



# CENTRAL SD MASONIC MESSENGER



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## DISTRICT MASTER'S REPORT

(No message for this month.)  
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## PIERRE LODGE #27

Brethren:

I trust that you are all enjoying the beautiful Fall Season and as you have all discovered that Trick and Treating was different this year. It is my wish and prayer that Covid-19 will soon go away and that life return to normal.

I was very pleased with the turnout of members at the last meeting and at the manner in which my officers performed so proficiently. Please keep it up. I have recently been in contact with the Dean Bartlett family and due to health issues and the Covid-19 danger the family decided to place on hold the celebration of his 50 years of service to the craft.

At our last stated meeting the District Master informed us that he is planning to hold a district meeting on November 7, 2020 at the Pierre Lodge. They have a large space and social distancing will not be a problem. I invite and expect all my elected and appointed officers to be there. Our great District Master promised to make the meeting educational, informative, and also fun. The Junior Grand Warden will be the official speaker and he wants to meet all the great Masons in District 13. The meeting will be at 11:00AM with an great lunch to follow as the District Master has asked the Pierre Lodge to provide that. It will be a fun fellowship luncheon. Please let the District Master or Uncle Matt know that you will be there, so the right amount of food can be prepared (Uncle Matt-605-280-7248--Chris Kaus--605-222-9848).

As of this writing I have not heard as to when we will confer the EA degree on our two candidates in waiting. E-mails will go out as soon as we can arrange it.

The Stewards had such a nice lunch after the last meeting and I am looking forward to what they will come up with for our November stated meeting. You will not want to miss the meeting on November 9, 2020. Please all come.

In closing I wish all my officers and members a Happy and Blessed Thanksgiving.  
Gary Fischer, Master

## LILY LODGE #62 HARROLD-BLUNT

(No message for this month.)  
Gerald Johnson, Master

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## IONIC LODGE #83

Ionic Lodge is about the same. Four Brothers attended our October meeting. Not a Quorum. Our annual dues for 2021 are \$45.00.

We have not received a response from Minnesota Masons regarding their Pheasant Hunting plans near Hoven. We decided to order 1.5 gallons of Oysters for a supper sometime in December or January. We wish the best to ALL Masons. Stay healthy and join us in fellowship when you can.

Larry Madsen, Secretary

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## HIRAM LODGE #123

(No message for this month.)  
Steve Likness, Scribe

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## MOBRIDGE LODGE #164

The October Mobridge No. 164 A.F. & A.M. stated communication was held on Monday, October 12, 2020, at 7:00PM and business was conducted. The Mobridge Masons will be starting a reoccurring Poutine Fundraiser starting in November. If you don't know what Poutine is, you can either look it up or feel free to come to Mobridge and try it! Poutine was sampled at the October Yelduz Mobridge Shrine Club Social and was delicious! The plan is to take orders for pick-up from the Mobridge Masonic Temple and delivery to the local dart league venues on Thursdays from 6:00PM to 9:00PM. To order Poutine for pick-up or delivery during that time, call the Mobridge Masonic Temple at 605-229-9019. If you receive our voicemail prompt, please leave a message for your order with your name and callback number after the prompt and we will contact you to confirm your order as soon as possible. The next Stated Communication will occur on Monday, November 9, 2020, at 7:00PM. Please take due notice that Brethren in financial arrears of two years or more on their annual membership due will face a vote of being suspended from membership at the November Stated Communication, as required by By-Laws. If you are in arrears and would like to discuss payment plan options in lieu of being suspended, please contact WB Secretary-Treasurer Tony Larsen by calling the Mobridge Masonic Temple at 605-229-9019 and leaving a detailed voicemail after the prompt or by emailing [mmobridgemasons@outlook.com](mailto:mmobridgemasons@outlook.com). Go to [164-sd.ourlodgepage.com](http://164-sd.ourlodgepage.com) to check out our OLP website and event calendar for all Masonic related events in Mobridge! You

can also visit our Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/mobridgemasons](http://www.facebook.com/mobridgemasons) or you can email us at [mobridgemasons@outlook.com](mailto:mobridgemasons@outlook.com). Mobridge Lodge No. 164 AF&AM regularly meets at the Mobridge Masonic Temple for Stated Communication at 7:00PM on the second Monday of each month, October through June. All Master Masons in good standing are invited to the Stated Communication!

Tony M. Larsen, Secretary-Treasurer (605) 229-9019

## **YELDUZ MOBRIDGE SHRINE CLUB**

The Yelduz Mobridge Shrine Club October Stated Meeting was held on Monday, October 5, 2020. Social was at 6:30PM. Poutine was sampled at the social as part of an upcoming fundraiser by Mobridge Masons and was delicious! The Stated Meeting was at 7:00PM. The next Yelduz Mobridge Shrine Club Stated Meeting will be held on Monday, November 2, 2020. Social & light hors d'oeuvres start at 6:30PM and Stated Meeting will follow at 7:00PM. Visit the Yelduz MSC Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/mobridgeshrineclub](http://www.facebook.com/mobridgeshrineclub). Notices and supper menus are additionally posted on the calendar at [164-sd.our-lodgepage.com](http://164-sd.our-lodgepage.com). You can also email [mobridgeshrineclub@outlook.com](mailto:mobridgeshrineclub@outlook.com). The Yelduz MSC regularly meets at the Mobridge Masonic Temple at 7:00PM on the first Monday of every month. We invite all Nobles to attend!

Noble Tony M. Larsen, Past President (605) 229-9019

## **EAGLE BUTTE LODGE NO. 172**

(No message for this month.)

Dan Booth, Secretary (605) 865-3726

## **ONIDA LODGE NO. 173**

(No message for this month.)

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## **YORK RITE NEWS**

Pierre Temple Council #7 met on October the 14<sup>th</sup> at 7:00PM. The meeting was opened in full form by Illustrious Master John Willaughby. The minutes and treasury reports were read and approved. A report on the Grand South Dakota York Rite Session that was done by Zoom was given by Stan Schwellenbach. A brief discussion was had about having a Christmas Observance this latter year, we will talk more about this at our next meeting.

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*Figure 1: Jon Gonsor PGHPSD, Stan Schwellenbach PGHPSD, and Gary Waack, Grand Captain of the Host SD presented Gerald Johnson the Efrem Kirby award.*

PGHP Gerald Johnson was presented with the Efrem Kirby award by the Companions of Pierre Chapter #22. Pierre York Rite next meeting will be on November 11<sup>th</sup> at 7:00PM.

Stan Schwellenbach, MLMSD (605) 280-4847



## **CENTRAL SOUTH DAKOTA SCOTTISH RITE CLUB**

(No message for this month.)

Gary A. Johnson, President (605) 280-8467



## **YELDUZ, OAHE SHRINE CLUB**

(No message for this month.)

Steve Likness, President [slikness@pie.midco.net](mailto:slikness@pie.midco.net)

## **PIERRE MASONIC BUILDING BOARD**

The broad members did a walk around the building prior to the meeting. We are waiting for the handrails to be installed. Historical plaques have been on both entrances, I would like to thank the Gonsors, Uncle Matt, and Darrol Bjerke for paying for them. The ceiling repair has been completed in the lodge. We will be getting new bulbs for the lodge.

Gary Waack, President



## **CAPITAL CITY** **OES #39 Stardust**

The Covid-19 pandemic has once again shut down one of our meetings. Our Friendship Night and initiation to be held in October had to be cancelled because of the rise in number of Covid cases. Our Worthy Matron will be in contact with us concerning our November meeting and how we can get it done!

Since 2021 is just around the corner it is time to pay dues. The amount is \$20.00 and you can mail them to me: Carol Logan, Secretary; 807 Mellette; Pierre, SD 57501.

We will be in contact soon! Take care everyone.

Carol Logan, Secretary

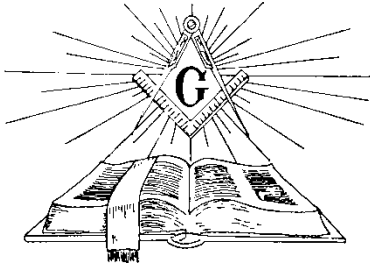
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## **GENERAL COMMENTS**

If you are receiving this newsletter and know of a Brother who does not have e-mail, please print him a copy and pass it on. I would ask that all Lodge Secretaries take on that task and forward any e-mail address additions to me, Steve Likness at [slikness@pie.midco.net](mailto:slikness@pie.midco.net) or Eugene Collett at [ecollettsd@pie.midco.net](mailto:ecollettsd@pie.midco.net)



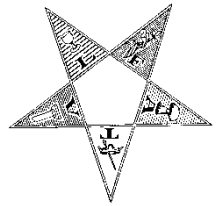
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# ***MASONIC TRESTLE BOARD***

## ***November 2020***



Sunday	1	3:00pm	Pierre Job's Daughters Bethel #10
Monday	2	6:30pm	Mobridge Shrine Club Social with Stated Meeting at 7:00PM
	2	8:00pm	Lily Lodge #62 AF&AM Harrold Blunt in Blunt, SD
Wednesday	4	8:00pm	Onida Lodge #173, regular meeting & lunch
Thursday	5	7:30pm	Rising Sun Chapter #86 OES, Blunt, regular meeting & lunch
	5	8:00pm	Ionic Lodge #83 Gettysburg, SD, regular meeting & lunch
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>11:00am</b>	<b>District meeting at the Pierre Lodge</b>
Monday	9	7:00pm	Mobridge Lodge #164, Mobridge, SD, stated communication
	9	7:00pm	Pierre Lodge #27, regular meeting and lunch
Tuesday	10	7:00pm	Capital City Chapter #39, OES regular meeting and lunch
Wednesday	11	6:15pm	York Rite, dinner and 7:00pm meeting
	11	8:00pm	Waneta Chapter #47 OES Gettysburg, regular meeting and lunch
Sunday	15	3:00pm	Pierre Job's Daughters Bethel #10
Monday	16	8:00pm	Hiram Lodge #123, Ft. Pierre, regular meeting
	16	7:00p MT	Eagle Butte Lodge #172, Eagle Butte regular meeting and lunch
Thursday	19	7:00pm	Oahe Shrine Club meets at McClure Hall
	19	7:00pm	Onida Chapter #138 OES, Onida, SD regular meeting and lunch
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>noon</b>	<b>CSDMM articles due in Pierre</b>
	23	7:00pm	Pierre Masonic Building Board regular meeting
Tuesday	24	7:00pm	Masonic Fun night at McClure Hall in Pierre
Thursday	26	6:00pm	Oahe Shrine Club Ladies' Night dinner at ???