

# SCOTTISH RITE BODIES

in the

Valley of Salem, Massachusetts  
Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, U.S.A.



Sutton Lodge of  
Perfection



Jubilee Council  
Princes of Jerusalem



Emmanuel Chapter  
of Rose Croix

## NOTICE OF MEETINGS

**Note Dates and Locations**

### MEMBERSHIP NIGHT

Friday, January 16, 2015

*Note Date*

### LADIES NIGHT AND VALENTINE'S SOCIAL

A Night of Comedy

Friday, February 13, 2015

*Giggles Comedy Club*

*517 Broadway – Rt. 1 South*

*Saugus, MA*

## DINNER RESERVATIONS

Mark the box on the enclosed card for dinner reservations for the upcoming meetings.

You may also visit our website at [www.valleyofsalem.org](http://www.valleyofsalem.org) or send an email to [rsvp@valleyofsalem.org](mailto:rsvp@valleyofsalem.org).

If your card or email won't reach us by the Wednesday preceding the meeting, please call Jon Palermo at 781-248-0119.

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**VALLEY OF SALEM A.A.S.R – MEMBERSHIP PROGRAM**

**Friday, January 16, 2015**

**NOTE DATE**

Salem Masonic Building  
70 Washington Street, Salem, Massachusetts 01970

Prospective Candidates are invited to attend as guests of the Valley.

**6:00 Social Period**, with screening of Supreme Council membership video

**6:45 Buffet Dinner**

Members \$15.00 with reservation - \$20.00 at the door  
Prospective candidates will be guests of the Valley.

**7:30 Program: "Strengthening Membership in Your Blue Lodge"**

Members of the Grand Lodge Membership Development Committee (RW Scott T. Jareo, Chairman) and Ill. Philip A. Drouin, State Chairman of Membership, Massachusetts Council of Deliberation, AASR/NMJ will present and lead discussion on strategies and tactics to enhance Blue Lodge recruitment, member engagement, and retention activities.

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**VALLEY OF SALEM – LADIES NIGHT AND VALENTINE SOCIAL**

**Friday, February 13, 2015**

Giggles Comedy Club  
Prince Pizzeria  
517 Broadway – Rt. 1 South, Saugus, MA

**6:00 Doors Open – Social Period – Cash Bar**

**7:00 All you can eat Cheese Pizza**

**8:00 Comedy Show**

Tickets \$30.00/Member – Ladies free

Prospective Candidates and their Ladies will be guests of the Valley.  
All proceeds will benefit the Valley of Salem Hospitalers Fund.

Tickets will be on sale at our January meeting or can be obtained via mail – see the enclosed flyer. Send ticket requests with checks made payable to Valley of Salem to Jonathan Morley, 3 Peach Highlands, Marblehead, MA 01945.

Please indicate when purchasing a ticket if you will be bringing a lady guest so we can have an accurate count. Tickets must be reserved by February 7. No ticket sales will be made at the door.

**VALENTINE’S DAY SOCIAL and LADIES NIGHT**

**NOTE DATE AND LOCATION**

**Friday, February 13, 2015**



Giggles Comedy Club  
Prince Pizzeria  
517 Broadway – Rt. 1 South  
Saugus, MA



*A Valentine’s gift will be provided to all ladies in attendance.*

6:00 pm Doors Open – Social Period – Cash Bar

7:00 pm All you can eat Cheese Pizza

8:00 pm Comedy Show

**\$30.00 per ticket – Ladies free**

*Prospective Members and their ladies  
will be guests of the Valley*

Reserved ticket sales only. No tickets will be sold at the door.  
For reservations, please fill out the form below and return in the enclosed envelope, with your check to:

Jonathan Morley  
3 Peach Highlands  
Marblehead, MA 01945

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ TEL. NO. \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE RESERVE \_\_\_\_\_ TICKETS AT \$30.00 EACH \$ \_\_\_\_\_

NO. OF PROSPECTIVE CANDIDATES AND LADIES \_\_\_\_\_ 0.00

TOTAL ENCLOSED \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to the Valley of Salem. Reservation deadline 2/7/15 – there is a limit of 150 tickets which will be sold on a first come first served basis.

*The Scottish Rite  
Commitment to Education*

One of Freemasonry's fundamental principles is a belief in the importance of the educated mind. Freedom, understanding, and brotherhood are dependent upon our ability to reason effectively. That is why the Masonic Fraternity, and the Scottish Rite in particular, have long been committed to fostering the value of education.

At a time when the cost of higher education is increasing, the Scottish Rite wants to assist qualified and deserving students in attaining their educational and career goals through its scholarship program.

As part of Supreme Council Charities, the Education and Charity Fund Scholarship Program has now been expanded. It is anticipated that many more scholarships will be awarded each year to eligible and deserving students attending colleges and universities of their choice and studying subjects of their choice.

The Abbott Scottish Rite Scholarship Program is supported by gifts from members and friends of Scottish Rite Masons to the annual Blue Envelope Appeal.

*Eligibility Requirements*

Applicants for a scholarship must be children of Scottish Rite Masons. Or, they may be members of youth organizations sponsored by the Masonic Fraternity.

An applicant must be a graduate of a public or private secondary/preparatory school.

Application forms are only available through the Supreme Council on-line website: [www.supremecouncil.org](http://www.supremecouncil.org). Completed applications must be returned to the Valley Secretary in duplicate. The deadline for filing an application is April 1.

*The Amount of Scholarship Aid*

Both the number of scholarships granted each year and the actual amount of individual scholarships are dependent upon funds available. It is hoped, however, that individual grants will range from \$500 to \$1,000. The number in any state will be modest inasmuch as fifteen states and 110 Valleys are concerned.

*Supplemental Guide to  
Scottish Rite Scholarships*

*Massachusetts Council  
of Deliberation*

The following additional eligibility requirements are provided for guidance in applying for scholarship assistance in Massachusetts:

- Applicant must be enrolled as an undergraduate student.
- Scholarship recipients may reapply annually for additional undergraduate assistance in competition with all other annual applicants.
- The applicant and the father of the applicant who is a Massachusetts Scottish Rite Mason may reside outside the state.
- A transcript of record must be submitted with application along with a copy of SAT/Entrance Exam scores.
- A copy of parent's/guardian's most recent year federal tax return that includes gross family income (Form 1040 front section) must be included.
- Suggestions: Do not be limited by space. Give supporting data on family conditions – siblings in college – self-help – extra-curricular, church, and community activities, etc.

Applications must be submitted to the state Committee through the Valley where the Scottish Rite relative holds his Lodge of Perfection, 14°, membership. Members of Masonic youth organizations should apply through the Valley in which they reside. Scholarship award checks will be issued, to the recipient only, in two installments—the first at the time of the award, the second at the successful completion of the first semester or term. The Abbott Scottish Rite Scholarship Program is supported by gifts from members and friends of Scottish Rite Masons to the annual Blue Envelope Appeal.

**FROM THE HEADS OF THE BODIES**

**SUTTON LODGE  
OF  
PERFECTION**



Ill. Judson W. Greene, 33°  
*Thrice Potent Master*

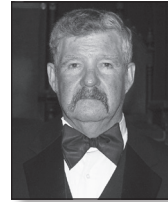
Ah winter, time for deep slumber and restoring ones' self for the rigorous renewal of spring life. But we on

the other hand continue to strive to better ourselves and to enlarge our numbers by different programs that help us get through the darkness of winter days and spring ahead into the spring and renewal of the year.

Come and enjoy our activities and carefully read the notices for upcoming meetings as they may be different. Hope all had wonderful holidays.

Jud

**JUBILEE COUNCIL  
PRINCES OF JERUSALEM**



Ray Randall, 32°  
*Sovereign Prince*

Brethren,

As we are in the middle of the Holiday season, with all the rush of family activities and travel, I was very pleased with the turn out at the November meeting.

Even though we didn't have a candidate, the Degree went very well.

Our next meeting will be in April. We will be performing the Sixteenth Degree in the old form. The first section will require more players. We are looking for more people to try out. We have candidates scheduled for the spring class and hope to add more.

Again, I thank you for your support of Jubilee Council and extend "Seasons Greetings". Happy Holidays to all.

Fraternally, Ray

**EMMANUEL CHAPTER  
OF  
ROSE CROIX**



Mason W. Russell, 32°  
*Most Wise Master*

My Dear Respectable Knights,

My, how time flies! It seems as though it was only yesterday I was writing to you regarding the installation of Officers and our Fall degree work... and now here it is, mere days before 2015 descends. I hope you and your families enjoy a safe, healthy, and prosperous New Year.

Our January and February events promise to be as enjoyable as ever. Our now-traditional January Membership Night will focus on "Strengthening Membership in Your Blue Lodge." We will welcome RW Scott Jareo (Chairman of the Grand Lodge Membership Development Committee) and Ill. Philip Drouin (Chairman of the Scottish Rite Membership

Committee in Massachusetts) for some insights and provocative discussion on what we, as Blue Lodge and Scottish Rite Masons, need to be doing to promote membership in our Fraternity. We'll have our usual fine buffet – free to prospective Masons or potential Valley of Salem candidates – and afterglow. This is an excellent opportunity to bring members of your lodge who might be considering Scottish Rite membership to see first-hand what we have in the Valley of Salem – and to learn something that will be of value to your lodge.

In February we will be returning to the Giggles comedy club in Saugus for our annual Valentine's Night with our spouses or significant others. Those who attended last year's event will tell you how much fun our special ones (and we) had. The pizza and beverages were great and the entertainment was even better. How can you beat a surprise appearance by Lenny Clarke? I can't guarantee we'll see Lenny this year, but you never know! The bigger the crowd, the more fun for all. Hope to see you there!

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## FROM THE SECRETARY



Charles Austin, 33<sup>°</sup>  
Secretary

Brethren,

Winter is here and your Valley is once again THE place to be. "I"'s are being dotted and "T"'s are being crossed, but what we hope will be an interesting program for you is being put together and times and places will appear elsewhere

is this missive, but please make yourself aware of what is out there for your enjoyment. For example, the event at the Comedy Club stated small, but has really grown as word has spread about the good times there. This year we could actually approach one hundred members and guests and that would be great! But remember that reservations are necessary. They will fit us in, but they need to know what size room we will need. I love you, my Brothers, but I really don't want you on my lap for the evening.

Lodges in the area should be raising candidates, so now is a really terrific time to invite new Master Masons to join us. You enjoy our get-togethers. Think of how much more pleasant they will be if more of your friends are with you. Contact me at Charlesa45@aol.com to request an application. It will be the best thing you can do for him.... and yourself! In January and February events are planned which will provide the perfect opportunity for them to meet us and for us to meet them. Also, Grand Lodge has a one-day class scheduled for March 7th in Boston (and in East Longmeadow as well for the more adventurous of you). Be there with a few applications in hand.

Once again it is time to apply for Abbott Scholarships. They are available for sons and daughters (only) of members of the Scottish Rite, and they must be seeking a college degree. Members themselves, of course, may also apply. Applications and instructions are available ONLY from the Supreme Council website ([www.scottishritenmj.org](http://www.scottishritenmj.org)). Remember that the application completed in its entirety according to the instructions must be in my hands no later than April 1, 2015. Send applications to my home – not to the Valley's Salem address. Good luck to you all.

This year there will be no one-day class for the Valley of Salem. In March Sutton Lodge of Perfection will be welcoming candidates, and this dovetails very nicely with the Grand Lodge's one-day class. New Masons generally are very interested in Further Light in Masonry and we, my Brothers, can provide that right away. In April and May, Jubilee Council and Emmanuel Chapter will move them along on their journey. Then in June, our Valley might very well be bringing the year to a resounding finale with a pleasant social event. Like I said above, "WHAT A VALLEY!"

Then, of course, there are the dues. If you received a dues bill from us in the last couple weeks, that is the third notice for the year we are now in. Please save yourself (and me) a lot of hassle by attending to that right away. Many of you have also recently received dues bills from the Valley of Boston for your membership in Massachusetts Consistory. Please don't confuse the two. Both are now payable. And if that isn't enough to confuse the heck out of you, around March 1, 2015 you will be receiving your first dues bill from us for the 2015-2016 year. It will be labeled as being for the 2016 year, but it is for the year which starts in 2015 and ends in 2016. We would really, really, really appreciate your prompt payment of that dues bill as well.

The leadership of the Valley of Salem is really working hard to make our Valley a place you will look forward to being. Your input will always be welcome. Of course, to truly see what suggestions you would like to make, you will have to be with us to see where we are. Personally, I don't care what the reason is, I just always look forward to seeing you down in the Valley.

Fraternally,  
Charles Austin, Secretary

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EMMANUEL CHAPTER *(continued from page 5)*  
Unlike past years, we will not be holding a One-Day Class in March. We will begin our Spring degree conferrals with Lodge of Perfection in March, followed by Princes of Jerusalem in April and Rose Croix in May. We are planning a Family Life event for June to close out the Masonic year. Stay tuned for more details.

## HELP WANTED

We are always looking for help with the internal workings of the Valley. If you have any interest in becoming involved with our Commisary team, Wardrobe, stage hands, sound or lighting, acting – both speaking and non-speaking parts, singing in the Choir, or if you have aspirations to become an Officer in any of our 3 bodies – please contact any of the Presiding Officers, and let them know of your interest.

## NEW WEB SITE

The Valley of Salem has a new web site. Please visit us at: [www.valleyofsalem.org](http://www.valleyofsalem.org).

## SUPREME COUNCIL NEWS

The Supreme Council has introduced their brand new web site. Get your Supreme Council information including Abbott Scholarship Applications at: [www.scottishritenmj.org](http://www.scottishritenmj.org).

## FACEBOOK HAS COME TO THE VALLEY OF SALEM

Come and be part of Facebook in the Valley of Salem. Search under "Scottish Rite Valley Of Salem" to find us.



## Living Past Thrice Potent Masters

Ill. : Robert P. Oatman, 33<sup>°</sup> Ill. : James M. McCulloch, II, 33<sup>°</sup>  
Ill. : Mark A. Ginsberg, 33<sup>°</sup> Ill. : Mark C. Lebeau, 33<sup>°</sup>  
Ill. : Judson W. Greene, 33<sup>°</sup>

## Living Past Sovereign Princes

Ill. : William R. Wiley, 33<sup>°</sup> Ill. : James M. McCulloch, II 33<sup>°</sup>  
Ill. : Philip F. Reed, 33<sup>°</sup> Ill. : John A. Truesdale, 33<sup>°</sup>, M.S.  
Ill. : John R. Blaney, 33<sup>°</sup> Bro. John F. Belanger, 32<sup>°</sup>  
Bro. Michael H. Burnham, 32<sup>°</sup>

## Living Past Most Wise Masters

Ill. : Clifton P. Elliott, 33<sup>°</sup> Ill. : George W. Smith, 33<sup>°</sup>, M.S.  
Ill. : J. Gregory A. Hill, 33<sup>°</sup> Ill. : John R. Elwell, 33<sup>°</sup>  
Bro. Robert L. Wade, 32<sup>°</sup>\* Bro. John H. Day, Jr., 32<sup>°</sup>  
Ill. : Donald M. Moran, 33<sup>°</sup> Bro. Todd P. Crane, 32<sup>°</sup>  
\* Demitted Member Bro. George K. Haile, 32<sup>°</sup>

## ALLEGIANCE

The Bodies of the Scottish Rite sitting in the Valley of Salem, Massachusetts, acknowledge and yield allegiance to the Supreme Council, 33<sup>°</sup>, Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction of the United States of America, whose Grand East is in the Town of Lexington, Massachusetts and whose officers are:

Ill. : John W. McNaughton, 33<sup>°</sup>, Sovereign Grand Commander  
Ill. : Donald M. Moran, 33<sup>°</sup>, Deputy for Massachusetts  
Ill. : Richard W. Elliot, 33<sup>°</sup>, Grand Treasurer General  
Ill. : James L. Tungate, 33<sup>°</sup>, Grand Secretary General

## Active Members for Massachusetts

Ill. : Donald M. Moran, 33<sup>°</sup>, Deputy for Massachusetts  
Ill. : Donald G. Hicks, Jr., 33<sup>°</sup>  
Ill. : Peter R. Smith, 33<sup>°</sup>  
Ill. : Robert L. Steadman, 33<sup>°</sup> Emeritus  
Ill. : Winthrop L. Hall, 33<sup>°</sup> Emeritus  
Ill. : C. William Lakso, 33<sup>°</sup> Emeritus  
Ill. : Robert W. Clarke, 33<sup>°</sup> Emeritus  
Ill. : Ralph I. Sewall, 33<sup>°</sup> Emeritus  
Ill. : Robert E. Godbout, Jr., 33<sup>°</sup> Emeritus

## Deputy's Representative – Valley of Salem

Ill. : James M. McCulloch, II, 33<sup>°</sup>

## IMPORTANT NOTICE

The Illustrious Deputy for Massachusetts has directed that all members be required to show their 2014 membership cards on entering the Lodge Room.

## SUTTON LODGE OF PERFECTION

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Evangelos Liapis, 32° ..... Senior Warden

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Donald Ryan, 32°, MSA.. Captain of the Guard Emeritus

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Timothy G. Loring, 32° ..... Senior Warden

Timothy J. Doane, 32° ..... Junior Warden

Charles D. Phipps, 32° ..... Captain of the Guard

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Jonathan W. Palermo, 32° R.K. Master of Ceremonies

Shaun J. Flanagan, 32° ..... R.K. Captain of the Guard

Matthew Munafo, 32° ..... R.K. Pursuivant

Joshua Goodwin, 32° ..... Substitute Officer

Donald Ryan, 32°, MSA..... Substitute Officer

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### ALL THREE BODIES

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Ill. John R. Elwell, 33° ..... Treasurer

## APPOINTED OFFICERS

### ALL THREE BODIES

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Glover F. Broughton, 32°, M.S..... Commissary

Donald W. Grant, 32°, M.S..... Commissary

David L. Cross, 32°, M.S..... Master of Wardrobe

Wayne Anderton, 32° ..... Tyler

## VALLEY OF SALEM

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2014

#### Amity-Mosaic, Danvers

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#### Golden Fleece Lodge, Lynn

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#### William Sutton Lodge, Saugus

If you would like to participate as an ambassador or

as an assistant in our program, call Don Moran at

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