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Greetings Sir Knights,

October brings a flurry of activity with our York Rite Bodies. On October 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022 Keystone/Cleveland Chapters will be holding a Most Excellent Master Degree in their Chapter room in Barton. A separate e-mail will be sent to all Chapter Secretaries and High Priests as we near the degree date.

Barre Council just completed the Royal Master and Select Master Degrees in their Council rooms in September. Five (5) Royal Arch Masons received the degrees and are looking forward to receipt of their Commandery Orders in December. St. Aldemar will be practicing a Commandery full form opening multiple dates in October, November and December. I have it on good authority from their Eminent Commander, the Order of Temple will be worth your time to attend in December. More details will follow when the dates are confirmed.

On a positive note, Davenport Chapter #17 in Rutland was able to open, conduct business, practice the MMM Degree and close for the first time in years. Davenport #17 accepted the affiliation of a new member and is gearing up to perform the MMM Degree in November for multiple candidates.

A reminder that hunting season will begin soon. Last night as I drove to my Chapter meeting, I counted nine (9) deer on the neighbors lawn. They feel very safe in the city with a leash law, lots of fruit and nut trees to provide nutrition and absolutely no hunting! There goes my cedar hedge!



Don't forget to get your booster & flu shots!

Six (6) of the nine deer at the end of my drive!

Any important dates you would like published in this newsletter are welcome. Please forward electronically to [howard47@myfairpoint.net](mailto:howard47@myfairpoint.net).

Courteously,

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