

## STATED COMMUNICATION

The next stated Communication of Temple-Noyes-Cathedral Lodge #32 will be held on **Tuesday, February 21, 2006 starting at 8:00 PM** sharp in the Lodge room of the William R. Singleton Masonic Temple, 4441 Wisconsin Avenue, NW, Washington, DC.

We will have the opportunity to hear briefly from Worshipful Bros. Taylor, Sumter and Miller, re: current real estate trends. This will be brief but interesting talk.

*Officer's dress is white tie and tails.*

A Dutch treat pre-communication dinner will be held at Guapo's on Wisconsin Avenue beginning at 6:30 PM.

## EXEC. COMMITTEE MEETING

Monday, February 13, 2006, at 5:45 p.m. at Steamers preceding the Monday Night Fellowship.

## MONDAY NIGHT FELLOWSHIP

The next social event is scheduled for **Monday, February 13, 2006** at Steamers in Bethesda. Bro. Paul Andrews has arranged for a **scotch tasting** similar to the previous tasting held at Steamers, however this time there will be an even greater selection! Kudos to him for his efforts in arranging this evening, which I am sure will be well attended without need for advertising or encouragement. Paul needs a rough headcount – so if you could, please email me [smead@mm-law.org](mailto:smead@mm-law.org) to RSVP for Steamers 2/13/06 at 6:30 p.m. Even if you're not positive but think you might attend!

The Annual Directory should be sent soon, and included therein is a revised trestleboard with corrections and changes made. Please note the changes from the previous trestleboard, and inform me if you note any errors. Thank you.

## FROM THE EAST

I congratulate and thank the line officers and brethren for the master's roast last month. It was well attended and I hope everyone enjoyed themselves – at my expense. It is peculiar to TNC that I was thankful for the dress and substance of the roast; which says a lot about previous roasts. I especially want to thank Jeff Schilling for the time and effort that went into such a creative affair. Also, kudos to PM Ernie Palmer for the use of his talents in creating a “working” electric chair, ambulance chasing helmet and other props. Had I known that the “oriental chair” had congruent running electricity and water I would have thought better, and made my escape.

Many, many thanks to Bro. Bob Sloan for graciously agreeing to treat us to a great talk and update on the goings on at Sibley Hospital. The great administration at Sibley is no doubt due in large part Bro. Sloan's dedication and hard work - while always making time for patients and family members visiting the hospital.

Resounding gratitude and platitudes to WB Harry A. Calevas for making the effort to attend and sit through the entire Lodge meeting. His honorarium was merely a token, and words are imperfect, but I know from discussing his role in Lodge affairs with the elder statesmen of our lodge that he had a great and positive influence. As I said, I fondly remember sitting with Harry and George to play cards at the Oyster Roasts, and their

ever so subtle irritation at any dealer that proposed any game other than five card draw!!

The next three events of the lodge, 1) scotch tasting and dinner at Steamers on 2/13/06, 2) lodge on 2/21/06 and 3) the **Oyster Roast at Columbia Country Club on March 3, 2006** are all sure to be well attended, interesting and a good time generally. February is a slow month typically for lodge due to weather, etc. so I encourage each and every brother to come out as they can.

► We need to receive any petitions for the 2006 class as soon as possible – especially if we need to obtain waivers.

► Bro. Sec. requests that you PAY YOUR 2006 DUES and/or HOST FEES, and check to see if you owe any 2005 DUES and/or HOST FEES.

► It is an important goal of the Lodge to give blood, SO GIVE BLOOD and report to Bro. Keith Northup.

Sincerely and Fraternaly,  
Sterling G. Mead  
Worshipful Master

Attest:  
Scott Sumter, P.M.  
Secretary