

Saint James Lodge No. 102 F&AM

77 Tide Mill Road, Hampton NH Mail To: P.O. Box1202 Hampton, NH 03842 Meets on *3rd* Thursdays Jan-Jun and Sep-Dec,

February 2025 TrestleBoard

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From the East

Greetings all.

Be patient, Spring is just around the corner! The February Stated Meeting is a Flannel Shirt night! Thank you very much to Wor. Bro. Rich Elliot for his informative and insightful presentation about the Scottish Rite Museum and Library. Wor. Bro. Elliot (relliot@srmml.org) is the current Executive Director and invites everyone to explore and experience the facilities.

(The Museum and Library) ..." tells the story of Freemasonry and Fraternalism in the context of American History"..."aiming to be the "Historical Society" of American freemasonry ". There are many various historical and Masonic collections and artifact exhibits, some dating back to the 1600's and the early days of the Americas including the American Revolutionary War era. Established in 1975, 2025 is their 50th Anniversary Celebration year!! Visit and help celebrate! Visit their website at: www.srmml.org Visit the Museum facilities at: 33 Marrett Road Lexington, MA. 02421 781-861-6559 Mon - Fri 9:00a-4:00p daily (& Some Saturdays check their schedule) Visit, Become a Member, Donate. Again, thank you Wor. Bro. Elliot.

Remember wear your Cleanest Flannel Shirt at the Stated Meeting February 20, 2025 ! See you then ! Wor. Bro. Tim Simpson

From the West

Hello Brethren,

We will be having beef stew for our February Stated meeting. We will also be having a Valentines/ St. Patrick's day dinner on Saturday February 22, at 4:00-6:00 pm open to our Special Ladies, Masonic Members and family and friends. The dress will be casual but you can certainly dress up if you prefer. There will be pictures being taken if you wish. We will be having Beef Tenderloin, Pork Tenderloin, Roasted Carrots, Roasted Potatoes, Salad and French Fries and Chicken Fingers for the kids and Desserts. Come and enjoy an evening of fun and friendship! Please RSVP Ben or Ray to reserve a seat. Tickets for Adults \$10.00 and Special Ladies and kids are free.

Contact Ben Delorge at <u>benjamindelorge@gmail.com</u> or call or text 603-770-0952

Contact Ray Gamble at gambini1@comcast.net or call or text to 603-686-2317

You can bring your significant other to the stated meeting dinner anytime. If you plan on attending any of the meals please let me know with the above contact info. We would like to have a rough head count for each meal.

We meet for breakfast every Tuesday at 8:00 am at the Ginger and Clove Restaurant on Rt. 1 in Hampton for conversation, a few great stories, and some joking around and we always have a good time.

Please join us and support the Fraternity.

Have a great month and we hope to see you at the Lodge.

Ray Gamble Sr. Warden

"Not just a man a Mason"

Secretary's Desk

Brethren,

Make a resolution this year to attend a lodge function. You will not be disappointed. Please be part of the activities. As always if you need anything please reach out

Thank You, Br. Jeffrey Brown Secretary, St. James Lodge email:<u>102secretary@nhgrandlodge.org</u>

This time of year, is an important for many persons in setting goals and resolutions for the year to come. What kind of goals have you set for yourself in the lodge? Is there a particular piece of ritual that you would like to learn? Are you researching Masonic history for writing an article? Is your goal to be a more active lodge member? Is there a friend that you will talk to about becoming a Freemason?

there is always a trusty brother waiting to assist you. Perhaps you are that brother that will be asked to assist. One of our purposes is to make good men better. I can't think of any better way to do this than helping another brother.



BE AN ACTIVE MEMBER

Be an active member, the kind that would be missed; Don't be just contented That your name is on the list. Do attend the meetings And mingle with the crowd; Don't stay at home And crab both long and loud. Don't leave the work for just a few And gripe about the clique. And take time out to visit A member who is sick. There is quite a program scheduled That means success, if done, And it can be accomplished With the help of everyone. So, attend the meetings regularly And help with hand and heart, Be an active member And take an active part. Think this over, Member Are we right or are we wrong? Be an active member. Please don't just belong

Upcoming Events in Feb, For Your Calendar

4 Gideon Stated #84 Stated 6pm
5 St. Johns Stated 6pm
6 MajGen John Sullivan Stated 6:30
10 St. Andrews #56 Stated 6pm
11 Rockingham #76 Stated 7:30pm
13 Star in the East #59 Stated 7pm
17 Presidents Day
20 Saint James #102 Stated 6pm
20 St. Johns Stated 6pm
22 Gideon, Ham & Bean Supper 4:00pm
25 Tucker #99 Stated 630pm
27 Masters Class, Star in the East 6:30pm

Sickness and Distress: If you know of a member of Saint James Lodge who is in sickness or distress, please contact the Worshipful Master.

Transportation: If you need a ride to attend lodge, please call the Worshipful Master. He will be happy to make the arrangements. If you attend our Lodge regularly, thank you. If you can't climb the steps to our Lodge Room, we have an elevator for you No steps needed

We're On The Internet: Please Like and Follow us at facebook.com/stjameslodge. For District 1 web calendar and news, visit NHGrandLodge.org. (FYI, potential candidates anywhere in the USA should check out NotJustAMan.org and BeAFreemason.org.)

February 2025 Masonic Birthdays

Alick C. Eaton Jr.	17 Years
Paul Kelley	24
John "Jack" Murray SR	56
Elliot Stevens	69
Cortland "Chip" Stiles	23
Robert Woodes	47

Total238 Years

Anyone living far away can stay in touch with Brethren – just send the Secretary a note to share. Or let him know if you want to contact a brother

Saint James Lodge 2024 Officers

Wor. Master	Br. Timothy Simpson	603-918-7327
Sr. Warden	Br. Raymond A Gamble	603-686-2317
Treasurer	Br. Benjamin DeLorge	603-xxx-xxxx
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Secretary	Br. Jeffrey M. Brown	603-944-0123
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Herald	Br. Jason E. Bowley Sr.	603-474-7374
Historian	Br. Nathan G Page	
Electrician	Br. Richard Donahue	
Tyler	Br. Richard Douillette	603-395-7765



Honorary Past Masters of Saint James Lodge No. 102 *1989 Allen L. Knight - *1993 John B. Fowler - *1997 Elmer L. Dalrymple, *1999 David R. Chevalier - *2025 Richard W. Cooper (*-Deceased) **Past Masters of Saint James Lodge**

*1960-61 Robert H. Danelson	1079 Joromy L Souwor	1006 Harvoy R.S. Wohbor	*2015 Thomas S. Tuttle
	1978 Jeremy J. Sawyer	1996 Harvey B.S. Webber	2015 monas 5. ruttie
*1962 Clifford H. Eastman	1979 Arthur M. Brown	1997 John A. Ring	2016 Brent A. Maxwell
*1963 Perley R. George	*1980 Glyn P. Eastman	1998 Richard W. Ingram	2017, 2018 Alan E. Jones
*1964 Robert N. Penney	1981 Vernon K. Hale	1999 Manfred P. Muscara	2019 Brad K. Bick
*1965 Nulland E. Mahar	1982 Gordon E. Heal	*2000 Paul S. Cuetara	2020,2021 Jonathan A. Austin
*1966 Warren K. Sawyer	*1983 Roger P. Garland	2001-02 Robert M. Schreier	1995, 2022 Nathan G. Page
*1967 Lester B. Tobey	1984 Robert H. Woodes	2003 Robert M. Marzinzik	2023, Jeffrey M. Brown
*1968 A. Roland Bragg	1985 Richard W. Elliot	*2004 Edward J. Hess, Jr.	2024, 2025 Timothy D. Simpson
*1969 Richard B. Chevalier	*1986 Roger M. Clark	2005 Paul M.P. Kelley	
*1970 Malcolm Graves, Sr	*1987 Roy R. Crossland	2006 Lawrence A. Poliquin, Sr	
*1971 Oliver L. Carter, Sr.	*1988 David J. Lamprey, Sr.	*2007 Robert W. Drinwater	
*1972 Byron F. Marshall, Jr	*1989 Ervin M. Pickering	*2008 James B. Motley	
*1973 Alexander R. Cacciola	1990 Leo E. Provencher	*2009 Thomas S. Tuttle	
*1974 William I. Elliot	*1991 Andrew F. Hirst	*2010 John K. Martin	
*1975 Harold E. Fernald	1992 Timothy D. Simpson	*2011 Kenneth W. Zahrndt	
*1976 John W. Donaldson	*1993 Theodore F. Clark, Sr.	2012 & 2014 Alan E. Jones	
*1977 David R. Jefferson	*1994 David H. Williams	2013 Kaleb R. Brown	

Secretary P.O. Box 1202 Hampton, NH 03842

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