



INTERNATIONAL SHIPMASTERS' ASSOCIATION

DETROIT LODGE NO. 7

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January 16, 2014

TO: Members of Detroit Lodge No. 7

Detroit Lodge No. 7 is pleased to announce the **results of the lodge election** held on Tuesday, January 4, 2014:

President: **Richard S. Scott**
First Vice President: **Ronald C. LaPlante**
Second Vice President: **Thomas L. Jannausch**
Secretary-Treasurer: **Paul M. Jagenow**
Convention Delegate: **Patrick A. Beard**
Alternate Delegate: **Richard S. Scott**
Board of Governors (three elected for a three year term):
Ronald R. Ingram, John A. Sarns, Samuel A. Tundo
Alternate Governor: **Patrick A. Beard**

The following appointed officers will serve for the ensuing year:

Co-Chaplains: **Rev. Paul A. Innes**
Fr. Russell E. Kohler
Marshal: **Dennis E. Pomeroy**
Warden: **John C. Mantyk**
Sentinel: **Michael W. Nall**
Lodge Surgeons: **Dr. Thomas W. Baumgarten**
Dr. Larry W. Stephenson

Congratulations and good luck to our new slate of officers.

The **next gathering of the lodge will be an evening dinner meeting** on Saturday, January 25 at the Island Cove Marina on North River Road in Harrison Township. Members are encouraged to bring their spouses or guests. Social hour will commence at 5:30 PM with dinner to follow at 6:30 PM. The **dinner will be potluck**. The lodge will provide refreshments and the main meat course. Attendees are asked to bring a dish to pass. Following dinner, lodge member Wayne Sapulski, who is active in the Great Lakes Lighthouse Keepers Association, will give a presentation on recent successes in lighthouse preservation efforts around the Great Lakes. Wayne has visited every lighthouse on the Great Lakes, over 360 in both the U.S. and Canada. His knowledge of the history of Great Lakes lighthouses is impressive, and he has authored or co-authored two books on the subject. See the Enclosed program announcement for full details.

Special thanks to Sam and Peggy Tundo for sponsoring the lodge at the Island Cove Marina.

A reminder about the Island Cove Marina clubhouse: As you enter the marina parking lot from Conger Bay Drive you will approach the marina building. The door you see on the front of the building is the entrance to the Island Cove Marina business office and exercise room. The clubhouse has a separate entrance. It is on the right-hand side of the building. The clubhouse is one flight up, so you will need to negotiate a flight of stairs. There is no elevator. If anyone manages to get lost enroute to the Island Cove Marina, feel free to call my cell phone for additional directions.

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This mailing contains a **nomination form for the [Lewis Ludington Award](#)**, which is bestowed at Mariners' Church during the annual Blessing of the Fleet. A nominee must be a licensed mariner, a member of the I.S.M.A. and meet the qualifications listed on the back of the nomination form. These requirements were written by the late Bishop Richard W. Ingalls when the award was established back in 1994. Also listed on the back of the nomination form is an alphabetical listing of previous recipients of the award. The Board of Governors will select candidates for the award at the next Board meeting, which is scheduled for Tuesday, February 4 at the Island Cove Marina. To be eligible for consideration, nominations must be received prior to the Board meeting.

A hearty welcome is extended to two new lodge members, who recently joined the lodge: William M. Calihan of Chesterfield, MI (Active Professional) and Loran S. Tong of Casco, MI (Associate). Congratulations to both on becoming members of Detroit Lodge No. 7.

Member John Jamian, Executive Director of the Detroit/Wayne County Port Authority, wrote an Op-Ed that appeared on the "Voices" page of the December 1, 2013 edition of the *Detroit Free Press*. The Op-Ed, titled "Ships make our lives easier, carry raw materials to the plants," explains the economic efficiencies of shipping bulk materials by ship.

Fraternally yours,

Paul M. Jagenow
Secretary-Treasurer