

SUMMONS APRIL 2019



Grand Registry of Alberta Ancient Free & Accepted Masons

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Dear Sir & Brother,

By command of the Worshipful Master, W Bro Jeff Varty, you are hereby summoned to the following Communications of Lodge Renfrew No. 134:

BUSINESS MEETING:

Monday, April 8th.

All Lodge Brothers are encouraged to attend. Reception: 6:30 Tyle: 7:30 Festive Board to follow the meeting

EMERGENT MEETING: Monday, April 29th. **Fellowcraft Degree Ceremony Reception 6:30** Tyle: 7:30 Festive Board to follow the meeting

GENERAL PURPOSE COMMITTEE MEETING:

Will be held **Monday, April 1st @ 7:00pm**. Lodge Officers are asked to attend.

Agenda to be distributed at the meeting.

-Check the lodge website for other meetings & events.

All Meetings are held at the Calgary Freemasons Hall unless otherwise noted.

LODGE RENFREW #134 OFFICERS - 2019

Worshipful Master: W. Bro Jeff Varty jmvarty@hotmail.com Immed. Past Master: W Bro Kevin McDowell kevinmcdowell73@gmail.com Senior Warden: VW Bro. Kurtis Frederick kurtis.frederick@gmail.com Junior Warden: Bro. Jared Deschner jared.deschner@gmail.com Secretary: TBD

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If you have a notable personal or professional achievement or milestone, please inform the Registrar.



Did You Know:

Astronaut Gordon Cooper, carried a Masonic coin & flag during his 22-orbit flight, which he later presented to his mother Lodge.







FROM THE EAST

Brethren,

First of all, congratulations are in order to our newly initiated brother, Clayton Richard Bell. I would like to thank everyone who participated in the First Degree ceremony.

Second, and of prime importance, pending dispensation from Grand Lodge, the April emergent meeting will be moved to April 29th in order to accommodate Bro. Morley and Bro. Gonzalez's work schedule.

We will be conducting a Fellowcraft degree.

Any of the brethren who wish to do floor work for the degree are encouraged to contact me before April's Board of General Purpose meeting.

Thirdly, during the April business meeting, in addition to the standard business, I will be presenting the first of the Research & Education pieces of the year; the year's theme is the Seven Liberal Arts & Sciences; the presentation will be on Logic - more specifically, an introduction to Logical Fallacies.

Fourthly, my planned visitation schedule for April is as follows: April 11th - Nanton; April 17 - Bow River; April 26 - King George.

Finally, if you have not paid your dues for 2019, it is important that you either do so as soon as possible, or contact one of the senior officers of the lodge if there is a reason that you are unable to pay.

Kind fraternal regards,

W. Bro. Jeff Varty

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FROM THE WEST

Happy April Brethren!

It's been a great year so far; with new candidates, fun events and great visits!

Visiting is one of the best parts of Freemasonry!

We have many opportunities this spring to visit other lodges and in turn welcome them to our lodge.

I've enjoyed the social side of our fraternity and fellowship at many lodges, where I have had great food, adventures and met many amazing brethren.

I encourage you to get out there and visit the lodges not only in our district but all over Alberta and wherever your travels may take you!

As always, we'd love to see you at lodge and if you have any celebrations or distresses, please let us know so we can support you!!

See you soon!

Fraternally,

W Bro. Kurtis Frederick

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FROM THE SOUTH

Hello, Brethren!

Spring is finally here after a cold spell that seemed that it would never end.

Hopefully, this warming trend will see as many brothers as possible, coming out to the lodge this month to enjoy the fellowship with friends both old and new.

Please know that your attendance is always appreciated and makes our lodge a great place to be.

Thank you to everyone who came out to our annual Historic Night at the Bank & Baron Pub. It was a great celebration of Masonic history.

Additionally, please note that the Alberta Freemason and Lodge Renfrew #134 web addresses (below) are live links. This means they are clickable and you can easily and conveniently go directly to these websites for information and updates.

Brothers from around the globe are finding our website and communicating with us more and more. We recently got a message from "Lodge Prince of Wales Renfrew #426" - one of the largest lodges in Scotland, which was very interesting and gratifying.

See you in April!

Fraternally,

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Deputy District Grand Master RW Bro. Kelvin McKay

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