





## Rochester York Rite

### Temple Chapter No 20 - Orient Council No 14 - Palestine Commandery No 11

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### Rochester York Rite Calendar for September, 2015

#### Rochester York Rite Meetings, September 1, 2015:

6:30 PM: Supper provided by the Rochester Rainbow Assembly. Ladies, as always you are our guests. Call any member or an officer listed below for a ride.

7:30 PM: Stated Meetings: Chapter, Council, and Commandery.

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#### Other NH York Rite Events:

9/08/2015 – Portsmouth Joint Chapter & Council Visitation, 6:30 supper, 7:30 pm work

9/14/2015 – Nashua Joint Chapter & Council Visitation, 6:30 supper, 7:30 pm work

9/22/2015 – Concord Royal Master & Select Master Degrees, 6:30 supper, 7:30 pm work

9/23/2015 – Manchester Joint Chapter & Council Visitation, 6:30 supper, 7:30 pm work

9/27/2015 – Rochester Joint Chapter & Council Visitation, 6:30 supper, 7:30 pm work

#### Comments: Hope your summer was wonderful!

Joint visitations of Chapter and Council: Chapter or Council will open full form, receive the Grand Visiting Officers who will inspect finances, records, ritual, and then present an education program. On a separate night, the Chapter or Council that did not open will perform a degree. Example: Open Chapter, do a Council degree. Or *vice versa*.

Today as I put this Trestle Board together, it is mid-August, hot, humid, and I cannot help but wonder where the summer has gone? In a few short weeks our children and grandchildren will be back in school and our Masonic resumes for another year. Your Grand Chapter, Council, and Commandery Officers are working hard to improve our methods and procedures as we try to keep new members coming to our monthly meetings. This summer we had the Rochester & Portsmouth Town Hall Meeting to solicit your ideas, interests, and thoughts on how we should proceed. As you are all aware, our numbers continue to drop, and our new members do not continue to return for our monthly meetings. If you were not able to attend the Town Hall Meeting but want to share your ideas, please sent them to the Secretary-Recorder For consideration and implementation.

Please cut out and post this in a conspicuous spot in your home:

Please contact one of the four officers listed below if our Brother/Companion/Sir Knight becomes ill, indisposed, disabled or is in need of transportation, companionship, or assistance of any type. IF YOU NEED HELP, CALL US!

*Your Officers are looking forward to seeing you at our meetings*

Daniel P. Gilbert, High Priest

Ronald J. Brown, Thrice II Master

Glen E. Eldredge, Commander

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