

# STAR AND COMPASS

A N O K A M A S O N I C L O D G E # 3 0 A . F . & A . M .

## GREETINGS FROM THE EAST!

We had a great month in May. We passed three new Fellowcrafts along with a courtesy Fellowcraft from Arcana Lodge! Well done Brothers and congratulations to the degree team for a very well done degree. We had an interesting presentation from The Hurricane Hunters, courtesy of W.B. Dave Emery and family.



During the April stated WB's Niel Warmack, Jim Naeve and John Freeburg presented WM Steve Braun with a physical representation of the wages of a Fellowcraft in the form of vessels of corn , wine and oil. This display will be used during the FC drgree to impress upon the minds of the candidates what it was that our ancient brothers received for wages.

The Jobies had their elections and all the new officers will be installed in June. Congratulations to all the girls! We also held our second annual Garage Sale, and since I am writing this in advance, I hope we had good weather.

The year seems to be flying by and the outdoor Master Mason degree is coming up this month. If you haven't been to one of the outdoor degrees before, you should definitely plan to attend as they are a real treat. We will be joined this year by Fellowcrafts from other Lodges as the West Metro outdoor degree was cancelled. If you haven't been at Lodge lately come on back and see what all we have coming up for the second half of 2011!

**Fraternally,  
Steve Braun  
Worshipful Master  
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**MASTER MASON  
DEGREE**

**SATURDAY  
JUNE 18  
9:30 AM**



Meet our new brother Robert Hayes



Meet our new brother Jeremy McFarland



Meet our new brother Tom Grembowski

## GREETINGS FROM THE STAR!

Grand Chapter session was held in St Cloud on May 5th thru 7th. Over twenty-one members from our Chapter attended the meetings. Garland Lundquist was the Page for our own Curt Speller, Grand Sentinel. Dave Lundquist was assigned to monitor the doors. During various sessions, Denise and Dave Emery were introduced with the Worthy Matrons and Patrons, Garland and Dave Lundquist with the Junior Past Matrons and Patrons, Peg Oliver as a District Instructor, and five of our people introduced as 50 year members. Garland's counterpart Beverly DePoy Grand Representative from Ohio visited with us after their ceremonies. Many Scholarships given out, project reports presented, and legislation acted on. Our Martha group enjoyed a good meal and fun times Friday evening at DB Searles. The activities culminated Saturday evening with the Installation of the new Grand Officers for 2011- 2012, Martha members Curt Speller as Associate Grand Patron and yes, Denise Emery as Grand Chaplin. What an honor to be asked to serve in this position for the year.

Martha Chapter activities continued with the meeting May 19th honoring our Star Points and Mothers. We had 21 Moms present with a total of 162 and 3/4th offspring. WOW!!! Sunday May 22nd we enjoyed the Hurricane Hunter presentation that was very interesting and informative. Thanks, Deeann and Greg Lufkin for sharing your work with all of us. All the money donations will be given to the ACBC food shelf.

All Past Matrons and Past Patrons are encouraged to attend our June 16th meeting to be recognized for your service to our Order. That evening we will also be honoring Lois and Kevin Leonard and their year.

Friday, June 17th will be our annual SALAD LUNCHEON. Serving will be from 11:00 to 1:00. Associate Matron Lyla Aaland will appreciate all those who sign up to donate salads and be workers to make this activity a success as usual. Come hungry and enjoy good food and good fellowship.

Until next time,

**Denise Emery, Worthy Matron**  
**Dave Emery, Worthy Patron**



**OES 50 Year Members (left to right): Pat Schwappach, Charles Dempewolf, Candace Dempewolf, Bonnie Miller, and Carol Fourre.**



**Above: Attendees look on during the Hurricane Hunters presentation, which was given by Deeann and Greg Lufkin (Below)**



## GREETINGS FROM BETHEL 48!

May has been another busy month for Bethel #48. Our first meeting was elections, where the following members were elected to serve for the next term:

Honored Queen, Sara G.  
Junior Princess, Kristen H.  
Guide, Nika K.,  
Marshal, Marietta H.

Installation will be held June 12 at 2:00 P.M. We would love to have you there!

Other highlights for May including attending Bethel #41's friendship, collecting items and decorating birthday bags to donate to the food shelf, serving dinner and escorting at the Scottie awards and attending the DeMolay Sweetheart Prom on Lake Minnetonka.

May 11 was our "Diva Night" fundraiser at Lillian's in Anoka. We had a great turnout and it was a wonderful fundraiser. Thank you to everyone who supported us that evening.

We initiated a new member on May 16.

Welcome to Roseangela! We are excited to have her.

In June we will be going on our Mystery Trip, participating in the Relay for Life, and of course holding our installation.

Thank you again for your support and everything you do for Bethel #48!

**Jobie  
Love,  
Bethel #48**

**OFFICERS  
INSTALLATION:  
SUNDAY  
JUNE 12  
2:00 PM**

Girls decorated birthday bags to be donated to the ACBC Food Shelf



# Anoka County Fair



The Fair this year is  
July 26th - July 31st.

We will again have a booth to let everyone know in Anoka County that we are in the community, here to help, and here as a way to make good men better.

Sign-ups will follow. Keep a four-hour shift (or two or three) open during these dates. Get to know your community as well as another Brother or two working the booth.



## GREETINGS FROM THE SOUTH

As summer (remember that season that replaces snow for mosquitoes?) starts to move toward us, we take a small Masonic breath as things start to slow down. Yes, we still have meetings, dinners and some events, but no degree work. Most of the appendant bodies also slow down or go dark. What is one to do with all of this freetime. Fish? Sure. Yardwork? Necessary, so yes. Take a trip with the family? Of course!

But with that extra time and that hole that you have in your Masonic life as the days grow longer, consider taking time to get more light independently. Join the Grand Lodge Masonic Light Program. It is very reasonable and has great activities for you to learn and improve yourself in Masonry. If you are a member of the Scottish Rite, consider signing up for the Master Craftsman Program. This program is put out by the Supreme Council and delves into the degrees deeper than when you went through them initially. Maybe pick up a new book on Masonry, or read one of them that you have collected over the years. Lastly, use some time in your hammock, lounge or chair to work on some degree work, whether from the Blue Lodge or one of the appendant bodies. Come back in the fall with a lecture down cold and ready to do it. Think of it like the reading lists you got as school was ending, or something you learned at summer camp.

Yours in the Gentle Craft,

**Todd A. Mayer**  
**Junior Warden**



*"Freemasonry is emphatically a religious institution; it teaches the existence of God. It points to the celestial canopy above where is the Eternal Lodge and where He presides. It instructs us in the way to reach the portals of that distant temple"*

*Albert Mackey*

## GREETINGS FROM SHEKINAH!

We are making great progress this year but we unfortunately won't be getting our full Charter at Grand Chapter this year. We all should make an effort to attend Grand Chapter however if for no other reason than to show how committed we are to making this Chapter succeed. You can download the registration forms at the Grand Chapter website [www.mnram.org](http://www.mnram.org).

We will be putting on our second in-house degree this month, the Virtual Past Master so all please study your parts and make it as memorable as possible for Companion Nate. Keep up the good work and see you at G.C. in Bloomington!

**Steve Braun**  
High Priest



*Father Thomas is the Anoka Lodge Chaplain and Chairman of the Sunshine Committee.*

*If you know of someone in the Masonic Family in need of support, please contact Father Thomas at (612) 702-4770.*



## Traveling Man

Next Road Trip:  
None Scheduled

**Feel free to contact me for inquires or requests regarding future road trips:**

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**Todd A. Mayer  
Junior Warden  
Anoka Lodge #30 AF&AM**

## TAKE US OUT TO THE BALLGAME

*Sunday, June 26th*

Our annual Anoka Masonic Family outing at the St. Paul Saints game will be on Sunday, June 26th. All members of Lodge, OES and Jobies (and families) are invited. We will start with tailgating on the far end of the parking lot (as usual) at 11am and then off to see some great outdoor baseball! The Saints will be taking on the Wichita Wingnuts at 1pm. Tickets will be \$15 each, which will not be due until gameday.

RSVP to JW Todd Mayer at [jeditodd@comcast.net](mailto:jeditodd@comcast.net) or (763)-413-0764. I have 50 tickets ordered, so first come, first serve. Should be a great time as always.



Yours in the Gentle Craft,  
**Todd A. Mayer**

**Junior Warden - Anoka Lodge #30 AF&AM**

# 2011 Anoka Lodge Shrimp Dinner



*Thank you to everyone who came and helped out!!!*

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## JUNE CALENDAR

June 2, 7pm

Anoka #30 Stated Meeting

June 10, 7pm

Tupperware Fundraiser

June 12, 2pm 2nd Annual Anoka

Lodge Garage Sale (see insert)

June 16, 7:30pm OES Meeting

Honoring Past Matron and Patron

June 17, 11am

OES Salad Luncheon

June 18, 9:30am Anoka #30 Out-

door Master Mason Degree

June 21, 6pm NE Lodge Degree

Work

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