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Barneveld Masonic Lodge #319  
108 South Jones Street  
Barneveld, Wisconsin 53507

Meet: Every second Tuesday of the month at 7:00 PM

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## Barneveld Masonic Lodge Trestle Board – January 2016

### November and December meeting highlights:

At the November meeting the new display of past-masters was unveiled. To celebrate the new look the Lodge enjoyed a Past-Masters dinner. Dave Grinder, Sean Shilling, Dan Bowe, and Nick Huffman helped prepare and serve the dinner. The menu included beef tenderloin with a bourboun sauce or chicken marsala. White table cloths and real dishes added to the special occasion. Past-Masters in attendance included:

Neal Massey  
Dom Komplin  
Kreighton McCutchin  
Gerald Watson  
Robin Gilbertson

Larry Myers  
Doug Shriber  
Charles Shriber  
Vernon Massey  
Randall Massey

Rob Massey  
Mark McCutchin  
Scott Komplin

After the meeting Dave Grinder gave a presentation on the "Endogenous Reward System."

The carpet throughout the lodge has been professionally cleaned. It looks very nice. Vernon Massey and Mark McCutchin assisted the ZeroRez cleaner by moving furniture around. Vernon and Dan Bowe moved the furniture back into its place. Thank you for your help.

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Elections were held at the December meeting. The following positions have been filled:

Dave Grinder, Worshipful Master  
Vernon Massey, Senior Warden  
Scott Komplin, Junior Warden  
Bob Johnson, Senior Deacon

Sean Shilling, Junior Deacon  
Mark McCutchin, Tyler  
Randall Massey, Secretary/Treasurer  
James Helgeson, Counselor

Installing dignitaries, officers,  
and pro-temps.



## Lecture Series for 2016

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January 12, 2016: **"Violence and Education in Northeast India"** Wyatt Massey

Wyatt will share his experiences from his trip to India. Wyatt's trip was to foster a relationship between Marquette University and a college in India.

February 9, 2016: **"The History of Masonry up to 1826"** Tom Walton

This is not docu-drama material from the History channel. This is real.

March 8, 2016: **"King Solomon's Temple"** Dave Ritchie

What is the archeological evidence from a building that is the corner stone of Masonry?

April 12, 2016: **"Global Warming, the Evidence and Implications"** Mike Mudrey

This is not a political talk about what is causing what and what we need to do. This is the facts.

May 10, 2016: **"Severe Weather Safety"** Andrew Davis

Important information we all need to know.

June 14, 2016: **"Medical Genomics"** Dave Grinder

Learn what your genes actually do and how they work. Its almost science fiction.

At the December meeting we talked about creating jobs for each position. Little things like turning the heat on, etc. What we really need is someone to help write the Tresse Board.

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## The roles have been called but one does not answer

John L. Brown, age 71 of Barneveld, WI died on Saturday, December 19, 2015 at his home with his wife, Linda, of 51 years at his side. After 15 years, he lost his battle with three different cancers. John was born June 25, 1944 in Aurora, Illinois to Harold E. and Lucille (Fairbanks) Brown. In his youth, he belonged to the Hollandale Volunteer Fire Dept. and the Barneveld Masonic Lodge where he was a past Worshipful Master. He loved his family and working the land on his rural farm. He was a man of great kindness and integrity. He will be missed by many. He is survived by his wife, Linda, his son: Kurt (fiancé: Dawn Lease) Brown; two grandsons: Levi and Parker all of Barneveld. He was preceded in death by his parents and only sister: Marlene Sittler. The family will take care of his cremated human remains per John's request. Memorials may be sent to: Barneveld Masonic Lodge; Attn: Treasurer, 108 S. Jones Street, Barneveld, WI 53507.

