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English Emulation Ritual in Lakewood

Goose and Gridiron Lodge No. 1717, a special interest Lodge chartered by the Grand Lodge of Ohio, will meet at our Lakewood Masonic Temple on Saturday, March 5, for its Annual Meeting and Installation of its new Worshipful Master. Lodge will open at 12:00n and will be followed by a traditional Festive Board.

All recognized Masons are welcome to attend but must register in advance on the Goose and Gridiron Lodge Wild Apricot web site and agree to adhere to the Lodge's strict dress code.

Goose and Gridiron Lodge takes its name from the Goose and Gridiron Tavern at which several English Lodges met to form the first Grand Lodge of England in the year 1717, from which the Lodge takes its number.

Goose and Gridiron Lodge is authorized by the Grand Lodge of Ohio to use the Emulation Ritual of the United Grand Lodge of England (UGLE), to which most American Lodges ultimately trace their roots. Pursuant to its establishment two centuries ago with the amalgamation of the Ancients' Moderns' Grand Lodges, UGLE adopted the standard but non-exclusive Emulation Ritual for use by its Craft Lodges (see the articles on page 10).

By English custom, Goose and Gridiron Lodge will open in the First Degree and progress through the Degrees to a Board of Installed Masters in which the new Master will be installed by other Installed Masters. After closing the Board, the Lodge will revert through the ceremonies of the Third and Second Degrees and resume in the First Degree to

invest its other officers and conduct its regular business. This means that Entered Apprentice and Fellowcraft Masons will be able to witness significant portions of the Emulation Ritual ceremonies. Also by English custom, a collection will be taken for Charity.

22nd District One Day Class

Our historic Lakewood Masonic Temple is honored to host this year's Grand Master's One Day Class on Saturday, March 26. Our Temple's impressive architecture and decoration and the size of our facilities make it an especially appropriate venue for such an event. Participants, including candidates and mentors, must register through their home Lodges for attendance and luncheon. Our own LMT members are encouraged to volunteer as assistant tylers and guides.

8th Annual Lenten Fish Fries

- Every Friday March 4 through April 15
- Serving 4:30p to 7:30p
- Dine In or Take Out
- Basic Meal \$15.00 includes 2 pieces fish, cole slaw, one side & beverage
- Live Music
- TV and 50/50 Raffles
- Building Tours
- Help meet the costs of preserving our historic home.

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New Ways to Donate to our Foundation

Nearly every Mason and Eastern Star who has been a member of our Lakewood Masonic Family has fond memories of his/her experiences. These memories are all the more vivid because of our beautiful Lakewood Masonic Temple, specially designed as a home uniquely capable of supporting our fraternal activities. Many of our members have gone the extra mile by making contributions above and beyond their annual dues. We call your attention to several new ways to donate to our Foundation.

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IRA to a qualified charity such as our Lakewood Masonic Foundation can count toward your required minimum distribution, subject to a collective limit of \$100,000 per year. Such distributions do not incur either federal income or estate taxes but also do not count as itemized deductions for tax purposes.



Donations can be made after death by naming The Lakewood Masonic Foundation as a beneficiary in your will, life insurance policy, IRA, TOD (Transfer on Death) account or the like, either as a fixed amount or a percentage. A will can be amended by

codicils without having to be rewritten in its entirely. In matters such as these, you are best advised to discuss your intentions with an attorney and/or tax accountant.



Gifts may be in the form of cash, securities or property. Gifts of appreciated securities and/or charitable gift annuities can be especially benefi-

cial to the donor. In matters such as these, you are best advised to discuss your intentions with an attorney and/or tax accountant.

Some employers have payroll deduction plans and/or matching gift programs for charitable giving. Check yours.

Gifts and bequests to our Lakewood Masonic Foundation (but not our Lakewood Masonic Temple Endowment Fund or our Lakewood Masonic Temple Company Operating Fund) are deductible for federal estate and income taxes to the extent permitted by law. As always, we encourage you to consult your legal and financial advisors for assistance in determining in what form and in what amount you should make any major gift or bequest.

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Stated Meeting Second Thursday 7:30 p.m. • Special Fourth Thursday • www.cliftonallen664fam.org

Prentice Pillar

In the southeast part of the Chapel of Roslyn Castle, in Scotland, is the celebrated column which goes by this name, and with which a Masonic legend is connected. The pillar is a plain fluted shaft, having a floral garland twined around it, all carved out of the solid stone. The legend is, that when the plans of the chapel were sent from Rome, the master builder did not



clearly understand about this pillar, or, as another account states, had lost this particular portion of the plans, and, in consequence, had to go to Rome for further instructions or to procure a fresh copy. During his absence, a clever apprentice, the only son of a widow, either from memory or from his own invention, carved and completed the beautiful pillar. When the master returned and found the work completed, furious with jealous rage, he killed the apprentice, by striking him a frightful blow on the forehead with a heavy setting maul. In testimony of the truth of the legend, the visitor is shown three heads

in the west part of the chapel—the master's, the apprentice's, and the widow's. There can be but little doubt that this legend referred to that of the Third Degree, which is thus shown to have existed, at least substantially, at that early period.

—From Mackey's Revised Encyclopedia of Freemasonry, 1946.

22nd Masonic District Inspection Schedule

Mar 2	Wed	7:00p	Harding-Concordia #345	MM			
Mar 9	Wed	7:30p	John W. Barkley #621	FC	Dinner 6:00p		
Mar 11	Fri	5:00p	Oberlin #380	EΑ	Dinner 6:30p		
Mar 12	Sat	6:00p	Stonington #503	FC	·		
Mar 16	Wed	7:00p	Cleveland #781	MM	Dinner 6:00p		
Mar 17	Thur	7:30p	Solon #757	EΑ	Dinner 6:30p		
Mar 21	Mon	7:00p	Wellington #127	EΑ	Dinner 6:00p		
Mar 24	Thur	7:00p	Dover #489	FC			
Mar 30	Wed	7:00p	Golden Gate #245	MM			
Apr 2	Sat	7:00p	Elyria #787	MM	Dinner 5:30p		
Apr 6	Wed	7:30p	Forest City #388	EΑ	Dinner 6:30p		
Apr 7	Thur	7:30p	University Heights #738	FC	Dinner 6:00p		
Apr 25	Mon	7:00p	Lakewood #601	MM			
Apr 27	Wed	7:30p	North Star #638	FC	Dinner 6:30p		
May 11	Wed	5:30p	Acacia #651	FC	Dinner 6:30p		
For the latest information visit www.ohiodistrict22.org.							

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Stated Meetings Second & Fourth Mondays 7:30 p.m. • www.lakewoodfreemasons.com

Master's Message

Brethren:

I hope you are all having a wonderful start to the New Year and are staying safe. On January 10 we held our first stated meeting of the New Year and discussed our plans for this Masonic year. At the second stated meeting we had an EA return, and we are looking to giving his Fellowcraft in March. In February we are slated for a couple Brethren to give their returns and are planning a Master Mason degree on the 28th of the month.

Looking ahead to the month of March there will be a number of events occurring at our Temple. The first kicks off on March 4 as Lakewood Masonic Temple will be having its annual Fish Fry fundraisers, which will run Fridays until April 15 from 4:30p-7:30p. It is encouraged that all who can help please do so. If you are not able to help, come up and buy some fish to eat either at the Temple or feel free to carry it out. It would be really nice to see Brethren that we haven't seen in some time attend. There will be music, raffles, and building tours along with great food, so please attend.

On March 5 at Noon Goose and Gridiron Lodge #1717 will be having its annual installation of officers at Lakewood Masonic Temple. Guests must pre-register online and agree to a dress code. This allows Brethren to see a different side of Masonry as this is a Lodge of English Emulation Ritual and English regalia. This year RWB Robert Niebaum, a member of our sister Clifton-Gaston Allen Lodge will be installed as Master. I wish him the best during his tenure and look forward to upcoming meetings.

On March 26 the 22nd Masonic District will be holding its Grand Master's One Day Class at Lakewood Masonic Temple. Doors open at 7:00a with Lodge opening at 8:30a. For those not familiar, a One Day Class is an event when a candidate or Brother can receive or complete all three of their degrees in order to become a full active member in Freemasonry. They will need Tylers, building and parking guides and registration table assistance for the day plus assistance with preparing the Lodge Room and Dining Room the evening before. Please mark your calendars and volunteer.

On April 25 Lakewood Lodge #601 will be holding its Inspection in the Master Mason Degree. We have looked at getting the necessary parts filled for this degree; but, if help is needed, WB Rich Hoyer may be reaching out. Our Inspection will open at 7:00p, and there will be no dinner beforehand.

These big March events are key as they will be showcasing Lakewood Masonic Temple not only to the community but to Brethren and candidates alike that may not have yet had the pleasure of seeing the beauty of our Temple. I can only hope that you will assist us in what is coming in the coming months if you are able, as we all have lives outside this great Fraternity of ours. I continue to wish you well in the coming months, and please keep an eye on your email boxes for any communications.

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Ann Rutledge Chapter #453 O. E. S.

Stated Meetings First & Third Wednesdays 1:30 p.m. • www.annrutledge453oes.org

Matron's Message

Due to the ongoing virus, we have been limited, but moving forward, we look to fill the year with fun and activities. Please mark your calendars for upcoming dates. If you haven't been to a meeting in a while, by all means, please join us as we would love to see you. We have exciting guests and entertainment in the coming months. Be sure to join us for food, great entertainment and socializing with everybody. We will be honoring our present and past Grand Representatives, followed by entertainment by the Rat Pack. A guest speaker from the Charity, The Dyslexia Associated, informed us on many updates within the organization and we truly enjoyed their speech. We had our annual Christmas party and it was a lot of fun. The Children from the Cleveland Christian Home appreciate your donations and Christmas gifts. God Bless you and thank you for your kindness.

We need to keep all our Sisters and Brothers in our prayers, remember our theme, "Love, Loyalty & Friendship".

April 17th is Easter, always remember anything is possible with God, prayers and a positive attitude. I believe that even when you think you have no more to give, when a friend cries out to you, you will find the strength to help.

Stated Meetings

March 2	Stated Meeting Long Form - Honor March Birthdays, Guest
	Speaker "Cleveland Hope Lodge"

March 16 Stated Meeting Short Form - Honoring Grand

Representatives, Entertainment

March 26 "Reminder" 66th Club Dinner Dance

April 6 Stated Meeting – Inspection

April 20 Stated Meeting Long Form – Honor April Birthdays, Honor

our Esther, Guest Speaker "Ronald McDonald House",

Easter Dinner

May 4 Stated Meeting Long Form – Honor Mothers/Daughters

Day, Guest Speaker "Seeing Eye Pilot Dogs"

May 18 Stated Meeting Long Form – Guest Speaker "Shriners

Hospital for Children"

Auxiliary – Around the Town Dinner Club meets monthly at different places.

May Your Day Be Filled with Blessings

Report sunshine to Wanda E. King, WM, 440.785.7377 or Elinor Bayse, AC 216.210.0736.



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Cunningham Chapter #187 R. A. M.

Stated Convocation Third Wednesday 7:30 p.m. • www.cunningham187ram.org

High Priest's Message

Companions:

To cope with our rising costs, at our February stated convocation two proposed amendments to our bylaws were submitted and will lay over to our March stated convocation:

It is proposed to amend Section 7 which currently reads:

The Annual dues shall be <u>Forty</u> dollars (<u>\$40.00</u>), payable on or before the first day of June. If such dues are not paid on or before June 30, notice shall be given at once by mail to each member who has not paid his dues. Failure to receive notice shall not excuse the non-payment of dues. (Sec. 110.03 of Code. May not be less than \$5.00. Sec.110.02 of Code.)

so that the same shall read:

The Annual dues shall be <u>Fifty</u> dollars (<u>\$50.00</u>) plus the current Grand Chapter assessment, payable on or before the first day of June. If such dues are not paid on or before June 30, notice shall be given at once by mail to each member who has not paid his dues. Failure to receive notice shall not excuse the non-payment of dues. (Sec. 110.03 of Code. May not be less than \$5.00. Sec.110.02 of Code.)

It is proposed to amend Section 4 which currently reads:

The fees for the degrees in this chapter shall be <u>Forty</u> Dollars (\$40.00) payable in full when the petition is presented, or, by unanimous consent of the chapter, divided as follows: Mark Master Degree <u>Fifteen</u> Dollars (\$15.00); Past Master Degree, no charge; Most Excellent Master Degree <u>Ten</u> Dollars (\$10.00); Royal Arch Degree <u>Fifteen</u> Dollars (\$15.00). If the fee is paid in full, or if the Mark Master fee is on deposit, with unanimous consent, a single ballot for all the degrees may be had, but under no circumstances may a degree be conferred until the fee therefor is paid. The fee for membership by affiliation shall be Forty Dollars (\$40.00).

so that the same shall read:

The fees for the degrees in this chapter shall be <u>Fifty</u> Dollars (\$50.00) plus the current Grand Chapter assessment payable in full when the petition is presented, or, by unanimous consent of the chapter, divided as follows: Mark Master Degree <u>Twenty</u> Dollars (\$20.00) plus the current Grand Chapter assessment; Past Master Degree, no charge; Most Excellent Master Degree <u>Fifteen</u> Dollars (\$15.00); Royal Arch Degree <u>Fifteen</u> Dollars (\$15.00). If the fee is paid in full, or if the Mark Master fee is on deposit, with unanimous consent, a single ballot for all the degrees may be had, but under no circumstances may a degree be conferred until the fee therefor is paid. The fee for membership by affiliation shall be <u>Fifty</u> Dollars (\$50.00) plus the current Grand Chapter assessment.

16th Capitular District Inspection Schedule

Mar 14	Mon	7:30p	Summit-Baker #74	MEM		
Apr 19	Tues	7:30p	Heights #206	PM		
Apr 28	Thur	7:30p	Covenant-Thatcher #222	MkM		
Mar 4	Fri	7:30p	Mount Olive #189	PM		
For the latest information visit www.ram16.org.						

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Lakewood Council #125 R. & S. M.

Stated Assembly First Wednesday 7:30 p.m. • www.lakewood125rsm.org

Master's Message

Companions:

It's Inspection time! Our annual Inspection will be at our monthly Stated Assembly on Wednesday, March 2, at which time we will confer the Select Master Degree on several candidates. Pre-inspection will begin at 6:00p the same evening. Even if you're not an officer, we always need Companions to serve as Workmen!

Then it's celebration time! Plan to attend our Lakewood Council's 100th Anniversary Reconsecration on Sunday, March 20, at 2:00p (practice at 1:00p.) The ceremony is open to invited guests, so your family members, friends and non-Cryptic Masons are welcome to witness most of the work.

Finally, to cope with substantial Grand Council assessment increases, at our February 2 stated assembly two proposed amendments to our bylaws were presented and will lay over to our March stated assembly:

It is proposed to amend Section 4 which currently reads:

The annual dues to be paid by each member of this council shall be Fifty Dollars (\$50.00), due and payable in advance at the first stated assembly in June of each year. No notice of the time of payment other than this by-law shall be required.

so that the same shall read:

The annual dues to be paid by each member of this council shall be Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) **plus the current Grand Council assessment**, due and payable in advance at the first stated assembly in June of each year. No notice of the time of payment other than this by-law shall be required.

It is proposed to amend Section 5 which currently reads:

The fees in this council, payable in full when petition is presented, shall be, for the degrees of Royal and Select Master, Fifty Dollars (\$50.00), and for membership by affiliation Fifty Dollars (\$50.00).

so that the same shall read:

The fees in this council, payable in full when petition is presented, shall be, for the degrees of Royal and Select Master, Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) plus the current Grand Council assessment, and for membership by affiliation Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) plus the current Grand Council assessment.

7th Arch Inspection & SEM Schedule

Mar 2	Wed	7:30p	Lakewood #125	SM
Mar 21	Mon	7:30p	Painesville #104	SM
Mar 22	Tues	7:30p	Woodward #118	SM
Mar 28	Mon	7:30p	Conneaut #40	RM
Apr 2	Sat	9:00a	Painesville-Geneva-Conneaut-	SEM
			Woodward @ Painesville	
Apr 9	Sat	9:00a	Windermere #113	SEM
May 21	Sat	2:00p	Elyria-Lakewood-Ross R. Black	SEM
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Holy Grail Commandery #70 K. T.

Stated Conclave First Thursday 7:30 p.m. • www.holygrail70kt.org

Commander's Message

Sir Knights:

Help needed! We will confer the Order of the Temple at our March 3 stated conclave and for our March 19 Inspection. We need you!

Also, to cope with rising costs, we, along with our fellow Lakewood York Rite bodies Cunningham Chapter and Lakewood Council have been considering how to adjust our collective dues structure. At our February stated conclave two proposed amendments to our bylaws were submitted and will lay over to our March stated conclave:

It is proposed to amend Article 3 which currently reads:

Fees: The Fees shall be: For the orders, \$130.00 dollars, and for membership by affiliation, \$130.00 dollars.

so that the same shall read:

Fees: The Fees shall be: For the orders, \$90.00 dollars plus the current Grand Commandery and Grand Encampment assessments, and for membership by affiliation, \$90.00 dollars plus the current Grand Commandery and Grand Encampment assessments.

It is proposed to amend Article 4 which currently reads:

Dues: (a) The annual dues of each member shall be \$130.00 dollars, which includes (\$1.00) one dollar for the Knights Templar Eye Foundation (except those who are Life Sponsors, Patrons or Associate Patrons) and shall be payable on or before May 31st of each year.

so that the same shall read:

Dues: (a) The annual dues of each member shall be \$90.00 dollars plus the current Grand Commandery and Grand Encampment assessments, which includes (\$1.00) one dollar for the Knights Templar Eye Foundation (except those who are Life Sponsors, Patrons or Associate Patrons) and shall be payable on or before May 31st of each year.

With regard to the Eye Foundation, Grand Commandery adopted a new fee structure by which each new member is assessed a \$30.00 Eye Foundation fee in addition to his petition fee, thus making him a Life Sponsor and eliminating the one dollar annual assessment. The annual Grand Commandery and Grand Encampment assessments are \$10.00 and \$9.00.

North Central Division Inspection Schedule

		Order	FFO	Banquet
Mar 19	Holy Grail #70	2:00p	4:00p	5:00p
Apr 2	Wooster #48	2:00p	4:00p	5:00p
Apr 9	Massillon #4	2:00p	4:00p	5:00p
Apr 30	Clinton #5	2:00p	4:00p	5:00p

All dates are Saturdays. Ladies are always welcome.

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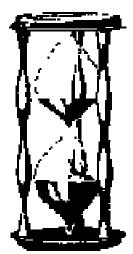
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→ Cleveland Assembly #15 S. O. O. B.

Stated Meeting First Thursday 7:30 p.m. • www.cleveland15soob.org

Hour-Glass



An emblem connected with the Third Degree, according to the Webb lectures, to remind us by the quick passage of its sands of the transitory nature of human life. As a Masonic symbol it is of comparatively modern date, but the use of the *hour-glass* as an emblem of the passage of time is older than our oldest known rituals. Thus, in a speech before Parliament, in 1627, it is said: "We may dandle and play with the hour-glass that is in our power, but the hour will not stay for us; and an opportunity once lost cannot be regained." We are told in *Notes and Queries* (First Series, v, page 223) that in the early part of the eighteenth century it was a custom to inter an hourglass with the dead, as an emblem of the sand of life being run out.

There is in Sir John Soane's Museum, Lincoln's Inn Fields, London, a manuscript account book, of 1614-41, once owned by Nicholas Stone, Mason to King James I and Charles I, which on the title page has the following written note:

In time take time while time doth last, For time is no time when time is past.

A few sad and studious lines written in his Bible by Sir Walter Raleigh are found in Cayley's biography of him (volume ii, chapter ix):

E'en such is time! which takes in trust
Our youth, our joys, and all we have;
And pays us naught but age and dust,
Which, in the dark and silent grave,
When we have wandered all our ways,
Shuts up the story of our days.
And from which grave, and earth, and dust,
The Lord will raise me up, I trust.

Longfellow, in his "Sand of the Desert in an Hour-glass," has written thus:

A handful of red sand from the hot clime Of Arab deserts brought, Within the glass becomes the spy of Time, The minister of Thought.

An hour-glass is in the possession of the Lodge at Alexandria, Virginia, of which our Brother George Washington was Master. That old treasure, a measure of the flying moments, well exhibits the changing methods brought about in time.

—From Mackey's Revised Encyclopedia of Freemasonry, 1946.



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Emulation Lodge of Improvement

At the time of the Union of the English Lodges in 1813, a Lodge of Reconciliation was constituted with an equal number of chosen workers from each Constitution for the purpose of arranging a uniformity in the Making, Passing, and Raising of Freemasons in all of England. After this was done, the ritual and ceremonies established, the Lodge was dissolved in 1816, having received the authority and sanction of the United Grand Lodge. For making these known to the Craft generally a system of Lodges of Instruction was set up and Past Masters who were qualified went from Lodge to Lodge as teachers or Preceptors as they were later called. The most eminent and earliest of these was Peter Gilkes (which see). As a continuation of the work of the Lodge of Reconciliation the Emulation Lodge of Improvement for Master Freemasons was formed for instruction in 1823 with government entrusted to a Committee of Lecturers. The Committee is elected annually by the working members of the Lodge, the senior member acting as leader. About 1830 the Lectures began to give place to rehearsal of ceremonies. Minute Books prior to 1859 were destroyed by fire. Therefore such records as are available are from pages of the Freemasons' Quarterly Review, the Public Ledger and the Minutes of various Lodges with which Peter Gilkes was associated. The celebration of the Centenary of this school of Masonic ritualism was held in the Grand Temple at Freemasons Hall in Great Queen Street, London, on March 2, 1923, presided over by the Pro Grand Master, the Right Honorable Lord Ampthill. No English Lodge is compelled to conform to Emulation working and there are Lodges working independently, but for over a hundred years the ritual and ceremonies as taught by the Emulation Lodge of Improvement have been the standard recognized method. We are indebted to Brother George Rankin, Senior Member of Committee of Lecturers, London, for the above details (see also Illustrated History of the Emulation Lodge of Improvement, Henry Sadler, London, 1904).

—From Mackey's Revised Encyclopedia of Freemasonry, 1946.

Emulation Today

It would be idle to pretend that Emulation is today anything like the force it was in former times. The late Bro. Colin Dyer, in his history already referred to, expressed the view in 1973 that the use of detailed books of ritual seemed to have taken the place temporarily of the comradeship of the Lodge of Instruction, but hoped that falling numbers might prove to be a passing phase. That assessment how appears to have been unduly optimistic. Lodges of Instruction generally are in serious decline, and Emulation with them. This is the result of social and other pressures which in recent years have militated against regular weekly attendance, and there is no sign at present of those pressures abating. Nevertheless, Emulation still teaches and maintains the highest standards of Masonic ritual

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