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PLACES TO GO - PEOPLE TO SEE

2003

APRIL

Saturday, 5th - Tri-State Rally, Washington, PA Friday, 11th - Annual Wildey-Colfax Dinner, Elizabeth Saturday, 26th - Five County Rally, Indiana, PA Saturday, 26th - IOOF Annual Bowling Tourn., Ottawa, IL

MAY

Sunday, 4th - IOOF Tomb of Unknown Pilgrimage, Arlington Cem.

*Saturday, 10th - SE Dinner Dance Saturday, 10th - Jordan #192 & Lady Lillie Best R#222 59th Annual Banquet, New Tripoli Saturday, 17th - All State Rally

JUNE

*Saturday, 14th - Phila. Orphans Home Meeting 15th thrugh 19 - Unified Session, Grantville, PA

JULY

*Saturday, 26th - Fun Day '03, Knoebels Grove

AUGUST

17th thru 22 - S.G.L. Session - Nova Scotia *Saturday, 30th - G.P. A. Moyer Testimonial - TBA Later

SEPTEMBER

*Saturday, 13th - Phila. Orphans Home Meeting *Saturday, 20th - R.A. R. Good Testimonial - TBA Later

OCTOBER

*Saturday, 18th - G.M. Strausser Testimonial, TBA Later *denotes furnished by Planning Board



TAMAQUA BROTHER EXCELS IN COUNTY ACHIEVEMENT

Brother Jeremy Keer, Warden of Harmony Lodge #86 was recently selected to represent the Tamaqua Area School District in the 42nd Annual Schuylkill County Scholar-Athlete Banquet. He will compete against the top senior male student-athlete representative from the 14 Schuylkill County High Schools.

Brother Jeremy, a 5-11 1/2, 238 pound two way tackle, was a three year member of Tamaqua's grid program. He is also a two-year member of the Blue Raiders' track and field team.

Among Brother Keer's aca-

demic achievements are scoring a perfect 800 on the Math portion of the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT). He also had the highest score as a 10th grader in the American Challenge 10 Math Test.

Brother Keer is President of Tamaqua High's Physics and Engineering Club. He belongs to the Raider Marching and Concert Bank, National Honor Society, German National Honor Society, the Science Olympiad Team and is a peer tutor.

Outside of school besides his involvement in Odd Fellowship he is a member of the Tamaqua Area Meals on Wheels.



INSIDE THIS EDITION Rebekah Lodges #58 and #182 Exchange Traveling Gavel and Traveling Bible

And so much more!

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A little boy opened the big family Bible and was fascinated as he fingered the old pages. Suddenly, something fell out of the Bible. He picked up the object and looked at it. What he saw was an old leaf that had been pressed in between the pages. "Mama, look what I found," the boy called.

"What have you got there, dear?"

With astonishment in his voice, the young boy answered, "I think it's Adam's underwear!"

IN THE HOUSE WHERE LOVE LIVES!

In the house where love lives, miracles can still happen! Yes dear friends, in the house where love lives, wonderful things can happen.

Love has many brothers and sisters: some are called forgiveness, compassion, understanding and forbearance. Love has many other names also but love is the dwelling place where children of God must abide. In the house where love lives, a humble home can become a palace. A small meatloaf, a few potatoes and some bread can become a grand feast, because miracles happen in the house where love lives. Even in homes where times are difficult and the cupboard is nearly bare, love makes a wonderful difference in every life.

This world can give people many things but it can't give us Godly love because such loves comes from God and from those precious souls with a pure heart in the sight of God.

There is sacrifice in love but it's all dressed up in its Sunday's best. When sacrifice is dressed in the clothing of love, we discover that it's not really sacrifice at all – it's giving and sharing. Love isn't love until it has been given away. Without love in our hearts we can't talk to God because God is love (I John 4:8, 16).

In our modern age, with its high pressure living, high crime rate, declining values and its immorality, the home is the bedrock of the nation. As a home goes, the home is the bedrock of the nation. As the home goes, so goes the nation. A home where love lives is a great treasure which is highly prized by God and such homes are a blessing to any nation because love makes a difference.

Dear friends, show Godly love, compassion and kindness to those who become a part of your day. Christian love, caring and kindness makes a difference in our lives, knowing that someone cares. Let the beams of God's love shine out in your heart across the waves of life that it may give light and comfort to those who are shipwrecked or who are sinking in dark and troubled waters.

Every child of God can prayerfully play a part in making this world a palace where love can live and where miracles can still happen.

God loves you and so do I! May God bless you and prosper you!

The love in our heart wasn't put there to stay, love isn't love till you give it away!



FROM THE DESK OF THE GRAND SECRETARY

I would like to take this opportunity to thank every one for sending in your news for the magazine – keep the articles coming.

This month I would like to share a problem with you. Every time we get a return because of a wrong address, it costs us 70 cents. This doesn't sound like much, but over a year's time it is about \$200 or more. Each year in Session we talk about what we can do to get the magazine on track. Most of this expense could be eliminated if everyone would make their address changes promptly. Also, if you are a snow bird, please change your address. We get hit twice, when you leave and when you come back.

This is the month when we start to see signs of Springs, and think about planting things. When you do, think about "plant a tree for him who comes after me." There are Rallies that need your help—also it is not too early to be thinking about Session.

In F.H. & C. William L. Locke, Grand Secretary

SPRING HAS SPRUNG

April showers bring the May flowers . . . then it will be June. At the 32nd Unified Session in Grantville, you will find the PA IOOF Arthritis Committee at the Lobby table to welcome you. We will have the **Christmas in June** bells for sale during the Unified Session.

Don't forget, we will again have a tree to decorate in the motel lobby or you can bring a display from your Lodge that we will showcase during the Unified Session. Those displays will be judge during Session and a prize will be awarded. Bells will be available in advance by mail and in the Lobby. Watch for a flyer announcing our special promotion in a future Grand Lodge mailing.

We are working with the Central Chapter to support the P.A.C.E. program in that area of our state. Your help is very important to make this project a success. There will be three programs beginning in the near future. They can use your volunteer help in the Chapter and Branch offices as well as our financial help for the programs. The IOOF has been very generous. Keep up the good work. Those with arthritis count on us.

We look forward to seeing you at Session. Remember, come prepared with your **Christmas in June** bell display. The judges are waiting!

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Arthritis Foundation	Arthritis Foundation
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Phila., PA 19107	Camp Hill, PA 17011
215-564-9800 or	717-763-0900 or
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412-566-1645 or 800-522-9	900

Remember, the PA Jurisdictional Arthritis Committee is asking you to become active.

VOLUNTEER!

Charles E. Danihel, Chair PA IOOF Jurisdictional Arthritis Committee

PRESENTS TRAVELING BIBLE TO IDELLA NO. 58



Sister Laudine Stamm of Lady Colfax Rebekah Lodge No. 182 presents the traveling Bible to Sister Dawn Snyder, Noble Grand of Idella Rebekah Lodge No. 58

FEBRUARY DONATIONS

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"THE TREADMILL FEELING"

Pastor Ron Burgard

Several years ago we invested in a treadmill. The occasion was post-operative of my heart by-pass. The purpose for the purchase was to provide me with an efficient means of exercise. This exercise would "strengthen my heart" and give me more endurance for daily tasks. Since that day I have been "religious" about my exercises and enjoy the treadmill — especially in adverse weather.

Sometimes walking on the treadmill seems purposeless and endless. It is easy to get into a routine of boredom from just walking in place. However, when I reflect on the long term advantages of such exercises, I become invigorated and press on with renewed dedication.

I was thinking of how some people feel on an endless treadmill. They long to serve God, but they don't know what to do. One discouraged person recently said, "I'm beginning to want heaven already—at least I know I'll be used there!" She had read Revelation 22 and the words, "His servants shall serve Him" (v.3).

I recently discovered a listing of "Seven Things That Can Be Done Only In This Life." So, here it is:

- 1. Love and pray for your enemies (Matthew 5:44).
- 2. Walk by faith and not by sight (2 Corinthians 5:7).
- 3. Love God by enduring temptation (James 1:12).
- 4. Through love serve one another (Galatians 5:13).
- 5. Lay up treasures in heaven (Matthew 6:19-20).

- 6. Share the gospel with the lost (Matthew 28:19-20).
- 7. Exercise your spiritual gifts (Romans 12:6-8).

I know that this list isn't exhaustive, however it is a good reminder of how God wants us to live and what he wants us to do while we are living.

Walking the treadmill is good for the heart. But, it must never be an end in itself. Rather, it is a means to a greater end. Keep walking in the light and God will direct you to meaningful service which will strengthen your heart and bless the lives of others.

> Submitted by Sister Helen L. Swab

RUTH A. GOOD TESTIMONIAL

Saturday, September 20, 2002
Best Western University Inn, Indiana, PA
Phone 724-349-9620
Room reservations \$65.00 for two people plus tax
\$10.00 each additional

Mention Odd Fellows to get discount.

Details to follow.

APRIL



WISHES

- 1 Jim Zigmant/#86 Eugene Wakefield/#74 James Hopper/#1004 John Toth/#1004
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- 10 Joseph Butler/#153 Matthew Gates/#510
- 11 Thomas Wooden/#471George Toundas/#348Michael Plaster/#969

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ODD FELLOWS - MIDDLETOWN HOME

Residents at the Middletown Home can always find something to do to keep busy in the Activity Department. They can have a cup of coffee, exercise, pet a certified therapy dog, listen to music, visit The Home's library, play bingo, and even help staff clean the bingo chips.

The Home's Valentine's Party was a great success again this year. Residents listened to Volunteer, Frank Tittiger, Accordionist and snacked on decorated cupcakes made by The Home's Dietary Department. The St. Patrick's Party this year is just around the corner. Volunteer, Bill Logan will entertain with his Celtic voice. Residents enjoy his Elvis tunes as well.

Until next month . . . Happy Spring Everyone!



Residents (L to R), Bob Schneider, Gertie Wallace, and Pauline Shetron enjoy cake and ice cream at the monthly Birthday Party.

I O O F FUN DAY KNOEBELS PARK

SATURDAY, JULY 26, 2003 PA RT 487, ELYSBURG, PA 11:00 AM - 10:00 PM Meal will be served at 2:00 PM Pavilion E

Menu

1/4 Bar-e-qued chicken, hot dog, macaroni & cheese, cole slaw, potato chips, ice cream, coffee/iced tea. Soda will be on tap 11 AM to 5 PM. With Registration Badge (by cup or glass only).

Advance registration \$2.00 (at the park \$4.00. Dinner \$8.00 – 4 years & under, no charge.

Registration and dinner reservations are to be sent to Myra Fay Adams, 951 Shoemakersville Rd., Shoemakersville, PA 19555-9010. DEADLINE FOR RESERVATIONS IF JULY 11, 2003. For ride tickets contact Chris Haussler, 899 S. Kentucky Drive, Elizabethville, PA 17023 or call 717-362-8578. A book of \$5.00 worth of tickets will cost you \$4.00 by ordering in advance.

We have tables reserved in Pavilion E to accommodate those who buy Dinner tickets, we must ask those who do not buy Dinner tickets to clear the pavilion by 1:45 P.M.

All checks are to be made payable to Jurisdictional Planning Board!

All tables are to accommodate 22 people.



Residents "Shorty" Bright and Florence Cox help staff clean bingo chips in the activity room.



Certified therapy dog, "Red" and resident Clair Houseknecht.



Resident Nora Kelly and certified therapy dog, "Red."

Monongahela Encampment #109

Roberts Hollow Road Elizabeth, PA 15037



The Officers and Members of Monongahela Encampment #109 are pleased to invite you to our annual Wildey-Colfax dinner for celebration of our founding fathers. As you may know, our encampment has been sponsoring this celebration for over forty years. The dinner will be hosted at the Baptist church in Elizabeth, above Lock And Dam #3, at 6:30 PM on April 11th, 2003. We would be very pleased if you could attend – and if you can notify by contacting patriarch Jim Lewis at 412-384-5534, or Forest Mowry at 412-384-8497 for tickets at \$12.00 each. As you may recall, a portion of the ticket price is donated to the Special Olympics each year.

For your convenience there are several motels in the area, two of which are very reasonable. The Sleeper Cheaper phone is 724-929-4501 and the Holiday Inn 724-929-7465.

We are looking forward to a fine evening of fellowship, and hope to see you there.

James Lewis, Scribe

IT'S UP TO YOU

One smile begins a friendship,
One handclasp lifts a soul.
One star can guide a ship at sea,
One word can frame the goal.
One step must start the journey,
One word must start each prayer.
One hope will raise our spirits,
One touch can show you care.
One voice can speak with wisdom,
One heart can know what's true.
One life can make a difference,
You see, it's up to you.

The following is a list of donations to the Arthritis Committee Fund 1/1/03 - 2/28/03.

Philadelphia Orphans Home	\$1,000.00
John & Reta Kunkleman	50.00
Merion Lodge #210	100.00
Walker Lodge #306	200.0
Richard Heffner	25.00
Mahanoy Lodge #551	50.00
Lady Emily Reb. Lodge #452	25.00
Nickel Plate Lodge #1125	25.00
Golden Rule Reb. Lodge #198	20.00
Lady Sellers Reb. Lodge #558	200.00
Total donations	\$1,695.00

Total donations 1/1/03 through 2/28/03 - \$1,695.00. We the committee thank you – please keep up the good work.

Total donations to the Arthritis Committee Fund for the year 4/1/02- 3/31/03, to date - \$22,337.20.

The Committee

January 23, 2003

Dear President Ruth Good,

Elnora Rebekah Lodge, Number 28, working under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge and Rebekah Assembly of Pennsylvania proudly presents you with this photograph taken of our Installing Officers at the Eugenia Lodge in Nelson, Pennsylvania on October 23, 2002.

We presented a skit featuring your emblem, the Blue Bird. Please note that the corsages we are wearing are your color, Sky Blue. In the skit we sang your song, Zippity Do Da. Everyone enjoyed the skit as much as we enjoyed giving it.

All the Installing Officers have the enclosed picture and we want you to have a copy for your book of memories.

Yours in Faith, Love and Truth, Eileen Wilson, N.G.



Front row (L to R): Nancy Thomas, Frances Wolfe, Eileen Wilson, June Reynolds, Leona Baker, Reva Smith. Back row: Carolyn Farnsworth, Blanche Owlett, Frances Kaukeinen, and Marion Vespe.

ANNUAL SOUTHEAST DINNER DANCE

To All Odd Fellows, Rebekahs and Friends:

The Southeast Association invites all Odd Fellows, Rebekahs and their friends to the Annual Southeast Dinner Dance to be held on May 10, 2003 at the Connstatter Volksfest Verein at 9130 Academy Road, Philadelphia, PA.

The social hour starts at 5:30 PM with dinner at 6:30 PM. There will be entertainment following the dinner. The menu choices are Roast Beef and Chicken Cordon Bleu and the price is \$20.00 per person.

Send reservations to Nancy Tucker, 549 Norwyck Dr., King of Prussia, PA 19406. A program leaflet will be made and we request you send all booster names @ \$1.00 each and Lodge name @ \$10.00 each to Robert Tucker, same address above.

Make checks payable to Southeastern Association of PA and the deadline for the booster names is April 21st, dinner April 30th. Please send your responses early.

We hope to have a great evening of Odd Fellowship and a good time for all.

Mary Landes, Secretary S.E. Assoc. of PA

FIND AND CIRCLE THE WORDS

Things that make you say WOW! . . .

GOD	SUNRISE	LOVE
NATURE	TASTE	CLOUDS
ART	KINDNESS	MUSIC
GIFT	ACHIEVEMENT	DREAMS
SURPRISE	GRANDKIDS	TALENT
SUNSET	HAPPINESS	BEAUTY
AWARDS	NICENESS	FUN
NEWS	WINDFALL	LODGE

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S	E	S	D	1	K	D	Ν	Α	R	G	Α	Y	

List the unused letters to spell out a mystery message! Hint – Highlight the circled words and see what is left. Read the letters from left to right from the top line down.

WOW!

(the answer appears at the bottom of page 9)

A little boy was attending his first wedding. After the service, his cousin asked him, "How many women can a man marry?" "Sixteen," the boy responded. His cousin was amazed that he had an answer so quickly.

"How do you know that?" "Easy," the little boy said. "All you have to do is add it up, like the Bishop said: 4 better, 4 worse, 4 richer, 4 poorer."

P.O.F. DAYS GONE BY

75 YEARS AGO

(April 1928)

7000 ODD FELLOWS & REBEKAHS from all over are expected to gather to attend the 190th Anniversary Celebration of the Order at Music Hall, Cincinnati, April 27th. Station WLW will broadcast the event. It is expected that a majority of the 2,000,000 Odd Fellows throughout the world will get to hear Grand Sire Merrill's message.

ANNUAL SOUTHEAST DINNER DANCE – is slated for May 5th in the Elks Ballroom in Philadelphia. Reservations are being accepted for the first 1,200. Cost is \$2.50 per plate.

BATTALION BANQUET – The 1st and 2nd Battalions of the Second Regiment held their second annual dinner dance with Canton Lebanon serving as host. Over 200 were in attendance.

600 ODD FELLOWS from Pittsburgh and surrounding areas traveled by train to Youngstown, Ohio to return a visit paid by 500 of them this past October. Seventy-six Lodges were represented. The Youngstown Brothers greeted the train with a 36 piece Odd Fellow band. The Cantons of Youngstown escorted the brothers from the station to the Lodge Hall.

140 BROTHERS of Clover Lodge #48, Ambridge traveled by motor bus to East Liverpool, Ohio to confer the First Degree on members in Ohio.

25 YEARS AGO

(April 1978)

SYMMETRY LODGE #103 – will dedicate their new hall on April 22nd.

ANNUAL 2ND BRIGADE BANQUET – of the Patriarchs Militant and Auxiliary with Meadville Canton and Auxiliary serving as this years host will be held in Meadville next month.

BECKY'S BACKYARD

- Renew old sponges, nylon scrubbers, and scrub brushes by soaking them overnight in a solution of 4 tablespoons baking soda to 1 quart water.
- Deodorize and remove stains from wooden bowls or utensils with a baking soda solution.
- 3. To prevent clogs, periodically pour 1/2 cup baking soda down your kitchen sink, followed by hot water. You can use the old box from your refrigerator when you replace it.
- 4. Men with sensitive skin may find a solution of 1 tablespoon baking soda in 1 cup water makes a great preshave treatment, or a soothing aftershave rinse.
- 5. If you plan to redecorate, think about "lighter colors." Dark colors absorb light, so you'll use more watts to light your room.
- 6. Dirty or dusty light bulbs don't put out as much light as clean bulbs. That's because dirt and dust absorb light. So, add bulb dusting to your cleaning list.

IN MEMORIAM

JAMES A. JONES East Brunswick Lodge #802 December 6, 2002

Brother James Jones, 92, of Tamaqua, was initiated into the former Harmony Lodge #86, Tamaqua on November 5, 1928. He became a member of East Brunswick Lodge #802 through consolidation in 1987.

He was a member of the Primitive Methodist Church. His wife, the former Ruth Smith died in 1994.

He is survived by two sons, eight grandchildren, thirteen great grand children, and three brothers.

Burial was in Odd Fellows Cemetery, Tamagua.

ETHEL G. BROWN Mary Rebekah Lodge #7 January 20, 2003

Sister Ethel Brown, 94, Montrose, was initiated into Mary Rebekah Lodge #7, Montrose in August, 1946. She held most offices and served on various committees. She attained the rank of Past Noble Grand. She was a recipient of the Decoration of Chivalry in 1959 and served the Assembly as District Deputy President in 1964, 1965 and 1974. She served as a Representative to the Rebekah Home and served the Lodge as Delegate to the Rebekah Assembly two times.

She was preceded in death by her husband Charles in 2000 and a son Kenneth in 1993.

She is survived by a son and two grandchildren.

REESE J. GOODMAN Mineral Lodge #285 February 14, 2003

Brother Reese "Bunno" Goodman, 75 of Saint Clair was initiated into Mineral Lodge #285, Saint Clair on September 21, 1987. He was also currently serving on the Board of Trustees of the Saint Clair Odd Fellows Cemetery Association.

He was a member of the Holy Apostles Church in Saint Clair. His wife, the former Irene Guris died in 2002.

He is survived by his mother Myrle; one daughter and one sister. Burial was in the Odd Fellows Cemetery, St. Clair.

W. ELLSWORTH MORGAN Pine Grove Lodge #148 February 16, 2003

Brother W. Ellsworth Morgan, 88 of Minersville was initiated into the former Social Lodge #56, Minersville on February 12, 1934. At the time of his death he was a member of Pine Grove Lodge #148 through consolidation. He was a Past Grand of the former Social Lodge.

He was a member of the First U.M. Church, Llewellyn and a veteran of WW2.

Answer to FIND THE CIRCLE THE WORDS –
WITHIN THE ORDER
DO GOOD WORKS
THAT MAKE YOU SAY
WOW!

Surviving are his wife the former Betty Miller, one daughter, one grandson and a great-grandson.

ROBERT S. HARRIS Henry Disston Lodge #8 December 31, 2002

Robert S. Harris, 73 of Philadelphia, was initiated into the former American Lodge Star #405 on May 1, 1952. At the time of his death, he was a member of Henry Disston Lodge #8. He joined Perseverance Encampment #135, on May 5, 1953. He was a Past Grand and a Past Chief Patriarch. He served as Grand Patriarch 1996-1997.

He was retired from the City of Philadelphia. He was a member of the Immanuel Lutheran Church.

Surviving is his wife, the former Emma Gerhardt.

FEBRUARY 12

Oyster supper at Nickel Plate Lodge 1125



In picture, left to right are Grand Chaplain, Wallace Shakley; Grand Master, Joseph M. Strausser; ?; Secretary, Paul Crosby; Grand Representative, Ernest L. Nelson.

IDELLA REBEKAH LODGE NO. 58 PRESENTS TRAVELING GAVEL TO LADY COLFAX NO. 182



Sister Dawn Snyder of Idella Rebekah Lodge No. 58 presents the traveling gavel to Sister Laudine Stamm of Lady Colfax No. 182. Others in the photo are Sisters Lena Shade, Geraldine Warfield, Arlean Deppen, and Mae Haussler

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Secretaries and Scribes — Attention!!!

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ALLENTOWN—CANTON ALLENTOWN, #39, meets 4th Monday at 7:30 P.M. in the Odd Fellows Hall, 118 N. 9th St., Allentown, PA 19102, Harold W. Reiss, Clerk, 1550 Cherry Lane, Ancient Oaks, Macungie, PA 18062-9423.

ALLENTOWN AUXILIARY, #39, meets 4th Monday at 7:30 P.M. in the Odd Fellows Hall, 118 N. 9th St. Mary Landes, Sec'y, 316 S. Main St., Sellersville, PA 18960.

ALLISON PARK—HAMPTON LODGE, #1004, meets 2nd and last Tuesday at 8:00 P.M. at 4743 S. Pioneer Rd., Wm. Ehmann, Sec'y, 2925 Elsiton Ln., Allison Park, PA 15101

ALLPORT—ASTER REBEKAH LODGE, #177 meets 2nd and 4th Monday of every Month at the Gethsemane United Methodist Church, Rte. 2030, off Rte. 53, Allport. Barbara McClellan, 3731 Casanova Rd., Munson, PA 16860, pastprez@pennswoods.net

AMBRIDGE—CLOVER LODGE, #348,meets 1st and 3rd Friday at 7:30 P.M. at 625 Merchant St., Ambridge, PA 15033. Sec'y, Arthur Brown, 52 Grandview Ave., Baden, PA 15005, 724-869-9117.

ASKAM—ASKAM LODGE, #899, meets every Monday at 7:30 P.M. at 2601 S. Main Street. Edward G. Bath, Sr., Sec'y, 330 Beaumont Street, Warrior Run, PA 18706.

ATLANTIC—GOLDEN RULE REBEKAH LODGE, #198, meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday at 7:30 PM at I.O.O.F. Hall, Main St., Nancy Gruber, Sec'y, 3752 Atlantic Lake Rd., Atlantic, PA 16111

BELLEFONTE—CRYSTAL SPRING REBEKAH LODGE, #25, meets 2nd and 4th Friday at 8:00 PM at I.O.O.F. Hall, 756 Axemann Rd., Mae L. Summers, Sec'y, P.O. Box 8974, Milesburg, PA 16853.

BELLEVILLE—LADY GREENWOOD LODGE, #308, meets the 2nd and 4th Wednesday, 8:00 P.M. A-S, 7:30 O-M at Senior Citizen Bldg., 50 S. Kishacoquillas St. (Rear). Hannah Hassinger, See'y, 4470 E. Main St., Belleville, PA 17004.

BOALSBURG—TUSSEY REBEKAH LODGE, #66, meets 1st & 3rd Wednesday at 8:00 P.M. at I.O.O.F. Hall, 101 W. Main St. Anna S. Roush, See'y, 2215 W. Whitehall Rd., State College, PA 16801.

BOWMANSDALE—BOWMANSDALE LODGE, #1179, meets 1st and 3rd Monday at 7:30 P.M. at the 10OF Hall, 37 Lisburn Road. Harry R. Kennedy, Sec'y, 392 E. Mt. Airy Rd., Dillsburg, PA 17019.

BOYERTOWN—BOYERTOWN LODGE, #708, meets every Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. (Oct. thru Mar.) and at 8:00 P.M. (Apr. thru Sept.) at 35 E. Philadelphia Ave. Earl Good, Sec'y, Box 171, New Berlinville, PA 19545.

BRISTOL—HOPKINS LODGE, #87, meets 2nd & 4th Thurs, at 8:00 P.M. in Saint James Episcopal Parish House, Wood and Walnut Sts. Livio V. Ruggieri, Sec'y, 45 33 Avenrowe Ct., Fairless Hills, PA 19030.

BROOMALL—FRANCES F. EVANS REBEKAH LODGE, #5, meets 2nd and 4th Monday at 8:00 P.M., Sproul Road, Marple Presbyterian Church. Mabel Bankes, Sec'y, 141 Mill Road, Havertown, PA 19083.

BROWNSVILLE—BROWNSVILLE LODGE, #51, meets 1st and 3rd Thursday at 7:30 P.M. at 31 Market St., Brownsville, Robert Bradman Jr., Sec'y, 31 Market St., Brownsville, PA 15417.

BUTLER—CONNOQUENESSING LODGE, #278, meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 8:00 P.M. at Tanglewood Senior Center, 10 Austin Avenue, Lyndora, PA. Alvin Waters, Sec'y, 218 E. Water St., Slippery Rock, PA 16057.

CASSVILLE—LADY EVELYN REBEKAH LODGE, #22, meets 2nd and 4th Monday at 7:30 P.M. at Odd Fellows Hall, 44 Walnut Street, Cassville. Anna Bell Ramsey, Sec'y, HCR I, Box 6, Calvin, PA 16622.

MT. HOR LODGE, #736 meets 2nd & 4th Fridays at 7:30 P.M., 44 Walnut St., Cassville. Scott R. Parks, Sec'y, RR 1 Box 1324, Mapleton Depot, PA 17052-9712.

COCHRANVILLE—HEBRON LODGE, #437, meets 2nd and 4th Monday, 7:30 P.M., IOOF Hall, 173 Cochran St. Dale E. Binkley, See'y, 106 Glenloch Dr., Landenberg, PA 19350, dbinkley@kennett.net

COLLEGEVILLE—ECONOMY LODGE, #397, meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. at I.O.O.F. Hall, 111 N. Main St., Spring City, Lloyd T. Hallman, Sec'y, PO Box 548, Frederick, PA 19435.

CONNELLSVILLE—GENERAL WORTH LODGE, #386, meets 1st and 3rd Saturday at 7:30 P.M. in the Odd Fellows Hall, 107 S. Pittsburgh Street, John S. Cupp, Jr., Sec'y, 2 West Main Street, Suite 517, Uniontown, PA 15401.

DALLAS—ONEIDA LODGE, #371, meets every Thursday at 8:00 P.M. over Fino's Drug Store. Visitors welcome. Walter Gosart, Scc'y, 51 Staug Ave., Shavertown, PA 18708-1529.

DORNSIFE—MAHANOY LODGE, #551, meets every Thursday, Oct 1 to March 31, 7:30 P.M., April 1 to Sept. 30, 8:00 P.M. in the Odd Fellows Hall, Route 225. Donald W. Zerbe, Sec'y, RR 1, Box 763, Herndon, PA 17830.

IDELLA REBEKAH LODGE, #58, meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday at 7:30 P.M. in the Odd Fellows Hall, Route 225. Jane Blair, Sec'y, RR #1, Box 91, Klingerstown, PA 17941.

EBENSBURG—HIGHLAND LODGE, #428, meets 1st & 3rd Wednesday at 7:30 P.M. in the I.O.O.F. Hall, 207 West High Street. Robert C. Burgan, Sec⁵y, 218 Columbus Ave., Cresson, PA 16630.

EDINBORO—EDINBORO LODGE, #510, meets 2nd & 4th Thurs., 8:00 P.M., Masonic Hall, 101 Walker Dr., Edinboro. Lawrence Pieper, See'y, 7216 Crane Rd., Edinboro, PA 16412.

ELIZABETH—OLD MONONGAHELA LODGE, #209, meets every Tuesday, 8:00 P.M. at Roberts Hollow Rd. Les Salzman, Sec'y, 706 Rt. 481, Monongahela, PA 15063.

MONONGAHELA ENCAMPMENT, #109, meets the 3rd Wednesday at 8:00 P.M. at Roberts Hollow. James R. Lewis, Scribe, 1200 Madison Dr., Elizabeth, PA 15037.

MONONGAHELA L.E.A., # 109, meets the 4th Wednesday at 7:30 P.M. of each month at Roberts Hallow Rd., Mary Louise Rudman, Scribe, 20-A Greenwood Heights, Connellsville, PA 15425.

ERIE—LAURA REBEKAH LODGE, #101, meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday at 1:00 P.M. in the Masonic Bldg., 32 W. 8th St., Erie, PA. Myrtle Nelson, Secy., 811 Wyoming Ave., Eric, PA 16505

FREEDOM—EDITH LODGE, #812, meets 1st and 3rd Thursday at 7:30 P.M., 625 Third Avenue, Freedom, PA. Herbert Heinemann, Sec'y, 1049 Catherine Drive, Conway, PA 15027.

HARRISON GRAHAM ENCAMPMENT, #116, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 7:30 P.M., 625 Third Avenue. Herbert Heinemann, Scribe, 1049 Catherine Dr., Conway, PA 15027.

FREEPORT—FREEPORT LODGE, #379, nucets every Wednesday at 7:30 P.M., except June, July and August, when meetings are held on the 1st & 3rd Wednesdays at 7:30 P.M. in the Odd Fellows Hall on Ford City Road. Edward Lydick, Sec'y, 203 McWilliams Dr., Natrona Heights, PA 15065.

GASTONVILLE—MONONGAHELA DEGREE LODGE, #88, meets the 4th Wednesday of every month at the Nucleus Lodge Hall at 7:30 P.M. Eugene Umbel, See'y, 641 Bitner Rd., Dunbar, PA 15431.

NUCLEUS LODGE, #377, meets every Thursday, 8:00 P.M., IOOF Hall, Finleyville-Elrama Rd. Allen J. Cushey, Sec'y, 339 Springdale Rd., Venetia, PA 15367.

MON VALLEY REBEKAH LODGE, #82, meets 1st & 3rd Wednesday at 7:30 P.M., IOOF Bldg., Elrama Rd., Carolyn G. Barger, Sec'y, 701 Maple Drive, Monongahela, PA 15063.

GROVE CITY—ORCHARD MANOR, Director's Meeting Apr. to Sept., 3rd Friday at 7:00 P.M.; Oct. to Mar., 3rd Saturday at 10:00 A.M. at 20 Orchard Drive, Grove City, PA 16127. Diane Robinson, Administrator.

HARRISBURG—SUSANNAH REBEKAH LODGE, #247, meets 1st & 3rd Tuesdays at 2:00 P.M. at Christ Lutheran Church, 124 S. 13th St., Harrisburg. Kathryn Bush, Sec'y, 3532 N. 4th St., Harrisburg, PA 17110.

HONESDALE—FREEDOM LODGE, #88, meets 2nd & 4th Monday at 7:00 P.M., Masonic Hall, 112 9th St. Howard Goodenough, Sec'y, PO Box 191, Honesdale, PA 18431. hgoodenough@martinacetg.com

JEANNETTE—JEANNETTE LODGE, #701, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday evenings at Third and Bullitt Ave. Eugene T. Martinella, Sec'y, 218 Margaret Ave., Jeannette, PA 15644.

JOHNSTOWN—ALMA LODGE, #523, meets every Friday evening (except July and August meetings held 1st and 3rd Fridays only) at 440-442 Main Street. John P. Pearce, Sec'y, 355 Edith Ave., Johnstown, PA 15906.

WILLIAM F. PACKER ENCAMPMENT, #127, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday in Alma Hall, 440-442 Main Street. John P. Pearce, Scribe, 355 Edith Ave., Johnstown, PA 15906.

LAKE CITY—NICKEL PLATE LODGE, #1125, meets every Wednesday evening in Fern Rebekah Lodge Hall, 2180 Rice Ave. Jack J. Bort, Sec'y, 12141 W. Main St., E. Springfield, PA 16411.

LAKE COMO—NAKOMIS REBEKAH LODGE, #497, meets 1st and 3rd Wednesday at 8:00 P.M. in I.O.O.F. Hall, Rt. 247. Violet Maholchic, Sec'y, P.O. Box 47, Lake Como, PA 18437.

LANSDOWNE—LANSDOWNE LODGE, #282, meets 1st and 3rd Monday at 8:00 P.M. at the Masonic Bldg., 27 S. Lansdowne Ave. Lee McDonald, Sec'y, 2635 Eldon Ave., Drexel Hill, PA 19026.

LATROBE—JOHN E. NACE ENCAMPMENT, #199, meets 2nd Thursday at 7:00 P.M. in the Bowser Hall, 630 Rear, Depot St, Latrobe. Fred M. See, Scribe, P.O. Box 226, Latrobe, PA 15650-0226

LATROBE LODGE #541 meets 2nd and 4th Thursday at 8:00 P.M. at 630 (R) Depot St., Fred M. See, Sec'y, P.O. Box 226, Latrobe, PA 15650, fredseeatlave@webtv.net

LAWRENCE VILLE—LADY LAWRENCE REBEKAH LODGE #349, meets 1st and 3rd Thursdays at 11:00 A.M. at the Lawrence Municipal Bldg. Avis Deats, Sec'y, RFD 2, Box 935, Lawrenceville, PA16929

LEESPORT—LEESPORT LODGE, #141, meets every Tuesday, May-Oct. 7:30 PM, Nov-Apr. 8:00 PM, at Lodge Hall, 27 Railroad Avenue. LeRoy K. Seip, Sec'y, PO Box 251, Leesport, PA 19533

EARL R. LEJBY ENCAMPMENT, #106, meets every 2nd Thursday at 8:00 P.M. in Odd Fellows Hall. Leon S. Stamm, Scribe, 315 Governor Dr., Mifflin Park, Reading, PA 19607-2815, goviss@earthlink.com

LADY COLFAX REBEKAH LODGE, #182, meets 1st and 3rd Monday, 7:30 P.M., IOOF Hall, 27 Railroad Ave. Leon Stamm, Sec'y, 315 Governor Dr., Mitflin Park, Reading, PA 19607. goviss@earthlink.com

CANTON LEESPORT, #2, meets 4th Wednesday at 8:00 P.M. in I.O.O.F. Hall. Capt. (R) Nevin W. Adams, Clerk, 1083 Shoemakersville Rd., Shoemakersville, PA 19555-9009.

LEESPORT AUXILIARY #2, LAPM, meets 4th Wednesday at 8:00 P.M. in IOOF Hall. Elaine Kauffman, Sec'y, 513 Florence Ave., Hamburg, PA 19526.

LEHMAN—OSAGE LODGE, #712, meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday at 7:30 P.M. in the Odd Fellows Hall, Mill and Market Streets. Alan S. Major, Sec'y, P.O. Box 25, Lehman, PA 18627.

LEWISBURG—LEWISBURG LODGE, #96, meets 2nd and 4th Thursday at 7:30 P.M., at St. Paul's United Methodist Church, South 4th Street, Back Entrance. Gary Hallock, Sec'y, 10 Albert Blvd., Winfield, PA 17889, lodge961OOF@hotmail.com

LINWOOD—LADY ELAM REBEKAH LODGE, #2, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 11:00 A.M. in Odd Fellows Hall, Ridge and Market Streets. Lois U. Kelly, Sec'y, 86 Summit Ave., Chadds Ford, PA 19317-9036.

LITITZ—LITITZ LODGE, #1050, meets 2nd and 4th Monday at 7:30 P.M. in Odd Fellows Hall, 111-113 N. Broad Street, Lititz, PA 17543, John H. Himmelberger, Sec'y, P.O. Box 267, Lititz, PA 17543

LADY SUTTER REBEKAH LODGE, #435, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 8:00 PM at 111-113 N. Broad St., Dotty Derr, See'y, 101 Lincoln Ave., Lititz, PA 17543.

MALVERN—MALVERN POCAHONTAS LODGE, #201, meets every Monday at 8:00 P.M. at Malvern Lodge Hall, 111 Church Street, Malvern, PA 19355, Donald Smith, Sec'y.

CHOSEN FRIENDS ENCAMPMENT #88, meets 3rd Wednesday at 111 Church St. Robert Vaughn, Scribe, 291 Valley View Rd., Malvern, PA 19355.

PAOLI LODGE, #290, meets every Thursday at 8:00 P.M. in the Malvern Lodge Hall, 111 Church Street, Malvern, PA. Robert R. Pyle, Sec'y, 685 Hopewell Road, Downingtown, PA 10335

MEADVILLE—MEADVILLE AUXILIARY, #47, meets the 4th Saturday each month at Odd Fellows Home, 400 N. Main St. Lady Marcia LaVan, Sec'y, 2515 Scrubgrass Rd., Jackson Center, PA 16133.

CUSSEWAGO LODGE, #108, meets every Monday at 400 N. Main St., Meadville. Leland Dorchester, Sec'y, Box 94, Cochranton, PA 16314.

ODD FELLOWS HOME OF WESTERN PA, The Pioneer Home, Board of Directors and Trustees, meets every 2nd Friday at 400 N. Main St., Dora Kahler, Sec'y, 3700 State Highway #173, Cochranton, PA 16314

MIDDLETOWN—TRIUNE LODGE, #307, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. at 47 W. Emaus Street. Mail to: Herbert Swank, Sec'y, P.O. Box 612, Middletown, PA 17057.

RED ROSE REBEKAH LODGE, #586, meets 1st and 3rd Monday at 1:00 P.M. in I.O.O.F. Hall, 47 W. Emaus Street. Edith M. Morrow, Sec'y, 407 E. Emaus Street, Middletown, PA 17057.

ODD FELLOWS AND REBEKAH HOME AUXILIARY OF EASTERN PA, meets 1st Saturday at 1:00 P.M. at the Odd Fellows Home of Middletown. Jane E. Reisinger, Sec'y., 5880 Chamber Hill Rd., Harrisburg, PA 17111.

MIFFLINBURG—FAITH, HOPE, & CHARITY REBEKAH LODGE #15, meets 2nd & 4th Tuesdays at 7:30 P.M., at Vicksburg Community Center, Vicksburg, PA. Molly M. Criswell, Sec'y, RD #4, Box 203, Mifflinburg, PA 17844, criswell@ptd.net

MILLBROOK—LADY WORTH REBEKAH LODGE, #328, meets 2nd & 4th Thursday, 7:30 P.M. at the Millbrook Grange. Doris Carey, Sec'y, 1772 Sandy Lake-Grove City Rd., Jackson Ctr., PA 16133.

MILROY—LADY BUTLER REBEKAH LODGE, #316, meets 1st and 3rd Friday at 7:00 P.M., Fellowship Hall, White Memorial United Church of Christ. Virginia Reed, Sec'y, 7 Colonial Dr., Reedsville, PA 17084.

MONTROSE—MARY REBEKAH LODGE, #7, meets 1st & 3rd Wednesday at 8:00 P.M. at U.M. Methodist Church, 90 Church St., Montrose, PA. Dorothy Snow, Sec'y, R.D. 3, Box 91, Montrose, PA 18801

MORGANTOWN—CAERNAR VON LODGE #557, meets 2nd and 4th Monday at 7:30 P.M. (Oct 1st thru Mar. 31st) and at 8:00 P.M. (Apr. 1st thru Sept. 30th) St. Thomas Parish House, Cherry Lane. Charles R. Garman, Sec'y., R.D. 1, Box 293, Morgantown, PA 19543.

MUNCY—CELESTIA REBEKAH LODGE, #80, meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. at 13 S. Main Street. Constance Hess, Sec'y, 210 Westland Ave., Duboisetown, PA 17701.

BRADY LODGE, #116, meets every Friday, 8:00 P.M., at 13 S. Main St. Leon Fenstermaker, Sec'y, RR 3 Box 553, Muncy, PA 17756-9023.

NAZARETH—ALUTA LODGE, #488, meets every Friday at 8:00 P.M. at 1068 Bushkill Center Road. Mellis Zellner, Sec'y, 1110 Marfield Dr., Nazareth, PA 18064.

LADY HALL REBEKAH, #202, meets 1st and 3rd Thursday, 7:30 P.M. at Aluta Hall, Dolores Keller, Sec'y, 106 Jackson Ave., Pen Argyl, PA 18072-1606.

BUSHKILL ENCAMPMENT, #55, meets the 2nd and 4th Thursday, 8:00 P.M. at 1068 Bushkill Ctr. Rd., Bushkill Twp. Maynard J. Ernst, Sec'y, PO Box 105, Tatamy, PA 18085-0105.

NEW BLOOMFIELD—MACKINAW LODGE, #380, meets every Monday at 7:30 P.M. (Oct. thru Apr.) and 8:00 P.M. (May thru Sept.) in the Lodge Hall, 18 W. Main Street. Brooks E. Reeder, Sec'y, 1760 Shermans Valley Rd., Elliotsburg, PA 17024.

MAHONEY REBEKAH LODGE, #428, meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. (May-Oct) & 1:30 P.M. (Nov-Apr) in Odd Fellows Hall, 18 W. Main Street. Martha Rice, Sec'y, 26 W. Shortcut Rd., Newport, PA 17074.

NEW HOLLAND—EARL LODGE, #413, meets 1st and 3rd Thursday at 7:30 P.M. at 272 Locust Street. Russell E. McQuate, Sec'y, 17 S. Groffdale Road, Leola, PA 17540.

NEW KENSINGTON—NEW KENSINGTON LODGE, #804, meets 1st and 3rd Thursday nights at 8:00 p.m., Carpenters Union Hall, 854 Fifth Ave., New Kensington, PA 15068. Charles Jones, Sec'y, 1520 Neely St., Natrona Heights, PA 15065.

NEW RINGGOLD—EAST BRUNSWICK LODGE, #802, meets 1st and 3rd Monday at 7:30 PM at 155 Wetherill St., Alfonso Martinez, Sec'y, RD 1, Box 37, Andreas, PA 18211.

NORRISTOWN—MONTGOMERY-CURTIS-NORRIS LODGE, #57, meets the 2nd & 4th Monday at 8:00 P.M. at I.O.O.F. Hall, 1232 Astor st., Norristown, PA 19401. Jon Gorman, Sec'y, 1919 Muhlenburg Dr., Lansdale, PA 19446.

NORRISTOWN ENCAMPMENT, #37, meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday, IOOF Hall. George Quier, Scribe, 1005 Forest Ave., Norristown, PA 19403.

PHILADELPHIA—CANTON PHILADELPHIA, #1, meets 4th Thursday at 8:00 P.M. at Walker Hall, 1290 Southampton Rd. Joseph M. Strausser, Clerk, 121 N. Cornwall Ave., Ventnor, NJ 08406, ret388@aol.com

WALKER LODGE, #306, meets every Monday at 8:00 P.M. at 1290 Southhampton Rd. Dave Harte, Sec'y, PO Box 52572, Philadelphia, PA 19115-7572.

METROPOLITAN LODGE, #150, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday in their Lodge Hall at 500 Huntingdon Pike, Rockledge, Harold A. Boden, Sec'y, 1375 Slayton Drive, Maple Glen, PA 19002.

MYSTIC LODGE, #270, meets every Monday (except the 1st Monday each month) at 8:00 P.M. at the American Legion Bldg., 8041 Frankford Ave. Elliot Tenenbaum, Sec'y, 83 Hunt Drive, Horsham, PA 19044-1134, elliot386@msn.com

LETTTIA PENN REBEKAH LODGE, #173, meets 2nd and 4th Monday at 8:00 P.M. at Walker Lodge Hall, 1290 Southampton Rd., Philadelphia. Catherine E. McMenanún, Sec'y, 238 Street Rd. C-101, Southampton, PA 18966.

ODD FELLOW AND REBEKAH ASSOCIATION OF SOUTHEASTERN PA meets 1st Wednesday of March, June, September, and December. Contact the Secretary for meeting information. Gertrude Vaughn, Sec'y, 291 Valley View Rd., Malvern, PA 19355.

PERSEVERANCE ENCAMPMENT, #135, meets 1st & 3rd Thursday evenings in Walker Hall, 1290 Southampton Rd. Elliott L. Tenenbaum, Scribe, 83 Hunt Dr., Horsham, PA 19044-1134, elliot386@msn.com

HENRY DISSTON LODGE, #8, meets 1st & 3rd Monday at 8:00 PM at Disston Presbyterian Church, Tyson and Glenloch Sts. Paul Crossley, Sec'y, 27 Saddle Dr., Mount Laurel, NJ 08054.

VARIETY LODGE, #37, meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday, 8:00 PM at 1290 Southampton Rd., Philadelphia. Gilbert A. Rand, Sec'y, 8641 Ferndale St., Philadelphia, PA 19149.

PINE GROVE—PINE GROVE LODGE, #148, meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday at 7:30 PM at 277 S. Tulpehocken St., Roger Zimmerman, Sec'y, 22 Carbon St., Pine Grove, PA 17963.

PITTSBURGH—BRUSHTON-SWISSVALE LODGE, #1107, meets every Thursday at 8:00 P.M. in the American Legion Hall, Post #351, Verona Road. Donald G. Buchanan, Sec'y, 621 Veronica Drive, Pittsburgh, PA 15235, Dtallone2@aol.com

UNIFIED LODGE, #2, meets every Thursday at 8:00 P.M. at 3219 Central Ave. Ronald J. Collins, Sec'y, 1432 Eckert St., Pittsburgh, PA 15212.

LADY UNITED REBEKAH LODGE, #3, meets 2nd and 4th Monday, 7:30 P.M., Greater Pittsburgh Masonic Ctr., 3579 Masonic Way. Anne Dihlman, Sec'y, 841 Calif. Ave., Apt. 310, Pittsburgh, PA 15202.

MARY MAGDALENE REBEKAH LODGE, #365, meets 2nd and 4th Monday in the Mary S. Brown United Methodist Church, 3424 Beechwood Blvd., Myra McCorkle, Sec'y, 1833 Woodcove Place, Pittsburgh, PA 15216, myell2@aol.com

PITTSTON—THISTLE LODGE, #512, meets every Monday at 7:30 P.M. in IOOF Hall, 59 S. Main Street. Francis McGrath, Sec'y, 902 W. Elm St., Scranton, PA 18504.

PORT MATILDA—PORT MATILDA LODGE, #733, meets 1st and 3rd Friday at 7:30 P.M. at the Fowler Grove U.M. Woman's Bldg., Route 220. Donald R. Trulick, Sec'y., 161 Stover Rd., Bellefonte, PA 16823, dtrulick@aol.com

POTTSTOWN—MANATAWNY LODGE, #214, meets 2nd and 4th Monday at 7:30 P.M. at the I.O.O.F. Hall, King and Charlotte Streets Oct. 1 through May 31, and at 8:00 P.M. June to Sept. 30. Gerald L. Markley, Sec'y, 393 State Street, Pottstown, PA 19464.

LADY WITTENMYER REBEKAH LODGE #20, meets 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 8:00 PM at IOOF Hall, 300 King St., Pottstown, Pat Feldman, Sec'y, 23 Grosstown Rd., Stowe, PA 19464.

ROCHESTER MILLS—ALERT LODGE, #936, meets every Thursday at 8:00 P.M. in the I.O.O.F. Hall, Main Street. Robert Kantorski, Sec'y, 219 Enterprise Dr., Rochester Mills, PA 15771-8135.

RUSH—ERNESTINE REBEKAH LODGE #548, meets 2nd & 4th Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. at Rush Odd Fellows Hall, Rush, PA, Sylvia Jones, Sec'y, RR 5, Box 53, Montrose, PA 18801.

RUSH LODGE #471, meets every Saturday, 8:00 P.M. at IOOF Hall. Alton G. Arnold, Sec'y., RD #5, Box 49, Montrose, PA 18801.

SANDY LAKE—SANDY LAKE LODGE, #573, meets 1st and 3rd Monday at 7:00 PM in the Odd Fellows Lodge, 5242 Lake Street, Sandy Lake, PA 16145. James Donley, Sec'y., 440 Boyd Rd. Stoneboro, PA 16153.

SCHNECKSVILLE—JORDAN LODGE, #192, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday, Schnecksville Fire Hall, Main Street. Stanley Wieand, Sec'y, 3795 Maple Street, Allentown, PA 18104.

LADY LILLIE BEST REBEKAH LODGE, #222, meets 1st and 3rd Wednesday, Schnecksville Fire Hall, Main Street. Jill Schlosser, Sec'y, 4927 Spruce St., Schnecksville, PA 18078.

SELINSGROVE—LADY SELIN REBEKAH LODGE, #378, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 7:30 PM at Community Building, 1 N. High St., Hilda Mull, Sec'y, RD 2, Box 298B, Middleburg, PA 17842.

SELLERSVILLE—LADY SELLERS REBEKAH LODGE, #558, meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. in I.O.O.F. Hall, Main Street and Temple Ave. Mary Landes, Sec'y, 316 S. Main St., Sellersville, PA 18960.

VICTORY LODGE, #658, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 8:00 PM at Main and Temple Sts., Greg F. Dimick, Sec'y, 20 W. Lincoln Ave., Hatfield, PA 19440.

SHAMOKIN—REGINA REBEKAH LODGE #230, meets 2nd & 4th Thursday at 7:30 P.M. in the Mt. Tabor #125 Lodge Hall, Treverton Rd., Jearldean Losiewicz, Sec'y, R.D. 1, Box 845, Coal Township, PA 17866.

MT. TABOR LODGE, #125, meets every Monday at 7:30 P.M., 1 mile north of Shamokin on Rt. 225. Rod Faust, Sec'y, PO Box 417, Shamokin, PA 17872.

SHARON—SHARON LODGE, #347, meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. at 25 W. Shenango Street, Sharpsville. William B. Struchen, 93 Smith Ave., Sharon, PA 16146.

SHARPSVILLE—ADONIRAM LODGE, #739, meets the 1st and 3rd Friday at 7:30 P.M. at St. Paul's U.C.C., 159 Todd Ave., Hermitage, PA. Richard Slater, Sec'y, 814 Pearl Street, Sharon, PA 16146.

SHARPSVILLE REBEKAH LODGE, #110, meets the 2nd and 4th Thursday at 7:30 P.M. at St. Paul's U.C.C., 159 Todd Ave., Hermitage, PA. Florence Paddock, Sec'y, 7626 Stewart Sharon Rd., Masury, OH 44438.

SHENANDOAH—SHENANDOAH LODGE, #591, meets 2nd & 4th Monday at 7:30 P.M., OF Cemetery Chapel, Cemetery Rd., Shenandoah Heights. Robert Beddall, Sec*y, 34 S. Jardin St., Shenandoah, PA 17976.

SHILLINGTON—SHILLINGTON LODGE, #1175, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. at 116-118 W. Lancaster Ave. Leon S. Stamm, Sec'y, 315 Governor Dr., Mifflin Park, Reading, PA 19607-2815, goviss@earthlink.com

SMETHPORT—SMETHPORT LODGE, #389, meets 2nd & 4th Monday at 8:00 P.M. in IOOF Hall, 406 W. Main St., Arthur Paulson, Sec'y, 3 Anderson St., Mt. Jewett, PA 16740.

SOMERSET—SOMERSET LODGE, #438, tneets 2nd & 4th Monday at 7:30 P.M. at 113 N. Center Ave. Donald Sechler, Sec'y, 1344 Grandview Ave., Somerset, PA 15501.

SPRING CITY—VINCENT LODGE #762, meets 2nd & 4th Thursday at 7:30 P.M. at 111 Main St., Spring City, PA. Gary Yerger, Sec'y, 111 Main St., Spring City, PA 19426.

STATE COLLEGE—LADY EMILY REBEKAH LODGE #452, meets 2nd & 4th Monday at 7:30 P.M. in Windemere Hall, 454 Rolling Ridge Dr., State College, PA. Ella Lee Trulick, Sec'y, 161 Stover Road, Bellefonte, PA 16823, EllieTrulick@aol.com

BELLEFONTE ENCAMPMENT, #72, meets 2nd Wednesday, 7:00 P.M., Windmere Hall, 454 Rolling Ridge Dr. Donald Trulick, Scribe, 161 Stover Rd., Bellefonte, PA 16823.

RIDGELY CANTON #8, meets 2nd Wednesday, 8:00 P.M., Windmere Hall, 454 Rolling Ridge Dr., State College, PA 16801.

STATE COLLEGE LODGE #1032, meets 1st & 3rd Mondays at 7:30 P.M. at Windmere Hall, 454 Rolling Ridge Dr., State College, PA. Kenneth H. Kulp, Sec'y, 454 Rolling Ridge Drive, State College, PA 16801 – ken@khkulp.com

STONY FORK—MARINDA REBEKAH LODGE #107 meets the 1st & 3rd Monday at 1:00 P.M. in the Odd Fellows Hall. Patricia Kriner, Sec'y, R.D. 1, Box 83, Wellsboro, PA 16901.

STRASBURG—STRASBURG LODGE #361meets 2nd & 4th Monday at 7:30 P.M. at 9A E. Main St. Donald A. Bachman, Sec'y, 117 Miller Street, Strasburg, PA 17579.

STROUDSBURG—FT. PENN LODGE #134 meets 1st & 3rd Wednesday at 7:00 P.M. at 572 Main St., Stroudsburg. Richard Seidof, Sec'y, HCR 1, Box 560, Sciota, PA 18354.

SUMMERVILLE—LADY EVANGELINE REBEKAH LODGE, #146, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 7:30 P.M. in Civic Center, West Penn Street. Teresa Reitz Swineford, Sec'y, 3083 Airport Rd., Punxsutawney, PA 15767.

SUNBURY—LADY EDEN REBEKAH LODGE, #56, meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday, at 7:30 P.M. at Augusta Lodge Hall, L.O.O.F., R.D. 3, Plum Creek Road. Gloria M. Snyder, Sec³y., R.R. 1, Box 171, Sunbury, PA 17801-9750.

TAMAQUA—HARMONY LODGE, #86, meets the 2nd & 4th Wednesday at 7:00 P.M., Odd Fellows Hall, 503 West Broad St., Charles H., Bailey, Sec'y, 223 Hunter St., Tamaqua, PA 18252.

SCOTT ENCAMPMENT, #132, meets the 1st Thursday at 7:00 PM, Harmony Hall, 503 W. Broad St. Donald R. Serfass, Scribe, 242 W. Broad St., Tamaqua, PA 18252, ironstep@ptd.net.

HESTER REBEKAH LODGE, #29, meets 2nd & 4th Tuesday, at 7:00 P.M. in the Odd Fellows Hall, 503 W. Broad St., Tamaqua, Fern V. Mantz, Sec'y 222 E. Broad St., Apt. 1405, Tamaqua, PA 18252.

TITUSVILLE—OIL CITY ENCAMPMENT, #182, meets 1st and 3rd Thursday at 7:30 PM at 42961 Central Ave., Leland Dorchester, Scribe, 114 Riber St., Cochranton, PA 16314.

TUNKHANNOCK—TUNKHANNOCK LODGE, #699, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 8:00 P.M. at Lemon Community Hall, Route 29, Lemon, PA. Thomas Severcool, See'y, RR 4, Box 4219, Meshoppen, PA 18630.

LADY ESTHER REBEKAH LODGE #74, meets 2nd & 4th Wednesdays at 2:00 P.M. at Lemon Community Hall, Route 29, Lemon, PA. Shirley Severcool, Sec' y, RR 4, Box 4219, Meshoppen, PA 18630.

VANDERGRIFT—VANDERGRIFT LODGE, #1116, meets 2nd and 4th Thursday at 7:45 P.M. in Odd Fellows Hall, 112 Grant Ave. Ronald Stephenson, Sec'y, RD 2, Box 383, Kittanning, PA 16201.

WALTERSBURG—NATHAN LEWISFORT NECESSITY LODGE, #254, meets 1st and 3rd Monday at 7:30 P.M. Eugene Sabatula, See'y., 596 Bitner Rd., Dunbar, PA 15431.

ELLEN REBEKAH LODGE, #233, meets 2nd and 4th Monday, 7:00 P.M., Waltersburg, Bernice M. Thomas, Sec'y, 244 Rutter Lane, Smock, PA 15480-9520.

WAMPUM—ELLWOOD CITY LODGE, #9, meets 2nd and 4th Thursday at 7:30 P.M., R.D. 1, Bernard L. Myers, Sec'y, 802 Etna Street, New Castle, PA 16101.

WARREN—WARREN LODGE, #339, meets Tuesday at 7:30 P.M., 208-210 Hickory Street. John E. Colter, Sec'y, 906 Conewango Ave., Warren, PA 16365.

KOSSUTH ENCAMPMENT, #98, meets 2nd and 4th Thursday at 8:00 P.M., 208-210 Hickory Street. Annual Degree Rally, 1st Saturday in June. John E. Colter, Scribe, 906 Concwago Ave., Warren, PA 16365.

WASHINGTON—LADY HOGUE REBEKAH LODGE, #102, meets 1st and 3rd Thursday at 7:30 P.M., 696 Fayette St., Washington, PA. Pat Newman, Sec'y, 976 Mounts Rd., Washington, PA 15301.

NATIONAL LODGE. #81, meets 2nd and 4th Thursday, 8:00 P.M., 696 Fayette St. James Ragan, Sec'y, 84 Woodrow Dr., Avella, PA 15312.

WAYNESBURG—WAYNESBURG LODGE, #469, meets 2nd and 4th Thursdays at 7:00 P.M. at 35 W. High Street. Richard Kamerer, Sec'y, 595 Point Alley, Waynesburg, PA 15370.

WEST SUNBURY—WEST SUNBURY REBEKAH LODGE, #19, meets 2nd & 4th Thursday at 1:30 P.M., at the IOOF Hall in West Sunbury, Audean Byers, Sec'y, 1066 Hooker Rd., Karns City, PA 16041.

WHITE HAVEN—WHITE HAVEN LODGE, #457, meets 2nd & 4th Wednesday at 7:30 P.M. at 238 Main St. Lawrence Bond, Sec'y, 601 Barrys Lane, White Haven, PA 18661.

WYSOX—WYSOX LODGE, #1152, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 8:00 P.M. 1 mile south of Wysox on Rt. 187. Thomas Elliot, Sec'y, Rt. 2, Box 126A, Towanda, PA 18848.

YORK—MT. ZION LODGE, #74, meets 1st, 3rd and 5th Monday at 7:00 P.M. at Odd Fellows Hall, 525 Greenwood Road. Dale Singer, Sec'y, 801 Locust St., Wrightsville, PA 17368.

YORK CANTON, #14, meets 4th Monday at 8:00 P.M. at Odd Fellows Hall, 525 Greenwood Rd. William McElwain, Clerk, 136 Crown Pt. Dr., York, PA 17402. Bill83049@aol.com

MOUNT VERNON ENCAMPMENT, #14, meets 2nd and 4th Monday at 7:00 P.M. at Odd Fellows Hall, 525 Greenwood Road. James Keller, Scribe, 620 Greenwood Rd., York, PA 17404.

SALOME REBEKAH LODGE, #30, meets 2nd and 4th Thursday at 7:30 P.M. at Odd Fellows Hall, 525 Greenwood Road. Beverly A. Bowers, Sec'y, 1228 Edison Street, York, PA 17403.

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2003 Spring All State Rally

The Jurisdictional Planning Board extends an invitation to all Odd Fellows & Rebekahs to join us at the Spring All State Rally to be held on Saturday, May 17, 2003 at Boyertown Lodge #708, 35 E. Philadelphia Ave., Boyertown, PA.

Registration fee will be \$1.00 and will begin at 10:00 A.M. Please make sure that you send your enclosed candidate registration sheet to Brother Adams by Friday, May 9, 2003.

The Grand Lodge & Rebekah Assembly will be doing the opening and closing for the Odd Fellows & Rebekahs. The Grand Lodge and Rebekah Assembly Degrees will be conferred at 12:00 noon. All other degrees will begin at 12:30 P.M.

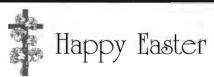
A banquet will be held at 5:30 P.M. A homestyle dinner of Roast Beef and Turkey will be served for \$16.00 per person. Reservations with remittance to be sent to Mary Landes, 316 S. Main St., Sellersville, PA 18960. Deadline for reservations is Wednesday, May 7, 2003.

Donations for door prizes will be appreciated from lodges or individuals. Donations may be sent to Nevin W. Adams, 951 Shoemakersville Rd., Shoemakersville, PA 19555-9010.

Bring your candidates to the Spring All State Rally for a day of Odd Fellowship. The committee requests that no tickets other than the Rally Tickets be sold at the Rally or Banquet. Thank you.

Make all checks payable to the "Jurisdictional Planning Board."

Fraternally,
The Rally Committee



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