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Masonic Lodge #332 F. & A. M.

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From the East



Greetings my brothers it's time for another two months of planning our Lodge events. I would like to say thank you to all of the brothers who have participated and attended our Degrees, social nights, OSI's and stated meetings. The Lodge and appreciate your support in all of these functions. We have had two Third Degrees and I would like to welcome our new Master Masons. Sam



ED TAYLOR
WORSHIPFUL MASTER

Panebianco and John L. Santia congratulations.

A special thanks to PM Phil Heiss, PM Paul Galyean and PM Scott Corrigan for their participation in Sam's degree great work Brothers. I would also like to thank my officers for doing a stellar performance in John's degree. I am pleased to see that the officers are progressing well in the year. And also that we have the support of the Past Masters to help us along the way. We have some events coming

up in the next few months so keep those calendars clear. Our Scotch and Wine tasting event will be held on Sunday, May 19th and

our Saint John's feast will be on Friday, June 21st those events were great successes last year and I would like to keep the tradition going. I would like to announce that our Brother Allan Duncan will be leaving us this June for reassignment in the Coast Guard, we will all miss you Allan. And also keep your phone handy so you can do the charges on speaker phone. We have a lot of open Wednesdays coming up so they will be filled with practices and fraternal fellowship. I would like for all of the candidates coaches to get with those brothers who have work to do and gently prod them along. Our lodge can only function if we do the work, and we have been doing it but lets do more. This year is going by so fast and it seems that my installation was only yesterday. I am having a lot of fun but its hard work and I know that I could not do it without all of you. As I am writing this our Brother Ben Ponder is at home recuperating lets keep him in our prayers. And I would like to say to Ben personally, Get off of your crusty barnacles and get back to Lodge you old bulldog. We miss you growling on the sidelines. Thanks again for allowing me the pleasure of leading some of the greatest brothers that Masonry has ever seen.

~Ed Taylor, Worshipful Master

CALENDER OF EVENTS

MAY

1	WED	(H. A. Meeting 6:00pm) Dinner	6:30PM
		Stated Meeting	7:30PM
3	FRI	Friday Social Night	6:30PM
4	SAT	Job's Daughters	10:00AM
6	MON	Eastern Star	7:30PM
8	WED	3rd Degree Proficiency Practice	7:00PM
10	FRI	DeMolay	7:30PM
15	WED	Executive Committee	7:00PM
18	SAT	Job's Daughters	3:00PM
19	SUN	Wine & Scotch Tasting Fundraiser	4:00PM
20	MON	Eastern Star	7:30PM
21	TUE	O.S.I. (Angel's Gate)	7:00PM
24	FRI	DeMolay	7:30PM
29	WED	Third Degree Proficiency Night	7:30PM

JUNE

3	MON	Eastern Star	7:30
5	WED	(H. A. Meeting 6:00pm) Dinner	6:30PM
		Stated Meeting	7:30PM
7	FRI	Friday Social Night	6:30PM
8	SAT	Job's Daughters	10:00AM
12	WED	Officer Practice & Frat Fellowship	7:00PM
13	THU	Lodge Room Planning Meeting	7:00PM
14	FRI	DeMolay	7:30PM
15	SAT	Job's Daughters	7:00PM
17	MON	Eastern Star	7:30PM
19	WED	O.S.I. (L A Harbor)	7:00PM
21	FRI	St. John's Day Feast	6:00PM
26	WED	Officer Practice & Frat Fellowship	7:00PM
28	FRI	E.S. Grand Sentinel Reception	6:00PM
30	SUN	J. Clifford Lee Breakfast	8:00AM

JULY

3	WED	Stated Meeting	7:30PM
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FOR REFLECTION

Isaiah Plick Interview with Dick Watson

1. What made you join masonry?

My Grandfather and father was a mason, and my Masonic heritage played an important part in my decision to join masonry.

2. When did you decide that you wanted to become an officer of the Lodge?

In 1986. That was the first year that I started going through the Line.

3. When was your first year as Worshipful Master?

In 1993.

4. Tell me about that experience.

I had a great time. It was definitely a unique experience. The Master is the guy who determines the direction of the Lodge during his term.

5. What was your biggest accomplishment during your first term?

During my First term the Stone Sign was decided upon and built in order to bring more visibility to the lodge. In addition, During my term we had 11 initiations and held degrees every Wednesday. Most months we tried to hold a First, Second, and Third Degree.

6. How many guys regularly attended Lodge during your term?

There were 30-35 guys who regularly attended meeting and Degree Ceremonies in 1993. In 1976 when I first was initiated there were 60 guys every meeting.

7. What made you decide to go through the Line again?

In 1994 the guy who was supposed to become Junior Warden had moved and I was the only one available to take his spot.

8. What was your biggest accomplishment during your term in 1996?

In 1996 we were able to hold many Saturday Work Parties which allowed us to repair and improve the Lodge. We also were able to paint a lot of the lodge that year. A lot of planning also took place that year which helped to make the Lodge what it is today, such as the idea to renovate the Pub Room.

9. Do you have any advice for someone who would like to become an officer in the Lodge?

Always remember to take your time, be patient, and persevere.



Los Angeles Harbor Lodge, #332 cordially invites you to an evening Of Wine and Scotch Tasting and Silent Auction Sunday, 19 May 2013 At 4 o'clock in the afternoon \$15 per person Dine on the wonderful food provided & enjoy Wine and Scotch tasting on our patio while enjoying the sounds of the Jerry Butera Jazz Trio Silent auction with items generously donated Please open up your hearts and wallets with a donation for these worthy causes. Contact Dale Ogden for reservations (310) 808-3939



*Los Angeles Harbor Lodge
Presents Our 4th Annual
St John's Day Feast
Friday June 21st
At 6 o'clock in the evening
Minimum recommended donation \$25
Donations for dinner and fines will
Benefit the Grand Master's Project
This is a Black Tie Affair!
Contact Dale Ogden for reservations.
RESERVATIONS STRICTLY ENFORCED*

THESE BRETHREN ARE SICK OR INCAPACITATED. PLEASE GIVE THEM A CALL *

BEN PONDER

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From the West

By: Michael John Logan, Senior Warden

Greetings and welcome to Masonic Gems--- the travel show that takes you to Masonic Gems throughout the State and World... In this feature we will be travelling to our neighbor of the North, just over the Grapevine and home to Nashville West... BAKERSFIELD. ... Yes glorious Bakersfield where we find the Bakersfield Masonic Lodge at 1920 18th street... This is a grand old fashion building built to hold the Masonic Family... It is four stories with the dining in the basement that has two dining rooms and a large kitchen... as we ascend the building we can't help but notice the high ceilings... each of the remaining three floors above the basement have thirty-foot high ceilings. It is a WOW factor. On the first floor there is the Lodge room and a separate but equal Chapter room for Eastern Star and Job's Daughters... On the second floor is the Royal Arch room and a Chapter room for DeMolay... And the top Floor is the Scottish Rite stage and Grand Ball room. One of the interesting things is the chandeliers on the third floor were made of leather... I hope that in your travels you make it a point if you are in the area to stop by and visit this Masonic Gem....

As I stated last month My goal is to redo the Lodge room with the assistance of all who use it. I am scheduling a meeting on June 13th to begin the process of putting together this undertaking and I invite anyone who is interested in taking part to please come out and input---observe what is going on and how we can do this without Lodge funds... We do need your help and don't hold back because it is our Lodge where we meet that is being updated... so come out and contribute to this worthy cause... Special invitations will be going out to all the Masonic bodies that meet here to participate so please come and see....

Happy Trails

Mike Logan S.W.



William Pottorff—A Master Mason for 28 years
 Eldred Reynolds—A Master Mason for 54 years
 Everett Sturdy—A Master Mason for 49 years
 Steven Litsis—A Master Mason for 59 years
 Tommy Poole—A Master Mason for 46 years
 Robert Wilson—An E.A. Mason for 9 years



From the South

By: Dale Francis Ogden, Junior Warden

Greetings from the South!

As the Officer in charge of feeding the craft this year, I hope that you have found the meals to be acceptable. As you know, we are on a tight budget and it is difficult to estimate how many people will show up for dinner. While I am always concerned about having enough for everyone who wants to dine with us, I am frustrated by having too much food and wasting it. I have asked for everyone to RSVP for dinner (or other events) and have had mixed results. On one occasion, I had 18 RSVP's and 17 for dinner, a great outcome (we cooked for 20). On other occasions, I've had only 5 RSVP's and 15 brothers showed up. We have also had occasions when only 10 show. We are wasting food (and hence, wasting money). So please, RSVP for dinner. I prefer email: dfo@cox.net but it is also OK to phone me at 310-547-1595 (you can leave a message if there is no answer).

Over the weekend of March 22-24, I attended the Masters and Wardens Retreat in Newport Beach and found it to be an amazing experience. There were major revisions in the Retreat this year when compared to prior years. Besides the many new friends I made with the brothers who attended, I learned a lot about Masonry and our charitable works from the 2013 Grand Master, the Grand Masters for 2014 and 2015, the Grand Secretary and many other excellent presenters.

Grand Lodge has developed online training for new Entered Apprentices, Fellow Crafts, and Master Masons, to ensure that they are getting the Masonic education needed for their advancement. I attended breakout sessions about online education, candidate coaching, and the character investigation candidate investigation process. There were other breakout sessions on budgeting and investing but there was only time to attend three.

We also learned about a tool they have developed called "Solomon's Wheel" that aids us in using the three main tenets of Masonry, Brotherly Love, Relief, and Truth, along with the four cardinal virtues of Temperance, Fortitude, Prudence, and Justice, to solve problems at our Lodges and throughout our lives in ways that are consistent with our Values. When the materials are made available electronically, I plan to make a presentation at one of our stated meetings so that we all can benefit from what I learned.

Finally, we had a presentation about the Masonic Homes and our various related programs that illustrated how we fulfill our sacred obligation to aid and assist our brother Masons and their families. I left with a renew love of our Fraternity and pride in what we stand for and what we have accomplished. It really is great to be a Mason!

Friday Social

MAY 3

JUNE 7





Los Angeles Harbor Lodge

FOOD, FRIENDS & FUN

Come out and enjoy some cold drinks, tasty food and GREAT fellowship at Lodge!!!



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L I V I N G P A S T M A S T E R S

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| 1960 BRUCE L. WILSON | 1988 PAUL H. GALYEAN | 2001 RONALD R. MOORE | AFFILIATED PAST MASTERS |
| 1963 JOHN D. HOLLAND | 1989 REX S. WIEDERANDERS | 2002 JEFFREY P. BAKER | |
| 1971 ROBERT H. HAYNES | 1990 MICHAEL J. LOGAN | 2003 F. SCOTT CORRIGAN | |
| 1972 ANTHONY N. ENGLISH | 1992 PHILLIP R. HEISS | 2004 M. SHAWN DONOHUGH | |
| 1972 JOHN COSTANTINI | 1993 RICHARD D. WATSON | 2005 M. SHAWN DONOHUGH | |
| 1975 WILLIAM A. STECKER | 1994 MICHAEL J. LOGAN | 2006 M. SHAWN DONOHUGH | |
| 1977 EDWARD HOLLAND, JR. | 1995 ROBERT E. WHITNEY | 2007 JEFFREY P. BAKER | |
| 1977 ROBERT R. WOLFE | 1996 RICHARD D. WATSON | 2008 JEFFREY P. BAKER | |
| 1978 THOMAS A. CARSTEN | 1997 JEFFREY P. BAKER | 2009 PHILLIP R. HEISS | |
| 1981 BEN C. PONDER | 1998 RONALD R. MOORE | 2010 M. SHAWN DONOHUGH | |
| 1982 WILLIAM A. STECKER | 1999 MICHAEL J. LOGAN | 2011 RONALD E. DUNCAN, JR. | |
| 1986 ROBERT A. ERBACKER | 2000 PHILLIP R. HEISS | 2012 KENNETH M. FULLER | |
| | | | 1967 PATRICK T. DONOHUGH |
| | | | 1975 R. STEPHEN DOAN <i>PGM</i> |
| | | | 1976 SHERWOOD KINGSLEY |
| | | | 1983 DONALD A. HULL |
| | | | 1987 STEVEN R. YOUMANS |
| | | | 1988 DONALD A. HULL |
| | | | 1989 M. SHAWN DONOHUGH |
| | | | 1997 RICHARD M. STILLWATER |
| | | | 1998 JOSEPH P. BOWKER |

ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR 1 ST & 3 RD MONDAYS AT 7:30 PM	ORDER OF JOB'S DAUGHTERS 2 ND SATURDAYS AT 10:00 AM 4 TH SATURDAYS AT 7:30 PM	ORDER OF DEMOLAY 2 ND & 4 TH FRIDAYS AT 7:30 PM
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The Order of the Eastern Star is the largest fraternal organization in the world to which both men and women may belong. Founded on heroic conduct and moral values, it is open to all faiths. The stated purposes of the organization are: Charitable, Educational, Fraternal and Scientific. It is dedicated to love, service charity and truth.	Job's Daughters is an organization of young women between the ages of 10 and 20. It is an order that promotes fun, while offering life skills that teach young women about the importance of organization, leadership, service to others and scholarship.	DeMolay is an organization for young men, 12 to 21 years of age, who develop management, leadership and social skills as they participate in community projects, sports, and educational programs. Young men learn to grow into responsible adults of good moral character, providing them with lots of fun, companionship, and the opportunity to develop solid values.