



**Henry Lodge No. 57**  
**Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons**  
**Chartered December 15, 1869**  
**Stated Communication: 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday @ 7:30 p.m.**  
**Dinner before Stated @ 6:30 p.m.**  
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*July 2009 From The East*

Brothers and Friends of Henry Lodge,

The summer is here and Henry Lodge will remain alive and active as we always have in the past.

I want to draw you attention to the Lodge activities on July 4. Henry Lodge will be doing our annual CHILD ID program at the Fairfax Volunteer Fire Department House on University Drive in the City of Fairfax. While it sad that we live in a time that the service is highly recommended by law enforcement authorities, it is one of the most pleasurable service projects we have to offer the community. A side benefit is the great location to watch the parade and be entertained by the firemen's competition if you are willing to stay late. We will begin setup at 7:30 AM at the fire station. Brother Hector (Junior Deacon) and Brother Chris (Senior Warden) will be heading up the setup and operation. We are usually done about 12:30 to 1:00 PM, so you will have time to enjoy other celebration activities. This annual event requires a large number of participants, so everyone is invited (e.g., wives, girlfriends, prospective members, Eastern Star, Rainbow Girls, etc.).

Our family activity for July will be a Masonic Goodwill road trip to visit the Virginia Masonic Home (MAHOVA) in Richmond on 18 July. We will meet at the Lodge at 8:00 AM to carpool down. MW Cohen, Henry Lodge's MOHOVA Ambassador, has learned that the residents would really like to receive LARGE-BUTTON boomboxes with CD players to play all their audio books. Everyone is invited to go on this trip and, if within the length of your personal cabletow, bring a one or more new boomboxes to present to the residents.

A look ahead shows that the Rainbow Girls will be assisting with the planning of our August Family Event, attending a Potomac Nationals baseball game. Please keep the first two August Saturday evenings open, as the actual date may change. More details in the August Trestleboard.

Please refer to the calendar for the other Henry Lodge activities.

In closing, I want to re-remind everyone to have a fun and VERY safe summer. See you in Lodge.

Sincerely and Fraternally,  
Harold



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**Henry Lodge Masonic Family**  
 Fairfax Assembly #3 IORG  
 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday  
 Hope Chapter #73 OES  
 1<sup>st</sup> Friday  
 Fauquier Chapter #25 RAM  
 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday

**July Masonic Birthdays**

Robert E. Thompson, Jr.	07/18/61
Allen R. Batson	07/31/79
John P. Tunstall	07/29/80
Bennie F. Wilson	07/25/81
Donald A. Younker	07/25/81
Harold A. Chadsey	07/28/81
Neal T. Sawick	07/01/96
Thomas L. Munday, Jr.	07/16/96
Steven R. Sylvester	07/18/00
John W. Bouloubasis, Jr.	07/25/00
Essam K. Al-Jaber	07/10/04
Jeremi D. Hale	07/18/06

*From The Secretary's Desk*

My Brethren:

Having within a month and a half recognized Memorial Day, Flag Day and most recently the 4<sup>th</sup> of July, it occurred to me that we, as Masons, should revisit the American's Creed. The American's Creed is the official creed of the United States of America. It was written in 1917 by William Tyler Page as an entry into a patriotic contest. It was adopted by the U.S. House of Representatives on April 3 of the next year:

I believe in the United States of America as a Government of the People, by the People, for the People; whose just powers are derived from the consent of the governed; a democracy in a republic, a sovereign Nation of many Sovereign States; a perfect Union, one and inseparable; established upon those principles of Freedom, Equality, Justice, and Humanity for which American Patriots sacrificed their Lives and Fortunes.

I therefore believe it is my duty to my country to Love it; to Support its Constitution; to obey its laws; to Respect its Flag; and to defend it against all enemies.

Fraternally,

Ralph W. Smith, Jr., P.M.  
 Secretary

## 2009 Henry Lodge Events

### **Honorary Members**

Robert J. Campbell  
Leonard Carter  
Edmund Cohen  
Roger Firestone  
William E. Ray, Sr.  
Donald M. Robey  
Charles H. Rowell  
Delbert E. Sheads

### **Living Past Masters**

1960 Eugene B. Kenyon  
1971 Kenneth Haines  
1972 Robert Campbell  
1977 Delbert E. Sheads  
1979 Marvin Hubble  
1980 Miles R. Woolever  
1981 Richard Reedy  
1982 Edmund Cohen  
1986 Allen Batson  
1987 Edwin Carpenter  
1988 Alexander Constant, Jr.  
1989 Robert Huss, Jr.  
1992 Lynn Boerger  
1993 Leonard Carter  
1994 Harold J. Hodges  
1995 Moe L. Aitel  
1996 Bobby G. Bell  
1997 Thomas G. Evans  
1998 Thomas R. Wickman  
1999 James D. Hawkins  
2000 Paul R. Kulp  
2001 Robert B. Williams  
2002 Ralph W. Smith, Jr.  
2003 Harry E. Sanders  
2004 Russell L. Williams  
2005 Dallas W. Brumback, Jr.  
2006 Clesson C. McDonald, Jr.  
2007 Arleigh H. Rice  
2008 David J. Stringfellow

### **50-Year Members**

Carliss M. Fox  
Oscar S. Hendrickson  
Carl R. Jenkins  
Ronald E. Keene  
Eugene B. Kenyon  
Paul R. Kulp  
John C. Mayers, Sr.  
William E. Ray, Sr.  
Charles H. Rowell  
Robert M. Rupert  
Donald L. Uffinger, Sr.  
Wilson F. Whitmer  
Jesse R. Williams  
Robert P. Wyne  
Kenneth A. Long

### July

- 1 Fauquier Chapter Royal Arch (at Henry Lodge), 7:30 PM
- 2 Rainbow, 7:30 PM
- 4 **Child ID at Fairfax Vol. Fire Station on University 7:30 AM – UNTIL**
- 7 **Officer Meeting 6:30 PM, Ritual Practice 7:30 PM**
- 11 **SLOT at Manasseh 8:00 AM**
- 14 **Henry Lodge Stated Communication – Dinner 6:30 PM, Social Hall program 7:15 PM, Meeting 7:30 PM (DIW Official Visit Program)**
- 15 **District Ritual School at Herndon Lodge, 7:00 PM**
- 18 **Family Event, Visit MAHOVA in Richmond, (meet @ Lodge @ 8:00 AM)**
- 21 **EA Degree, 7:00 PM**
- 23 Rainbow Board, 7:30 PM
- 28 Mt Carmel Stated Communication, Fraternal Visit 7:30 PM

### August

- 1 **Family Event, Attend Potomac Nationals Baseball Game**
- 2 – 5 **Reid Simmons Ritual School at Fork Union Military Academy**
- 5 Fauquier Chapter Royal Arch (at Henry Lodge), 7:30 PM
- 6 Rainbow, 7:30 PM
- 11 **Henry Lodge Stated Communication – Dinner 6:30 PM, Social Hall program 7:15 PM, Meeting 7:30 PM (Warden's Night)**
- 13 **Award of Canaday Scholarship and Desert Night 7:00 PM**
- 19 **District Ritual School at Haymarket Lodge, 7:00 PM**
- 27 Rainbow Board, 7:30 PM
- 29 **A.D. Smith Lodge of Research (Fraternal Visit)**
- 30 Hope Chapter #73 Ritual School, 6:00 PM

### September

- 1 **Officer Meeting 6:30 PM, Ritual Practice 7:30 PM**
- 2 Fauquier Chapter Royal Arch (at Henry Lodge), 7:30 PM
- 3 Rainbow, 7:30 PM
- 4 Hope Chapter #73 OES, 8:00 PM
- 8 **Henry Lodge Stated Communication – Dinner 6:30 PM, Social Hall program 7:15 PM, Meeting 7:30 PM**
- 12 **Family Event, Tour The Marine Corps Museum at Quantico, VA**
- 15 **Ritual Practice, 7:00 PM**
- 17 Rainbow, 7:30 PM
- 19 **Henry Lodge Annual Community Picnic, 1:00 – 4:00 PM**
- 22 **Mt. Carmel, 7:30 PM (Fraternal Visit)**
- 24 Rainbow Board, 7:30 PM
- 25 **William Edward Ray, Sr. Ritual School at Haymarket, 7:30 PM**
- 26 **William Edward Ray, Sr. Ritual School at Haymarket, 8:00 AM**
- 29 **Ritual Practice**