

SACCARAPPA LODGE #86 A.F.& A.M.
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SACCARAPPA Lodge # 86 was organized DECEMBER 20,2002

HISTORY REPORT FOR 2006

January 2,2006 a stated meeting was held at Saccarappa Lodge # 86 and Wor. Bro. Bruce Henderson was elected Master of this Lodge for the insuring year. The installation of Saccarappa Lodge was held January 13,2006. Thirty three (33) members and guest were present. The installing officers were PDDGM RW Edward O'Brien and PDDGM RW John Caldwell. VW Kenneth Caldwell was the installing Marshall and VW Edward Knox was the installing Chaplain.

Those installed	Wor Bro. Bruce Henderson	WM
	Bro. Michael Henderson	SW
	Bro. Robert Pallang	JW
	Wor Bro. Carl Taylor	Treas.
	VW Bro Lawrence Wescott	Sec.
	Wor Bro. Cal Coleman	Chaplain
	Bro. Dell Campbell	Marshall
	Bro. John Maston	JD
	Bro. Adam Belodeau	SS
	Bro. Rodney Hint	JS
	Bro. Soren Christensen	Tyler

Past Masters held a widows night for our Masonic Widows May 22,2006. Twenty Five (25) ladies and members were present. Following an excellent dinner of ham, mash potatoes, gravy and veggies with carrot cake and coffee. (After this fine meal prepared by our chief Dennice Lowell), the ladies were entertained by Wor. Bro. Walter Hayes with his fine tricks of the hand. The ladies were pleased and received a decorated carnation from RW Bro. Edward O'Brien.

AS always Saccarappa Lodge donated Five Hundred Dollars (500) to the 50/50 scholarship program with the Grand Lodge Of Maine to a recipient of Westbrook High School, Fifty Dollars (50) to the Order of the Rainbows, One Hundred Dollars (100) to the Demo lay Conclave, Fifty Dollars (50) to the Masonic Association, Two Hundred Dollars (200) to the ALS Foundation, Two Hundred Dollars (200) to the Art Center, One Hundred Dollars (100) to the Pollack Jewelers Children Fund, One Thousand Dollars (1000) to Ms Clair Moss a single mother suffering from cancer and One thousand Dollars (1000) to a Brother in North Conway who was in a bad a Truck accident.

Saccarappa Lodge participated in the spirit of assisting the Salvation Army in ringing the bell at the Shaw's Shopping Center Dec. 2,2006. Through our assistance Five Hundred and Forty Nine Dollars and Fifty-One Cents (549.51) was donated to the Salvation Army.

A special meeting was held for the purpose of pour official visitation by the Seventeenth (17th) Masonic District DDGM RW Bro. Kenneth Caldwell. The Acting Grand Marshall was

PDDGM RW Bro. John Caldwell. The candidate for the degree work was Bro. Michael Collins of Hiram Lodge # 180. Saccarappa Lodge received a grade of Very Good.

This was a very slow year for candidates; only one candidate was initiated to the Degree of an EA Bro. Robert C Simmons received this Degree Dec 20,2006

Bro. Adam Belodeau was elected to be Proxy for Saccarapp Lodge # 86 AT THE grand Lodge sessions the week of May1st, 2006 Most Worshipful Gerald Leighton was elected Grand Master Of The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge Of Maine. Saccarappa Lodge # 86 was not represented at this session.

Saccarappa Lodge went dark during the mouths of July and Augusta.

Brother Eugene Barton received his Fifty (50) year veteran's medal for Fifty years of Masonic service and Bro. William C. Barnes Veterans Medal was sent to Tewksbury Ma.

Necrology: It becomes our sad duty to mention the brethren who have past on to that celestial above.

Bro. Arthur W Bragdon	02 /16/2006
Bro.Robert L Card	03/03/2006
Wor. Bro. William W Mc Dade	04/07/2006
Bro. Howard E Tripp	04/10/2006
Bro. Phillip O Allen	06/20/2006
Bro.Danial L Simmons	07/30/2006
Bro. Wallace M Rogers Jr.	08/05/2006
Bro. Louis P Blanchette	09/03/2006
Bro. Robert G. Webb	12/14/2006

Bro. Robert Car who past on to the celestial Lodge above Seven (7) years ago and was notified this year by his widow.

Bro's. Phillip Allen and Loius Blanchette received a graveside service and Bro. William McDade received a Masonic service.

Meetings this year were Ten (10) Stated, Three (3) Specials and Three (3) Specials for a Masonic Service. The average attendance was Twenty One (21)

Deceased	9
Demitted	7
Suspended	0
EA Degree	1
FC Degree	0
MM Degree	0
Affiliated	0
Membership January 0.2006	204
Membership December 31/2006	188

Wor. Bro. Bruce Hendersen had a very good year. Although we didn't have many candidates your officers did work one EA Degree on Bro. Robert Simmons. Applications were read on two other candidates to receive the degree of this lodge and one was read for affiliation. The membership has dropped due to deaths and demits. For the first time in many years we had no suspensions and that was due to the efforts of our Secretary VW Bro. Lawrence Wescott. A wonderful time was had by the members and guest at the strawberry festival held June 02/2006 to grilled hamburgers, hot dogs coffee, soda and of course the strawberry shot cake all being served by Bro. Robert Pallang and his helpers Bro. Carl Coleman, Bro. Adam Delodeau, Bro. Mike Hendersen, Bro. Mike Beiotte and Bro. John Maston. There was laughter and all around good fun in the dinning hall only to be continued in the lodge room. To quote the Wayfarer Man it was wonderful, wonderful, wonderful.

Your officers were active in the Child Identification Program (CHIP) assisting in interviewing and finger printing the children. It was reported that over 2500 children were processed throughout the state. The foundation of the Lodge building was painted by Wor. Bro. Bruce Hendersen and his helpers. The dinning hall and kitchen were rewired with more outlets through out and to separate the dishwasher from the garbage disposal. A new Hobart Dish Washer was installed with a huge savings of \$2700 through the efforts of RW Bro. Frank Dixon.

An open house was held Oct. 02/2006 for the benefited of the public to visit our lodge, what it is about and to let it be known what Masonry is. A seminar was held at Saccarappa Lodge By the Grand Secretary RW Bro. Hallis Dixon and Bro. Tom Heath. It was a very educational seminar for secretaries of all lodge Sectaries. Twenty Seven (27) were present. A new position of Ambassador was established for all lodges in this jurisdiction by MW Bro. Gerald Leighton and the educational committee. This was enabling each lodge to have a person to get the information out and represent their lodge. Saccarappa Lodge was fortunate to have Wor. Bro. Paul Laslie to volunteer for that position.

A lot was accomplished, interesting meeting was held and all members and guest had fun. This ends another year of Brotherly love and friendship.

Respectfully Submitted

RW Bro. Edward W. O'Brien

Historian of Saccarappa Lodge # 86

Cc: Grand Lodge Of Maine, RW Hollis Dixon Grand Sec.