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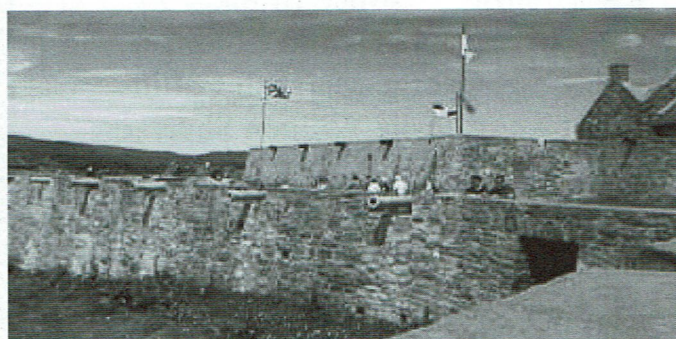
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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2010

We will confer the 4th, 10th, 14th, and 20th Degrees
at either

Fort Ticonderoga in Ticonderoga or the
Fort William Henry in Lake George
Further information will be forth coming!

(Visit our Website or Facebook for additional information)



**32° Masonic Learning Centers
for Children, Inc.**

**Date:
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2010**

WALK
TO HELP CHILDREN WITH DYSLEXIA

"THE CROSSINGS PARK" - Albany-Shaker Road, Colonie, NY
(Additional information is available inside)

NEW YORK STATE COUNCIL OF DELIBERATION

The bodies of the Scottish Rite, sitting in the Valley of Albany, State of New York acknowledge and yield allegiance to the Supreme Council, 33°, Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction of the United States of America, whose Grand East is in Lexington, Massachusetts and who officers are:

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Necrology 2009-2010

During the months of 2010, we have been notified of the passing of these Brothers.

Frederick Clifford Hilliker

George Frederick Dott

Louis Anthony Olson, Jr.

Douglas Dubois Haight

George Elmer Broom

Robert Cornelius Lutz

Charles Ira Clarkson

Russell Pearce

Everett James Crossman

George Edward Ham

Irving Levine

Arlington Brooks

Gustave Karl Diener

Harry Jeremiah Nelson

Bruce Brunk

David Harold Goldman

George Marshall Catlin

Leslie William Short

*Let us keep their families in our
thoughts and prayers:*

Hospitaler Notes

If any brother knows of a brother or family member who is in distress or in need of our aid or sympathy, or you would like to make a donation to the Hospitaler Fund, please contact

Donald H. Blake

3225 New Scotland Road,

Voorheesville, NY 12186-4333

(518) 253-9291

Albany Sovereign Consistory



A Message from your Commander in Chief

Sublime Princes:

Recent Scottish Rite leadership conferences and articles have taught us the concept of "ICE" which stands for Inspiration, Convenience, and Enjoyment. I was asked recently to comment on the success we have had promoting these ideas and, upon reflection, I am proud to report that ICE is alive and well in the Valley of Albany. Actually, I believe we have always conducted our affairs in Albany relying on ICE. We just didn't know the acronym.

INSPIRATION

We strive to inspire our members by planning interesting programs at our regular joint meetings. In this way, the members know they are not traveling to Albany for just a business meeting. If everyone knows the Officers will be present and prepared for the meeting which will include a well planned program, they are inspired to attend. Of course, having a light meal before the meeting and/or collation after the meeting further inspires participation. This past year we have seen member participation increase by approximately 20-30%. As an example, we enjoyed a Saturday evening Testimonial Dinner for our newest MSA and 33rd Degree recipients with 75 members and guests in attendance. Also, there were more than 35 members present at our Annual Meeting. We held our first 32nd Degree Banquet on June 19th after the conferral of the Consistorial Degrees. This banquet was an open affair where the wives, children, and guests presented their new Sublime Prince with his black hat and AASR lapel pin. This innovation appeared to inspire enthusiastic participation from everyone in attendance. Finally, our recent addition of the Knights of the Double Eagle and Knights of St. Andrew units have been very popular

among our members who enjoy wearing Scottish regalia and receiving gold tone jewels. The one hundred participants of the Knights of the Double Eagle receive points for participation in Valley events and functions. This year we were the first Valley in the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction to knight our first nine Knights of the Double Eagle. There are now two additional Valleys that have been inspired by the Valley of Albany to institute this innovation.

CONVENIENCE

Convenience is a little harder for the Valley of Albany since we meet in the Albany Masonic Hall where parking can be an issue. However, arrangements have been made to have inside parking at an adjacent garage at a discounted fee which makes this less of an issue. Additionally, we have tried to conduct our Reunions over several days so the candidates and participants do not have to try to assimilate all of the degrees in one day. As you will notice from reviewing the 2010-2011 Trestle Board contained in this edition, this year we plan to conduct one set of degree conferrals throughout the year at various locations that will culminate with the Consistory Degrees and the Second Annual 32nd Degree Banquet. It is my hope that this schedule will make the degree process more enjoyable for everyone. In the same way as last year, meals and collation will be provided so that attending meetings and Valley events will be more convenient for members who are not able to go home or eat out before joining us. Finally, we will institute a better and timelier way to communicate with our members so that remembering when Valley meetings and functions are scheduled will be easier. In this manner, we can also better allocate our limited time and resources. I believe adequate and timely communication is critical to making our lives more ordered and attendance at meetings and Valley events more convenient.

ENJOYMENT

Finally, it is my belief that the natural result of inspiration and convenience is

enjoyment. All of the above-referenced innovations are intended to make participation in Scottish Rite Masonry more enjoyable for our members, degree candidates, and potential degree candidates. The feedback I have received from many of our members is that they like what we are doing and look forward to attending Valley functions. We have members who regularly travel great distances to attend meetings, Reunions, and special events. In addition, more of our senior members have decided to join us. At our 2010 Annual Meeting, I was pleased to share my dinner table with five Sublime Princes who have an average membership of approximately 40 years. I can honestly say that everyone enjoyed themselves and were pleased to show their support.

You have all heard me preach that our Valley is on the cusp of greatness. Through your help and support I believe we are well on our way to achieving this goal. The efforts we have taken this past year have accomplished our initial goal of energizing the members of the Valley by reminding them why they joined AASR and giving them a reason to come home again. This coming year we will concentrate on innovative changes that will include presenting degrees in "remote locations" in our Valley that are closer to where our newer members live. We can all be very proud that our efforts will ensure that the oldest Valley in Scottish Rite Masonry will enjoy many more successful years.

Thank you for your help and support. I look forward to serving you again this year as Commander-in-Chief. If you have any questions, comments or concerns about the foregoing, or anything else for that matter, please feel free to contact me at (518) 283-1168 (h); (518) 301-3264 (cell); or scottydawg2000@aol.com.

Sincerely and Fraternally,
John W. Scott, 32nd Degree, MSA
Commander-in-Chief,
Valley of Albany

Rose Croix

**A Message from you
Most Wise Master**

My Brothers,

I would like to tell you the reason that I accepted the position of Most Wise Master.

In 2006, a very dear friend, Bob Powers and I went through the Scottish Rite degrees in Albany. Bob was asked to serve as the exemplar for the degree of Rose Croix. After the degree, I saw a difference in Bob. He seemed to be calm and relaxed and was at peace.

A year later, Bob passed away from cancer. He had his wife, Linda, promise that she would attend the annual Feast of the Paschal Lamb. I escorted Linda to the Lodge in Albany, where the Feast of the Paschal Lamb took place. The ceremony was beautifully done.

Brother John Scott presented Linda with a bouquet of red roses. This was so touching. At that moment, the Chapter of Rose Croix found its place in my heart.

I encourage all my Brothers, their family members, and friends to attend the next Feast of the Paschal Lamb April 17. I hope that you will get the same feeling I got.

So my Brothers, this is why Rose Croix is so important to me. I thank you for allowing me to serve.

Sincerely and Fraternally,
Richard Hundertmark
Most Wise Master

Council, Princes of Jerusalem

**A Message from you
Sovereign Prince**

To All Princes of Jerusalem,

Greetings! I hope this finds you well and that you all had an enjoyable summer.

Let me start by first extending my sincere appreciation and gratitude for electing me to serve as your Sovereign Prince for the 2010-2011 calendar year. I hope that I can live up to your expectations and do justice to those who have held this office prior to myself.

This year is going to be a good year, and hope that you will all come out to the Fall Reunion to see that kick off. One thing that I would encourage all of you to do is take an active role in the Valley and any Degrees you can help out with if it is in your power to do so. We can always use more help to make the message the degrees are trying to convey as pertinent as possible to the candidates. I would also like to encourage you to take time to visit other Valleys in the Jurisdiction to see how they put on degrees, as we are always looking to extend the hand of friendship and brotherly love and to constantly improve ourselves as a Valley.

I would also remind you that aside from the joy you get just by being at a normal meeting or Reunion, if you enroll in the Knights of the Double Eagle program you will be awarded with points towards a jewel for your

participation. There are a number of Brothers who wear this jewel already and I can say from personal experience, we are quite proud of them. Remember too, that the Knights of St. Andrew are always taking applications for Knighthood, and you can get more information on the Order by talking to me or the current Venerable Master of the Order, Eric Benson.

Again my brothers, I encourage your participation and attendance throughout the year, and am looking forward to seeing you all. I extend my congratulations to the other elected and appointed officers in all of the bodies in our Valley. May you all have a healthy and prosperous year.

Sincerely and Fraternally,
Drew A. Millier
Sovereign Prince

Lodge of Perfection

**A Message from our
Thrice Potent Master**

Greetings Sublime Princes,

I'm honored to be elected to the office of Thrice Potent Master of the Ineffable Grand Lodge of Perfection of the State of New York for the upcoming year. This is the oldest Scottish Rite Lodge in the United States dating back to 1767 and will be 250 years old in the year 2017.

In the up coming year, I would like to improve the lines of communication for all members, especially the newly raised brothers. This would help us to encourage larger turnouts at our degree ceremonies and events. I believe this will increase the awareness of the award program of the Knight of the Double Eagle for member participation and encourage members to join our honor guard The Knights of St. Andrews

Fraternally
William Carlucci
Thrice Potent Master

New Sublime Princes - Spring, 2010

Brandon J. Lachterman
Ralph J. Van Etten
Ralph W. Hill
Paul J. Casavant

Richard J. Frank
Mark A. Scarselli
Anton A. Konev
Lance A. Wang

We welcome these new members into our Valley.

“Secretary’s Notes”

My Brothers,

This past year, we inducted sixteen new members during 2009-2010. The Spring Reunion was held over three days. The first two were held in April in more traditional form when we conducted the Lodge, Council, and Chapter degrees. We held the Consistorial degrees on June 19, followed by the presentation of Black hats to the new initiates, and ended with a family banquet. You will note changes in the degree schedule for the coming year in the schedule printed in this newsletter.

We witnessed an exemplification of the Lincoln degree and a drama about a fictional trial of George Washington by the British while at COD. COD is an excellent training tool for degree work and a great opportunity to socialize with members from all the Valleys in the state. We have made progress, in our degree work, but can do more and increase the level of enjoyment for our initiates, our members, and the cast. We must develop our programs and conduct our meetings to make them inspirational, convenient, and enjoyable for our members.

You have received your 2011 dues statement. Please note that we are asking for your e-mail address if you have one. Please enter that address on the return portion of your dues statement. We communicate with our members by written and electronic communications and we need your current address in order to do so. Supreme Council is again allowing members to participate in the “One Cause” program to earn credits to partially offset your dues by shopping for your routine needs through www.onecause.com.

The response to the call for dues this past year was very good. We had fewer demits and most who asked to demit, did so after paying up their dues. I hope members will continue that practice this year. Please be aware that the books in Supreme Council close on June 15 of each year. After that date, demits cannot be granted if there are

any dues owed for that or the prior year. The Constitution of the Supreme Council requires suspension for non-payment of dues after **one year in arrears**.

Your Valley is a member of “Masons On Line” or MOL. Masons on Line is a web based service to Masonic groups in the Capital area and beyond. It is a terrific communication tool for sharing with and communicating among our members. It allows organizations to avoid scheduling conflicts and allows members to see all activities planned for the future. Members can r.s.v.p. for dinners and even see who else has reserved. It allows for the printing of address labels by presiding officers. Please contact see the accompanying article about MOL elsewhere in this issue of the Rite Light.

**Sincerely and Fraternally,
Michael D. Derry, 33°
Secretary, Valley of Albany**

Every member of Scottish Rite in the area can become a member of this organization by making a annual donation of \$25.00. Please make checks payable to Capital Region Scottish Rite Charities, Inc. and mail your check to:

**Mr. Michael G. Angiolillo
18 Lincoln Street
Granville, N.Y. 12832**

Once your checks arrive, you will receive a dues card and be added to the membership list to be notified when and where the meetings will be held.

Please include your name, address, telephone number and email address. We need the help from everyone in this region to make this project a reality.

CAN'T YOU PLEASE HELP!



**Capital Region
Scottish Rite Charities, Inc.**

This is to certify that

_____ Is a member in good standing
having paid his dues for the year 2011

Secretary

“One Cause”

Many of you may have noticed three options for giving on your 2011 dues statement. Two are well known: Blue Envelope Appeal which supports the Abbott Scholarship Award program, and Child Learning Centers (CLC) which supports existing or soon-to-be learning centers for Children with Dyslexia. The third option, “One Cause” is not really a charity except for Life and Senior Exempt members who owe no dues. Any monies allocated to that fund are returned to the Valley for allocation to the Hospitaler's Fund.

Regular members may use the One Cause program to gradually offset their annual dues. To offset dues, go to the Supreme Council web site: www.SupremeCouncil.org and click on “Members Center”. Once on the page entitled “Membership Services”, scroll down to “One Cause”. Click on One Cause and a page will open, giving an explanation of the program. The icons for the merchants and vendors that appear on the page represent those who have agreed to participate in the Supreme Council program. Through the purchase of their products and/or services on line, a percentage of the cost is put into an account and applied to your dues at the end of the year. A member must first establish an account through Supreme Council and then refer to that account when making on line purchases through our network of merchants.

While on the Supreme Council web page, visit the other programs being offered by Supreme Council. We have announced many of these services at meetings and reunions in our valley over time, but the web site presents them all in one place with an explanation of each.

Stay tuned, the name will soon be changing but the benefits will remain and be even better

Looking for a Petition. Visit:
<http://www.valleyofalbany.aasrmasonry.us/Petition.pdf>

<http://deltabodies.org/Petition-Troy.pdf>

Masons On Line (MOL)

During 2009, the Valley of Albany began a subscription to Masons on Line. Masons On Line is a password protected database that serves the needs of many Masonic organizations in the Capital Region, including Cyprus Shrine and Sigma Bodies.

Access to MasonsOnLine.org

Access to the site is restricted to members of participating organizations by use of a username and password requirement through the web page www.masonsonline.org. Once on the web page, type your username and password in the boxes that will appear on the first page (they are not case sensitive).

URL: www.masonsonline.org

Username: (last name and initials of first and middle name)

Password: (use the PW you will be given by the Secretary)

Once logged on to the web site, click on the *Display Group Info* menu item to display lists of the various groups within an organization..

Use the *Change Group* submenu button to change groups. For example, you will find the *Albany AASR* organization under *Masonic Organizations, Scottish Rite Valley*.

Click on the *Albany AASR* menu item, then click on *Valley Members*. You will find your name listed along with all the other members of the Valley.

Use the *Display Events Info* button to display a calendar of upcoming events and use the *Change Org List* to include all (participating) organizations. Check the box of each organization you wish to view.

For more information on an event, click on the event. If an event has an r.s.v.p., click on that event to reserve your place. Experiment with the menu options. Always click on menu items. Never use the "back" key.

Once you are familiar with MOL, the Secretary/Administrator for the Valley will send you a more complete set of instructions on using MOL.

"Re-Member The Blue Lodge Program".

You may not be aware of this program since it was introduced a few years ago. This is a program that is meant to say "Thank You" to any members of the Scottish or York Rite that has been a first line signer of a petition for any New York Blue Lodge member. Once the new initiate has been raised as a Master Mason, the Rite member who is a first line signer is encouraged to secure an application for this recognition from his Valley Secretary and forward it to the Lodge Secretary who will fill in the appropriate information. We have several applications in process at this time. If you have sponsored a new member within the past two years, you may use the form below to initiate the process.



Greetings Fellow Knights and Sublime Princes,

I hope this finds you all well and that you all enjoyed the summer recess. The time is upon us to restart our Masonic engines and return to our respective labors. I am excited to report the Order of the Knights of St. Andrew is taking off and gaining popularity, not only in our Valley, but throughout the Jurisdiction as well. I hope you are all as proud of this as I am. I would like to extend a hearty congratulations to all of our newest Knights and to Dave Barkstedt, for his appointment to

Congratulations To
Brother Daniel Kelley
on receiving his
M.S.A. Award
at Council of Deliberation in
Liverpool on July 24, 2010.
A reception in his honor will
be announced at a later date.

Honorary Charter Member for being the first squire to be knighted in our Valley's Order! We are still taking petitions for the Knights and encourage all of you to join. We have a lot of fun and we look good too! Don't forget to attend as many functions as you can this season, as I am sure Bob Fickies would love to have more Knights of the Double Eagle in his ranks as well. I would also like to point out that the Valley of Albany has a Facebook page now and anyone on Facebook is welcome to join. I will also be making a similar Page for the Knights of St. Andrew as well in the near future. Please contact myself or our Venerable Master Eric Benson for more info. The Facebook pages will have all of the dates and times for all functions for both the Valley of Albany and the Valley of Troy. Please let me know if there is something missing that you notice as well so I can fix any problems that may arise quickly. Again congrats to all of the Officers in line for the 2010-2011 year and we look forward to seeing you at upcoming valley functions.

Sincerely and Fraternally,

Drew A. Milier

Secretary KOSA, CVM

On behalf of Eric Benson, Venerable Master KOSA

Capital Region Scottish Rite Charities

My Brothers:

The Capital Region Scottish Rite Charities, Inc. is a Not-for-Profit organization that was formed to help aid and support the formation of a Learning Center for Dyslexic Children in the tri-county region.

We have been working very hard and have located a facility in the City of Hudson that we are looking at very seriously. You will find an article in this publication from Steven King, Steering Committee Coordinator of the board. You can support this charitable organization by sending your contributions directly to the address below:

**Capital Region
Scottish Rite Charities, Inc.
P.O. Box 89
Clifton Park, N.Y. 12065**



**32° Masonic
Learning Centers for Children, Inc.**

WALK

TO HELP CHILDREN WITH DYSLEXIA



**Please,
Take A Walk
For Youth!**

**Date:
Saturday, September 25, 2010**

Time: 9:30am

**Location:
"THE CROSSINGS
PARK"**

**Albany-Shaker Road, Colonie,
"3 to 5 Mile Walk"**



**Step Up,
Walk For Us
Today!**

This September, we're walking to raise money to help children with dyslexia learn to read and write. Dyslexia can't be cured, but can be overcome. This program offered at the 32° Masonic Learning Centers for Children, Inc. offers the most effective treatment of it's kind in battling this disorder. No one else in the nation has a program remotely like it with one-on-one professional tutoring to children free of charge.

And we need your help!

**SPONSORED BY THE SCOTTISH RITE VALLEYS OF:
ALBANY, SCHENECTADY & TROY IN COOPERATION WITH
THE CAPITAL REGION SCOTTISH RITE CHARITIES, INC.**

Refreshments will be served following the walk!

Contact our Chairman - William Leight at 518-928-5919

or

Roger Pelham at 518-877-8299 with any questions

Pledge Form



Walker's Name _____

My fundraising goal is: \$ _____

SPONSORS:

Name: _____ Amt.: \$ _____

Address: _____

Name: _____ Amt.: \$ _____

Address: _____

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Registration Form

Contact our Committee...

William Leight
(General Coordinator)
at 518-928-5919

Roger Pelham
(Coordinator of Corporate Sponsors)
at 518-877-8299
with any questions

- ☐ I plan to participate in the Walk,
- ☐ I cannot attend, but enclosed is my donation of \$ _____.
- ☐ I would like to volunteer the day of the walk, Please contact me at the phone/email below.

Name (please print) _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Home Phone _____

Email _____

Work/Cell Phone _____

Emergency Contact and Number _____

Please make checks payable to Capital
Region Scottish Rite Charities, Inc.
and mail to:

Capital Region Scottish Rite Charities, Inc.
P.O. Box 89
Clifton Park, N.Y. 12065

Participant Liability Agreement:

Please enter me in the "Walk to help Children with Dyslexia." I, on behalf of myself, my heirs, executors, and administrators hereby release the 32⁰ Masonic Learning Centers for Children, Inc. or Capital Region Scottish Rite Charities, Inc. from any and all claims, damages, and rights of action I may have, present or future that may arise out of, or be incident to, my participation in the Walk event. In addition, I grant permission for the use of my name and/or picture in any photograph, film or videotape of the event for any purpose.

Signature (Parent of guardian if under 18 years old) _____

This agreement must be signed for the registration to be valid.

Return this page with amounts raised.

CAPITAL REGION SCOTTISH RITE CHARITIES, INC.

By Steven King - Learning Center Steering Committee Coordinator

My Brothers,

Your intrepid editor has asked for an update on the progress of our project to establish a Learning Center for Dyslexic Children. As you know, the Valleys of the Capital District have been working on this for some time. Over the course of this summer, the Steering Committee, which consists of members representing all Scottish Rite Bodies in the Capital District, met twice and took a number of concrete steps to move this project forward.

The most important thing is that we've secured a site in Columbia County that has the approval of the Supreme Council. Now the real work begins as we plan to mold the empty space into classrooms and meeting areas. We're drafting a budget and are exploring candidates for the position of Director of the Center.

Of course, all this presupposes the fact that we can raise the necessary funds to operate a Center for the long term. For the immediate future, the focus of the steering committee will be on raising this money. I know that each of the Valleys will be hearing more on this directly as we emerge from the summer hiatus.

We'd like to involve more people from each of our Valleys in this project. Your presiding officers would be glad to enlist volunteers. The idea of becoming part of a project that will improve the quality of life for many children ought to be motivation enough. Our model of teaching has proven itself successful across the country. What's important now is that we make common commitment to move forward and contribute to the success of the project in whatever way best uses our individual talents and abilities.

Appropriately enough, the Annual Walk-a-thon to benefit Children with Dyslexia is coming up on September 25th at The Crossings in Colonie. Details on the walk are printed elsewhere in this issue of *The Rite Light*. I urge you to participate in some way to this worthy cause, either by walking and collecting pledges, supporting friends who are walking, or by sponsoring a sign for the course. Together, we can do great things to improve the lives of those around us. Joining the effort to support the Learning Center is a great opportunity to do just that.

DELTA BODIES A.: A.: S.: R.: ANCIENT ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITE OF FREEMASONRY VALLEY OF TROY, N. Y.

NOTICE OF MEETINGS AND EVENTS 2010 - 2011

Sept. 17 (Fri.) Joint Meeting - Council Princes of Jerusalem
Business Meeting - Welcome Back

Sept. 25 (Sat.) Walk-a-Thon - Capital District Children's
Learning Center "THE CROSSINGS PARK",
Colonie. Child ID, Refreshments

Oct. 15 (Fri.) Joint Meeting - Chapter of Rose Croix

Oct. 16 (Sat.) REUNION - 4°, 10°, 14° and 20° Degrees
Either at the Fort Ticonderoga or Fort
William Henry
(further information to follow from Valley of Albany)

Nov. 19 (Fri.) Joint Meeting - Lodge of Perfection

Nov. 27 (Sat.) Family Life Activity -
Food For Joseph's House
Council Prices of Jerusalem

Nov. 30 (Tues.) 29° Degree - Albany

Jan. 14 (Fri.) Joint Meeting - Chapter of Rose Croix

Jan. 22 (Sat.) REUNION - 4°, 15° and 16° Degrees
Troy Masonic Temple - Dinner to follow

Feb. 18 (Fri.) Joint Meeting - Council Princes of Jerusalem

Mar. 18 (Fri.) Joint Meeting - Lodge of Perfection

Apr. 17 (Sun.) Feast of the Paschal Lamb - Jointly with
Albany - Chapter Rose Croix.
Friends & Family, Dinner. At TMCC

Apr. 30 (Sat.) REUNION - 4°, 18° and 24° Degrees - Schoharie
Followed by a dinner

May 20 (Fri.) Joint Meeting - Election and Installation of
Officers

June 11 (Sat.) REUNION - 4°, 23°, 31° and 32° Degrees -
Followed by **Second Annual**
32° Banquet hosted by the
Valleys of Albany and Troy

July 22 & 23 Council Of Deliberation - Syracuse

Summer - TBA Officers Planning Meeting

2010-2011 AASR OFFICERS - VALLEY of ALBANY

Ineffable & Sublime Grand Lodge of Perfection

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Master of Ceremonies	TBA			
Captain of the Guard	Dennis L. DeBell	869-3799	c-210-9069	dennisdebell@hotmail.com

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Master of Ceremonies	TBA			
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Albany Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix

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Annual Soap Box Derby

By Jim L. and Jim M. Fuller

The race was held on June 12th, and 13th on Madison Avenue in Albany and the finish line was underneath the crosswalk of the State Museum. Both days were rainy! The rules say you only stop for thunder and lightning storms and that happened on Sunday. It lasted for about a half hour. Forty cars participated.

Division	Driver	Sponsor
Stock	Ryan Penman	Pine Grove Church
Super Stock	Emily Doty	Order of the Eastern Star
Super Stock	Ben Collins	Ancient Temple Lodge
Super Stock	Kenny Abel	Masters Lodge
Super Stock	Sara Fuller	Fuller's Printing Corp.
Masters	Nicole Rhynders	Scottish Rite, Valley of Albany

All our drivers were racing for the first time except Sara Fuller and this was her second time. Nicole Rhynders came in second place in the Masters Division. Sara Fuller came in fifth place and Ben Collins took sixth place in the Super Stock Division. Our drivers and parents showed great sportsmanship! ... There was excitement all weekend.

Looking forward to another year in 2011! We hope that many of our Scottish Rite Masons, their wives and family can attend and join in the festivities. This is a great event and is part of our Family and Fraternity projects for Scottish Rite Mason, Valley of Albany. We can always use your help.

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Valley of Albany 2010-2011 Meeting Dates

* Opens and Closes Meeting

Sept. 23, 2010	Thurs.	Lodge* , Council, Chapter, Consistory	Mar. 17, 2011	Thurs.	Lodge, Council, Chapter, Consistory*
Oct. 7, 2010	Thurs.	Executive Board	Apr. 7, 2011	Thurs.	Executive Board
Oct. 16, 2010	Sat.	Reunion: Lodge of Perfection 4°, 10°, 14°, and 20° Ft. Wm Henry or Ft. Ticonderoga followed by dinner	Apr. 17, 2011	Sunday	F.O.P.L. (Troy Masonic Hall)
Nov. 18, 2010	Thurs.	Lodge, Council* , Chapter, Consistory	Apr. 21, 2011	Thurs.	Lodge, Council, Chapter, Consistory*
Nov. 30, 2010	Tues.	K of SA St. Andrews Day Observance and 29° Preceded by dinner	Apr. 30, 2011	Sat.	Reunion: Chapter 4°, 18°, 24° Schoharie followed by dinner
Dec. 2, 2010	Thurs.	Executive Board	May 26, 2011	Thurs.	Annual Meeting , Election and Installation. All four bodies.
Jan. 22, 2011	Sat.	Reunion: Council 4°, 15°, and 16° Troy Masonic Hall Followed by dinner	June 2, 2011	Thurs.	Executive Board
Feb. 10, 2011	Thurs.	Executive Board	June 11, 2011	Sat.	Reunion: 4°, 23°, 31°, 32° Followed by Second Annual 32° Banquet hosted by the Valleys of Albany and Troy
Feb. 17, 2011	Thurs.	Lodge, Council, Chapter* Consistory (KoDE)	July 22 & 23, 2011	Fri.- Sat.	Council Of Deliberation – Syracuse