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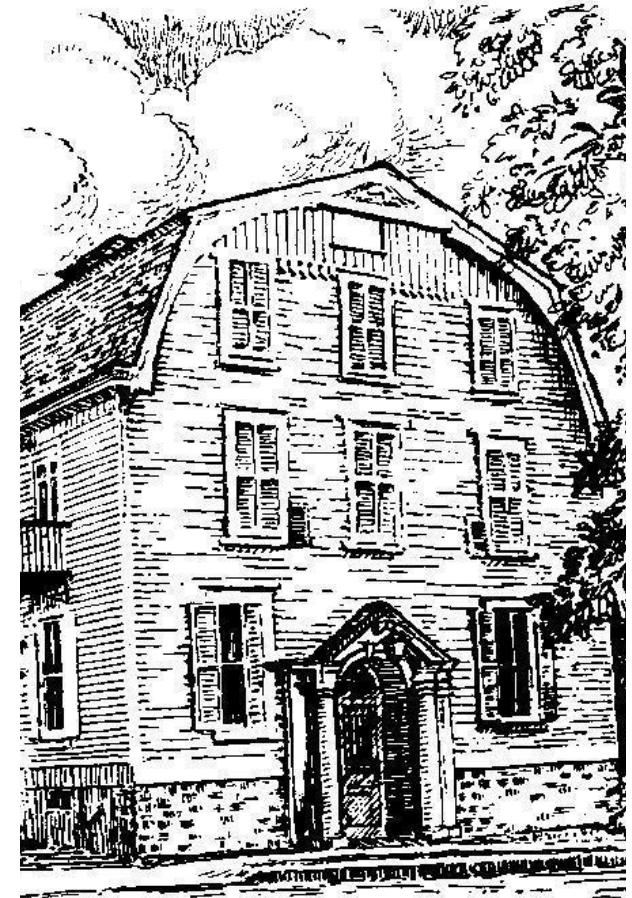
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Essex Lodge No. 7

March 2025
Regular Communications:
1st & 3rd Tuesdays at 7:30pm
Trustee Meeting: First Tuesday at 6:00pm



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Worshipful Master's Message

Greetings Brethren,

March marks the transition from the chill of winter to the warmth of spring, heralding a season of renewal and rejuvenation. As the days grow longer and temperatures rise, nature awakens from its slumber. The once barren landscapes begin to transform, with vibrant flowers pushing through the thawing ground, painting gardens and parks in a vast array of colors.

Trees that stood bare for months start to display tender buds, signaling new life and growth. This blossoming not only beautifies the environment but also revitalizes our spirits. The sounds of nature return, with birds singing and the gentle rustle of leaves as the wind carries the scent of fresh blooms.

With the arrival of spring, people are drawn outdoors, shedding the layers of winter clothing. Parks and gardens become gathering spots for families and friends, as activities shift from indoor pursuits to picnics, hikes and leisurely strolls. The warmth encourages a sense of connection, both with nature and with each other.

Spring also invites a sense of introspection and growth. It is a time when many engage in spring cleaning, both in their homes and in their lives, shedding the old to make way for the new. This season serves as a reminder of the cyclical nature of life, encouraging us to embrace change, seek new beginnings, and nurture our own growth as we bask in the beauty of the world around us.

Fraternally,

Sean Goldrick
Worshipful Master 2025

Essex Lodge No. 7 Calendar

Tuesday March 4, 2025
Regular Business Meeting
Trustees Meeting – 6:00pm
Dinner: 6:30pm
Open: 7:30pm
Dress: Semi-Formal

Tuesday March 18, 2025
Regular Business Meeting – OES Unity Day
Dinner: 6:30pm
Open: 7:30pm
Dress: Semi-Formal

Monday March 24, 2025
DLI – Copestone-Ophir 108
Dinner: 6:30pm
Master & Wardens: 7:15pm
Instruction: 7:45pm
Dress: Business
225 Kearny Ave Kearny, NJ 07032

Craftsman Club Events

Feel Good Fridays

Please join us every Friday night at Lodge for some fun and fellowship! Beginning at 7pm.

Future Events soon to follow.

Family Game/Movie Night

More information to follow

Order of Eastern Star: Lincoln Chapter

Wednesday March 12, 2025
Regular Business Meeting
Open: 7:30pm
Dinner: To Follow Meeting

Wednesday April 9, 2025
Installation of Officers
Open: 7:30pm
Dinner: To Follow Meeting

NOTICE:

Brethren, please make sure you create an account with Grandview and update your personal and contact information. It is important that 100% of Essex Lodge members participate in the Grandview registration process. Dues can now be paid by Zelle. Add Secretary@essex7.com as a recipient on your bank's mobile app.

Donald J. McGee, PM
-Secretary, Essex Lodge No. 7

Candidates in Waiting:

Awaiting Balloting
Isiah Shakur Miller

Awaiting EA Degree
Sinisa Starcevic
Brian Bycheck

Awaiting FC Degree (and EA Proficiency)
Amit Shah
Joseph Lachina
Richard Fung
Ricardo Rodriguez

Awaiting MM Degree (and FC Proficiency)
Peter Molinsky

GRAND LODGE OF NEW JERSEY

**The Grand Master of Masons
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Grand Lodge Mission Statement:

FREEMASONRY promotes a way of life that binds like-minded men with the principles of Brotherly Love, Relief and Truth in order to serve God, Family, Country, Neighbor and Self.