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Masonic Birthdays for August

James A. Crosen	1960
Truman E. Cox	1972
Stanley B. Bowen	1987
William B. Malone, PM	1987
William W. Johnston	1995
Nichols A. Cook	1996
Charles A. Maranto, PM	2004
Javier R. Gil	2008
Bryan E. Roppel	2008
Khader K. Azzouz	2008
James H. Davis	2008
Jonathon T. Jones	2008
Farrokh Sepahpour	2008
Jorge Martinez	2009
Billy F. Atkinson	2009

Happy Masonic Birthday!!!



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Happy Independence Day

Brethren,

Summer is almost over, and the press of fall business is about to begin. I remind everyone that during the summer, the dress for lodge is business casual. This month's stated is the last stated during summer. Starting next month (September), we will once again be wearing dark suits (and tuxedos for the officers).

We have three big events this month. First, this stated, RW Luis Pages will be standing for an EA Proficiency Examination This will be held on the EA degree, so all candidates and members may attend.

Then, on the morning of the 14th, Ashburn-Sterling will be joining with Herndon #264 and conducting a blood drive. For more information, see <http://www.herndonlodge264.org/blood-drive>, or drop a line to Jason Matchett, our Blood Coordinator (blood.coordinator@ashburnsterling288.org).

Finally, starting August 21st, we will be having weekly instruction on the Long Form Catechism – from 10 am to Noon, every Saturday. If you are interested in attending, email catechism@ashburnsterling288.org.

There remains one bit of unfortunate business. A very few of you have not yet paid your 2010 dues. This puts you in extreme danger of suspension and losing your good standing in Masonry. If you are unable to pay because of financial hardship, please contact either myself or our Secretary in the strictest confidence for a resolution.

Fraternally,

John F. Meehan

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2nd Masonic District Team

District Deputy Grand Master: Rt. Wor. James Cromer

District Instructor of Work: Chris C. Thompson, PM, PDDGM

District Education Officer: Charles Maranto, PM

District Masonic Home Ambassador: John G. McWilliams

District Blood Coordinator: Richard Earl Belles, PDDGM

District Membership Coordinator: Russ Baneck, PM

District Services Coordinator: Luis Pages, PM, PDDGM



Gaius Julius Caesar Augustus

“Make haste slowly.”

(Augustus)

Calendar of Events

August

First Tues. – 8/3	No Meeting
Second Tues - 8/10	EA Examination Luis Pages
Dinner – 6:45 pm	
Stated – 7:30 pm	
Second Saturday – 8/14	8:00 am – 12:30 pm
Blood Drive (Herndon Lodge)	
Third Tuesday – 8/17	7:30 pm.
Lodge Practice (STEP-UP)	
Third Saturday – 8/21	10 am – 12 pm
Long Form Catechism Instruction	
Fourth Tuesday – 8/24	7:00 pm.
Philosophy Session	
Fourth Saturday – 8/28	10 am – 12 pm
Long Form Catechism Instruction	
Last Tuesday – 8/31	7:30 pm
Lodge Practice/Degree work	



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