

**YORK COUNTY FRATERNAL ORDER OF POLICE  
LODGE # 73 – MONDAY FEBRUARY 11, 2013 MINUTES**

**HOME ASSOCIATION:**

President Matthew Emig called the meeting to order at 1907 hours. There were 52 members attending.

**Guest Speakers:**

Coroner Barry Bloss was present at the meeting and introduced Steve Cozy who is running for Coroner. Mr. Cozy spoke to the membership and requested endorsement. If elected he would go into office on 1/02/2014.

Attorney Corey Leslie was also present at the meeting. He is running for District Attorney and addressed the membership and requested endorsement.

Current DA Tom Kearney was also present at the meeting and addressed the membership for their support. He is running for a 2<sup>nd</sup> term. He did not request endorsement.

**Roll Call of Officers:**

Present: President Matthew R. Emig, 1<sup>st</sup> VP Tobin L. Zech, 2<sup>nd</sup> VP Rodger D. Johnson, Treasurer Troy N. Senft, Secretary Donald E. Hopple Jr., Membership Secretary Greg Witmer, Trustee Darryl L. Albright, Trustee John R. Slater, Trustee Donald E. Gettys, Conductor Daniel Press, Guard James Walsh, and Chaplain J. Thomas Shelley.

Absent: Past President John H. Fishel, and Solicitor Edward A. Paskey, Esq.

**Minutes:**

The minutes from the January monthly meeting were reviewed and approved. Motion to accept by Brother Dan Press, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Brother Ken Witmer. All in favor.

**Treasurers Report:**

The Treasurers report was reviewed and approved. Motion to accept by Brother Joel Klinedinst, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Brother Darryl Albright. All in favor.

**Correspondence:**

None.

**Committee Reports:**

President Emig announced the committees for 2013. They are as follows:

1. Investigation/Audit – The 3 Trustees.
2. Sick – Brother Ken Witmer – (CH), Brother John Fishel – (V. CH), Brother Tom Shelley, and Brother Joel Klinedinst
3. Membership – Brother Greg Witmer – (CH), Brother Joel Klinedinst – (V.CH), and Brother Bill Polizzotto.
4. Range – Brother Toby Zech – (CH), Brother Jim Walsh – (V.CH), Brother Jeff Oberdorff, and Brother Tim Cunningham.
5. Oyster Feed – Brother Don Hopple – (CH), Brother Troy Senft – (V.CH)

Membership Committee - Membership Secretary Greg Witmer read a list of members have not renewed their dues to date. Motion by Brother Toby Zech, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Brother Joel Klinedinst to drop those members from the roles. All in favor.

Membership Secretary Greg Witmer also advised we had one application for membership and everything was in order - Ryan Mills. Motion to accept by Brother Ken Witmer, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Brother Joel Klinedinst. All in favor.

Range Committee – Brother Toby Zech advised he secured the contract from Tru Green to maintain the range. This expenditure (\$665.52) was already approved in his budget.

Brother Jeff Oberdorff advised he had the booklet for the range with the proposed upgrades/new tower and this is ready to be forwarded to the DA's Office for consideration with regard to monetary assistance.

Brother Walsh advised all of the bills went out and half of the checks came back so far.

Investigation Committee - No report.

Sick Committee – No report.

Oyster Feed Committee – Brother Hopple and Brother Senft advised that everything is ready to go for the feed.

Merchandise Committee – No report.

Audit Committee – Trustee Slater, Trustee Gettys, and Trustee Albright examined the books and advised the books were in good order.

### **Old Business:**

Action Target system – Brother Cunningham has all of the parts made and the air cylinders were donated by Brother Jay Dacheux. The repairs will all be made when warmer weather arrives.

\*Thank You to Brother Cunningham and Brother Dacheux for their help with this.

### **New Business:**

PSP Youth Week is coming up and they requested to use the range on 6/12/2013. Motion to allow by Brother Dan Press, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Brother Don Gettys. All in favor.

### **Good of Order:**

Brother Joel Klinedinst asked about a surveillance system for the range. Discussion held.

President Emig swore in Brother D.J. Hoshauer (YARPD).

### **Adjournment:**

Motion to adjourn at 1952 hours by Brother Larry Myers, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Brother Don Gettys. All in favor.

Respectfully submitted,

Donald E. Hopple Jr.  
Secretary – Lodge #73

\*\*Attendance report attached.

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**Treasurers Report:**

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**Correspondence:**

President Emig advised of the “Leadership Matters” course being held by the NFOP. See him if interested. (2/14/2013 - 2/16/2013)

PA State Lodge Winter Boards are being conducted from 3/22/2013 through 3/23/2013 in Gettysburg. We also received the literature on the upcoming PA Labor Seminar training. Brother Keith Dyke (YARPD) requested to attend. The fee is \$80.00. Motion to pay and enroll Brother Dyke by Brother Joel Klinedinst, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Brother Scott Laird. All in favor.

The Day on the Hill is scheduled for April 16, 2013.

President Emig read a thank you to the Lodge from Brother Joel Klinedinst for his “Recent lapse of common sense” as he described it.

**Officer Reports:**

Treasurer Senft advised the Water Company stocks are doing well. He also advised that one of the \$10,000.00 CD's from Metro Bank had been cashed with the intention to put it right back. He advised that he would not be putting it back in until August or September of this year due to our current financial status.

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4. Legal/Endorsement – Brother Jim Walsh (CH), Brother Dan Press (V.CH), Brother Don Hopple, and Brother Gary Vreeland.
5. Labor Council – Brother Matt Emig (CH). (\*Looking for others interested.)

6. Solicitation – Brother Dan Press (CH), Brother Rodger Johnson (V.CH), and Brother Troy Senft.

Solicitation – We will be meeting with Greg Romano from Show Promotions (Ohio) in the near future.

Membership – Membership Secretary Greg Witmer read the list of members with dues not paid to date. Motion by Brother Don Gettys, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Brother Darryl Albright to drop those members from the roles. All in favor.

He also presented applications for membership. They are as follows:

1. Michael J. Carricato – West York PD.
2. Raymond W. Vent – York Co. Probation
3. Travis Stottlemyer - STPD

Motion to accept all three above by Brother John Slater, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Brother Don Gettys. All in favor. We also received requests for life membership from Brother Scott Laird, Brother Howard Daniels, and Brother Terry Drawbaugh. Motion to award Life Membership by Brother Darryl Albright, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Brother Ken Witmer. All in favor.

Sick – Brother Ken Witmer advised Brother Walter Groom, Brother Bill Buckingham, and Brother Doug Meisenhelter all had surgeries and Brother Joel Klinedinst had his fingers/hand injured from a snow blower accident.

Audit – Trustee Slater, Trustee Gettys, and Trustee Albright examined the books and advised the books were in good order.

Web Site – No report.

Labor Council – President Emig advised the departments are the same for the year. They are also meeting with Stewartstown PD, Southern Regional PD, and West Manheim Twp. PD.

Legislative – Brother Jim Walsh advised this was their first day back in session. He said he would have a report for next meeting.

#### **Old Business:**

1. President Emig reminded the membership of retirement certificates. He also handed out certificates to Sister Kathy Cronin, Brother Paul Redifer, Brother Russell Rhodes, and Brother Keith Trapnell. Congratulations!
2. President Emig discussed the new t-shirts design that has been finalized. The committee will have the proof and will present it to the body and then take orders from those interested.

#### **New Business:**

President Emig advised he was looking for committee members to serve on the labor council committee.

#### **Good of Order:**

President Emig swore Steven Gati from York County Probation into membership.

**Adjournment:**

Motion to adjourn at 2023 hours by Brother John Slater, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Brother Darryl Albright. All in favor.

Respectfully submitted,

Donald E. Hoppie Jr.  
Secretary – Lodge #73

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