

# The Poet

A Publication of J.G. Whittier Chapter, Order of DeMolay



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Thane Sanford, Jr., Master Councilor

Dad Justin Prescott, Chapter Advisor

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## Message from the East:

My Jedi Brethren,,

I hope everybody had a very enjoyable Christmas and hopefully will have a great New Year to follow. I'd like to thank my installing suite and congratulate all my newly installed officers. I know you'll all do a great job learning your ritual. We had a large attendance for the installation and I'd like to see that carry through the term. We are officially kicking off the term with our annual New Year lock-in which should hopefully start us on the right foot. Along with having a great showing of our own members at the events this year, I also hope to see a great showing of prospects. At the DeMolay Degree we did in Worcester, it sounded like we were being challenged on chapter size, and we know J.G. doesn't back down from challenges.

Fraternally ,

Thane Sanford, Jr.

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## Message from the Chapter Advisor:

With 2009 coming to an end and 2010 just beginning, I can only see good things in our future. Thane has an action packed term plan that will keep everyone very busy, please support him in every way you can. If you still owe wreath money, please get it in ASAP, we still have bills that need to be paid for supplies. Membership will be a major focus this term. We need to initiate 6 new members this coming year, but why stop at 6. Worcester brought in 12 new members in 2009, I think we can top that!!!! I will have petitions on had starting on the 2nd. Look to neighbors, classmates, relatives, anyone who you think would make a great member and would benefit from what DeMolay has to offer. The councilors are hard at work planning some pretty big events, more information will come out as we finalize the details. If there is any events that you want to do, please talk with them, it's your chapter. I hope everyone had a safe and happy holiday and I look forward to staying up all night with everyone during our lock-in.

Fraternally,

Dad "Master Yoda" Prescott

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## Meeting Information

The 1370th regular meeting of John Greenleaf Whittier Chapter will be held on:

Saturday, January 2, 2010  
6:30 PM Start 5:30 Setup and Rehearsal  
Dress will be shirt, tie, dress pants and dress shoes.

The 1371st regular meeting of John Greenleaf Whittier Chapter will be held on:

Saturday, January 16, 2010  
6:30 PM Start 5:30 Setup and Rehearsal  
Dress will be shirt, tie, dress pants and dress shoes.

## Upcoming Events

- December 31st    New Year's Lock in at the Masonic Building 7:00 PM to 7::00 AM**
- January 2nd      Regular Meeting Setup and Rehearsal 5:30 pm, 6:30 pm meeting . Movie Night at Chunky's, Bring \$20**
- January 3rd      Candlepin Bowling Practice - Meet at Academy Lanes at 1 pm. Please bring \$20**
- January 9th      DeMolay University, Quincy Masonic Building 10 am to 4 pm, Meet at Academy Lanes at 8:30 am. Dress is DeMolay Polo and Khakis**
- January 10th     Candlepin Bowling Practice - Meet at Academy Lanes at 1 pm. Please bring \$20**
- January 12th     Visit to North Shore Chapter meet at Academy Lanes at 6:15 pm**
- January 16th     Regular Meeting Setup and Rehearsal 5:30 pm, 6:30 pm meeting . Candlepin Bowling after meeting, please bring \$20**
- January 17th     Candlepin Bowling Tournament—Lanes and Games Cambridge , MA Meet at Academy Lanes at 11:30 am**
- January 23rd     Visitation to Worcester Chapter meet at Academy Lanes at 6:00 pm**
- January 28th     Visitation to John Eliot Chapter meet at Academy Lanes at 5:30 pm**