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From the District Deputy

Some great news...The Masonic Foundation of Ontario (MFO) is providing a grant of \$25,000 to Cambrian College. The MFO funds will be matched by the College to create an endowment that will fund an annual award to a Cambrian student enrolled in the School of Community Services. The Vice President of our Foundation, R. W. Bro. Koivu and I will be presenting the cheque to the Cambrian College Foundation in early May.

The MFO has essentially revamped the bursary program. The new approach is to seek out situations where institutions can provide some level of matching funds that will create an ongoing bursary...Cambrian was one of 4 colleges (no universities) that replied to the MFO's offer to provide an endowment of \$25,000.

Your support of this years District Project, "**Freemasons helping to feel the Hungry**" is appreciated. The project will be wrapping up by the 15th of May. If you have been putting off your chance to help the less fortunate of our community, please tend to this matter now.

Believe it or not, Spring is on the way. Remember April showers, bring May flowers. I know this is hard to believe, as I write this article, snow is being dumped upon the City of Greater Sudbury. May promises to be another busy month in the Sudbury-Manitoulin District with hi-lights being the Installations of Nickel Lodge No. 427, Sudbury Lodge No. 658, and my last Official Visit, Friendship Lodge No. 691. The District Chairmen are reminded that their year end reports are due now. All reports must be completed and received by the Grand Secretary by the first of June and distributed to the lodges at the BBQ and District Meeting in Little Current on June 3, 2013.

I would be remiss if I did not encourage **YOU** to make an effort to visit other Lodges. It usually is a rewarding experience and you will, no doubt, pick up a point or two to share with the Brethren of your own lodge. My brethren, I look forward to sitting in Lodge with you soon. I am...

Sincerely and fraternally,

Keith I. Jordan
DDGM Sudbury-Manitoulin District



Passed To The Grand Lodge Above



R.W. Bro. Albert Stonier
Nickel Lodge No. 427
WE CHERISH HIS MEMORY IN OUR HEARTS



Sick and Visiting

Bro. Harley Allman
Sudbury Lodge No. 658
R.W. Bro. Wah Chung
Friendship Lodge No. 691
We wish them well and pray for their full recovery

IMPORTANT MAY DATES

SATURDAY, MAY 4TH 2013
NICKEL LODGE
INSTALLATION
NICKEL LODGE
LADIES NIGHT

D.D.G.M.
OFFICIAL VISIT
WEDNESDAY, MAY 8TH 2013
FRIENDSHIP LODGE NO.
691


MONDAY, MAY 13TH 2013
SUDBURY LODGE
INSTALLATION




Doric Lodge No. 455 D.D.G.M. Official Visit

R.W. Bro. Keith I. Jordan conducted his Official Visit to Doric Lodge on Tuesday, April 9th 2013. The work of the evening included the Initiation of Mr. Andrew Orr into Freemasonry.

Continuing a long standing tradition the brethren enjoyed a delicious dinner prepared by the Spanish River Chapter of the Order of the Easter Star.



(Front Row L-R) Bro. Cory Doughty, who had just Proved his Third degree – W. Bro. Richard Belton – Bro. Andrew Orr – R.W. Bro. Keith I. Jordan D.D.G.M. – V.W. Bro. Lyle Redden, Grand Steward
(Middle Row) R.W. Bro. John Hodder – W. Bro. Robert Paxton – W. Bro. Alan Wright - W. Bro. Wilfred Holmes
(Back Row) Bro. Dan Clark – W. Bro. Norm Hore – V.W. Bro. Bruce Gordon – V. W. Bro. Keith Varey – Bro. Tom McQuay – W. Bro. Wally Moore





ALGONQUIN LODGE NO. 536 INSTALLATION

Algonquin Lodge No. 536 held their annual Installation and Investiture of Officers on Saturday, April 27th 2013. W. Bro. Jason Ashley installed Bro. Victory Anthony (Casey) Stranges as the new Worshipful Master.



(Front L-R) V.W. Bro. John Gamble – Bro. Bill Evanochko – W. Bro. V.A. Casey Stranges – Bro. David Marshall – R.W. Bro. Keith I. Jordan D.D.G.M. (Middle Row) Bro. Charles Searle – Bro. David Squarzolo – Bro. Kyle Gray – Bro. Preston Hiscock – V.W. Bro. Wayne Quinn (Back Row) R.W. Bro. Brian Koivu – W. Bro. Jason Ashley – R.W. Bro. Al Burns – W. Bro. Bill Fuller – R.W. Bro. Paul Ashley – Bro. Gilbert Davies – Bro. Jason Ashley

Installing Master and the New Worshipful Master



Presentation of Grand Lodge certificate



W. Bro. Stranges presented Bro. Jason McKibbon with his Grand Lodge certificated before closing the lodge. Jason's father W. Bro. Don McKibbon is on his left.





CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES

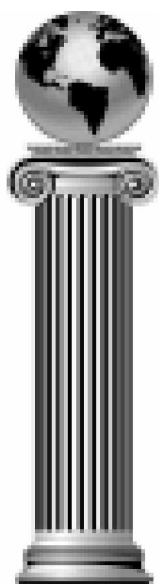
Nickel Lodge No. 427

Congratulations to Bro. Steven Stobo on being Initiated into Freemasonry on Wednesday, April 3rd 2013.



(L-R) W. Bro. Steven Fleming; sponsor - R.W. Bro. Robert J. Fleming - Bro. Steven Stobo, the newly initiated member of Nickel Lodge; W. Bro. Greg Newson - sponsor and R.W. Bro. Keith I. Jordan - D.D.G.M.

Nickel Lodge celebrated the arrival of Mr. Steven Stobo into Masonry on April 3rd. One Fellowcraft and five Entered Apprentices were present to celebrate his Initiation.



(L-R) Bro. Shane Tweedy, Fellow-Craft; Bros. Steven Stobo, Glem Mersereau, Angus Morris- Entered Apprentices; W. Bro. Steven Fleming, Worshipful Master; Bros. Justin Proulx, Michael Edger and Phil Ruff - Entered Apprentices and R.W. Bro. Keith I. Jordan, D.D.G.M.

Gore Bay Lodge No. 472

Congratulations to Bro. Justin Coutts on being Passed to the Fellowcraft degree on Thursday, April 11, 2013.

Bethel Lodge No. 699

Congratulations to Bro. Clayton Keyes on being Initiated into Freemasonry on Friday, April 12th 2013.

Congratulations to Bro. Thomas Smith on being Initiated into Freemasonry on Friday, April 26th 2013 during an Emergent meeting of Bethel Lodge.

Doric Lodge No. 455

Congratulations to Bro. Michael Terry and Bro. Tim Fenerty on being Initiated into Freemasonry during an Emergent meeting on Tuesday, April 23rd 2013.





ESPANOLA LODGE NO. 527 P&E SESSION

It was a different type of Step-up night for Bro. Bradley Bracken of Espanola Lodge on Wednesday, April 3rd 2013. His father V.W. Bro. Clair Bracken and his uncle W. Bro. Doug Bracken were in attendance to show their support. After assuming the gavel in the Near East and conducting the lodge business Bro. Bracken invited R.W. Bro. Saliem J. Khoury of the Grand Lodge committee on Protocol and Etiquette to conduct his presentation to the brethren present.

An excellent gathering in support of the Sr. Warden on Step-up night and to receive some important Grand Lodge education.

Supporting family



(L-R) W. Bro. Doug Bracken (uncle) – Bro. Bradley Bracken – V.W. Bro. Clair Bracken (dad). Some of the Bracken Boys in our District.



W. Bro. Wayne White decided it would be a good night for the P&E session and enlisted R.W. Bro. Khoury for the evening.



(L-R) R.W. Bro. Saliem J. Khoury – W. Bro. Wayne White – V.W. Bro. Lyle Redden, Grand Steward

It could not have been better night to present a Protocol and Etiquette information session on the duty of a Worshipful Master. Step-up night involved the advancement of one chair by the Officers and provided the Worshipful Master with the freedom to pay close attention to the presentation offered.





Sudbury Lodge of Perfection Annual Reunion

Scottish Rite members of the Sudbury Lodge of Perfection held their Annual Reunion and initiation of candidates on Friday, April 19th and Saturday, April 20th at the Belrock Masonic Centre. Candidates Bro. Joe Woodliffe of Doric Lodge No. 455 and Bro. Chris Purvis of Sudbury Lodge No. 658 G.R.C. were warmly welcomed into the Scottish Rite fraternity.

Luncheon Guest Speaker



Ill. Bro. Mark Woodliffe shows his father Bro. Joe Woodliffe where to sign the Register.



Bro. Chris Purvis and Bro. Joe Woodliffe under the watchful eye of Ill. Bro. Ed Bradley T.P.G.M.



Ill. Bro. Maurice Hrycyk, Past Deputy

Lodge of Perfection: The fourth to the fourteenth degrees amplify the legend of the Master Mason degree and the story of the building of King Solomon's Temple. These degrees performed in colourful era costumes are designed to impress more forcefully the teachings of the first three degrees. In all Lodges of Perfection the 4th, 5th, 7th 13th and 14th degrees are obligatory, and are conferred in full: the others, if not in full, are communicated by obligation and explanation.



Past and present T.P.G.M.





MAY 2013

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>Espanola Lodge</p> <p>Fish Fry Saturday, May 11th 3:30pm to 7:00pm Take Out Available</p>		<p>Java Guild at Belrock every Tuesday</p> <p>Come for Coffee Stay for Lunch</p>	<p>1. ESPANOLA LODGE Presentation of 60 year pin to V.W. Bro. F. Bright & Elections Dinner 6:00pm</p>	<p>2.  SHRINE CLUB Dinner Meeting with the Ladies at the Elks Club in Espanola</p>	<p>3.</p>	<p>4. NICKEL LODGE Installation of Officers 1:00pm Nickel Lodge Ladies Cabaret Night</p>
5.	6.	<p>7. NATIONAL LODGE Elections</p>	<p>8. FRIENDSHIP LODGE</p> <p>D.D.G.M. Official Visit 6:00pm Dinner 2nd Degree Bro. Tom Boyuk</p>	<p>9. GORE BAY LODGE Elections Brethren proving 3rd Degree Algoma Chapter O.E.S.</p>	<p>10. BETHEL LODGE 1st Degree</p>	<p>11. Excalibur York Rite College 10:00am Alpha Council 1:00pm  Shrine Club Evening on Elm</p>
<p>12. </p>	<p>13. SUDBURY LODGE Installation of Officers Dinner 6:00pm</p>	<p>14. DORIC LODGE Elections & 2nd Degree Bro. Andrew Orr</p>	15.	<p>16. Tuscan Chapter</p> <p>M.M.M. Degree</p> <p>Spanish River Chapter O.E.S. Little Current</p>	17.	18.
19.	<p>20. </p>	<p>21. ALGONQUIN LODGE 1st Degree Espanola Chapter</p> <p>M.E.M. Degree</p>	22.	<p>23. Mavar Preceptory Order of the Temple</p> 	<p>24. BETHEL LODGE Emergent Mtg. 1st Degree</p>	<p>25. Enjoy a great breakfast at Sports Complex hosted by Espanola Lodge</p>  <p>then see the Classic Cruisers</p>
26.	27.	28.	<p>29.  SHRINE CLUB Executive Meeting Members Welcome</p>	<p>30. </p> <p>Steak Fry Branch 76 Legion</p>	31.	<p>Sudbury-Manitoulin</p>  <p>Please Give the Gift of Life</p>



ASSINIBOINE DISTRICT GRAND LODGE OF MANITOBA

Grand Master of Manitoba and Grand Master of Albert Visit Brandon Lodge No. 19

Brandon Lodge No.19, GRM, AF&AM in the Assiniboine District is located at 8th Street and Lorne Avenue in the city of Brandon Manitoba. It is here that you will find W. Bro. Jesse Tait a Mason from Sudbury who now lives in

Brandon and is the Worshipful Master of that lodge. During the regular meeting on Tuesday, April 9th 2013 the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Manitoba M.W.Bro. Allan J.L. Hadley and the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Alberta, M.W.Bro. David A. Roth stopped in on a Fraternal visit. M.W. Bro. David A. Roth wanted to visit the lodge of his Great Grandfather who was initiated into Brandon 19 in 1924. M.W. Bro. Roth has been visiting the lodges of his father, grandfather, and great grandfather spread across the Prairie Provinces.



Grand Lodge Officers from Left to right are: Jr. Grand Warden, R.W.Bro. Ronald Church (Mb); Sr. Grand Warden, R.W.Bro. Stano Spina (Mb); Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Manitoba, M.W.Bro. Allan J.L. Hadley; Master of Brandon Lodge No.19, W. Bro. Jesse S.D. Tait (Mb); Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Alberta, M.W.Bro. David A. Roth; Deputy Grand Master, R.W.Bro. John Cameron (Ab); Grand Secretary, M.W.Bro. Ted Jones (Ab); and Assiniboine District Deputy Grand Master, R.W.Bro Randy MacDonald (Mb).

Sudbury Lodge No. 658 news from March

Congratulations to Bro. Adam Lenneau on being Initiated into Freemasonry on Tuesday, March 18th 2013.



Affiliating with Sudbury Lodge on the same night was W. Bro. Ralph Herold (Son of R.W. Bro. Joe Herold) and W. Bro. Glenn Sheridan



MAVAR PRECEPTORY NO. 65 SUPREME GRAND MASTER VISITS



Mavar Preceptory No. 65 welcomed M. Em. Kt. Gerald E. Tetzloff G.C.T. the Supreme Grand Master of Sovereign Great Priory of Canada to the April 25th 2013 Assembly at the Belrock Masonic Centre.



Received under the Knights Arch of Steel



Knight of the Order of the Red Cross, Sr. Kt. Ross King was presented and received the first part of the Order of the Temple (Novice) under the direction of R. Em. Kt. John E. Gamble.



M. Em. Kt. Gerald Tetzloff with R. Em. Kt. John Gamble



Supreme Grand Master congratulates Kt. Ross King candidate.



V.Em. Kt. Bryon Millar prepared delicious cookies commemorating the visit of the S.G.M.





Order of the Eastern Star Algoma Chapter No. 139



At the April 11th 2013 meeting of Algoma Chapter No. 139 - Order of the Eastern Star, membership pins were presented to Algoma Members recognizing 280 years of service. Sixty year pin recipient; Violet Kirkpatrick, Past Matron was initiated in Algoma Chapter on February 12th 1953. Violet Bradbury, P.M. was initiated in Porcupine Chapter No. 84 in South Porcupine on the 17th of February 1953. She subsequently became a member of Arbutus Chapter No. 123 in Timmins. Having affiliated with Algoma Chapter in Sudbury, she and several members travel over 300 kilometres to attend Chapter. Some travel over 460 kilometres from Kapuskasing. Edith McGinn P.M. who had joined Algoma on the 14th of March 1963 and Luella Ashick; Past District Deputy Grand Matron, became a member of the Order in Algoma Chapter on April 11th 1963 were each given their 50 year pin. 50 year plus membership pins are issued by Grand Chapter. Sharon Orr; Past District Deputy Grand Matron, who had joined the Order in Arbutus Chapter in Timmins on the 26th of March 1975 was presented with her 35 year pin. Sharon served 12 consecutive years as Worthy Matron of Arbutus Chapter before affiliating with Algoma. Bryon Millar; Past Patron, joined Jewel Chapter No. 186 in Kapuskasing on April 2nd 1986, before joining Arbutus Chapter. He eventually affiliated with Algoma. The Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Ontario, Bonnie Arnew and Laverne Leverne, Worthy Grand Patron were in attendance to make presentations.



(L-R) Bonnie Arnew, W.G.M.; Violet Kirkpatrick, P.M.; Violet Bradbury, P.M.; Edith McGinn P.M.; Luella Ashick, P.D.D.G.M.; Sharon Orr, P.D.D.G.M.; and Bryon Millar, P.P. and Laverne Leverne, Worthy Grand Patron.





Sudbury Shrine Club Evening on Elm



**Catered by Chef Kirk Moskalyk
La Cascade Catering**

Menu:

*Hors D'euvres Smoked Salmon atop Dilled Cream Cheese & Pita Crisps
Goat Cheese & Pear Roulades*

Authentic Italian Bruschetta

Salad Course: Tender Crisp Romaine Gently Tossed with a Light Poppy Seed Vinaigrette served with Red Onions

Penne a la Vodka with Pan Seared Pancetta

Dinner: Roasted Pork Tenderloin wrapped with Asparagus, Old White Cheddar Potatoes served with Grilled Vegetables, Garlic Parmesan Potatoes

Dessert: Freshly Baked Lemon Meringue Pie

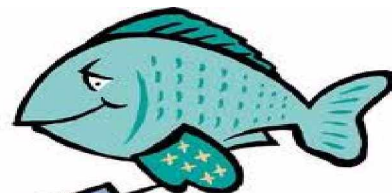
Saturday, May 11th 2013 at the Sudbury Shrine Club 259 Elm Street Sudbury.

Tickets \$55.00 per person.

Reservations, Please Call 705-524-0335

Net proceeds for the benefit of the Sudbury Shrine Club and are not deductible as a Charitable contribution.

ESPANOLA LODGE



Fish Fry

May 11th 2013

3:30pm to 7:00pm

*Come out and enjoy some
fresh fish and fries
Take Out available*

Espanola Lodge

invites you to have
breakfast at the

Espanola Sports Complex

Saturday, May 25th 2013

8:00am to 10:30am



**Enjoy a great breakfast
prepared by the brethren and
ladies of Espanola Lodge**



**then stay for the
Classic Cruisers Car Show**

