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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.



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~ April 2012 ~

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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 APRIL 19, 2012

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

#### Dinner at 5:30pm Suggested Donations \$7.00

Reservations are requested

RSVP by 04/16/2012

J.W. Brent Ledeau (802) 257-5045

Lodge Opens at 6:30pm

Closing Collation

## SPECIAL COMMUNICATION THURSDAY APRIL 5, 2012

# To confer the ENTERED APPRENTICE DEGREE on

Mr. Jacob Brandon Faulkner (If available and Qualified)

THURSDAY APRIL 12, 2012

To confer the FELLOWCRAFT DEGREE on

Bro. Michael Vincent Page (If available and Qualified)

Dinner at 5:30pm Suggested Donations \$7.00

Reservations are requested

RSVP by 04/02/2012

J.W. Brent Ledeau (802) 257-5045

Lodge Opens at 6:30pm

#### FROM THE EAST

My Brothers,

As Spring brings new growth around us the month of April brings new growth to our Lodge. A new line of officers will be installed to lead us into the next year.

April 5, 2012 we will confer the Entered Apprentice Degree on Mr. Jacob Brandon Faulkner, if eligible, at 6:30 PM. There will be a dinner at 5:30 PM, Please RSVP Bro. Brent Ledeau for dinner. April 12, 2012, we will confer the Fellowcraft Degree on Bro. Michael Vincent Page, if eligible, at 6:30 PM. There will be a dinner at 5:30 PM: Please RSVP to Bro. Brent Ledeau for dinner. April 19, 2012, our Annual Communication will be at 6:30 PM. There will be a dinner at 5:30 PM: Please RSVP to Bro. Brent Ledeau for dinner.

April 21, 2012, we will have a closed Installation of Officers. All Master Masons are welcome. We will have dinner at 6:00PM and hold the Installation at 7:30PM. Please make your dinner reservations with me. Make an effort to come and support your new Master.

April 26, 2012 we will rehearse the Master Mason Degree at 6:30 pm. The Demolay had a successful breakfast on March 3, 2012. Thanks to those who came and supported our young men. They continue to meet on Wednesday nights from 7:00PM-9:00PM.

I would like to thank all of the Officers of the Lodge who have supported me for the last 2.5 years. We have traveled a long road together and learned much about Freemasonry. By applying the principles of our Fraternity and sharing our experiences, great progress has been made. Together we have re-kindled the light of our Lodge. I am confident that our new line of Officers will carry the torch and tend the seeds that have been planted. I also thank all the members who have supported us in our endeavors. I will always be thankful for the opportunity to serve this Lodge and our beloved Fraternity.

May God Bless Us All,

Fraternally,

Wer Robert Baldauf Wor. Robert Baldauf Presiding Master

#### TRIVIA

In the February notice the quest was ask if you could identify this symbol. Hope you weren't thrown off by the statues and book.



Here is its meaning!

In every well-regulated Lodge there is found a point within a circle, which circle is bordered by two perpendicular parallel lines. The point represents an individual Brother, the circle the boundary line of his duty to God and man, and the two lines are representative of Saint John the Baptist and Saint John the Evangelist, the two great patrons of Freemasonry to whom our Lodges are dedicated, and who are said to have been "perfect parallels in Christianity as well as Freemasonry". In those English Lodges which have adopted the Union System established by the Grand Lodge of England in 1813, and where the dedication is "to God and his service," the parallel lines represent Moses and Solomon. As a symbol, the parallel lines are not to be found in the earlier instructions of Freemasonry. Though Oliver defines the symbol on the authority of what he calls the Old Lectures, it is not to be found, any anterior to Preston, and even he only refers to the parallelism of the two Saints John.



#### FROM THE SECRETARY

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, please call at (802) 254-4801.

Fraternally Yours

Bro. Edward J. Morse Bro. Edward J. Morse Secretary

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If you haven't paid your dues for 2011, you are now in arrears. If there are extenuating circumstances please notify the secretary in writing.

Grand Lodge Dues are \$55.00 Lodge Dues are \$15.00 Total of \$70.00

Payable to:

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 5th 5:30PM Dinner
 6:30PM Entered Apprentice Degree, Mr. Jacob Brandon Faulkner.
 12th 5:30PM Dinner

Bro. Michael Vincent Page.

19th 5:30PM Dinner

6:30PM Fellowcraft Degree,

6:30PM Regular Business meeting.

21th 6:00PM Dinner

7:30PM Installation of Officers.

26th 6:30PM Rehearsal for Master Mason Degree.

Carlos G. Otis Demolay Wednesdays 7:00PM – 9:00PM