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Happy New Year



Hot Roast Chicken Dinner



That's what's on order for the dinner planned for our 1st Stated Meeting of 2010. Show up at 6 pm for a Fantastic Hot Roast Chicken Dinner with Mashed Potatoes, Gravy & Green Beans, with creamy Cole Slaw.



**Robert Burns
Masonic Lodge #97
AF&AM**

541-573-2220

Calendar of Events

January 2010

4 January
Officers Meeting 6:00 pm

(Chicken dinner will be served)

4 January
Stated Meeting 7:00 pm

Good of the Order



When doubts and fears are growing
It's hard to keep going
From day to day not knowing
Just what the end will be
Take each day as you find it
If things go wrong don't mind it
For each day leaves behind it
A chance to start anew.



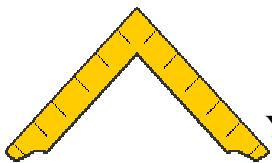
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Robert Burns Masonic Lodge
No. 97 AF&AM
P.O. Box 997
Burns, OR 97720



FROM THE EAST

Greetings Brethren,



I hope everyone had a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year! For those of you who don't recognize my name, let me tell you a little about myself. I have been a Master Mason since 2000, I was raised in Bend Lodge #139. In 2001, I joined the Baker Valley Scottish Rite, in 2006 we moved to Burns and I joined Robert Burns Lodge. I have been married to my wife Sheila for 21 wonderful years and we have one daughter, Ashley.

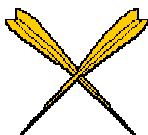
I would like to say that the Brothers here in Burns are the BEST!!! You accepted me as one of your own, right from the beginning. Now that I have told you a little about myself, I would like to learn more about you, my Brothers. I know "THE" several Brothers that attend lodge on a regular basis, I also know that there are more of "US" out there and I really want to meet and get to know you!

From my attendance at Lodge these last couple of years, it is more than obvious that, not only "I" need your help, but the Lodge NEEDS you!!!!!!!!!!!! I don't want to be the last Master of Robert Burns Lodge. As my predecessor, WB Beau said, without you, the missing Brothers, our Lodge is doomed. Right now, our most pressing need is that of "Junior Warden". From the openings in the list of elected and appointed Officers, herein, you can see what dire straights we are in! So please stop on by and visit with us.

In November, the Lodge voted to change our By-Laws to hold only one (1) meeting per month. In December, it was approved by the Grand Master. The meeting, generally, lasts about an hour. I plan on having a dinner before every meeting, along with some entertainment for our wives/family while we are in our meeting. Let's make Lodge interesting & FUN again.

I would like to leave you with one question, "What is the best night or day & time for our meetings that will serve our members and their families?" It could be that a Saturday morning breakfast followed by our Lodge meeting would serve more of us better. Please help me answer this question, call me (after 3 pm) at 541-573-1730 or email me at scott.shaw66@yahoo.com. I hope to see you all at our next meeting.

Fraternally, Scott Shaw, Worshipful Master



From the Secretary's Pen

Just a reminder about payment of dues. There are some who are about to be dropped for non-payment of dues. Please send dues payment to **WB Bill Quier, P.O. Box 1001, Hines, OR 97738**

WB Bill Quier, Secretary

Events & Activities

Lodge Officers - 2010

Worshipful Master	Scott H. Shaw
Senior Warden	WB Beau Boyd
Junior Warden	Open
Secretary	WB Bill Quier
Treasurer	WB Ken Mulenex
Senior Deacon	WB John Wurst
Junior Deacon	Open
Senior Steward	Open
Junior Steward	Open
Marshal	Open
Chaplain	WB Dale Eggleston
Tyler	Jim Gardner
Historian	WB Dale Eggleston

You will notice that there is one elected & several appointed positions open...Help is needed. Please call, WM Scott Shaw & see how you can help!

541-573-1730 (After 3 pm)

Email: scott.shaw66@yahoo.com

Sincere & Fraternal Thanks

On Behalf of the members of Robert Burns Masonic Lodge #97, I would like to thank, most sincerely, **Most Worshipful Past Grand Master Lyle Logan, WB John Pinckney & WB Carl King** for their outstanding assistance with our 2010 Officers Installation.

Scott Shaw, WM

LODGE INFORMATION

MASONIC LODGE

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Junior Warden	OPEN	

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Secretary	Bill Quier, PM	541-573-2588
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Senior Deacon	John Wurst, PM	907-314-0822
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Junior Deacon	OPEN	

Chaplain	Dale Eggleston, PM	541-573-3833
	<i>Snail Mail</i>	
Marshal	OPEN	

Senior Steward	OPEN
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Junior Steward	OPEN
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Tyler	Jim Gardner	541-573-7404
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Historian	Dale Eggleston, PM	541-573-3833

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

President	Scott Shaw	541-573-1730
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TEMPLE BOARD

President	OPEN
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AFFILIATED BODIES

HARNEY COUNTY SHRINE CLUB

President	Bill Quier	541-573-2588
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Chaplain's Corner

It is with a sad heart that we report, WB Richard (Dick) Tabor, one of Robert Burns Masonic Lodge's most faithful, loyal and dedicated Life Members, passed away on December 22nd 2009. His funeral and a Military Service was held on Monday, December 28th in Burns at the Church of the Nazarene. Words cannot totally describe what a loss this is to our community, our Lodge and especially his family; to whom we offer our most profound condolences.