

## GRAND LODGE

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*Grand Treasurers in Vermont*

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## Living Past Masters

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| Bro Richard L. Lesure        | 1961 - 1962 |
| 1. Bro John R. Mann, Jr.     | 1964 - 1965 |
| Bro Carey Gilbert            | 1965 - 1966 |
| Bro Donald H. May            | 1971 - 1972 |
| 2. Bro Brian L. Carley       | 1972 - 1973 |
| Bro Kenneth Carpenter        | 1977 - 1978 |
| Bro Richard G. Gibbons       | 1982 - 1983 |
| Bro Robert G. Coonan         | 1983 - 1984 |
| Bro Paul E. Bacon            | 1987 - 1988 |
| 1. Bro Ian F. Smith          | 1989 - 1990 |
| Bro Michael L. Denyou        | 1990 - 1991 |
| Bro Stephen W. Ingraham      | 1992 - 1993 |
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| 2. Bro Brian L. Carley       | 1995 - 1996 |
| Bro Robert G. Coonan         | 1996 - 1997 |
| Bro Gary Younger             | 1997 - 1998 |
| Bro Brent LaDeau             | 1998 - 1999 |
| Bro Johann Nortz             | 1999 - 2000 |
| 1. Bro A. Stephen Farrington | 2000 - 2001 |
| Bro Phil Bailey              | 2002 - 2004 |
| Bro Johann Nortz             | 2004 - 2005 |
| 2. Bro Brian L. Carley       | 2005 - 2006 |
| Bro Stephen Page             | 2006 - 2007 |
| Bro William Young            | 2007 - 2009 |
| Bro Kenneth Carpenter        | 2009 - 2010 |

1. Past District Deputy
2. Past Grand Master of Vermont

**Lest we never forget those who have laid down their working tools and have entered the celestial lodge above.**

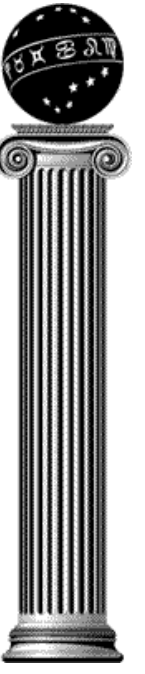
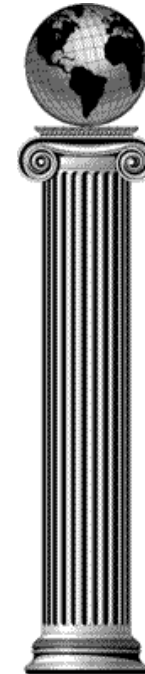


**Brattleboro Lodge No. 102 F.&A.M.**  
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~ May 2011 ~

Chartered A.L. 5881

Meets in Masonic Hall on  
Third Thursdays at  
Six Thirty P.M.

*Brothers in good standing always  
Welcome!*

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**REGULAR COMMUNICATION**  
**THURSDAY MAY 19, 2011**

Lodge opens at 6:30pm. Read Correspondence, pay bills and conduct any other business that shall come before the lodge.

**Dinner at 5:30pm**  
Reservations are requested

**Installation of Officers**  
**2011 - 2012**

RSVP by 5/16/2011

**J.W. Ronald Nichols**  
(603) 256-6863

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**MAY'S CALENDAR**

5th	6:30PM	Officers Meeting
7th	8:00AM - 1:00PM	Pre-Mother's Day Breakfast
	8:00AM - 3:00PM	Open House
19th	5:30PM	Dinner
	6:30PM	Instillation of Officers, Regular Business Meeting
21st	5:00PM	Sword of Bunker Hill Degree

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**DUES BILLS**

If you haven't paid your dues for 2010, you are now in arrears. If there are extenuating circumstances please notify the secretary in writing.

**FROM THE EAST**

My Brothers,

It seems as if winter will never end. I know all of you are as eager as I am to feel some warm weather. Over the winter we have tried to plan events and activities to stimulate fellowship and growth for our Lodge.

May 5<sup>th</sup> there will be an officer's meeting at 6:30PM. We will be finalizing the plans for our Pre-Mother's Day breakfast on May 7, 2011. This breakfast is combined with our Open House. Tickets are \$7.00 per person and are available from the officers. This is a perfect opportunity for you to bring friends and family to help support our Lodge. Breakfast will be served from 8:00AM - 1:00PM. The Open House will continue until 3:00PM. We will raffle a lawnmower at the Open House and the proceeds from this raffle will be used to start a new scholarship program. Thank you to Leader Home Center for donating the lawnmower.

May 19<sup>th</sup> we will have Installation of Officers at 6:30PM. There will be a dinner at 5:30PM: Please make reservations with our J.W. Bro. Ron Nichols. After the Installation we will have our Regular Communication. Please come and show your support for our new line of officers.

May 21<sup>st</sup> the Scottish Rite will host the Sword of Bunker Hill degree at 6:30PM. There will be a dinner at 5:30PM: Please contact Bro. Robert Fagge for more information.

The Monday night supper club is doing very well. Anyone interested in helping please contact Wor. Bro. Phil Bailey. I express the sincere gratitude of the Lodge to all who have helped to keep this project running: Keep up the good work.

Carlos G. Otis Chapter Demolay is meeting on Wednesday nights. Although it is difficult to start from scratch, the young men are doing well. If anyone knows of any young men who might be interested, please contact me. We just got back from Demolay Congress and the boys helped construct the Constitution for Vermont Demolay. They also elected state officers for the next year. It is very exciting to see Demolay growing in Vermont.

With election of officers coming on April 21<sup>st</sup>, this may be my last communication to you. Thank you to all the officers and members who have served our Lodge this year. I believe that our Lodge is headed in the right directions. We have had many positive changes in the last two years. I am confident the incoming officers will continue to grow and improve on the plans we have made. Stand proud and show the world why we are the greatest fraternity in the world. We are Freemasons.

May God Bless Us All,

*Wor Robert Baldauf*

Wor. Robert Baldauf  
Presiding Master

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**UPCOMING EVENTS**

- June 2, 2011 6:30PM E.A. Degree for Mr. Tuathal Fitzsimmons (if eligible)
- June 3-5, 2011 Demolay Conclave
- June 4, 2011 11:00AM Master's picnic @ Wor. Kenneth Carpenter's home
- June 11, 2011 Ft. Ticonderoga Field Trip
- June 16, 2011 6:30PM Awards Night
- July 4, 2011 Parade in Brattleboro
- July 31, 2011 9:00AM - 3:00PM Masonic Fair @ The Addison County Fairgrounds

**SECRETARY'S NOTES**

Brattleboro Lodge is now offering public usage of the lodge for gatherings, reception and other functions needing a large gathering room and kitchen. For information regarding the use of the building, contact the steward at **brattleboro102steward@gmail.com** or call at **802-254-8008**.

*Bro. Mike Hebert*  
Bro. Mike Hebert  
Treasurer

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**FROM THE WEBMASTER**

Brothers,

Send any thoughts or comments you would like to see in the *Notice* or on the website. WE NEED YOU to help keep your lodges history accurate. You can e-mail me at:

webmaster@brattleborolodge102.org.

And don't forget, you can also get this same notice from the website by going to the Trestle Board Section and clicking on the notices. There is also a member's only section. If you would like to find out how to access it, you can contact me at the same email address. And for you members that have never visited our site before, you can find it at

[www.brattleborolodge102.org](http://www.brattleborolodge102.org)

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**TRIVIA**

When the great Obelisk of Alexandria (Cleopatra's Needle) was moved to New York in 1880, there were discovered certain emblems on the original foundation and pedestal. One is clearly a square, causing some to conclude that Masonry existed in ancient Egypt. This issue is still open to debate.