

WESTERN RESERVE CHAPTER #71  
Order of the Eastern Star

BULLETIN

October, November, December 2012 – January, February 2013

MEETINGS

First & Third Thursdays, 7:30 PM

Euclid Masonic Temple  
27271 Tungsten Road, Euclid OH 44132

Proud Home Chapter of  
Janice Goerss, Past Grand Matron & Grand Trustee



**INTRODUCING: WR #71 OES RADIO NETWORK**

The radio station continues to broadcast at every meeting. It has been a fun and interesting way each meeting to talk about the events for the evening and other pertinent facts. If you have not been to a meeting recently, you may want to come and see for yourself what is happening and join in on the fun times. If you need a ride, please call so we can arrange that for you. There are many exciting events coming up in the next several months and we would not want you to miss any of them. Hope to see you soon!!!

**CHAPTER MEETINGS**

- OCTOBER 4 Stated Meeting INITIATION – 2 new members
- OCTOBER 18 Stated Meeting Sister/Neighbor Night –Celebrate Halloween-wear OES appropriate costume. Special guests – Canines for Classrooms-bring in items on Wish List
- NOVEMBER 1 Stated Meeting
- NOVEMBER 15 Stated Meeting FAREWELL NIGHT
- NOVEMBER 24 INSTALLATION
- DECEMBER 6 Stated Meeting
- DECEMBER 20 Stated Meeting Celebrate Christmas – bring an ornament for gift exchange
- JANUARY 3 Stated Meeting Celebrate New Year  
SOUP & SANDWICH before meeting at 6:00 PM
- JANUARY 17 Stated Meeting Instruction Night – Renew Obligation
- FEBRUARY 7 Stated Meeting Celebrate Valentine’s Day – WEAR RED
- FEBRUARY 21 Stated Meeting INITIATION



## DATES TO REMEMBER

OCTOBER	7	Small School of Instruction – details TBA
OCTOBER	16	New Hope Chapter Roast new DGM
OCTOBER	21	Luncheon honoring Vivian Chrisopulos 1:30-6:00 PM \$21.00 at St. Michael's Woodside Reservations needed
OCTOBER	27	WGM/WGP Reception in Columbus
NOVEMBER	3-8	General Grand Chapter in Texas
NOVEMBER	13	Region B SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION at Masonic Home in Medina
DECEMBER	9	Children's Christmas Party – joint party with Collinwood Lodge 2:00 PM
DECEMBER	30	Annual New Year's Eve Party at Euclid Temple
JANUARY	12	66 Club Snowflake Dance

## DISTRICT 3 INSTALLATIONS

OCTOBER	6	Golden Rule	7:30 PM
OCTOBER	13	West Park	2:00 PM Berea Temple
OCTOBER	20	Ann Rutledge	2:00 PM
OCTOBER	30	New Hope	7:30 PM
NOVEMBER	9	Forest City	7:30 PM
NOVEMBER	10	Brecksville	2:00 PM Berea Temple PGP
NOVEMBER	16	Windermere	7:30 PM PGM
NOVEMBER	17	The River	7:30 PM
NOVEMBER	24	Western Reserve	7:30 PM
NOVEMBER	28	Ellbrook	7:30 PM
NOVEMBER	30	Strongsville	7:30 PM

## PAST MATRONS & PAST PATRONS

Lianne Vargo, President

December	Christmas Party TBA
January	20 Potluck & Initiation

## MARY STRONG AUXILIARY

Sandy Seaman, President

October	26	Meeting
December		Christmas Outing
January	25	Meeting
February	22	Meeting

## JANDELES

Contact Jan Goerss

“Over The Rainbow Drill Team”

## SUNSHINE

Report illness, sorrow, or good tidings to:

Linda Collins	216-486-8748
Jan Goerss	440-347-0079

Please visit our Chapter website at: [www.westernreserve71.org](http://www.westernreserve71.org)

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## SISTER/NEIGHBOR-SERVICE DOGS

On October 18, our sister chapter, The River will join us. Also Canines for Classrooms. Please bring animal supplies on their wish list. Halloween is the theme so wear OES appropriate costumes and join in on the fun.



## REGION B SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION

Our annual School of Instruction will be held on November 13 at Masonic Home in Medina. New Grand Officers will give us new and useful information regarding changes made at General Grand Chapter.



### **INSTALLATION**

You are cordially invited to attend the 116th Installation of Officers on Saturday, November 24 at 7:30 PM. Installing Officers are Jan Goerss and Sandy Seaman. Please support the new officers.

### **NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY**

Our annual New Year's Eve party will be held on December 31 at 7:30 PM at the Temple. Come join in the fun as we welcome in the new year. Bring cards and games to share. Nominal charge.

### **DUES ARE DUE**

Don't forget dues of \$20.00 are due October 4. Please mail check to our Secretary, Jan Goerss, with a **stamped, self addressed envelope**. Please see enclosed insert for details.

### **CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY**

Party will be held on December 9 at 2:00 PM. We will have a joint party with Collinwood Lodge. Please give names and ages of children to Sandy Seaman, 440-585-2233.

### **BUS TRIPS**

Jan is planning on putting together one or two bus trips in 2013. One possibility for August is to the Flight 93 Memorial in Pennsylvania. If this would interest you, please let us know.

### **NEW CHAIRS IN LODGE ROOM**

When you return to Chapter you will notice the newly upholstered chairs. If you are interested in helping with the cost of this project Temple Board is accepting donations of \$110.00 per chair in honor of or in memory of someone. A plaque will be put up with these names.

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### **EMAIL OF BULLETINS**

To cut down on the cost of mailing the bulletins, we would like to email them to anyone interested. Please call us with your email address so we can arrange for this to happen. Thank you in advance for accepting this request. We can always use ways to save money.

### **SURVEY**

Enclosed in this bulletin is a survey that we would appreciate every member filling out and returning to us either at a meeting or in the mail to our Secretary. There are a lot of opportunities to help and we know there are talented people in our Chapter. Please consider adding your talents to our meetings or events. We look forward to hearing from you.

### **TO THOSE WHO HAVE LOST LOVED ONES**

There are many things in life that we cannot understand,  
But we must trust God's judgment and be guided by His hand.  
And all who have God's blessing can rest safely in His care,  
For He promises safe passage on the wings of faith and prayer.

### **IN MEMORIAM**

Carol Garnons  
Eleanor McNabb

### **TO OUR SICK & SHUT INS**

When you're feeling low and lonely  
And no one seems to care,  
Reach out to God who loves you  
And unfold your wings of prayer.

### **TO MEMBERS NEAR AND FAR**

Our wish for you this Christmas  
From deep down in our hearts,  
Is for all good and happy things  
Such holidays impart.

### **MESSAGE FROM THE EAST**

Dear Sisters and Brothers,

It's hard to believe that we are at the tail end of our year as WM and WP. It's been a very busy, fun, and exciting year so far. We had some big events at the beginning – Grand Reception, Inspection, Merger, and Grand Visitation. WOW!! We appreciate everyone's help at all these special meetings. It was good to have a couple months to rest. Now we will get back in the swing of things and enjoy the rest of the year with some fun activities. Since we have been WM and WP, three of our officers gave birth, one boy and two girls. It's really a good sign for Eastern Star when we have to provide childcare for our young members.

We wish the best to Jan, Don and their corps of officers in 2013. We know they will do a wonderful job and look forward to being a part of their fun.

Thank you for letting us serve this year. It's been a wonderful experience for me being a first time WM and being a part of this great Chapter and beautiful Order. Wayne and I are grateful for everyone's support. We thank you from the bottom of our hearts.....

This is Gail and Wayne at WR71 OES Radio wishing everyone Good Health and Happiness.

### **MESSAGE FROM THE WEST**

Dear Sisters and Brothers,

Thank you for the confidence you expressed as you elected us your WM and WP for 2013. We pledge to do our very best to make this a successful and happy year. No one does this alone. We need our members working together for the good of our beloved Chapter to accomplish this. We need everyone, so please come to the meetings. Coming together is a beginning, working together is progress, and staying together is success. Any member of our chapter with perfect attendance at the meetings will get a prize at our last meeting. Congratulations to Gail and Wayne on a wonderful year. We had a great time.

The officers' holiday wish for you is: May the meaning of Christmas be deeper, it's friendship stronger, and it's hopes brighter, as it comes to you this year.

In Star Love, Jan and Don

# Wish List

## WISH LIST FOR DOGS AND PUPPIES

- ☆ Cheerios
- ☆ Crates-any size
- ☆ Dog brushes-soft bristle, gentle slicker and shedding blade
- ☆ Dog toothpaste
- ☆ Halti-size 2 and 3
- ☆ Milkbones
- ☆ Nylabones-any size
- ☆ Oatmeal shampoo and conditioner
- ☆ Durable puppy and dog toys (all types) NO RAWHIDES PLEASE!
- ☆ Rope toys/tug toys
- ☆ Six-foot leather or royal blue nylon leashes
- ☆ Cat food, cat litter (clumping)
- ☆ Wooden baby gates
- ☆ Oster Golden A5 Two-Speed Clipper or Andis AGC Super 2-Speed Clipper

NO RAWHIDES PLEASE!

## WISH LIST FOR FACILITY

- ✚ Air fresheners
- ✚ Cotton balls
- ✚ Dish soap
- ✚ Kitchen scrub brushes
- ✚ HE Laundry Detergent 2X or 3X
- ✚ Mop
- ✚ Pet stain remover
- ✚ Toilet paper
- ✚ Large trash bags
- ✚ Paper towels
- ✚ Copy paper in reams
- ✚ Salt for ice and snow
- ✚ Gain Laundry Detergent-powder
- ✚ Mr. Clean All Purpose Cleaner\
- ✚ Batteries
- ✚ Folders with pockets
- ✚ Anti bacterial liquid hand soap

## GIFT CARDS WISH LIST

- ✚ The Andersons
- ✚ Kroger
- ✚ Lowes
- ✚ Menards
- ✚ Office Max
- ✚ Pet Smart
- ✚ Sams
- ✚ Wal Mart
- ✚ Pet Supplies Plus
- ✚ Costco



## Chapter dues are due

2013 dues are due October 4, 2012

Please mail your check for \$20.00

Payable to Western Reserve Chapter #71

Mail to: Western Reserve Chapter  
Jan Goerss, Secretary  
31600 F N. Marginal  
Willowick, OH 44095

**Please include a stamped self addressed envelope.**

Email address: goersja@sbcglobal.net

Phone: 440-347-0079

We appreciate your membership in Western Reserve Chapter and continued support of the Order of the Eastern Star. Please drop us a line or better yet attend one of our meetings!

## 2012 SURVEY-PLEASE RETURN WITH YOUR DUES PAYMENT

NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
(please print)

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ WORK \_\_\_\_\_

CELL \_\_\_\_\_ ACCEPT EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_ TEXT \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

HOW COULD YOUR CHAPTER BETTER SERVE YOUR NEEDS?

WOULD YOU LIKE A RIDE TO/FROM CHAPTER ? \_\_\_\_\_

WOULD YOU BE INTERESTED IN HELPING US? (see below)

COMMITTEE MEMBER \_\_\_\_\_ FUND RAISING \_\_\_\_\_

MEMBERSHIP RETENTION \_\_\_\_\_ OFFICER \_\_\_\_\_

SPEAKING PART \_\_\_\_\_ NON-SPEAKING PART \_\_\_\_\_

CALLING COMMITTEE \_\_\_\_\_ AUDIT \_\_\_\_\_

DINING ROOM COMMITTEE \_\_\_\_\_ PIN ONS \_\_\_\_\_

TABLE DECORATIONS \_\_\_\_\_ AUXILIARIES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_ WHAT? \_\_\_\_\_

Please use the back for additional comments and/or suggestions