# Cornerstone #157 February 2017 Trestleboard

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## From the East

For the past few years, we as a Lodge have excelled in our ritual work, activities, and fellowship. The upcoming year will be another great year for the Brethren of



Cornerstone as we set our sights on achieving the goals I have set forth. The first will naturally lead us to the second, the Advanced Proficiency Award for the exemplification of the ritual. We work so diligently to attain near perfection in every degree we perform by continuously practicing our individual parts so we can be that much better as a unified Lodge. Our dedication to the ritual has lead us to victory in the 2016 Ritual Competition, and our efforts will help us in our pursuit of maintaining last year's achievement. It will be a tough task to win two years in a row and the competition is fierce. Many Lodges are coming for our trophy and we need to practice until it's perfect if we are to keep our trophy.

We have a lot of work to do this year, and I am looking to get an early start on these achievements. We have a great group of men from all walks of life who have proven time and time again that we are the Cornerstone of Excellence in Oregon Masonry. I look forward to seeing you every Monday evening for ritual and fellowship

### WM Scott Pittman 541-231-4096

#### Christina Court #8

Christina Court is nearing completion of another year. Sometimes it is hard to look back and summarize what has been accomplished because it seems we just



show up at our meetings and then go home. But given that other Courts have consolidated with other Courts, I believe that Christina has accomplished a lot. We are still in operation and continue to have the support of many members. While we have acquired members from other Courts it will give us the opportunity to be stronger and have more people to support our efforts in the Grand scheme of things which is to support Diabetes Research. SK Doug and I do appreciate all that each and every member has to offer and our continued efforts to help where each of us is able. Keep up the good work members of Christina Court and we will move forward to another successful year.

RM Patty Neilsen 503-257-0367 RP Doug Neilsen

#### Bethel #1

Thank you for everyone who attended our Installation on January 19<sup>th</sup> – it means a lot to us to have the support. Alice Erickson is our



Honored Queen again this term and we are excited about some up coming meetings. We are a bit smaller at this time, and we are looking for any interested girls ages from 10-20 who might be interested in our group. We will be having some regular meetings where we were our robes and do our ritual work and then there will be meetings that we will have a more casual get together time. Please call our guardian Kathy Wentz Phelps or our Associate Guardian Mr. Gardes if you have any questions.

#### Jobie Love, HQ Alice Erickson BG Kathy Wentz-Phelps 503-997-9328 ABG Brian Gavdis -- 503-840-4836

#### Mt. Hood DeMolay

I would like to thank the members of Cornerstone Lodge and all other guests for attending Mt.



Hood DeMolay's Installation of Officers on Friday the 20<sup>th</sup> of January. We are looking to have a term filled with fun activities and prospect events to increase our membership and bring the comradeship of DeMolay to others.

One of our goals is to work more closely with other Masonic bodies, both youth and adult.

Come Join us 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday MC Andrew Gannaway DA Jeff Gannaway 503-753-4122



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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2 Bethel #1 7pm	<b>3</b> Christina #8 O of A Dinner 6 PM Meeting 7:00PM	4 CDR Church
5	6 Open Lodge 8-10 AM Officer meeting Cornerstone 7PM	7 Girl Scouts	8	9	10	11
12	13 Open Lodge 8-10 AM Cornerstone 157 Dinner 6:30 Stated 7:30 PM	14 Mt Hood DeMolay Government day 7:30 PM	15	16 Bethel #1 7pm	17 Trestleboard Articles due	18 CDR Church
19	20 Open Lodge 8-10 AM Cornerstone Degree practice	21 Girl Scouts	22	23	24	25
26	27 Open Lodge 8-10 AM Cornerstone Degree practice	28 Mt Hood DeMolay Patriots day 7:30 PM				

Call Tom Barclay at 503-936-9638 to schedule meetings & events.

I don't believe in being serious about anything. I think life is too serious to be taken seriously." <u>Ray Bradbury</u>

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