



ASHLAR-ASPETUCK 142

# Trestle Board



March - 2026

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*Greetings from  
the East*

Gentlemen/Brothers;

My Brother's we have come a long way this past 2 years and we are not finished yet. I asked last month for idea's on educational topics and suggestions on various trips that you would like the lodge to look into. I will continue to solicit recommendations, and might incorporate traveling with other lodges. Please submit your requests.

We have Degree work coming in the next three months, so if you are interested in partaking just ask. Remember the word I used in January's message "keeping everyone engaged". We also have three men being raised as Entered Apprentices this March 14th. We also have 3 more prospects to help nurture and grow from Grand Lodge Blue wave. So let's take an active part and keep the momentum going forward.

Last month's education was on the structure and positions within the lodge, along with their responsibilities. This month education will be presented by WB Joe Zaninno on Tyler Symbolisms. Remember "Masonry is only as good as you make it"

Lastly any recommendations on By-Law changes are due by March 11th.

Thank you, and may God Bless  
Whorshipful Master  
Robert P. Curwen Sr.



*Greetings from  
the West*

My Brothers,

The Worshipful Master has asked me to assist him with, and I will have the privilege of sitting in the East for our degree on March 14th.

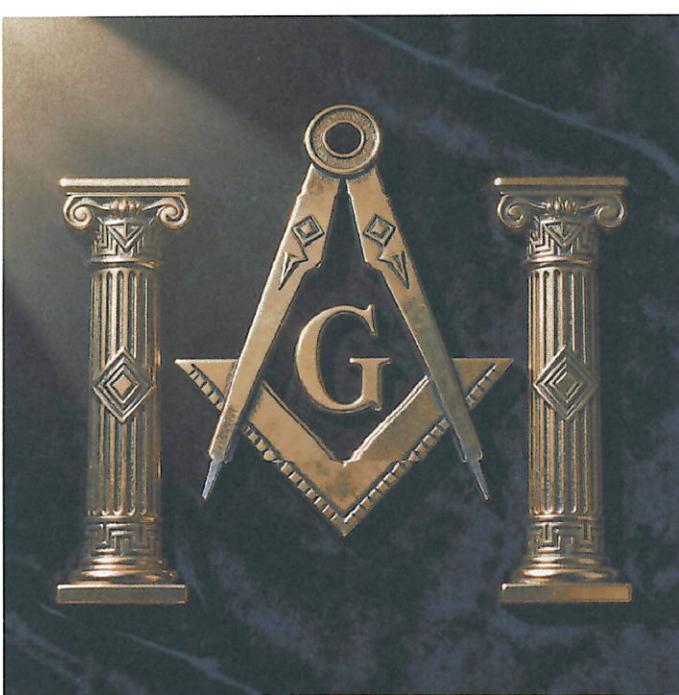
Preparing for the EA degree has been a real pleasure. I've found that the preparation, both individually and collectively, strengthens our own Masonic journey and reminds us why this work matters. The practice, and ultimately the execution of the degree, is the beehive in action!

As we look ahead, we have a Fellowcraft Degree in April and a Master Mason Degree in May. If you haven't participated in a degree recently, I encourage you to come out and take part. With these upcoming degrees, join the brothers and consider volunteering for a role or lecture.

As the Worshipful Master continues to remind us, let's stay engaged. Ritual is the heart of every Blue Lodge, and spending time together digging into the work is one of the most rewarding things we do as Masons

Fraternally,  
Bro. Kraig Gray  
Senior Warden 2026





**“So live, that when thy summons comes to join the innumerable caravan which moves to that mysterious realm, thou go not like the quarry-slave at night, scourged to his dungeon, but sustained and soothed by an unfaltering trust.”**

**William Cullen Bryant**

**Poet & Freemason**

## Coming Soon-

Garden Corner, an occasional report from TransitionCT on the gardens progress.

Brothers are always welcome to get their hands dirty!



# Calendar of Events

**March 14, 2026**

Entered Apprentice Degree

8:30 breakfast -All Hands on Deck

**April 18, 2026**

Fellowcraft Degree

8:30 Breakfast - All Hands on Deck



**March 11th**  
**Stated**  
**Communication**  
 Meatloaf, Green Beans  
 Mashed Potatoes  
 Business Casual  
 Dress Required



## To Our Brothers-

**MAY THE GRAND ARCHITECT OF THE UNIVERSE ALWAYS KEEP YOU SAFE !**

Hagan, Mark Patrick	March 15
Nelson, Roger Alan	March 18
Sorrentino, Louis A.	March 18
Hill, Robert	March 22
Machado, Emanuel	March 22
Williams, Nicholas James	March 22
Smith, Mark Edward	March 24
Silhavy, Darrin David	March 8
Candee, Fred B. Jr	March 9

**Need A Ride Brother?  
Would you like a home visit?  
Need Fellowship? A Meal?  
Yard Work or A Break?**

**Call your Worshipful Master anytime that  
you need to reconnect. The Brothers are  
here and no one is left behind!**



**(203) 258-5083**

**Call, leave a message or a text and  
we shall connect!**

## **AA142 Fellowship & Special Events Calendar for 2026**

**Monday, June 29, 2026** – Full Moon Travel  
Fellowship Location TBD. Opportunity for newest  
brothers visit another Lodge.

**Wednesday, July 8, 2026** – Brewery Meet & Greet,  
Casual meet-and-greet held on the anniversary of  
the Grand Lodge of Connecticut.

**Friday, August 28, 2026** – Full Moon Paddle on the  
Saugatuck River Evening paddle using kayaks and  
canoes. Weather dependent.

**Saturday, September 26, 2026** – Fellowship Night  
with spouses - Plans in the making with details to  
follow.

**Sunday, October 25, 2026** – Fall Harvest Barbecue  
Lodge family event including Masons, families, and  
Transition CT.

**Tuesday, November 24, 2026** – Friendsgiving  
Communal meal and launch of the annual Easton  
Senior Center food drive.

**Saturday, November 28, 2026** – Pancake Breakfast  
with Santa & Photos, Community fundraiser open to  
the public. Pancake breakfast, Santa visit, and  
photographs for children and families.



*Greetings from  
the South*

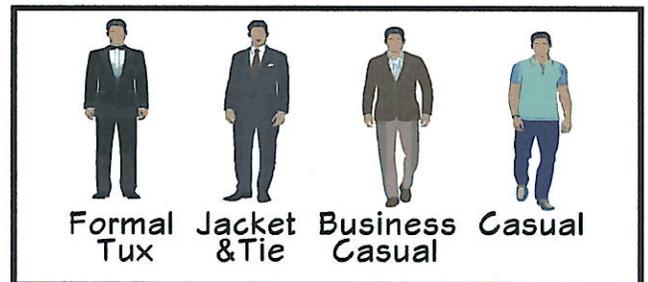
Greetings my Brothers,

As I sit in my seat in the South and look about the Lodge at my fellow Brothers I feel the warmth of fellowship and support. I thank you for that. It has given me great pleasure in providing refreshment to our Lodge and I look forward to continuing so in the coming months. We have a few Fellowship events on our calendar with a few in the works. Please do take notice and if agreeable please attend those that you find of interest.

As stated previously, if you have a suggestion for a Lodge meal, please feel free to share with me. I am always open to trying something new. No, who ever made the suggestion of Kosmoceratops, that would be impossible. But thank you for the suggestion.

We do have several degrees on our schedule which all will be Saturday morning events. This upcoming EA degree will be catered due to the timing. I have had the pleasure of preparing previous breakfasts and will be doing so again. As our Stewards get in line my tasks will be easier. If you ever wish to lend a hand in setting up the Lodge for meals please do step forward, thank you.

Fraternally Yours,  
J. Rick Cipot  
Junior Warden



**ASHLAR-ASPETUCK 142**  
**Stated Communications Second Wednesday  
of each month.**

**Full Moon Fellowship**

**once a month on announcement**

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