lodge so we can use them as hot pads. They work great and we do not have enough for our jitney dinners.

I NEED CAKES....for the 17th. The Childrens Christmas Party is that day and I am in charge of the

games and of course doing the "Highly Popular Cake Walk". I have asked at our meeting on Tuesday, but

I do need more, so if you can make a Christmas Theme Cake and bring it to the lodge, or you can drop it by my office I would really appreciate it.

A special HUG from the Turnerettes to our members who are "under the weather". We hope to see you back in our meetings soon.

Best to you this Holiday Season
Pat Dews, President
614-332-2464 Cell
614-878-9720 Work



Turnerette's Christmas Party

December 13, 2014 5:30 pm

Luther B. Turner Lodge Christmas Party

December 17, 2014 6:30 – 8:30 pm



From the Editor

As always thank you to those who choose to have their letters delivered electronically. By doing so you are saving your lodge the cost of printing and mailing. If you currently receive this letter by mail and would like to receive it electronically please email me at jrumer@aol.com to let me know. Afterwards please be sure to check your spam (or junk) folder for any future emails "just in case".

I wanted to bring your attention to a couple of items from the 14th District Newsletter. First of all, District Inspections are underway. Here are the dates of inspections for December and January. All of them are in the EA Degree so it's a good opportunity to watch and learn. Inspections usually include a dinner before lodge opens. Most Dinners are planned for about 6:15 and the Degree starts at 7:00 p.m.

Linden #637 - December 11 - EA Degree

University #631 - January 6 - EA Degree

Magnolia #20 - January 9 - EA Degree

Triangle #748 - January 29 - EA Degree

Also mentioned in the newsletter was that the Past Master's Convocation of the 14th District is set for Saturday, December 13th at South Gate - Potter Lodge #782 at 651 Groveport Rd., Canal Winchester. The Masters of the Lodges in the 14th District should be ready for introduction by 8:15. This is followed by the District Annual Meeting later that morning.

The Annual Pancake Breakfast will be on Saturday February 7th from 7 – 11 am. Mark your calendars for this great event.

On the back of this page is the Schedule of Events for Luther B. Turner Lodge for the entire year. You can also see the schedule and follow up on happenings on the Lodge's website www.lutherbturner732.com

Thanks

John Rumer, Senior Warden



**Merry Christmas
To All!**

**From the Officers and Ladies of
Luther B. Turner Lodge**

2014-2015 Lodge Schedule	Dates and Times
Turnerette's Christmas Party	Saturday December 13th, 2014 @ 5:30 pm
Lodge Christmas Party	Wednesday December 17th, 2014 @ 6:30-8:30 pm
Stated Meeting	Tuesday January 6th, 2015 @ 7:30 pm
Past Maters, Officers, Craft Club dinner	Saturday January 17th, 2015 @ 6:00 pm
Pancake Breakfast	Saturday February 7th, 2015 @ 7-11 am
Stated Meeting	Tuesday March 3rd, 2015 @ 7:30 pm
Open House	Saturday March 7th, 2015 @ 5:00-8:00 pm
Spaghetti dinner	Saturday April 4th, 2015 @ 5:00 pm-8:00 pm
Stated Meeting	Tuesday April 7th, 2015 @ 7:30 pm
Ladies Night	Saturday May 2nd, 2015 @ 5:30 pm
Stated Meeting	Tuesday May 5th, 2015 @ 7:30 pm
Outdoor Master Mason Degree	Saturday May 16th, 2015 @ 6:00 pm (<i>subject to change</i>)
Call to Refreshment	Tuesday June 2nd, 2015 @ 7:30 pm
Craft Club Steak Fry	Friday June 12th, 2015 @ 6:30 pm
Golf Outing	Saturday June 20th, 2015 @ TBA
Inspection	Wednesday June 17th, 2015
Lodge Picnic	Saturday July 13th, 2015 @ 5:00 pm
Call to Labor	Tuesday September 1st, 2015 @ 7:30 pm
Lodge move up night	Tuesday October 6th, 2015 @ 7:30 pm
Special Events	
Family Bowling League	12/7/14 thru 3/22/15 @ 4:00 pm
Scioto Downs	August 22, 2015 @ 6:00 pm