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ODD FELLOWS/REBEKAHS OF MAINE

DATES TO MARK ON YOUR CALENDAR

8/15-20/2026 SGL/IARA/GMC Frisco Texas

9/19/2026 Home 100th year anniversary party.

9/25-26/2026 Connecticut Rebekah Assembly/Grand Lodge

10/15-16/2026 Maine Rebekah Assembly session

10/16/2026 Grand Encampment of Maine session.

10/16/2026 Rebekah Assembly/Grand Lodge Banquet

10/17/2026 Grand Lodge of Maine session.

10/24/2026 Potato run

12/4/2026 Second Journey to the National Memorial of the Pacific Wreath laying ceremony Hawaii.

NOTES

LODGE OF SORROW

PDC, PGP Raymond Barter St. George Lodge #132 passed away 6/16/2026.

Traditional Duties of an Odd Fellow Are:

- **To visit the sick**
- **To relieve the distressed**
- **To bury the dead**
- **To Educate the Orphan**
Helping others to build a better World

IF YOU WANT YOUR LODGES EVENTS AND PHOTOS PUBLISHED PLEASE SEND THEM TO THE GL EMAIL PREFERABLE AS A WORD DOCUMENT OR ATTACHMENTS

**JULY
2026**



GRAND MASTER'S JULY LETTER

Thank you to everyone who participated in our district meetings. They were very well attended and very well played out. It is greatly appreciated.

Many lodges will be closed for the summer but, there are still many Odd Fellow events happening. Parmenas Encampment in Albion, will be hosting an initiatory degree on three candidates, July 6th at 6:00 pm. Please feel free to join us.

On June 27th and June 28th, we are planning a trip to, Hancock Lodge on Swan's Island. If you would like to attend, please contact Rod Ronco.

On June 27th, Garfield Lodge is helping the town of Winterport, to celebrate America's 250th birthday.

Garfield Lodge has been asked to put a float in Frankfort's 4th of July parade. FUN FOR ALL!

That is all I have for now.

Yours in F.L.& T,

Rod Ronco

PRESIDENT'S NEWSLETTER FOR JULY.

FIRST, MY APOLOGY FOR NOT WRITING A JUNE NEWSLETTER. I HOPE ALL THE FATHERS OUT THERE HAD A GREAT FATHERS'DAY.

WELL, THIS YEAR HAS COME TO A CLOSE, AS FAR AS ALL OUR VISITATIONS.

I WOULD LIKE TO THANK ALL THE LODGES FOR THE SUPPORT YOU HAVE GIVEN US.

WE ARE NOW DOWN TO 10 LODGES SO IT'S MOST IMPORTANT TO SUPPORT EACH OTHER.

JUST A REMINDER TO EVERYONE THAT WE AT CAMP NEOFA WOULD LIKE TO HAVE YOU COME AND VISIT. WE ARE OPEN FROM JUNE 28TH TO THE 24TH OF JULY. IF YOU KNOW OF ANY CHILD THAT WOULD LIKE TO COME TO CAMP IT IS NOT TOO LATE. JUST CALL THE OFFICE AT 207-589-4133. ALSO, WE COULD USE YOUR SUPPORT FINANCIALLY, EITHER FOR CAMPERSHIPS OR FOR MAINTENANCE.

THE LETTER WILL BE COMING OUT SOON ABOUT THE ASSEMBLY IN THE FALL. I HOPE MANY OF YOU WILL CONSIDER ATTENDING. THIS IS WHERE YOU LEARN HOW OUR ORDER WORKS.

I KNOW MANY LODGES ARE CLOSED FOR THE SUMMER, TRY TO KEEP IN TOUCH WITH EACH OTHER.

WISHING EVERYONE A HAPPY 4TH AND A SAFE SUMMER

HAPPY 250TH BIRTHDAY AMERICA.

IN F.L.&T

VERNA JONES, PRESIDENT

**To all Officers and Members of the Rebekah Assembly
I.O.O.F. of Maine.**

GREETINGS!

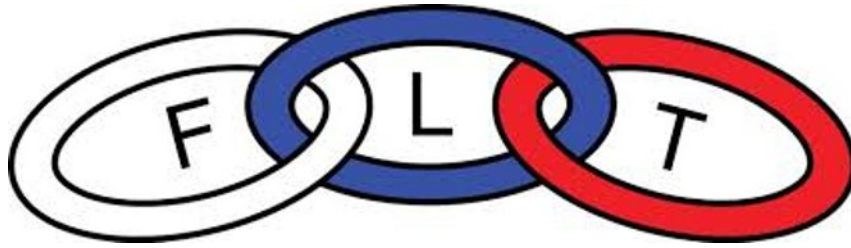
The 131st Annual Session of the Rebekah Assembly of Maine I.O.O.F. will be held on Thursday and Friday, October 15th, and 16th, 2026 at the Best Western Plus, 375 Main Street, Waterville, Maine Tel.# 207-873-0111. Take the Maine Turnpike to Exit 130 (ME 104 S/Main Street), Turn right onto ME-104S/Main Street, then take your immediate left into the Best Western Plus Waterville Grand Hotel.

Room reservations are to be made directly to the hotel no later than September 1, 2026, to guarantee the rates we have locked in. The room rates for 2 double beds will be \$129.00 + tax 1-4 people in the room. Call as soon as possible for reservations; mention Rebekah Assembly or Odd Fellows Grand Lodge. Do not forget to request if you have any special needs.

You will not be receiving written confirmation from the hotel so please ask for your confirmation number when making the reservations.

THIS IS NOT THE ENTIRE SESSION LETTER ONLY THE HOTEL INFORMATION THE REGISTRATION FORM IS ON PAGE 7. YOU WILL BE RECEIVING THE ENTIRE LETTER ALSO WITH A REGISTRATION FORM ATTACHED FROM THE ASSEMBLY SECRETARY.

ODD FELLOWS ATTENDING THE BANQUET OR THE GL SESSION FILL OUT THE FORM ALSO. THE ASSEMBLY IS HANDLING THE MEALS, HEADCOUNTS ETC.



REBEKAH LODGE #26 LADY ARAMBEC

INVITES YOU TO THE 10TH ANNUAL KARAOKE DANCE!

AUGUST 29, 2026

3 TO 8PM ISH

AT MEADOWBROOK CAMPGROUND

33 MEADOWBROOK RD, PHIPPSBURG MAINE

207-443-4967

WATER, SODA, HAMBURGERS AND HOT DOGS FOR RECOMMENDED DONATION.

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MAKE SURE TO BRING A CHAIR!

WE WILL OFFER DAREOKE FOR THOSE DARING ENOUGH!

RSVP TO THE EVENT ON FACEBOOK!

A PORTION OF THE PROCEEDS ALS RESEARCH!



Starlight Rebekah Lodge 82 celebrated with Penny Johnston and Luella Dean on being 50# year members to the exact day. Certificate and 50 yr pins were presented to the girls, along with flowers. We all went out for lunch afterwards. Penny and Luella were very surprised, as Sister Hazel read a poem on 50 yr member. Thanks to all our sisters for great surprise.

REGISTRATION FOR THE REBEKAH ASSEMBLY And GRAND LODGE OF MAINE 2026 ONE FORM PER PERSON

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____ PHONE #: _____

EMAIL: _____

LODGE NAME _____ LODGE #: _____

HIGHEST TITLE (All Branches) FOR NAME BADGE (ONLY ONE TITLE): _____ Rebekah Assembly Registration Fee: \$ 5.00 \$ _____

Attending Thursday PM: YES, _____ NO _____

Friday Session: YES _____ NO _____

Thursday Morning: Rebekah Assembly Past Presidents Luncheon: \$30.00 Yes _____ NO _____ \$ _____

Friday: Rebekah Assembly Lunch (Free if attending session) YES _____ NO _____ (\$35.00 IF NOT ATTENDING SESSION)

Friday Night: Grand Masters and Presidents Banquet \$55.00.

Grand Lodge of Maine Session: YES _____ NO _____

Saturday: Grand Lodge Lunch (Free for those attending Session) Yes _____ NO _____ (\$35.00 IF NOT ATTENDING SESSION) \$ _____

REPRESENTING YOUR JURISDICTION Yes _____ NO _____

Jurisdiction: MA _____ NH _____ CT _____ AP _____ QUE-BEC _____ VT _____ OTHER _____

Total Enclosed \$ _____ Check Number: _____

Please return this form with payment by September 30, 2026.

NO TICKETS WILL BE SOLD AT THE DOOR OR AFTER THE CUT OFF DATE. PLEASE MAIL THIS FORM WITH YOUR CHECK PAYABLE TO THE REBEKAH ASSEMBLY OF MAINE TO SISTER CLARISSA LABBE, PO BOX 623, AUGUSTA MAINE 04332.

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