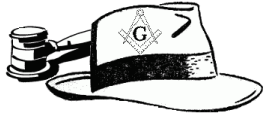


# Midlothian Lodge No. 211

## ***Ancient, Free & Accepted Masons***

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### **July & August 2010 From The East**

**Brethren and Friends,**

The July Stated Meeting is our annual picnic. Please join us and enjoy the food and friendship. There is a lot of activity going on in our Lodge, District, and Fraternity. Some of our brethren have been traveling to other lodges and helping them in their degree work. We need more brethren to assist us in catechism coaching of our new Midlothian candidates.

A big thank you goes out to the Brethren that participated in our fundraiser at Meadow Event Park, between this effort and our BBQ sale we should have the necessary funds to provide our annual scholarships. While we're on the subject of funds, please remember that our Lodge operates on a limited budget and early payment of dues is helpful and appreciated. Our Treasurer informs me that approximately 50% of our brethren have paid their dues for 2010 at this date. We also have several brethren who have not yet paid 2009 dues. Most every meeting we entertain suggestions to support various causes. I am sure you have heard in lodge several times, "our charity is unlimited, but our funds are not". If you can, please and pay your dues. Finally, keep our sick and distressed in your thoughts and prayers, we have many within our Masonic family that are being challenged at this time.

**William Raymond**  
Worshipful Master

***In memory of those in our Military who have fallen and those who have yet to return home ...***

### **Dates to Remember**

July 13 - DEO "Officer Class" at Clover Hill 7 PM  
July 28 - District Ritual Class at Midlothian 7 PM  
July 30 - GM Gala, Dinner & Roy Clark Show 7:00 PM  
Aug. 1-4 Reid J Simmons Academy - Fork Union, Va.  
August 4 - Midlothian Stated Communication 7:30 PM  
Aug. 15, 5 PM District 16 Ball Game at the Diamond  
Aug. 25 - District Ritual Class at Midlothian 7 PM

**Lodge Calendar** www.midlothian211.org  
Keep up with Lodge events by looking frequently.

### **Stated Communication - 1st Wednesday at 7:30 PM**

### **Dinner is Served at 6:15 PM**

Your family is always welcome.  
Donation \$6.00 (Widows are our guests)

### **Degree Work & Practice**

2nd - 3rd - 4th Monday at 7:00 PM

### **Mahova Gifts**

"A number of our members have responded nicely to the Mahova Birthday Program, and for this we thank them very much. Unfortunately we are almost halfway through the year, and so far, we are a long way from reaching our goal of again earning the Morlock Award. WE NEED YOUR HELP NOW! If you have already had your birthday this year, and for whatever reason, you have not responded, we ask you to do so now if you possibly can. Any amount of \$5.00 or more will qualify."

### **Dues for 2010 are \$76.00**

**Mail to P.O. Box 211, Midlothian, VA 23113**

**Give Blood, the Gift of Life** Our Lodge identification Number is #5278. Thank you for donating! Please report your donations to Bro. Matt Johnson 598-4304.

### **Widow Recognition**

Our widows are important to us. Invite one to dinner, they are always our guest and their meal is on us. If you know of a widow in need, please contact the Junior Warden or Master.

### **Prayers and Concerns**

Your Lodge wants to acknowledge those who are ill or suffer a loss, so please keep us informed. Our brethren are informed at each meeting of those who need our prayers and concerns. We sincerely hope you or your loved one is better at this time.

**Midlothian #211 Bulletin is posted on the Internet**  
**www.midlothian211.org - Select (Trestle Board)**

## Stated Meetings in the 16<sup>th</sup> District

Midlothian #211	1 <sup>st</sup> Wed	7:30 P
Black Heath #1982	2 <sup>nd</sup> Wed	11:00 A
Chester #94	2 <sup>nd</sup> Thu	7:30 P
Clover Hill #253	3 <sup>rd</sup> Wed	7:30 P
DeWitt-Clinton #141	3 <sup>rd</sup> Thu	7:30 P
Powhatan #295	4 <sup>th</sup> Tue	7:30 P
	2nd Tue-Dec	

### Affiliated Bodies meeting in our Lodge

Eastern Star	2 <sup>nd</sup> Tuesday	7:30 P
DeMolay	1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Thursday	7:30 P
Jobbies	1st & 3rd Sunday	7:00 P

### Midlothian Lodge 211 Officers – 2010

Worshipful Master	Wor. Wm. Raymond	869-3497
Senior Warden	Bro. Darrell Smith	370-0163
Junior Warden	Bro. Greg McCarney	247-1011
Treasurer	Wor. Mike Colley	794-2022
Secretary	Wor. Kevin Kirsh	652-7128
Senior Deacon	Bro. John Raymond	323-8822
Junior Deacon	Bro. Andrew Chandler	921-2951
Chaplain	Wor. Gene Puckett	897-0132
Senior Steward	Bro. Jacob Yost	244-6150
Junior Steward	Bro. Rusty Brinkley	350-1396
Marshal	Bro. Tim Dempster	651-0200
Tiler	Bro. Bob Weatherford	794-4119
	Wor. Jim Beamguard	794-0602
Trustees	Wor. Rocky Robison	379-0511
	Rt. Wor. Joe Vincent	794-5798
Masonic Home	Wor. Gene Puckett	897-0132

Most Worshipful  
William Earle Rorer, Jr.  
Grand Master of Masons  
In Virginia



**When you look in the mirror, honestly ask yourself. " If I were tried in a court of law today, would there be enough evidence for a jury to find me guilty of being a Freemason? " (MW George Kidd, GM of GLVA 1966)**

**"Forget Not The Duties"**

**Live by the Golden Rule even when it is not convenient to do so.**



**Midlothian Lodge No. 211  
A. F. & A. M.  
Chartered  
December 12, 1866**

### Baseball at the Diamond

Clover Hill Lodge is inviting the 16<sup>th</sup> Masonic District to attend a Baseball Game at the Diamond on Sunday, August 15 at 5:00PM. The Group Rate is \$7.00 Per Person. Deadline to purchase tickets is July 12th. See your Lodge Treasurer.

Come out with your family and friends. Wear your Masonic shirts and hats to the game. The Flying Squirrels play good baseball and put on a good show including gifts & prizes between innings!

### Grand Master's Roy Clark Gala Dinner Arrangements

To be held at the Scottish Rite Temple in the Valley of Richmond, on Friday evening, July 30, beginning at 7:00 p.m. The Richmond Scottish Rite Temple is located at 4204 Hermitage Road. The festivities will include a catered dinner in the Dining Hall of the Scottish Rite Temple. Seating is limited to 400. Each dinner & show ticket is priced at \$50. Orders for dinner tickets must be placed with your District Deputy. Sale of dinner tickets will be on a strict "first-come-first-served" basis. Each table will seat 10 people.

After the dinner, we will enjoy entertainment provided by **Ill. Bro. Roy Clark**. Due to the larger seating capacity of the Theater over the Dining Hall, the Grand Master's Gala Committee will have an additional 250 tickets available for sale. Each theater ticket is priced at \$25 for show only. Sale of theater tickets will be on a strict "first-come-first-served" basis.

The deadline for dinner ticket sales is July 20. There is no deadline for theater ticket sales except for notification of a sell-out.

**Make checks payable to the order of "Masonic Home of Virginia". Note on check: GM Gala2010, then send to GM Gala 2010, P O Box 735, Alexandria, VA 22313-0735**