

NEWPORT MASONIC LODGE # 118

Stated Meeting, December 09,2024 A.D., 6024 A.L.

Worshipful Master WB Al Rieder

SR. Warden WB John Hawthorne

JR. Warden BR Marc Lovin

SR. Deacon WB James Irvine

JR. Deacon WB Bob Bay

Treasurer WB John Hawthorne

Secretary BR Stephen Ingram

SR. Steward

JR. Steward

Marshall WB Warren Lynch

Chaplain Br. Thomas Burbank

Tyler BR Alex Crary

L.E.O RWB Frank Spevak.

OPENING

Call to order at 708 pm, opened lodge at 715 pm in the $3^{\rm rd}$ degree with 11 Brethren in attendance. Pledge and Prayer recited.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS AND PAST MASTERS

DONE

MINUTES, TREASURERS, BLDG REPORTS

November 11th minutes approved

Treasurers report read and approved.

Bldg. is still standing

COMMUNICATIONS

WB Bill Harper updated us on the state of our Bldg Ins.

It looks like the increase will be over \$1,100.00 dollars, RWB Frank Spevak discussed some option's to look at for the next year. He will follow up with this along with WB Bill for the next year. **PETITIONS**

NONE

INVESTIGATIONS

NONE

COMMITTEE REPORTS

We have funds to purchase 3 more of the Fire Suppression Units.

BR Stephen Ingram will check with our neighboring $\mathbf{1}^{\text{st}}$ responders as to what their needs are and report back.

OLD BUSINESS

NONE

NEW BUSINESS

Elections were held and the results were as follows

AI RIEDER AS MASTER, MARC LOVIN AS SR. WARDEN, HUNTER PETTIT AS JR WARDEN, JOHN HAWTHORNE AS TREASURER, STEPHEN INGRAM AS SECRETARY.

APPOINTMENTS ARE TOM BURBANK AS CHAPLAIN AND FRANK SPEVAK AS L.E.O. ANYONE WISHING TO FILL THE OTHER CHAIRS PLEASE CONTACT US.

Installation is set for Jan. 11, 2025 at 2pm. This will be an open Installation.

L.E.O.

RWB Frank told us about Rhetoric and Logic.

A very good topic. Frank had mentioned Simon Lancaster as a person to lookup and listen to his TED talks on utube. I suggest everyone to look him up.

CLOSING

Lodge was closed in due form and harmony at 825 pm

Fraternally,

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