

Golden Trowel Award

The “Golden Trowel Award” is an incentive to go above and beyond the usual activities of lodge brothers. It is laden with service opportunities to the lodge, community and Fraternity as a whole. It is difficult to achieve by design. But the satisfaction obtained by the journey to achieve it will justify the effort.

1. I have served the lodge as an officer for three consecutive years.

Year: _____ Office Held: _____

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2. I have been a first line signer on two petitions after receiving the “2 to Grow Award.”

Name: _____

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3. I have visited six different lodges.

Date: _____ Lodge: _____, Date: _____ Lodge: _____

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4. I attended a Grand Master Area Meeting. Location: _____ Date: _____

5. I attended a Neighborhood Area Meeting. Location: _____ Date: _____

6. I attended a Masonic Education Conference. Location: _____ Date: _____

7. I volunteer _____ times a year in the community (min. 4.) Place: _____

Contact: _____

8. I organized and conducted a leadership training within a Lodge.

Location: _____ Date: _____

(Provide a copy of materials used.)

9. I have prepared and presented two educational papers. Please include a copy of each paper.

10. I have organized an event to recognize the widows and/or orphans of my Lodge. Date: _____

11. I have served on the Lodge Membership Committee. Dates: _____

12. I have spent _____ hours with Brother _____ helping mentor him into the Fraternity (minimum of 8 hrs.).

13. I attended an Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Iowa.

Location: _____ Date: _____

14. I have learned and am proficient in the Charges of the 3 Degrees, the Scriptures of the 3 Degrees and the Geometry Lecture of the 2nd Degree; **or** the Third Section Lecture of the 1st Degree; **or** the Third Section Lecture of the 3rd Degree; **or** the Explanatory Lecture in the 1st Degree.

15. I have completed all 14 of the above criteria within the last 4 years.

Name: _____ Date: _____ Lodge: _____