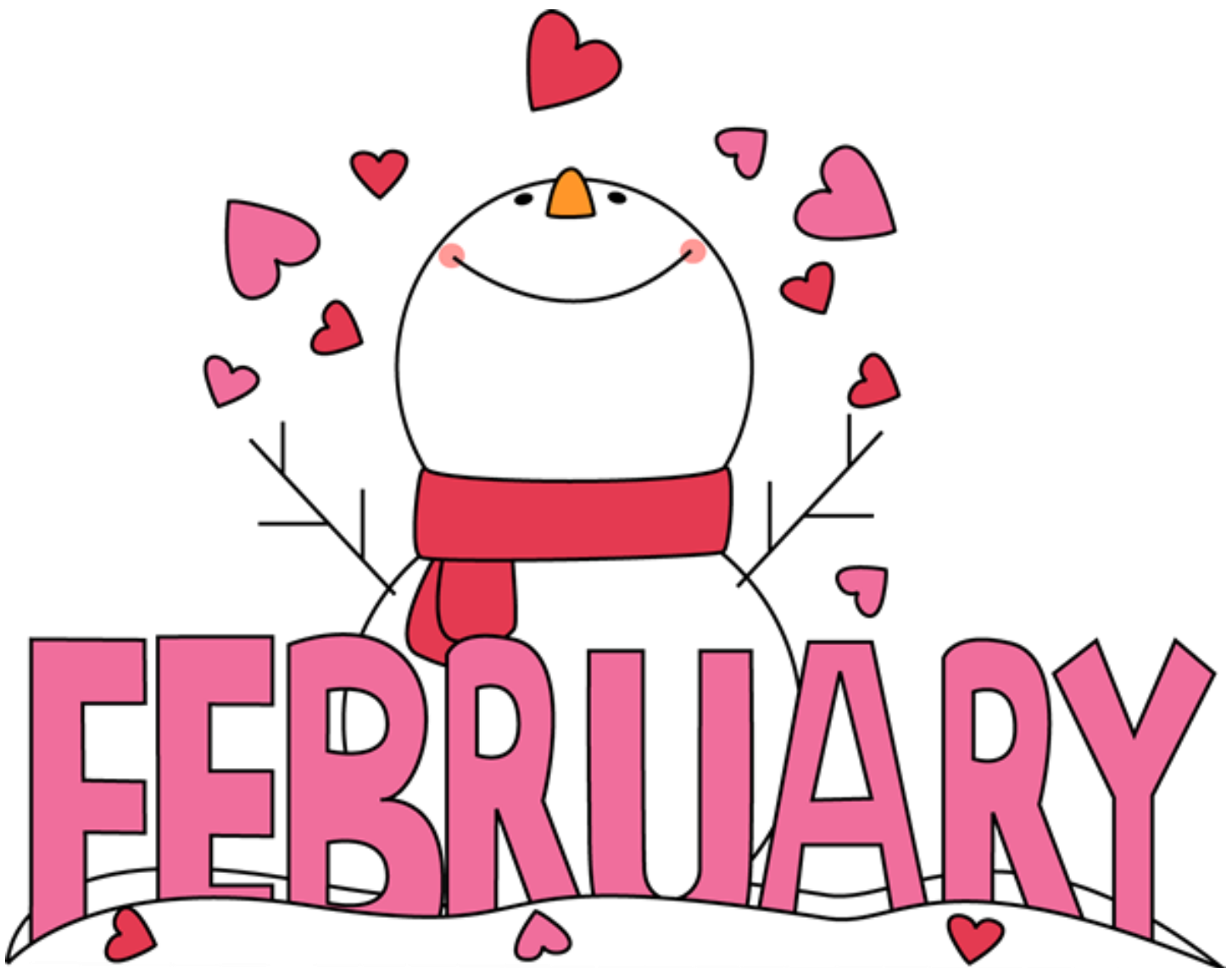
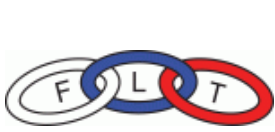


Wisconsin ODD FELLOW

THE OFFICIAL PUBLICATION OF THE GRAND LODGE OF WISCONSIN





TO BE READ IN ALL ODD FELLOW LODGES: GRAND MASTER'S LETTER

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

January is behind us as is our term reports and installation of officers. It's time to think of what your lodge wants to do this coming year for events and community activities and what the members remember about the time the Noble Grand was in office. Every lodge needs to be active and have things going on that show the community we are still around and not an empty building.

The thing every lodge needs to do though is be active to the citizens in our community for growth of membership or, growth of funds to

keep the lodge in existence. In some cases, it is both.

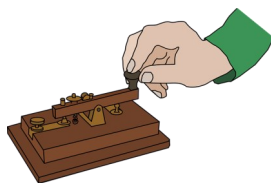
Some of these events or activities will take longer to get all the preparations done before the event can happen. Some can take a full year to get everything in place for it. You might have permits to pull from the city, or village. This might also mean some back-and-forth discussions, and question answering. Depending on when the board or council meets this can take months. Especially if they only meet once a month. Don't forget there might be a sub-committee to get approval from first. Make sure you allow for all the planning time to take place in order to have a successful event.

For those lodges that have had events in the past that I have known about, I have always tried to attend. I usually end up stepping in and helping a little. This gives me a chance to help you and talk to members that I do not get the chance to talk with otherwise.



Bye, for now, until my next **communication** letter.

In F, L, T,
Jeffery Jones
Grand Master
Grand Lodge of WI



GRAND SECRETARY'S LETTER



Now is the time to get back to our lodge work. Does your lodge hall need to be spruced up? Now is a good time to consider what needs to be done inside the lodge hall to make it look good so that the members will want to come to lodge meetings and bring in new members.



I hope that everyone has been going to our website (www.ioofwi.org) and checking the raffle calendar for the winner's name and city. There is a list of the winners in this issue of paper. The final list will be in the March paper.

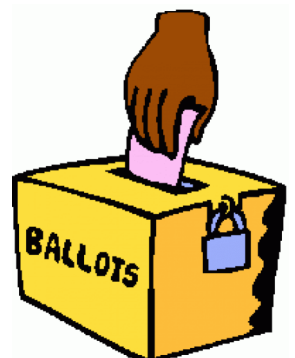
February is Educational Foundation Month. Why not have a collection at your meetings to go to the Educational Foundation? We lend money to students so that they can achieve a secondary education. If you need information on the Educational Foundation, please contact the Grand Lodge office and we will get the information out to you. If you want to keep the money for use of our Grand Lodge Scholarships, donate to Grand Lodge of WI and put in the memo area that it



is for our Scholarship Fund. We have received the necessary information for three of our Scholarship winners from 2022. They are Morgan Beyer from Green Bay who won the \$1,000 Grand Master Scholarship; Zachary Kohlenberg from Livingston who won a \$500 Grand Lodge Scholarship; and Annika Zastrow from De Pere who won the \$500 Rebekah State Scholarship. We are still waiting for one more student to send in their required information to receive their \$500 scholarship.

If your lodge has taken in new members for 2021 and haven't reported them to Grand Lodge, please do so soon. Please remember that we need their sponsor, date of birth, date of initiation, address, telephone number and email address if they have one. Also remember to report all new members to an Encampment, Canton, or Rebekah Lodge.

Lodge secretaries, please make sure that you return the Representative credentials so that we can get the credentials ready for our Grand Lodge Session in June. Remember you elect your Representatives at the same time as you elect your lodge officers. Also, if you have a change in your representatives after the credentials are turned in, please let the office know so that we can make new credentials out for the new representative. If I don't have credentials for people, I can't allow them to be your representative per the code of General Laws. June will be here before we know it.



**Until next time,
In Friendship, Love and Truth,
Joyce Proulx, Grand Secretary**

Happy
Valentines Day

GRAND CHAPLAIN'S LETTER

[Genesis 3:15](#)

"And I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and hers; he will crush your head, and you will strike his heel."

From the very beginning, right after Adam and Eve disobeyed God, he gave indication that a savior would be coming from the seed of the woman, Eve. God revealed right away that this seed would be the one that would crush the head of the serpent. We know that seed pointed to Jesus. Moses is credited as the author of the book of Genesis. The time of his writing isn't one hundred percent certain, but is estimated to be about 1500 years before Christ was born.

[Genesis 12:3](#)

"I will bless those who bless you, and whoever curses you I will curse; and all peoples on earth will be blessed through you."

In this verse, God is making a promise to Abraham that he would make him into a great nation. As part of that promise he tells him that all people on earth will be blessed through you. This blessing of all mankind points to the one who would redeem peoples from every tribe and tongue on the face of the earth. The blessing of salvation was for all who would believe.

[Isaiah 7:14](#)

"Therefore the Lord himself will give you a sign: The virgin will conceive and give birth to a son, and will call him Immanuel."

This Scripture points to the manner in which he will be born, and also to one of the names given to Christ: Immanuel, meaning God with us. This was pointing to both his human birth and his divine nature. This was written over 700 years before Christ was born.

[Micah 5:2](#)

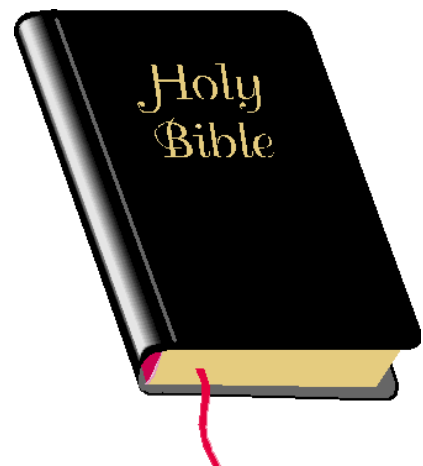
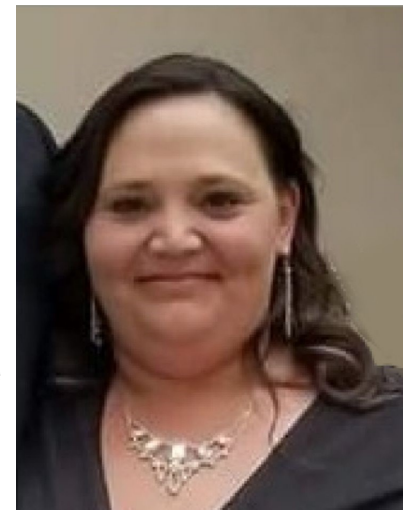
"But you, Bethlehem Ephrathah, though you are small among the clans of Judah, out of you will come for me one who will be ruler over Israel, whose origins are from old, from ancient times."

We know Jesus was born in Bethlehem and this Scripture tells us in advance the place Jesus would be born. This prophecy was written by Micah approximately 800 years before Christ was born.

F.L.T

Sara Fuhlbohm

Grand Chaplin



Coming events

FEBRUARY – EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION MONTH

- 1 Deadline for articles for March
The Wisconsin Odd Fellow
- 2 Ground Hog Day
- 3 Executive Committee Meeting,
5:30 PM Comfort Suites, Green Bay
- 4 Home Association Meeting,
8 AM at Comfort Suites, Green Bay
- 12 Abraham Lincoln’s Birthday
- 14 Valentine’s Day
- 20 President’s Day
- 22 George Washington’s Birthday

- 20 Spring Begins
- 23 Anniversary of the birth of
Schuyler Colfax, author of the
Rebekah Degree

APRIL – LIVING LEGACY MONTH

- 1 Deadline for articles for May
The Wisconsin Odd Fellow
- 8-18 Grand Secretary out of Office
- 9 Easter
- 18 Grand Trustees meeting, 11 AM,
Madison
- 26 204th Anniversary of the founding
of our Order in North America
- 29 Degree Work, Janesville

MARCH – ARTHRITIS MONTH

- 1 Deadline for articles for April
The Wisconsin Odd Fellow
- 12 Daylight savings time begins,
Spring forward



**Brother Delmar Burns
Past Sovereign Grand Master**

January 3, 2023
70 year member
Germantown, Ohio

Brother Dale Berman, PG

November 8, 2022
70 year member
Peshtigo, WI
Jurisdictional Lodge #500



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Rebekah
 Home Association Inc
 1207 S. Jackson, Green Bay, WI 54301



Odd Fellow Home

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Friendship Place

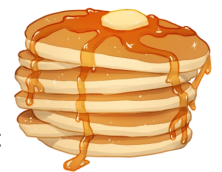
Friendship Place
 Tel. (920) 593-7015

Rebekah Haven

Rebekah Haven
 Tel. (920) 435-4810

NEWS FROM THE ACTIVITY DEPARTMENT

Greetings from the Activity Department! We are getting ready to celebrate in February starting with Groundhog's Day on February 2nd. With any luck the groundhog won't see his shadow and spring will arrive early! On Friday February 4th we will be wearing Red for National Wear Red Day as February is American Heart Month. This month our Wacky Wednesday is on the 8th and we are wearing Funny T-Shirts. February 9th is National Pizza Day so we are having a Pizza Lunch Bunch with the residents. Super Bowl Sunday is February 12th. Valentine's Day is on the 14th. We will encourage everyone to wear red, pink and hearts and we will have a Valentine's party with the residents. On the 19th it's the Daytona 500. On Monday February 20th we celebrate Presidents Day and are wearing Red, White & Blue. The 21st is National Pancake Day and we will be having a Pancake Breakfast Club with the residents. Ash Wednesday is on the 22nd. We are celebrating the February Birthdays on the 23rd with Ice Cream Sundaes. Monday the 27th is Retro Day and will encourage staff to dress in their favorite Retro fashions! During the month music is scheduled by Fernando and Daniel Lovett. Along with all of our other scheduled activity programs, we continue to have our Coffee Shop twice a week, Popcorn Days on Fridays and we will also have a scheduled Happy Hour.



Happy Valentine's Day!
 Cindy Czechanski,
 Activity Director



NEWS FROM THE CEO

Hello Brothers and Sisters!

The cold air is bustling here at the Home Association!

While we are still in the throws of winter, we have made it through the darkest six weeks of the season and we can begin to look forward to brighter days, literally and figuratively!

We are approaching the end of the 3 year long Public Health Emergency for the COVID-19 pandemic. This alone is cause for a celebration of hope for all of us. We can officially begin to heal and recover.

January brought us the next step in our season of change with a new year. We are putting the finishing touches on the book of 2022 and started Chapter 1 of 2023. The New Year always seems cliché, but I find it refreshing that we get a clean slate and a fresh start with 365 new experiences, plans, and goals.



We have a new furry face around the Home Association. Holly, our “Chief Cuddle Officer” joined the team at the beginning of January. She is a mini goldendoodle pup that will soon begin training to be a therapy dog.



This month is both exciting and bittersweet for me on a personal and professional level. We celebrate the 1st birthday of our sweet girl, Everleigh. 12 months ago, we received the call that would set us onto a path that would eventually lead me back home to Odd Fellow. That call has been a blessing in so many ways and I am grateful for every step along that path.

Blessings,
Dan-a





LODGE HAPPENINGS



Iowa Lodge #1 held a Toy Drive during a high school basketball game. Many boxes of new toys and over \$500 was given to Southwest Cap to help make a nicer Christmas for those in need of assistance. We could not do it without the citizens of Mineral Point.



ODD FELLOW REBEKAH ROSE FLOAT

FEATURING Tami Adams, Green Bay #19
accompanied by Teresa Froseth, Green Bay #19



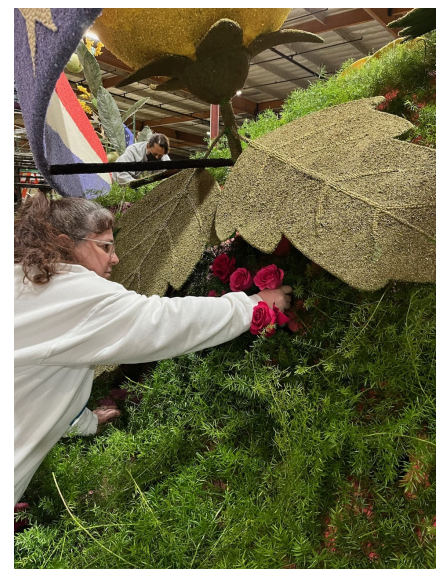
Everyone has to start with cutting the petals off of flowers



The petals are put into a blender to make a fine powder.

Then the powder is glued onto the area that requires the color of the powdered flowers.

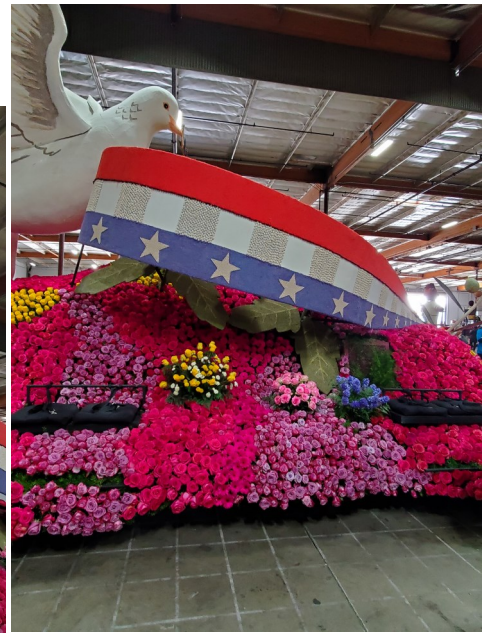




**The roses are in a water filled vial.
We had to push that vial into the float.
You need to use a little muscle to push
it in!**

Picture to the left: Say "Hi"

Michelle Heckart, SGM!



A completed Odd Fellow Rebekah Rose Float!



The opening is were the driver goes in for the night.



Tami Adams, Green Bay #19 practicing her wave for the parade.

On behalf of my sister Teresa and myself, I would like to thank everyone who donated or helped with our trip to California to participate in the Rose Bowl Parade. We both learned a lot about decorating a float. It was hard work but it was also a lot of fun. Riding on the float was an amazing experience! We made a lot of friends during the week and felt like we became part of the Odd Fellow family in California. We would encourage everyone to go to California and volunteer to work on the float, even if you don't ride on it. Keeping the Odd Fellow Rebekah Rose Float in the parade keeps our name out there and may get your lodges some new members! Also, if you can't go to California please donate to the Rose Float Committee. It takes a lot of money to make a float.

Tami Adams, Green Bay #19

Teresa Froseth, Green Bay #19



DECEMBER RAFFLE WINNERS

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| 12/1/2022 \$50 L. Shilling, Alhambra, IL | 12/28/2022 \$50 S. Gierke, Shullsburg, WI |
| 12/2/2022 \$50 R. Hanson, Plover, WI | 12/29/2022 \$50 M. Joestgen, Mineral Point, WI |
| 12/3/2022 \$50 M. Shilling, Ottumwa, IA | 12/30/2022 \$50 E. Wys, Peoria, IL |
| 12/4/2022 \$100 D. Williams, Mineral Point, WI | 12/31/2022 \$50 J. Heins, Rochester, MN |
| 12/5/2022 \$50 M. Kolasa, Republic, MI | |
| 12/6/2022 \$50 D. LaVergne, Palo Alto, CA | |
| 12/7/2022 \$50 R. Stone, Dexter, MI | |
| 12/8/2022 \$50 C. Sandmire, Sauk City, WI | |
| 12/9/2022 \$50 A. Jones, Footville, WI | |
| 12/10/2022 \$50 T. Cenite, Mineral Point, WI | |
| 12/11/2022 \$100 J. Rafter, Stuart, IA | |
| 12/12/2022 \$50 R. Ley, Mineral Point, WI | |
| 12/13/2022 \$50 T. Pitzl, Mineral Point, WI | |
| 12/14/2022 \$50 J. Davis, Montfort, WI | |
| 12/15/2022 \$50 A. Jones, Footville, WI | |
| 12/16/2022 \$50 B. Saver, Bradenton, FL | |
| 12/17/2022 \$50 E. Jones, Footville, WI | |
| 12/18/2022 \$100 S. Wade-Bushey, Windham, ME | |
| 12/19/2022 \$50 M. Lynn, Evansville, WI | |
| 12/20/2022 \$50 J. Kerl, Livingston, WI | |
| 12/21/2022 \$50 T. Austin, Belmont, WI | |
| 12/22/2022 \$50 A. Jones, Madison, WI | |
| 12/23/2022 \$50 R. Sporle, Mineral Point, WI | |
| 12/24/2022 \$50 D. Gensler, Shullsburg, WI | |
| 12/25/2022 \$250 R. Frey, Waunakee, WI | |
| 12/26/2022 \$50 A. Saloum, Hutchinson, MN | |
| 12/27/2022 \$50 T. Froseth, Green Bay, WI | |





Office of the Sovereign Grand Master Independent Order of Odd Fellows



January 2023

Dear Brothers and Sisters of all units of Odd Fellowship,

In Iowa, the winter season has arrived. Snow covers the ground, ponds are frozen, and the winter winds can change our temps to -35 below one day to 43 above the next. Nature keeps us guessing at this time of year as to what will come next.

Odd Fellows and Rebekahs are also asking what's next at this time of year. We are closing out our lodge year, lodge books, and installing new officers for 2023. It is a time to reflect on how well we served others in our communities, Grand Lodges, and local lodges. What ideas worked well, and how can we reevaluate the ideas that fell short of our expectations. It is a time to open our hearts and minds to the possibilities of all we have to offer our members, and to set specific goals for our lodges. We need to listen to new ideas from our new members, (remember, you were a new member once), and make sure they are included in all decisions being made in our lodges. It is so important that you make all your members feel like they have a purpose and that their input is important to the success of your lodge goals. Meet regularly in form, energize your meetings, be an active member, and remember No one person should ever be in charge of lodge decisions, the running of a lodge is a team effort.

This is a time of new beginnings! We need to let go of disagreements between members of our lodges and disagreements between lodges and Grand Lodges. Remember TEAMWORK is a positive action taken by our members to Pull Together for the good of our Order. We need our Grand Lodges and Rebekah Assemblies to

step up and take active roles in committing themselves to the success of the lodges in their jurisdictions, providing them with whatever assistance they need to stay solvent. Teamwork amongst our members is important and a necessity for the survival of our Order. We need to remember we are all Brothers and Sisters working for the good of our Order, each with different ideas, different goals, and projects that are dear to our hearts, but all worthy of recognition. As in any family there has to be give and take, compromise, and a willing to listen to others. We were given two ears and only one mouth for a reason!

This is the time of year when we are getting ready to fill out our annual reports for our lodges. Please do this in a timely manner, respecting the deadlines set by your Grand Secretaries so that they have time to fill out their reports to The SGL. It is also very important that you fill the report out completely, all the boxes checked, listing your membership with current addresses, deaths, and inventory cost, ect. If you have transferred your membership, consolidated with another lodge, or your lodge's charter has been picked up, please make sure you are listed in the appropriate lodge membership report. If you have questions, call your Grand Lodge Secretaries to help you find the answers.

January is the Anniversary of Thomas Wildey's Birthday, the founder of our Order. Plan a special event and invite prospective members to a dinner or birthday party and explain Odd Fellowship to them. Plan a degree day, the possibilities are endless.

February is Educational Foundation Month. Plan a meeting night in February to promote

and review all the scholarships available to our members and their families. Do not forget about our loan program and the Peter Geolot Continuing Education Grant. We have two new nursing scholarships available this year. You can get more information by going to [IOOF.org/Educational Foundation/Scholarships](http://IOOF.org/Educational%20Foundation/Scholarships). This a great program to tell prospective members about, that can benefit them and their families.

Tomorrow I will be leaving to go to California to work on the Tournament of Roses Parade Float. I am excited to have the opportunity to work along many Brothers and Sisters in completing the decorations for the Float and for the honor of being asked to ride on the float, representing our membership and our great Order.

Please take time to remember all of our Brothers and Sisters abroad who are at unrest and under the constant threat of war. We are an organization with Brothers and Sisters all over the World, and sometimes we forget that no matter where we live, we are all family. We need to support, uplift, and encourage one another always. We are still taking donations for the lodges in the Ukraine. Donations can be sent to The SGL Office.

January is the beginning of a great New Year of Odd

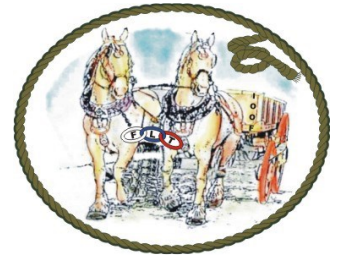
Fellowship! I am excited about the future of our Order and I want to especially thank our Finance Committee, Communications Committee, and The SGL Office staff, for all the hard work they are doing to move us into the New Year on a positive note. I look forward to meeting as many of you as possible on my journey to spring visits. I want to thank all of you for your friendship and continued support of the projects of our Order. Remember your obligations, believe in our Valedictions, be a positive Team Player. "Be a part of the solution not part of the problem." Pulling together, we will succeed and make this world a better place to live.

My Executive Team and I wish you a safe, healthy, and Blessed New Year!

In Friendship, Love, and Truth,

s/ Michelle L. Heckart

Sovereign Grand Master



**Office of the President
International Association
of
Rebekah Assemblies
I.O.O.F.**



January 2023

Dear Sisters and Brothers,

Happy New Year! I can hardly believe that it is 2023! I remember as a child, way back when, trying to figure out if I would still be alive when the year 2000 arrived. The end of the 20th century seemed so far away and my beginner math skills were having a hard time figuring it out. Well, it has been 23 years since Y2K had people convinced that the computers would crash and there would be mass chaos around the world. There is still chaos in the world but optimists are convinced that we are "Turning the Corner". That was the Rose Parade

theme for this year. I hope you were able to tune in to watch the parade on Jan 2nd. Our "Hope for Peace" float was an absolutely beautiful work of art! What an honor it was to participate in its construction and being able to ride on it was a never to be forgotten privilege. While working on the float I could not help but think about the people of Ukraine. I am so proud of the support you are showing with your donations for Ukrainian relief. The struggles they are experiencing I cannot imagine! There is less news being broadcast but I know the fighting

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continues and I listen for any good news and celebrate their victories while mourning the loss of life and liberty. Please remember these friends and their struggle to survive with your prayers, continued support and hope for peace.

I do not know if your lodge takes a break from meeting at any time during the year, but here in the northland many lodges choose to take a short vacation during the winter months. And while it is nice not having to keep parking lots plowed, being able to keep the thermostat turned down to save on heating costs or simply staying home on frigid snowy evenings, let us not forget to celebrate the founder of Odd Fellowship in North America. January 15th is Thomas Wildey Day. Can you imagine how different your life would be if this one man had not taken it upon himself to place an ad in the paper seeking other members of the Order who had immigrated to the U.S. Was his first ad successful? No! He had to ask more than once before that meeting took place at the Seven Stars Tavern marking the beginning of Odd Fellowship here. When we talk to a potential new member, we probably will not be successful the first time we ask them to join either. Do not give up. Let them know about all the good being done and continue to encourage them to become a part of our fraternal family.

Important dates on the winter calendar include the entire month of February. It is Educational Foundation month. First established in 1927, the Foundation goes way beyond our mission to educate the orphan! Scholarships and low interest student loans have helped thousands of students from all walks of life to continue their education at colleges, universities and trade schools throughout the US and Canada. There are so many opportunities for qualified students to receive assistance, they just need to apply. The committee needs our help to find deserving candidates to receive these scholarships and loans. Talk to family members, talk to the young people at your school or church. Not all of the programs require the student to be affiliated with the Order. The candidates do not have to be students; adults wishing to go back to school are also eligible. The more applications received the better. Let us put the committee to work reviewing all of the applications that are filling their mailbox!

The “Socks for Vets” collection was a resounding success at our 2022 session, and I am confident that your

generosity will bring even greater results in 2023! While I do not want to take anything away from this most worthwhile project, I cannot help but think about the children without proper clothing for the cold winter weather. As you know, the lower peninsula of Michigan is shaped very much like a mitten. When people ask what part of Michigan I am from I automatically say “a little town in the middle of the mitten”. As a tribute to my home state and the Brothers and Sisters there who have so whole heartedly supported me through this journey I have taken, I would like to collect mittens to be distributed to domestic violence and homeless shelters. I am calling it my “Mittens for Munchkins” project. If you knit or crochet, mittens are a great way to use up leftover yarn. If you wait a few weeks the stores will be clearing the winter stock to make way for summer and your dollar will go a long way in keeping cold fingers warm! Please consider adding a couple pair of mittens to your bag when packing for our 2023 Session in Des Moines.

I hope you are finding ways to be involved in your community. It is not too early to plan for our Make a Difference Day which comes along in April. Even if you are not able physically to paint, scrub or rake, you can locate someone who needs help and recruit people who are willing to donate a little time and energy to assist a neighbor. You can make a difference to someone in need of a visitor either at home or at an assisted living facility. Perhaps picking up a friend to go to lunch or stopping at their favorite take-out and delivering lunch and staying to share the meal with them would make their day. Simply taking the time to write a note in a card can mean the world to someone who is unable to get out. You can make a difference in so many ways; it does not require special skills or a lot of money, it just takes some thought and a little time.

I want to share a quote I found by Andrew Carnegie which seems especially appropriate as we begin a new year; “Think of yourself as on the threshold of unparalleled success. A whole, clear, glorious life lies before you. Achieve! Achieve!” I wish for you much happiness, blessings without end and many successful achievements in the year ahead.

In Fraternal Love,

Ruthie

Conceive, *Believe*, Achieve



Schuyler Colfax Day Proclamation

To all Officers and Members of all Degrees
of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows

Fraternal Greetings:

Whereas, the Rebekah Degree of Odd Fellowship was adopted in 1851, and the degree was the work of the Honorable Schuyler Colfax, later to serve as Speaker of the House of Representatives and go on to serve as Vice President of the United States of America.

Whereas, the Rebekah Degree provides woman's softening touch to Odd Fellowship, as founded upon the principles of the Order – faithfulness, hospitality, purity and dedication as portrayed by women of the Bible.

Whereas, because of the untiring efforts of Brother Colfax to provide a Degree for wives and daughters of Odd Fellows, the world now enjoys a Sisterhood of Lodges in twenty countries around the globe.

Therefore, I, Michelle L. Heckart, Sovereign Grand Master of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, by authority in me duly vested, do proclaim,

That the 23rd day of March 2023 be: *Schuyler Colfax Day* throughout Odd Fellowship in honor of the birthday of Brother Colfax.

Further, please observe the birthday of Brother Schuyler Colfax by initiating a '*Colfax Class*' in honor of the celebration.

Done in the City of Winston-Salem, North Carolina, this the 1st day of January 2023, and in the 204th year of our Order.

Yours in F, L & T,

Attest: /s/ Michelle L. Heckart

Sovereign Grand Master

/s/ Terry L. Barrett

Sovereign Grand Secretary

Arthritis Month Proclamation

To the Officers and Members of all Degrees
of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows

Fraternal Greetings:

Odd Fellows and Rebekahs are proud to be recognized once again for their support in relieving the pain and suffering caused by arthritis. I along with the Odd Fellow and Rebekah Arthritis Advisory Board, in turn, are proud to recognize everyone who has donated time and money in supporting this cause over the past years.

At these annual meetings we meet an enlarged family and community of arthritis chapter volunteers who become our friends and co-volunteers in a cause that makes you and me proud of our efforts in helping our fellow man.

Now, therefore, I, Michelle L. Heckart, by virtue of the authority in me duly vested as the Sovereign Grand Master of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, do proclaim,

That the month of March be proclaimed **Odd Fellows and Rebekahs Arthritis Month** in cooperation of fund raising through the Arthritis Foundation in the USA and the Arthritis Society in Canada.

All monies raised should be sent to your Jurisdictional Secretaries to be forwarded to the Arthritis Chapter in your Province or State.

Done in the City of Winston-Salem, North Carolina, this 1st day of January 2023 and of our Order the 204th year.

Yours in F, L & T,

/s/ Michelle L. Heckart

Attest: Sovereign Grand Master

/s/ Terry L. Barrett

Sovereign Grand Secretary



COMMUNICATION



MISTY'S Recipe Exchange



Hamburger Soup

★★★★☆

Hamburger Soup is an easy tomato based soup recipe with ground beef, seasonings, potatoes, and it uses frozen vegetables for ease and convenience. This soup is made in one pot with easy simple ingredients.

Course Soup

Keyword easy hamburger soup recipe, hamburger soup, soup recipe with hamburger

Prep Time 15 minutes

Cook Time 30 minutes

Total Time 40 minutes

Servings 8 servings (1.25 cups each)

Calories 190kcal

Author Jessica

Ingredients

- 1 lb ground beef
- 1 small onion *finely diced*
- 2 cloves garlic
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 2 cups peeled and chopped Yukon yellow potatoes *chopped into small pieces (1/2-inch)*
- 2 cans (14.5 oz each) beef broth
- 1 can (10 oz) condensed tomato soup
- 1 can (15 oz) petite diced tomatoes *do not drain*
- 1 bag (16 oz) frozen mixed vegetables
- 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
- 1 teaspoon dried parsley
- 1/2 teaspoon dried basil

Instructions

1. In a soup pot, over medium-high heat, brown the ground beef, onion, garlic, and salt until no longer pink. Break up meat in crumbles as it cooks.

Drain the excess grease.
2. Add chopped potatoes, beef broth, tomato soup, diced tomatoes, frozen vegetables, Worcestershire sauce, and the seasonings. Stir to combine.

Bring to a boil. Once boiling, cover with a lid and reduce hear to medium-low. Let simmer for at least 30 minutes for the flavors to combine and the soup to become thicker.
3. Before serving, taste the soup after the simmer time and add additional salt as needed. I usually end up adding a little more.
4. Leftovers can be frozen for up to 3 months or stored in the fridge, in an air-tight container, for up to 5 days.

Notes

Potatoes : Yukon yellow potatoes are the best to use and what I prefer. But you can also use red potatoes or russet potatoes as well. Be sure and cut them into really small pieces so they will soften in the 30 minute simmer time.

Garlic : Use fresh garlic cloves that have been minced or pressed, use chopped garlic from a jar, or garlic paste from a tube.

Beef Broth : Using the regular, full salt beef broth for the best flavor. If using lower sodium beef broth, be sure and taste the soup at the end of the simmering time and add additional salt as needed.



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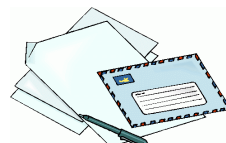
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