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Cancer Cars - \$17.00

(Please note the Cancer Car assessment which gives a total due of \$191.00)

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MASTER'S FORUM

Happy New Year to all the members of our Fraternity and their families from myself and the Discovery Lodge Officers. I hope that 2013 is filled with happiness and prosperity for each of you.

Brethren January is traditionally a time for change and we see a flurry of resolutions to do this and change that. We, as Masons however, do not change things lightly or easily. We also do not change them often. Our craft is based upon traditions and as one of the oldest institutions in existence we deeply value our traditions. As I review the labours of Discovery Lodge for 2012 I believe that we Brethren have been very successful in maintaining our traditions and rituals but at the same time moving our Lodge forward into these modern times. Our thriving and ever increasing membership may be one of the best measures of our success in 2012.

All people around the globe embrace each New Year with hope, enthusiasm and optimism and, for Masons, it is no different. Well, there is one difference for, as Masons, we greet the New Year and look to the future. We are knowledgeable in our past and confident that the tools, work and practices of Freemasonry will Dear Brother,

I have been directed by the Worshipful Master to request your attendance at the meetings of Discovery Lodge #149 A.F. & A.M. as indicated.....

ANTIENT CHARGE

In antient times no Freemason or Fellowcraft could be absent from the lodge, especially when warned to appear at it, unless pure necessity hindered him

REGULAR COMMUNICATION

<u>Monday,</u> 7th January, 2013 7.30 p.m. Masonic Hall, Campbell River, B.C.

Official Visit of the District Deputy Grand Master R.Wor.Bro. Louis J. Seidel

** General Business

** To ballot, if the committee report is favourable, upon the petition of Steven Andrew Hall, age 43. A Boiler Mechanic residing at 41-400 Robron Rd., Campbell River, V9W 5N5.

** To ballot, if the Committee report proves favourable, upon the petition for reinstatement of Bro.Peter Klaus Gellerman, aged 68. Residing at 757 Nancy Green Drive, Campbell River, V9W 2A5

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EMERGENT COMMUNICATION

<u>Monday</u> 21st January 2013 7.30 p.m. Masonic Hall, Campbell River, B.C.

BURNS NIGHT

Official Vist of the Grand Master, Most Wor. Bro <u>G.Murray Webster</u>

Please note the meeting will open at 7 p.m. with the reception of the Grand Master

** The Northern Lights Degree Team will confer the Entered Apprentice Degree upon Edward Warner and upon Steven Hall if the ballot proves favourable.

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Officers Practice &/or Set-up of Lodge at 7 p.m.

Sunday, 6th January, 2013 Sunday, 20th January, 2013 ****

<u>Happy Birthday wishes to</u> <u>those who have birthdays</u> in January

 4^{th} Harry Hemphill 5th Mick Prosser 7th William Stephens 9th George Maclagan 13^{th} **Thomas Hamilton** 19^{th} Brian Hemingway 20^{th} Don Gardner 24^{th} Louis Borek

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Please note that there is now a website where you can get pictures, a calendar of events, etc. It is.... http://www.campbellrivermasons.com

continue to serve us as well in the
future as they have in the past.
I look forward to see you all in
Lodge in 2013 and most especially
at our Emergent Meeting in
January when Discovery Lodge
will have the honour of having the
Grand Master in our Lodge room
and having the Entered Apprentice
Degree conferred by the Northern
Lights Degree Team.
Yours Fraternally
Wor.Bro. Doug Smith
Worshipful Master