



# CENTRAL SD MASONIC MESSENGER



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## DISTRICT MASTER'S REPORT

(No message for this month.)  
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## HIRAM LODGE #123

No meeting was held because of the subzero weather.  
Our March meeting will be held as scheduled.  
Steve Likness, Scribe  
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## PIERRE LODGE #27

Brothers and Friends:

It was certainly a dreadful cold spell that we all endured in Mid-February, but that is now behind us as we are marching into March and prepared to swing into Spring. I am reminded that we have items on our Trestle Board that we will want to act on.

Foremost on my mind is that I want to honor the Past Masters in a special way and I will ask all my elected and appointed Officers for input on that event. We might do that in conjunction with our April Stated meeting. I am open for suggestions. When I observe the way the Pierre Lodge Past Masters interact within the Lodge, I can't wait to join their ranks.

We extend our Heartfelt Sympathy to Brother Duane Schmautz on the untimely passing of his wife Carol. At the same time we all are prayerfully wishing our young Brother, Michael Sharkey a speedy restoration to good health.

I hope to see all of you at our March stated meeting on March 8, 2021 at 7:00PM as I am sure our Stewards will again have some fine snacks for enhancement of our fellowship after the meeting. Think Spring.

Sincerely,  
Gary Fischer, Master

## MOBRIDGE LODGE #164

(No message for this month.)

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, September 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

(No message for this month.)

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.ourlodgepage.com](http://164-sd.ourlodgepage.com).  
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## LILY LODGE #62 HARROLD-BLUNT

(No message for this month.)  
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## EAGLE BUTTE LODGE NO. 172

(No message for this month.)  
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## IONIC LODGE #83

No Quorum in February. Our newest Brother attended and signed the By-Laws. We had a nice visit.

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## ONIDA LODGE NO. 173

(No message for this month.)  
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## YORK RITE NEWS

Pierre York Rite met on February the 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:00PM to practice degree work that we plan on doing at our next meeting on March the 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:00PM. The Companions have been working

on these degree and Orders to get them completed for over a year and with any luck we can get them done by the end of the Masonic Year. A petition was read and approved for membership in Pierre York Rite. We look forward to doing the degree work next Masonic Year, if any of the Masonic Brothers would like to join us please contact any York Rite member to get a petition. We would love to have you become a member. We are looking to have supper before our next meeting if the trends with the virus keep going down. I will send out a email closer to the next meeting date to let the Companions know one way or the other. Hope to see you at our next meeting.

Best regards,

Stan Schwellenbach, PGHPSD

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

Greetings Scottish Rite Brothers:

I recently had a call from the SGIG, Jeff Larson from the Yankton Valley and many plans are being made to have a 2021 Maundy Thursday events throughout South Dakota. With that the Pierre/Fort Pierre Scottish Rite Club will have a Maundy Thursday event on Thursday April 1, 2021. We will not plan a meal at this time and have only the ceremony of remembrance at 7:00PM CDT that evening in the Pierre Masonic Center and business meeting. No RSVP is needed. Please plan to attend this event. Please wear masks for the safety of all. Any questions, please call me.

Gary A. Johnson, Secretary/Treasurer

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## **YELDUZ, OAHE SHRINE CLUB**

(No message for this month.)

Steve Likness, President

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## **PIERRE MASONIC BUILDING BOARD**

(No message for this month.)

Gary Waack, President



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

### **SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION AND OFFICIAL VISIT HAS BEEN POSTPONED UNTIL SATURDAY, APRIL 17<sup>th</sup>.**

Because of COVID-19 we will NOT be having a meal prior to the afternoon activities. The School of Instruction will begin at 1:00PM; we will have initiation after the school. WGM Ranae Phinney will be our Official Visitor. Masks will be required and we will have hand sanitizer stations set up. Our Chapter Room is large enough that we will be able to do social distancing. We will have refreshments available after the meeting. This will be the only School in the District this year.

The Hertha Gross CommUnity project for this year will go to the Edgewater Fire Rescue Fund to continue the help for those who lost everything in the fire.

Hope you will join us at our next regular meeting which is Tuesday March 9<sup>th</sup>, beginning at 7:00PM.

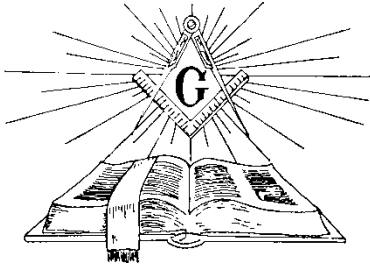
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## **GENERAL COMMENTS**

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)



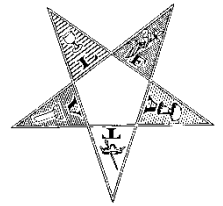
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## ***MASONIC TRESTLE BOARD***

# ***March 2021***



Monday	1	7:00pm	Mobridge Shrine Club, Mobridge, SD, stated meeting
	1	8:00pm	Lily Lodge #62 AF&AM Harrold Blunt in Blunt, SD
Thursday	4	7:30pm	Rising Sun Chapter #86 OES, Blunt, regular meeting & lunch
	4	8:00pm	Ionic Lodge #83 Gettysburg, SD, regular meeting & lunch
Sunday	7	3:00pm	Pierre Job's Daughters Bethel #10
Monday	8	7:00pm	Mobridge Lodge #164, Mobridge, SD, stated communication
	8	7:00pm	Pierre Lodge #27, regular meeting and lunch
Tuesday	9	7:00pm	Capital City Chapter #39, OES regular meeting and lunch
Wednesday	10	7:00pm	York Rite, regular meeting
	10	8:00pm	Waneta Chapter #47 OES Gettysburg, regular meeting and lunch
	15	7:00p MT	Eagle Butte Lodge #172, Eagle Butte regular meeting and lunch
Monday	15	8:00pm	Hiram Lodge #123, Ft. Pierre, regular meeting
Thursday	18	7:00pm	Oahe Shrine Club meets at McClure Hall
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>noon</b>	<b>CSDMM articles due in Pierre</b>
Sunday	21	3:00pm	Pierre Job's Daughters Bethel #10
	22	7:00pm	Pierre Masonic Building Board regular meeting
Tuesday	23	7:00pm	Masonic Fun night at McClure Hall in Pierre