

Chickahominy Lodge No. 286 A. F. & A. M. Trestleboard



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A.F. & A. M.
Chartered February 16, 1905

Trestleboard
July 2024



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Stated Communication: 2nd Tuesday, 7:30 P.M.
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Message from The Master

Brethren,

Summer is here and temperatures are rising. The month of June is always a very busy time for our lodge, and I have much to report to you. Your Master traveled this month to Williamsburg No. 6, Yorktown No. 205, and Mann Page 157 in order to attend the stated communications of other lodges within our District. As is the case with Chickahominy No. 286, the other lodges in our District were very busy in June. Of note, Williamsburg No. 6 held their annual St. Johns Day celebration. I'll discuss more in a minute.

On Saturday, June 8, 2024, we saw another very successful Community Breakfast. We raised over \$600! Many thanks to you Brothers who work at our monthly breakfast every month to make it happen. Following our Community Breakfast on June 8, Bro. James Little was passed to the degree of Fellowcraft. We had an excellent sideline attendance, and I personally thank all Officers for accommodating this weekend degree. You will be pleased to learn that our Jr. Warden, Bro. Bob Crossan conferred this degree. Saturday, June 15, we held our sixth annual Chickahominy Roadrunner Classic Golf Tournament at Kiskiack Golf Course. This special fund raising event raised over \$16,000.00 for our Lodge's Ted B. Holm Scholarship Fund! Well done Bro. Crossan, and a tip of the hat to all who helped make this another successful year for our Scholarship program.

On Thursday, June 20, 2024, RW Cleve Wright conducted the June monthly Blood Drive at Stonehouse Presbyterian Church in Toano. RW Cleve reported that the targeted goal of 48 units had been achieved. Special thanks to you dedicated Brothers who help RW Cleve with this very special program every month. On Saturday, June 22, 2024, Williamsburg Lodge No. 6 began their St. Johns Day celebration at their lodge at 9:00 a.m. Your Master and several Brothers from Chickahominy No. 286 were in attendance. MW Jack Kale Lewis and several members from the Grand Line were also present this date. We enjoyed donuts, coffee, and good conversation before a formal open presentation was held in the Lodge. This presentation featured Masonic music performed by the Grand Musician, and Musician from Williamsburg Lodge No. 6. There were many visiting Brethren from across the Commonwealth, as well as Brethren from many other states. Upon conclusion of the musical program, the Brethren formally processed to Bruton Church where we were led by fife and drum. After the sermon we returned to Williamsburg Lodge No. 6 where lunch was served. A very good time was had by all Finally Brethren, if you haven't been to Lodge in a while please come and see us. We miss you. As you can see we have many successes to be proud of, but we need your help! I hope to see you soon.

Fraternally,
Chris Wathen
Worshipful Master

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NOTICES

DUES

Paper Invoices sent for second notice on May 1, for those who have not yet paid 2024 dues, please do so as soon as possible.

RITUAL TRAINING

Wor. Bob Cosby conducts Ritual Training at the Lodge on Wednesdays beginning at 6:00 p.m. This training is available to anyone who desires additional training on virtually any topic. Please contact him for details.

GRAND VIEW

If you need assistance logging into Grand View or using the website please reach out to our Secretary for assistance.
Lodge Events, Dues, and other functions are available!

DISTRICT SCHOOL

Tues Sept 3 – Chickahominy
Wed Sept 4 – Mann Page
Thurs Sept 5 – Williamsburg
Mon Oct 7 – Yorktown
Mon Nov 4 - Williamsburg



Be part of a lifesaving journey

Donate Blood

Stonehouse Presbyterian Church
2024 Thursday Blood Drive Schedule

CHICKAHOMINY LODGE NO. 286

January 18 th	46 Units	July 11 th
February 15 th	62 Units	August 15 th
March 21 st	51 Units	September 19 th
April 18 th	40 Units	October 17 th
May 16 th	31 Units	November 21 st
June 20 th	48 Units	December 12 th

2024 to Date we donated 278 Units of Blood

OFFICERS 2024

WM	Christopher C. Wathen (Susan)	304-676-5795
SW	Samuel J. Hay	757-508-2790
JW	Robert E. Crossan (Cindy)	908-328-9170
Tres	Jack C. van Leliveld (Stacy)	757-566-2278
Sec	Robert E. Cosby, III	804-658-8965
SD	Jim J. Fryrear (Sonya)	757-871-2161
JD	Robert Eric Stauffer (Angel)	757-903-5536
Chap	Harold W. (Bo) Bohannon, Jr.	757-784-1367
Tiler	Z. Scott Florence (Dawn)	757-221-0926
SS	James W. Grant, III (Jetta)	757-592-2640
JS	Jonathan G. Wintsch	860-930-4453
Mar	Shane Shortt (Joni)	757-897-0817
LIW	Robert E. Cosby, III	804-658-8965
LEO	Dennis N. Manning (Whitney)	703-717-1997
MAHOVA	R. Wayne Donahoe (Carolyn)	757-410-7965



Entered Apprentice Degree for Bro Marty Pope
Wednesday June 28, 2024

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MASONIC BIRTHDAYS

July 2024

<u>NAME</u>	<u>BIRTHDAY</u>	<u>YEARS</u>
Holly Crockett	7/12/1990	34
Allen Stephenson	7/26/1996	28
Wor Howie Howerton	7/22/2010	14
Richard Spore	7/30/2015	9
Jeffrey Vinson	7/20/2016	8
James Delano Jr.	7/15/2018	6
Jimmy Fryrear	7/25/2019	5
TOTAL		104



JULY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- July 2 – Chickahominy Roadrunners McAllister Lodge #185
- July 6 – Social Breakfast – Astronomical Pancakes 8:30 a.m.
- July 6 – Trash Pick Up – 10 a.m.
- July 8 – Williamsburg No. 6 Stated Meeting 7:30 p.m.
- July 9 – Chickahominy No. 286 Stated Meeting 7:30 p.m.
- July 11 – Blood Drive Stonehouse Presbyterian Church 1 – 6 p.m.
- July 13 – Monthly Breakfast 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.
- July 13 – Fellow Craft Lodge for Catechism – 10:00 a.m.
- July 18 – Yorktown No. 205 Stated Meeting 7:30 p.m.
- July 19 – Mann Page No. 157 Stated Meeting 7:30 p.m.

CHICKAHOMINY ROADRUNNERS

2024 Schedule

		Attended
Jan 8	Westhampton Lodge #302	8
Jan 30	Poquoson Lodge #49	6
Feb 6	William J. McMahon #303	5
Feb 6	Monitor Lodge #197	6
Feb 28	Great Bridge Lodge #257 (GMOV)	5
Mar 5	Willis V. Fentress Lodge #296	6
Mar 25	Suffolk Lodge #30	3
Apr 2	Elizabeth Lodge #34	8
May 8	Jefferson Lodge #65	4
Jun 13	Lake Drummond Lodge #178	4
Jul 2	McAllister Lodge #185	
Aug 7	Princess Anne Lodge #25	
Sept 17	Temple Lodge #9	
Oct 21	St. Tammany Lodge #5	
Nov 7	Berkley Lodge #167	
Dec 5	Churchland Lodge #276	

Contact Bro. Jack van Leliveld for more information.
treasurer@chickahominy286.org



JULY STATED MEETING

TUESDAY JULY 9

DINNER @ 6:30 p.m.

This month's chef will be Reed Johnson

Shrimp Boil with Potatoes and Corn

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JUNE 2024 MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

Attendance: 29 Members and 4 Visitors

Community Builders Award was presented to Stonehouse Presbyterian Church for their work in our Community, with specific emphasis on the long standing assistance provided in support of our monthly Blood Drives.

Petition was balloted on and approved for Bro Marty Pope, Degree work was held on Wednesday June 26.

Bro Dennis Manning presented a thought provoking program on St. John the Baptist and St. John the Evangelist with the meaning and symbolism associated with each and their representation across the symbols of our craft.

Bro Jack VanLeliveld was presented a RoadRunner Sign by the Lodge. Many thanks to Bro Ray Wright in the artwork and design.



Golf Tournament is on track for a Successful event on Saturday June 15.



SUMMER IS HERE!!!

Lodge Shirts will be worn at our June, July, and August Meetings.

If you would like to purchase a lodge shirt, the link is on our website under announcements or is listed below:

http://stores.inksoft.com/286_lodge

JUNE 2024 HIGHLIGHTS



Bro James Litte was passed to the Degree of FellowCraft on Saturday June 8 following our Community Breakfast.



Wor Robert Ramirez attended the Scholarship Awards Event at New Kent High School and recognized four of our 2024 Scholarship recipients

Golf Tournament was held with 28 Teams attending on Saturday June 15. Great times were had by all present and all proceeds benefitted our Ted B. Holm Scholarship Program



Attended the St. Johns Procession at Williamsburg Lodge on Sat June 22 with several brothers present. Wor Don Muro presented an excellent program on the musical history within Masonry and some of the current songs played in other Grand Jurisdictions.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

**We need volunteers for our
2024 Stated Dinners. The Sign-Up Sheet is
on the bulletin board in the dining room.
Please consider putting one together.**

The Lodge will reimburse you for your out-of-pocket expenses. Contact Wor Bob Cosby or Wor Chris Wathen if you have questions. Also remember that wives and potential candidates are always welcome to attend our dinners.

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CHICKAHOMINY LODGE 286 LIVING PAST MASTERS

Murray T. Rowe	1977	
Harvey C. Latta	1981, 87	
Albert W. Brady	1982	
William E. Duer	1988, 89	
Mark Hockaday	1995	
Robert C. Wright	1997	*2000
William S. Patterson, Jr.	1998	
Henry S. Branscome	1999	
James C. Miller	2000, 03	*2004
Robert W. Parke	2005	*2008
Paul W. Gilley	2006, 07	*2006
Raymond W. Donahoe	2013	
Joseph A. Rose	2014	*2020 & 2021
Harold W. (Bo) Bohannon, Jr.	2015	
Z. Scott Florence	2016	
Gregory B. Johnson	2017	
Thomas V. Hardin	2018	
Russell F. Jeffries	2019	
Bruce W. Burkett	2020	
Robert E. Cosby, III	2021	
Robert L. Howell	2022	
E. Miles Riley	2023	

OTHER LODGES

William F. Perdue	#215	1969	*1981	**1991
William E. Rorer, Jr.	#6	1976	*1981	**2010
John G. Pouch	#5 (DC)	1985		
Theodore B. Holm	#237	1990		
Graham Raven	#8784 (UK)	1990, 2002		
	#9700 (UK)	2017		
	#8565 (UK)	2023		
Assoc. Provencial Grand Master		2021-24		
Paul W. Gilley	#157	1991, 2015	*2006	
Theodore B. Holm	#54	1998		
Glenn Roxy Gwynn	#6	2001		
Charles E. Hinson	#88	2001, 09, 10	*2005	
James C. Miller	#6	2003	*2004	
Robert E. Lee	#88	2004		
Thomas W. Mears, Sr.	#157	2005	*2011	
Geo. A. Hollingsworth, III	#241	2005		
Ronald E. Meredith	#776 (PA)	2005 & 06		
Robert E. Ramirez	#86 (CO)	2006		
Geo. A. Hollingsworth, III	#6	2007		
John R. Howerton	#7	2015		
Benjamin F. Clark, Jr.	#7	2016		
Burton T. Holm	#244	2023		

*Denotes PDDGM & Year

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LMIP's (Legacy Members in Perpetuity)

Stephen W. Anderson*
W. Allen Ayers, Jr.
Princes E. Baker*
Harold W. Bohannon, Jr.
Henry S. Branscome, II
Bruce W. Burkett
Gerald E. Burks*
Patrick L. Clayton
Robert E. Cosby, III
Holly R. Crockett
George Dimitrov*
R. Wayne Donahoe
James M. Faucett
Z. Scott Florence
William S. Ford*
Stephen W. Foster
Paul W. Gilley
James W. Grant, III
Thomas V. Hardin
Samuel J. Hay
Charles E. Hinson
George A. Hollingsworth, III
Burton T. Holm
Theodore B. Holm
William E. Honsinger
R. Lynn Howell
Russell F. Jeffries
Walter R. Jennings, Jr.
Gregory B. Johnson
Jack G. Jones*
Tommie F. Karns*
Kyle C. Littlefield
Robert J. Long*
William R. McCleary
James M. Miller*
Robert W. Parke
William S. Patterson, Jr.
John G. Pouch
Charles R. Reeves
E. Miles Riley, Jr.
Thomas E. Robards
Joseph A. Rose
Kenneth A. Shannon

LMIP's (Continued)

Shane E. Shortt
Victor A. Shumaker*
James O. Smith*
James W. Smith*
Jack C. van Leliveld
Harry C. Wager (In Memory Of)*
Matthew G. Wech
R. Cleve Wright
Richard L. Zick

*Deceased

SEVENTY YEAR MASONS

Frank J. Shaffer
Wor. Theodore B. Holm

SIXTY YEAR MASONS

Robert L. Lawrence
Wor. Murray T. Rowe, Jr.
MW William F. Perdue

FIFTY YEAR MASONS

David C. Mershon
MW William E. Rorer, Jr.

HONORARY MEMBERS

Wor. Theodore B. Holm
MW William F. Perdue
Wor. Graham Raven (UK)
MW William E. Rorer Jr.

TRUSTEES

RW R. Cleve Wright
RW Paul W. Gilley
Wor. R. Wayne Donahoe



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