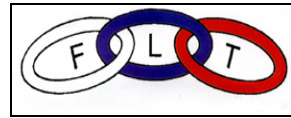


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## MEETING NIGHTS

**Thursday, September 13, 2007**

**Thursday, September 27, 2007**

\*Meetings are held in the Auditorium at Fairview at 7:00 PM unless otherwise noted. Members who need help with transportation to and from meetings should contact Bill Warren (860-442-9746).

## **Anniversaries:**

Herman Deem 9/8/1994 13 years

William Warren 9/8/1994 13 years

Mike Whitty 9/8/1994 13 years

Bill Sabourin 9/28/2000 7 years

Matt Gillette 9/8/2006 1 year

## DEGREES CONFERRED

There were no degrees conferred during the months of July and August, 2007.

## IOOF HOME OF MASSACHUSETTS VISIT



Two members of the Odd Fellows Home of Massachusetts paid a visit to Fairview on August 2, 2007. Clarence Plant, Grand Secretary, Past Grand Master, and Secretary of Trustees of the Massachusetts Odd Fellows Home along with Linda Kaplan, Marketing and Admissions Director of the Home, took a tour of Fairview and enjoyed lunch in the bistro-café. Both Fairview and the Odd Fellows Home of Massachusetts hope to learn from each others successes and plan to share information to help make both facilities stronger.

## CAMP CONNECTICUT



Niantic Lodge #17 members **Bill Warren, Noble Grand and Mary Sepowitz** attended the Annual Family Day picnic held at the **IOOF Camp Connecticut** campgrounds on Saturday, August 4, 2007. There was a really good turnout and the food was terrific!!

## Niantic Lodge #17 Annual Cookout

Niantic Lodge #17 held it's annual cookout on Thursday, July 26, 2007 on the Thames Room patio at Fairview. Several Lodge members and their guests from Niantic, Stonington, and the Grand Lodge were present for a very wonderful turnout. **Fairview's Dietary Staff** did a splendid job preparing the food for our picnic!! An open meeting of the Niantic Lodge followed the picnic.

This is your **IOOF Niantic, CT Lodge #17** newsletter. If you have any newsworthy items to share that would fit into this particular format, please send your ideas along to Mary Sepowitz (editor) for consideration in a future edition.

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