

Meeting 02/15/2026

Meeting called to order 1:36 by president Nicole Smith

Vice President John Hujar states principals of the order

Recording secretary Michelle Hujar calls roll call of officers

Chaplain Dennis Paonessa says opening prayer

Carol Wilson announces no new applicants

Carol Wilson and Cheryl Koshar move that minutes from the last meeting be forgone since they were emailed.

Financial secretary Jo Dusi announces 101 members in our lodge as of today's date. The State is moving their billing to iMembers instead of mail. Debi Rauckhorst needs updated list of members before we pay the fees to the State.

Treasurer Debi Rauckhorst reports. Balance of \$26,606.31 in the checking account and almost \$12,000 is already allocated. Debi met with Angie Agnoni this month. She is in training to take over the duties of treasurer. Eric Magues and Cheryl Koshar approve the report.

Cheryl Koshar reports on the Super Bowl, John Mancinelli winning the first quarter, Ed Rauckhorst won second quarter, Nicole Smith sold third quarter winner and Cheryl Koshar sold the fourth quarter winner.

Initiation Dinner/Lunch Chair, Debbie Hout is interested in hosting. Please reach out if you are interested in helping.

Cheryl Koshar, scholarship applications due April 1st. No applicants yet. Applications available for the Grand Lodge. Council applications available too. National scholarship available as well.

Michelle Hujar talks about the Reverse Raffle

Grand Lodge Report, \$1 challenge. Debi Rauckhorst collected \$33 at the last meeting. Please see her with your \$1.

Council meeting report, other than the scholarship application being due May 1st. That's about all the news from the council meeting. Delegate breakfast is the 28th. Saturday morning at the Silver Lake Country Club. Cost is \$32 and at 10:30 in the morning.

Festival July 10th and 11th at Lock 3 in downtown Akron. Talk about what we are bringing to the festival. Does anybody have a good recipe for homemade gnocchi? If you do, let Nicole Smith know. Debbie Hout running the booth this year. Might use Queen of Heaven kitchen for prep.

Cheryl Koshar requests we write a check for Jo Dusi to go shoe shopping for shoes for children ages 1 through 8. Darlene is the contact for DLM Project Rise.

Chaplain Dennis Paonessa gives closing prayer.

Thank you Lisa and Frank Agliota for hosting today's meeting.