

# NEWSLETTER

For June, July & August 2007

From the Hall of

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**JUNE**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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3	4	5	<b>6 STATED MTG 7:30pm</b>	7	8	<b>9 OES MTG TRACK WORK</b>
10	11	12	<b>13 Craft Practice 6:30PM</b>	14	15	<b>16 Formula One Race</b>
<b>17 Formula One Race</b>	18	19	<b>20 Craft Practice 6:30PM</b>	21	22	23
24	25	26	<b>27 EA DEGREE 7:00PM</b>	28	29	30

**JULY & AUGUST**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			<b>DARK BOTH MONTHS</b>			
	<b>WE</b>	<b>WILL</b>	<b>BE</b>	<b>DOING</b>		
			<b>DEGREE</b>	<b>WORK</b>		
		<b>STAY</b>	<b>IN</b>	<b>TOUCH</b>		

### **Greetings from the East**

I wish to welcome our three new brethren, Jonathan Hall II, Douglas Roberts and Justin Vogt. Congratulation on your achievement and hope that you keep your Masonic pursuit active. Thanks to everyone who participated and worked hard to raise these three and to the ladies for again fixing a splendid meal. By the time that you receive this letter we will have started another EA and will be voting on a petition at our June stated meeting. There is a lot of work going on in the lodge and outside the lodge, every little bit of help will be appreciated. Hope that everyone has a safe and enjoyable summer. Just a reminder about the following dates that are already set – mark your calendar and help us:

**Formula 1** – June 16<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup> (Friday, Saturday, Sunday)

**Brickyard 400** – July 27<sup>th</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> (Friday, Saturday, Sunday)

**Spaghetti Dinner** – Sept 15<sup>th</sup> (Saturday)

**Golf Outing** – Sept 22<sup>nd</sup> (Saturday)

**Bean Supper** – Oct 6<sup>th</sup> (Saturday)

**Christmas Party** – Dec 8<sup>th</sup> (Saturday)

The proceeds from all of these benefit **YOU!** We would appreciate any and all of your assistance that you can provide.

Fraternally,  
James D. Stone PM. WM

### **Tidings from the South,**

Brethren,

The Solstice approaches; the days are long and warm; summer is upon us. In the early morning, the symphony of the birds opens the day. the deer have shed their winter gray and their bright summer coats are a joy to behold. The world is green and good.

At this Memorial Day, our hearts and prayers go out to our Brothers and fellowmen across the waters and in harms way. We all pray for their safety and speedy homecoming.

Even as we are approaching the months of darkness, yet there is work to be done. We have a Candidate and Petitioner in the works, so there will be plenty to do. Any Brother who can spare a Wednesday every now and then to participate in this great and good work in any manner will be welcomed with open arms. Be it labor, ritual or simply fellowship, we are in need of a few more good men to participate. We will soon have officer's positions needing to be filled, degree participants and Craft parts that You can play. Come be a part. We'll feed you well. Remember that Dinner at Stated Meetings is now served at 6:30, we open at 7:30. Be among us. .

Fraternally,  
Steve Klepfer PM, SW

### **From the Secretary:**

Remember that I now have a supply of pre-approved Masonic License Plate forms. They are good for automobiles, small trucks, motor homes and motorcycles. They are available to all members, their family members, Eastern Star members and our Youth Organization members. See me if you desire one.

Membership continues to increase as we welcome Brother's Roberts, Vogt and Hall II as

our newest Master Masons. We continue to be busy with the scheduling of the new candidates. We would welcome any new candidates you could recommend. You will notice that the mowing crews are at it again and we thank them for their good work. We are again working the races (Formula 1 and Brickyard) with the proceeds going toward putting a new roof on the Lodge building. If you haven't signed up to help work the stand for the Formula 1 and Brickyard give me a call so we can arrange for your free tickets.

Thanks to our Worshipful Master's efforts, he was awarded the Grand Masters Award with Distinction, again. We express our best wishes to Brother Jim and Kathy Kennedy who were badly injured in an auto accident down south but are recovering at home now. Lets all stay well, we have a lot of work to do at the races and raising new brethren.

Fraternally,  
Bill Davis, PM, Sect.

**From the Eastern Star,**

Sisters and Brothers, elections are over and Brother Harold and I are ready to serve our Chapter for another year. Our installation will be June 30, 2007 at 7PM and you all are invited. We are all set to help with the races and hope we make tons of money for the "roof". Remember September 15<sup>th</sup> is the Craft Club's Spaghetti Supper and we need donations of cakes, pies and etc. Also, the Bean Supper will be Saturday October 5<sup>th</sup> (a letter will be out soon). If you can help, please call any other member or me. Here's to a great year and please visit if you can (sideliners are always welcome)!!! September 8, 2007 is our Chapter's 113<sup>th</sup> Birthday; we will have a dinner at 6PM (pitch-in dinner). We will furnish drink, meat and desert. Just bring yourself and a covered dish to share. Also, we will honor Past Matrons/Patrons on this date.

Happy Trails,  
Mary Davis WM  
Harold Dickason WP

***ATTENTION - Our web page is up and running - still needs fine tuning but information is available - [www.oakland140.org](http://www.oakland140.org)***