Calendar of Events

Thursday July 12 thru Saturday July 21, 2012 Dinner Bell @ the Delaware Co. Fair. Open from 7:00 am till 11:00 pm

Wednesday – July 18, 2012 @ 7:00 pm Stated Meeting, we will eat dinner at 6:00 pm.

Wednesday – Aug. 15, 2012 @ 7:00 pm Stated Meeting, we will eat dinner at 6:00 pm.

Thursday - Aug. 16 thru Sunday Aug. 19, 2012 Dinner Bell @ the Dog Show.

.Saturday - Aug. 25, 2012 - Family Picnic Whitney Lodge @ 1:00 pm

Saturday – Sep. 8,2012 12:00 Noon Widows Banquet @ Whitney Lodge

Sunday - Sep. 9, 2012 Indiana Masonic Home Festival Franklin, IN

Wednesday – Sep. 19, 2012 @ 7:00 pm Stated Meeting, we will eat dinner at 6:00 pm.

Our Website is updated frequently with the activities that are scheduled for the Lodge. Log-On to the Lodge site at www.whitney229.org, we look forward to seeing you!

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If you have had a change in address or telephone number, please inform our lodge secretary, Bob Wyatt, of all changes. We are finding that we do not have good phone numbers for some of our members.



From The East

Greetings from the east, we are at the mid point of the year and things are going great. We are in the process of gearing up for our major fundraiser of the year, the Dinner Bell at the Delaware County Fair. If you haven't talked to an officer yet about signing up to work, but would like to, it is never too late. Call any officer listed in this newsletter and they will be happy to get you added to the list.

We have had a slow spring as far as degree work is concerned. However, we just read 4 petitions at our June stated meeting. So it looks like we could get busy with degree work. It would be great to stay busy with degree work through the end of the year. So, if you know someone interested in this great fraternity, talk to them about joining our lodge. If you need a petition feel free to contact me or any officer, they are available on our website as well.

Dinner Bell @ the Dog Show

We are going to be opening the Dinner Bell for the dog show again this year. The dog show runs from Aug. 16, 2012 through Aug. 19, 2012. The hours for the dog show are shorter and we will be running 2 shifts. This is not nearly as demanding as the fair, but we still need the help in staffing to run a successful event. We will be open from 7:00 am through 6:00 pm. We understand some of you will not able to work a complete shift, any help you can give will be appreciated. Contact me or any officer to sign up.

Lodge Family Picnic

We will have our annual Lodge picnic on Saturday August 25, 2012. Plan to join us for an afternoon of fun and fellowship. We will start at 1:00 pm. We will have games set up for the kids and kids at heart to enjoy, just bring a covered dish or dessert, the Hamburgers, hot

dogs and drinks will be provided by the lodge. We will also be providing all table services as well.

Masonic Home Festival

This years Masonic Home Festival is scheduled for Sunday September 9, 2012. We are planning on attending this event as we have in the past. If you have never been to this event it is worth the trip to Franklin Indiana to see what the home has to offer. There are many things changing at the home with last years assisted living facility opening and now with the start of construction for more living space. There will be food tents as well as a vender's tent set up. Also, there will be games for the kids and a parade as well as. If interested in joining us or wanting more information please contact any officer.

Masters Trip

I have set the date for our annual Masters Trip to Clarksville and the Derby Dinner Playhouse. The trip will start on Saturday. October 13, 2012. We will travel to Madison. IN first to tour the Schofield house. While in Madison you will be able to enjoy their annual "Soup, Stew, and Brew" festival held on the streets of downtown. They offer soup and chili booths along with plenty of live entertainment. We will then travel to Clarksville to check into our hotel which is next to the diner to get ready for the evening entertainment. This year's show is titled "Captain Louie". This is a musical based on the book "The Trip". I will have pricing and a sign up sheet available at the July Stated meeting and will be left in the dining room if you want to stop by. We look forward to seeing all that will be able to attend. As always, if you have any questions please contact me.