



From Under the Eastern Star Mount Pleasant Lodge Newsletter

May, 2011

Brethren,

Welcome to the May newsletter. I hope you and your families are all well and healthy. WBro Andrew Childs is at present organising our annual United Services Club Lodge Dinner for June/July. Please let him know if you are interested in attending. Another function to put into the social diary is the TAFE Dinner that WBro Andrew Childs is currently organising for May. In the past this has been very well attended and is a great night. Details are to follow soon.



The Worshipful Master, WBro Geoff Mauger, with the newest member of Mt Pleasant Lodge, Bro Michael Tangué

Thank you for all the Officers who filled in various positions for our March meeting, especially WBro Peter Donald who filled in with a couple of hours notice to do the Reasons for Preparation. Your contribution is greatly appreciated. The 1st degree at our April meeting for Mr Michael Leon Tangué was done very successfully by all the officers concerned, which was no doubt helped by our many practices. It was pleasing to see the number of visitors who attended, especially Ironside Lodge whose Worshipful Master, WBro Jim Kay, was presented with a 'Jiggins' – the Mt Pleasant Visitor's Jewel.



WBro Jim Kay, Worshipful Master of Ironside Lodge, receives his Mt Pleasant 'Jiggins' (visitor's jewel) from the Wor Master assisted by RWBro Harold Littler PJGW.



WBro Jim Kay supported by his Ironside Lodge brethren.

A reminder about our Information Meeting on the 26 May. This is an information meeting only, which will take place instead of our regular May meeting and is open to interested men and their Partners/Wives so that they can find out more about the Craft and how it might impact on them (eg.4 hours a month).If you have any ideas for this open night please let WBro Trevor Green or WBro Ron Walker know. If you haven't received the information on the "Guide to Masonic Open Nights", please email the secretary. Our May meeting will be an open and close meeting on our practice night, 19th May, which will be advised by the secretary.



Winners are gridders. WBro Bill Moffat and a visiting brother with their prizes from the Mt Pleasant "swindle".

The secretary, WBro Bob Jenkinson, has placed articles from the Grand Lodge "Lodge Improvement Scheme" onto our website. They are worth spending some time reading.

To those who are having health problems with yourself or your family, our thoughts and prayers are with you. Please let the almoner or another member of Mt Pleasant Lodge know if you need any assistance.

Installations. There are a large number of lodge installations in the coming two months. The following invitations have been received:

- Wed 11 May - **Baden Powell Lodge**
Installation of Bro Paul Rogerson, Stones Corner Masonic Centre, tyle at 7:10pm.
- Sat 21 May - **Woodford Lodge**
Installation of Bro Bradley Wesener, Woodford Masonic Centre, ,tyle at 3.45pm.
- Sat 28 May - **Theodore Unmack Lodge**
Installation of WBro Greg Lorimer, Stones Corner Masonic Centre, tyle at 4.15pm.
- Sat 04 June - **The Stanley Lodge**
Installation of Bro Fraser McKechnie, Stones Cnr Masonic Centre, tyle at 3:45pm.
- Sat 25 June - **Kianawah Lodge**
Installation of WBro William MacKenzie, Wynnum Masonic Centre, tyle at 6:15pm.

Fraternal regards,

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EVENTS & VISITATION LIST (View on our website: <http://www.mpl361.org.au>)

Wed 18 May 7:30pm	Duke of Leinster Lodge – 2 nd Degree – Bro Shane Skillen	Stones Corner Masonic Centre
Th 26 May 7.30pm	Our Lodge – Information evening – open to all interested family and friends.	Stones Corner Masonic Centre
Mon 13 June 7:30pm	Camp Hill Lodge – 2 nd Degree – Bro Nathan George	Stones Corner Masonic Centre