

HENRICO UNION LODGE NO. 130, A.F. & A.M.

OFFICERS 2017



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AUGUST 2017

TRESTLEBOARD

Chartered December 12, 1855
under the Grand Lodge of Virginia;
Masonic District 15-B

161 Years of Service

40-B West Williamsburg Road
Sandston, VA 23150-2010

www.henicounion.com

LODGE LOCATION AND INFORMATION

Henrico Union Lodge meets in the building owned by the Sandston Masonic Corporation located at 40-B West Williamsburg Road in Sandston, VA.

For driving directions, visit henricounion.com and click on the "location" link on the left. If you need a ride, please contact any officer.

The Lodge room is located upstairs (above the U.S. Post Office). The entrance is located on the Confederate Avenue side of the building. A chair lift is available for those who need assistance with the stairs.

Parking is available along the street and in the Sandston Baptist Church parking lot adjacent to the building.

The dining hall is located upstairs in Gontcheguillian Hall.

All correspondence, dues, etc., should be mailed to the Lodge Secretary at the following address:

Henrico Union Lodge No. 130, A.F. & A.M.
Matthew C. Stewart, PM, Secretary
40-B West Williamsburg Road
Sandston, VA 23150-2010



AUGUST 2017

Stated Communication: Tuesday, August 1, 2017

7:30 pm Open Lodge – Joint Communication with Sandston Lodge No. 216
 Regular Business
 Official Visit by Most Worshipful V. Stuart Cook, Grand Master of Masons in Virginia
 Close Lodge

Officers' Attire: Tuxedo

By order of: Johnnie Lowell Harris, PDDGM, Worshipful Master
Attest: Matthew Corey Stewart, PM, Secretary

UPCOMING EVENTS

August 1, 2017 Henrico Union Lodge No. 130 – Stated Communication – Dinner 6:30 PM, Lodge 7:30 PM
 Joint Communication with Sandston Lodge No. 216
 Official Visit of Most Worshipful V. Stuart Cook, Grand Master of Masons in Virginia

September 4, 2017 Labor Day

September 5, 2017 Henrico Union Lodge No. 130 – Stated Communication – Dinner 6:30 PM, Lodge 7:30 PM
 Visit by Brethren from Millboro Lodge No. 28

September 6, 2017 Fellowship Fishing Trip

September 21, 2017 Sandston Lodge No. 216 – Stated Communication – Dinner 6:30 PM, Lodge 7:30 PM

September 23, 2017 Official Visit by Most Worshipful V. Stuart Cook to the 15th Masonic Districts

October 3, 2017 Henrico Union Lodge No. 130 – Stated Communication – Dinner 6:30 PM, Lodge 7:30 PM

LODGE DUES

Dues for Masonic year 2017 are **\$137.00**

Dues are owed annually on January 1st and are explained as follows:
Henrico Union Lodge dues (\$92), plus 2017 Grand Lodge assessments (\$45)
Total dues payable for 2017 Masonic Year = **\$137.00**
To be current in your dues, **\$137.00** should be paid by January 1, 2017.

*2017 dues are past due!
If you have not paid your dues, please remit to the Secretary ASAP.*

FROM THE EAST

Brethren,

Our August stated communication marks one of our most anticipated meetings of the year. Not only will we be holding a joint communication with Sandston Lodge No. 216, we will be welcoming and receiving our Grand Master, Most Worshipful V. Stuart Cook. I hope that you will all come out to support our Most Worshipful Cook as he comes to our Lodge for the first time as Grand Master.

The clay shooting competition has been postponed until April 2018 due to a scheduling conflict. We will announce more details at the stated communication.

Both the summer and our Masonic year are more than half over, and hopefully soon the heat will break to some milder temperatures. As the weather cools off, we have several other events to mark your calendars for. At our September stated communication, we will welcome the Brethren from Millboro Lodge No. 28 who will visit us and assume chairs in Henrico Union Lodge for the evening. The next day on September 7, we will take a trip out to the bay where we will spend a day on a charter fishing boat with the Brethren.

Also, keep in mind that we have several new brothers who are progressing through the degrees, and we always need brethren willing to take part on a degree team.

Sincerely,

Lowell Harris
Worshipful Master

IMPORTANT LODGE INFORMATION

Henrico Union Lodge holds its regular stated communication on the first Tuesday of each month at the Masonic Temple located at 40 West Williamsburg Road, in Sandston, Virginia. Dinner is served at 6:30 PM, and Lodge opens at 7:30 PM.

Report all changes of address, telephone number, email, etc. to the Lodge secretary ASAP, and report all cases of illness or distress to the Junior Warden or any Lodge officer.

The Henry C. Durbin Memorial Masonic Class meets each Thursday at the Lodge, unless other events are scheduled at the Lodge. The class meets jointly at 7:00 pm with Sandston Lodge's Charles J. Fleming Memorial Class. Please contact the Lodge Instructor of Work or Secretary for more information.

The Masters & Wardens Association meetings are held on the fourth Saturday of each month (*except June, July, August and December*). The meetings are held at the Westhampton Masonic Temple, located at 9290 Three Chopt Road, Richmond, VA. Breakfast is at 8:00 am; the meeting is at 9:00 am.

The Henrico Union Lodge No. 130 Blood Bank Donation Number is 2798. Donate blood, and give the gift of life.



MEMBERSHIP - 64

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|-----------------------------|----------|
| Annis, Ronald D. | 04-26-10 |
| Bailey, Michael B. | 08-29-15 |
| Barker, Jonathan S. | 09-13-16 |
| Baroody, Joseph J. | 07-29-49 |
| Blankinship, Guy M., III * | 12-03-92 |
| Brown, Terry W., Sr. | 03-10-80 |
| Burton, James W. * | 07-31-03 |
| Butler, Ronald E., Sr. * | 11-29-62 |
| Carver, Thomas E. | 08-31-62 |
| Chisholm, Jeffrey A. | 03-04-10 |
| Chisholm, Walter T. | 05-09-72 |
| Couch, Frank H., Jr. | 03-19-57 |
| Dollarhite, E. Gary * | 04-19-74 |
| Dollarhite, Gary D. | 04-19-94 |
| Durbin, John T. | 06-03-83 |
| Durbin, James E. | 04-15-74 |
| Enos, Cassius W. | 09-20-46 |
| Estes, Earl W., Jr. | 05-15-03 |
| Folkes, Marshal G., Jr. | 07-06-59 |
| Ford, Ellyson T., Jr. | 03-11-75 |
| Hall, Carlton A. * | 10-26-06 |
| Hardaway, Donnie A. | 03-19-79 |
| Hardwicke, Chelf W., Jr. * | 12-04-97 |
| Hardwicke, Joseph M. | 06-20-07 |
| Hardwicke, Jonathan T. | 08-29-15 |
| Hardwicke, Lawrence S. | 05-18-73 |
| Hardwicke, Robert E. | 10-25-02 |
| Harris, Johnnie Lowell * | 05-29-69 |
| Hartsoe, Robert Dale * | 11-13-06 |
| Hobbs, Thomas H. | 06-05-78 |
| Howard, Charles W., Jr. | 02-14-58 |
| Irby, Ernest Brown, Jr. | 03-10-56 |
| Isgett, Winfred O., Jr. * | 07-02-87 |
| Isgett, Winfred O., Sr. * | 08-17-67 |
| Johnson, James W., Jr. | 02-23-12 |
| Lucchesi, Michael S. | 11-11-10 |
| Mallory, Wilbur F., Jr. | 02-18-72 |
| Marks, John E. | 10-02-50 |
| Martin, Frederick G., III * | 05-14-62 |
| Mills, Lynwood A. | 10-27-83 |
| Morgan, Jesse A., Jr. | 08-19-55 |
| Palmateer, Christopher J. | 04-02-96 |
| Phillips, Bruce A. | 08-08-84 |
| Prall, Larry E. | 07-09-79 |
| Proffitt, William T. | 05-25-53 |
| Rorer, William E., Jr. * | 02-22-71 |
| Saunders, Keith A. | 03-31-09 |
| Smith, James F., Jr. * | 08-26-04 |
| Stanley, James W. | 08-27-51 |
| Stewart, Matthew C. | 07-29-04 |
| Stewart, Michael A. | 10-13-80 |
| Thorpe, Stuart B., Sr. | 01-02-96 |

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| Tompson, Charles W., Jr. * | 11-07-01 |
| Traser, Donald R. * | 08-02-76 |
| Trice, Donald G. | 11-19-79 |
| Tyler, Bobby W. | 08-01-77 |
| Tyndall, Travis M. | 11-17-08 |
| Vaughn, Robert W. | 03-31-09 |
| Ward, Richard J. | 06-30-14 |
| Warinner, Bernard D. | 11-06-67 |
| Williamson, David E. | 11-23-62 |
| Wilson, Brian R. | 11-13-70 |
| Wingo, Arthur C. | 05-06-68 |
| Worley, Arthur C. | 05-25-53 |

*Date shown is date raised a Master Mason
* - denotes affiliated*

LIFETIME MEMBERS IN PERPETUITY

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| Terry W. Brown, Sr., PDDGM |
| +Edward R. Burton, Jr. |
| +Edward R. Burton, Sr., PDDGM |
| James W. Burton, PDDGM |
| Jeffrey A. Chisholm |
| Ernest G. Dollarhite, PM |
| +Allen Lee Franklin |
| Donnie A. Hardaway |
| Lawrence S. Hardwicke, PDDGM |
| Joseph M. Hardwicke |
| Ernest B. Irby, Jr. |
| +Robert W. Mantlo |
| Michael A. Stewart, PDDGM |
| +Rayford L. Stewart, PM |
| +James R. Strait, PM |
| Charles W. Tompson, Jr. |
| Donald R. Traser, PDDGM |
| +Richard V. Wright, PM |

Becoming a lifetime member in perpetuity:

A Lodge member must be current in their dues for the year, then pay 16 times the annual dues amount. After the purchase, you will not be required to pay dues ever again, regardless of increases. Additionally, your Lodge will receive financial benefit for the rest of its existence.

For 2017, an LMIP costs \$2192.

For more information on LMIP or to obtain an application, contact the Lodge Secretary.

HONORARY MEMBERS

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| Guy Maury Blankinship, III, PDDGM |
| +Bert Samuel Hobson, PM |
| Frederick Garrison Martin, III, PGM |
| William Earle Rorer, Jr., PGM |
| Michael Anthony Stewart, PDDGM |

MASONIC VETERANS

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|--------------------------|----------|
| Joseph J. Baroody | 68 years |
| Ronald E. Butler, Sr. | 55 years |
| Thomas E. Carver | 54 years |
| Frank H. Couch, Jr. | 60 years |
| Cassius W. Enos | 70 years |
| George H. Fletcher, Jr. | 66 years |
| Marshal G. Folkes, Jr. | 58 years |
| Charles W. Howard, Jr. | 59 years |
| Ernest Brown Irby, Jr. | 61 years |
| Winfred O. Isgett, Sr. | 50 years |
| John E. Marks | 66 years |
| Frederick G. Martin, III | 55 years |
| Jesse A. Morgan, Jr. | 62 years |
| William T. Proffitt | 64 years |
| James W. Stanley | 66 years |
| David E. Williamson | 54 years |
| Arthur C. Worley | 63 years |

REPRESENTIVES & COMMITTEES

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|---------------|------------------------------|
| LIW | J.W. Burton, PDDGM |
| LEO | J.L. Harris, PDDGM |
| LEO | J.M. Hardwicke |
| Investigating | G.M. Blankinship, III, PDDGM |
| MAHOVA | S.C. Anaya, PM |
| Blood Bank | R.W. Hartsoe, PM |
| Barbecue | R.W. Vaughn, PM |
| Sausage | J.M. Hardwicke |
| Sausage | C.W. Tompson |
| Sausage | R.J. Ward |
| Property | M.A. Stewart, PDDGM |
| Webmaster | M.C. Stewart, PM |
| Scholarship | R.W. Vaughn, PM |
| Scholarship | M.A. Stewart, PDDGM |
| Scholarship | M.C. Stewart, PM |
| Scholarship | J.M. Hardwicke |

TRUSTEES

| | |
|----------|-------------------------|
| Chairman | W.O. Isgett, Sr., PDDGM |
| Trustee | M.A. Stewart, PDDGM |
| Trustee | G.M. Blankinship, PDDGM |

PAST MASTERS

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|----------------------------|-----------|--------------------------------|---------|-----------------------------------|---------------|
| +Rev. Francis J. Boggs | 1855-57 | +Robert Emmett Hord | 1928 | Larry Edward Prall | 1985 |
| +Alfred Stith Lee | 1857-58 | +Joseph Ross Perkins | 1929 | Donnie Austin Hardaway | 1986 |
| +John H. Dickerson | 1858-60 | +Robert Benjamin Jordan | 1930 | #Terry Winston Brown, Sr. | 1987 |
| +Alfred Stith Lee | 1860-62 | +Edward Cabell Barrett | 1931 | #Michael Anthony Stewart | 1988 |
| + John H. Dickerson | 1862-64 | +William Winder Gordon | 1932 | Ernest Gary Dollarhite | 1989 |
| +Joseph J. English | 1864-65 | +Samuel Nathaniel Howard | 1933 | +George Raymond Campbell | 1990 |
| +Savage Smith | 1865 | +Charles Edward Talley | 1934 | +Gregory Carter Howard | 1991 |
| +John M. Winree | 1866 | +Howard Gilbert Pitt | 1935 | Bruce Arnold Phillips | 1992 |
| +William T. King | 1866-68 | +Drewry Avent | 1936 | +Richard Virgil Wright | 1993 |
| +William Francis Mitchell | 1868-70 | +William Morriss Robertson | 1937 | +Henry Cornelliur Durbin | 1994 |
| +John Pitt | 1870-72 | +William Lee Hardwicke, Jr. | 1938 | +#Edward Redman Burton, Sr. | 1995 |
| +John S. Dodson | 1872-73 | +#John Beverly Blanton | 1939 | +George Raymond Campbell | 1996 |
| +James H. Binford | 1873-74 | +Marshal Gray Folkes, Sr. | 1940 | +Rayford Luther Stewart | 1997 |
| +Sidney R. Gates | 1874-75 | +Edward Franklin Ancell | 1941 | James Waddell Stanley | 1998 |
| +Robert E. Richardson | 1875-77 | +Elmo Murray Sweeney | 1942 | Bruce Arnold Phillips | 1999 |
| +Oscar R. Kelley | 1877-78 | +William James Hickey | 1943 | Stuart Bryant Thorpe, Sr. | 2000 |
| +William S. Murray | 1878-80 | +Randall Earl Johnson | 1944 | Christopher Jason Palmateer | 2001 |
| +David C. Richardson | 1880-81 | +#Floyd Wills Sydnor | 1945 | #Lawrence Swann Hardwicke | 2002-03 |
| +Westwood M. Williams | 1881-83 | +John Floyd Bates | 1946 | +James Stinson Hurt, Sr. | 2004 |
| +John T. Hughes | 1883-84 | +Edward Franklin Knight | 1947 | +James Robert Strait | 2005 |
| +J. Staunton Moore | 1884-85 | +Harry Linwood Conti | 1948 | +#Charles William Tompson, Sr. | 2006 |
| +James M. Woody | 1885-86 | +#Lewis Massey Jones | 1949 | #Lawrence Swann Hardwicke | 2007 |
| +George T. King | 1886-87 | +Charles William Clarkes | 1950 | #Winfred Otto Isgett, Sr. | 2008 |
| +S. Wesley Farrar | 1887 | +James L. Swann, Jr. | 1951 | #Guy Maury Blankinship, III | 2009 |
| +W.B. Waldron | 1887-89 | +Robert Buford Peoples | 1952 | James Franklin Smith, Jr. | 2010 |
| +Joseph W. Carter | 1889-90 | +Jesse Wise Palmer | 1953 | X Earnest Earl Wells, III | 2011 |
| +Alexander Pearce | 1890-92 | +Henry Franklin Hardin | 1954 | Matthew Corey Stewart | 2012 |
| +Charles J. Billups | 1892-93 | +William Garland Ragland | 1955 | #James Willis Burton | 2013 |
| +Robert Lee Hechler | 1893-95 | +#Charles William Tompson, Sr. | 1956 | Keith Allan Saunders | 2014 |
| +Beverly Crump Lewis, Sr. | 1895-97 | +Thomas Earl Worley | 1957 | Robert Warren Vaughn | 2015 |
| +Hirman Oliver Gates | 1897-99 | +John Spurgeon Bottoms | 1958 | Michael Scott Lucchesi | 2016 |
| +Edward C. Garrison | 1899-1900 | +Orris Dewey Garton, Jr. | 1959 | | |
| +Clarence Egbert Hughes | 1900-01 | +James Stinson Hurt, Sr. | 1960 | # - Denotes PDDGM | |
| +Minetree Folks | 1901-03 | +Joseph William Meredith | 1961 | + - Denotes Deceased | |
| +Robert Powers Lord | 1903-04 | +Joseph B. Cooper | 1962 | X - Denotes Demitted or Withdrawn | |
| +Charles Ernest Johnson | 1905 | +William T. Sirles | 1963 | | |
| +Joseph Shelton Wilson | 1906-07 | +William Archer Blunt | 1964 | | |
| +John L. Satterfield | 1908-09 | #Marshal Gray Folkes, Jr. | 1965 | | |
| +John H. Hardwicke | 1910 | +Harry Pierce Tucker | 1966 | | |
| +X Frank Tyree Bates, Jr. | 1911 | +Alex Franklin Carver | 1967 | | |
| +John A. Dunnington | 1912 | Thomas Earl Carver | 1968-69 | | |
| +Horace G. Brown, Sr. | 1913 | +Herman R. Moore | 1970 | G.M. Blankinship, III, PDDGM | 216, 177 |
| +Clinton L. Williams | 1914 | +Henry Cornelliur Durbin | 1971 | J.W. Burton, PDDGM | 216 |
| +Oscar Russell Hord | 1915 | +John Elwood Davis | 1972 | +H.B. Green, PGM | 285 |
| +Mercer Hunter Fidler | 1916 | +Asa Beauregard Faison | 1973 | C.A. Hall, PM | 216 |
| +John Temple Gill | 1917 | +Ernest Valentine Lynch | 1974 | J.L. Harris, PDDGM | 168 |
| +Walter E. Trimmer | 1918 | +Clarence B. Southward, Jr. | 1975 | R.D. Hartsoe, PM | 272, 216 |
| +Allen Linwood Brown | 1919 | +Harvey Eulis Moore | 1976 | +B.S. Hobson, PM | 351, 272 |
| +Stanley Ruffin Tucker | 1920 | +Sidney C. Lockett, Jr. | 1977 | W.O. Isgett, Jr., PM | 216 |
| +Cabell Jackson Buchannan | 1921 | +Robert Charles Eck | 1978 | W.O. Isgett, Sr., PDDGM | 216, 157, 177 |
| +Charles Graham Parker | 1922 | Walter Thomas Chisholm | 1979 | +P.W. Lassiter, PDDGM | 351 |
| +John Ellis Stewart | 1923 | Ellyson Theodore Ford, Jr. | 1980 | F.G. Martin, III, PGM | 344, 347, 19 |
| +Crawford Curry Crouch | 1924 | +#Edward Redman Burton, Sr. | 1981 | W.E. Rorer, Jr., PGM | 6 |
| +William David Parnell | 1925 | +Charles Alston Parker | 1982 | +A.D. Smith, Jr., PGM | 11 |
| +William Joseph Folkes | 1926 | Thomas Henry Hobbs | 1983 | J.F. Smith, Jr., PM | 216 |
| +Frank Spencer Holdercroft | 1927 | +Lyndall Curtis Dunning | 1984 | +W.H. Snider, PDDGM | 51, 317 |
| | | | | D.R. Traser, PDDGM | 36 |

AFFILIATED PAST MASTERS

AUGUST MASONIC BIRTHDAYS

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|---------------------------------|----------|
| Bro. Michael B. Bailey | 2 years |
| Wor. Thomas E. Carver | 55 years |
| Bro. Jonathan T. Hardwicke | 2 years |
| Rt. Wor. Winfred O. Isgett, Sr. | 50 years |
| Bro. Jesse A. Morgan, Jr. | 62 years |
| Wor. Bruce A. Phillips | 3 years |
| Wor. James F. Smith, Jr. | 13 years |
| Wor. James W. Stanley | 66 years |
| Rt. Wor. Donald R. Traser | 41 years |
| Bro. Bobby W. Tyler | 40 years |

FINAL THOUGHTS

“Infuse your life with action. Don't wait for it to happen. Make it happen. Make your own future. Make your own hope. Make your own love. And whatever your beliefs, honor your creator, not by passively waiting for grace to come down from upon high, but by doing what you can to make grace happen... yourself, right now, right down here on Earth.”

Bradley Whitford, (1959-), actor; best known for his role as Josh Lyman on The West Wing

“Your work is going to fill a large part of your life, and the only way to be truly satisfied is to do what you believe is great work. And the only way to do great work is to love what you do. If you haven't found it yet, keep looking. Don't settle. As with all matters of the heart, you'll know when you find it.”

Steve Jobs, (1955-2011), co-founder and CEO of Apple Computer



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