



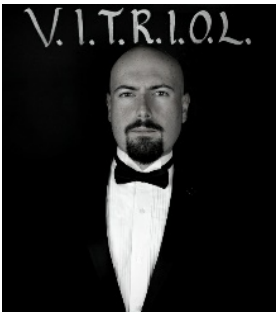
Los Angeles Harbor

MASONIC LODGE # 332 F. & A.M.

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JULY / AUGUST 2019

FROM THE EAST



Just when you think it's time for a slowdown, things pick up once again, in a good way though.

It's been an action-packed year as Master of this Lodge so far and I realize that there is still half a year to come. To start off, I want to thank everyone who attended our Spring Terrace Social and I want to thank Ron Duncan, Donald Joe, Shaun Juckes, Jhonathan Torrero and Max Spector, who stepped up to help out that day.

Saint John's Summer Solstice Feast - what a terrific evening it was co-hosting with our brother lodge North Hollywood 542. It was filled with many memorable moments none will soon forget. We hope this trend continues for our next feast event coming this December. We hope to have just as much if not more attendance that time around - only time will tell. Brothers Oscar Garcia, Michael Quintal and Morgan Kisselburg, thank you for the vast amount of time and effort you three put in to making our feast all that it was meant to be.

I am excited to see that many of our newer members are taking up the workloads to make our events successful and thrilled to see many Brothers starting to work on their proficiencies. Hopefully we will have more degrees coming up in the Fall. Unfortunately, we have had to say goodbye to a few Brothers this year for various reasons, but when one door closes, another one will open. Thankfully, we are gaining more affiliations from other lodges and are still receiving inquires for membership.

I want to Congratulate Brother Shaun Juckes on a great Third Degree Proficiency at our June stated meeting. He put a lot of effort into it and it showed that night. I also want to Congratulation Worshipful Ron Duncan on being chosen to receive the Hiram Award from our Lodge. I can't think of anyone more deserving than him. We will have his ceremony in September, so be on the lookout for an official date, and please come to honor our Brother and show your support that evening.

Drawing attention to a major project in the works for our building, it has been decided that if we are to increase rentals of our building, we will need to have our kitchen remodeled. Everyone will have an input on the design and we will plan accordingly on dates to shut down the kitchen. We also have been working on an official Lodge Logo to enhance our brand of San Pedro Freemasonry, which I am sure you have seen on our media and website. I'm hoping to get it voted on during a stated meeting before my term is over.

So as you can see, my ultimate goal for this lodge is to solidify our foundations for income, increase membership, and establish a unique identity that sets us apart from the rest of the lodges (which I am proud to say is already a true title of ours). We will continue to keep that sacred bond strong, among whom no contention should ever exist but that noble contention or rather emulation, of who best can work and best agree.

Gomer, Oz, Dabar, bene agere et laetari - Wisdom, Strength and Beauty, do good cheerfully.

Sincerely and Fraternaly,

Joseph Aritelli-Newman
Worshipful Master

V.I.T.R.I.O.L. - Visita Interiora Terræ Rectificando Invenies Occultum Lapidem - Visit the interior of the earth and [by] purifying [yourself] you will find the hidden stone.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS			
JULY			
04	THU	Fireworks Party and Picnic <i>Los Angeles Harbor Lodge</i>	6:00 PM
05	FRI	Social Night	6:30 PM
10	WED	Hall Association Dinner Stated Meeting	6:00 PM 7:00 PM 7:30 PM
13	SAT	Masonic Homes at Covina Cornerstone Ceremony	9:00 AM
16	TUE	Shrine Club Dinner	6:30 PM
17	WED	Officers Practice	7:00 PM
19	FRI	Social Night	6:30 PM
21	SUN	Annual Old West Barbecue And Chili Cook-Off <i>Los Angeles Harbor Lodge</i>	4:00 PM
24	WED	Officer School of Instruction <i>Los Angeles Harbor Lodge</i>	7:00 PM
31	WED	Executive Committee	7:00 PM
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02	FRI	Social Night	6:30 PM
07	WED	Hall Association Dinner Stated Meeting	6:00 PM 7:00 PM 7:30 PM
10	SAT	Hollywood Bowl Trip <i>Bus from LA Harbor Lodge</i>	3:00 PM
16	FRI	Social Night	6:30 PM
20	TUE	Shrine Club Dinner	6:30 PM
23	FRI	Youth Social Night <i>Los Angeles Harbor Lodge</i>	6:30 PM
23	FRI	Officer School of Instruction <i>Gardena Moneta Lodge</i>	7:00 PM
28	WED	Executive Committee	7:00 PM
SEPT			
04	WED	Hall Association Dinner Stated Meeting	6:00 PM 7:00 PM 7:30 PM

Social Nights at 6:30 PM

July 5 July 19
August 2 August 16



The Goose & Gridiron
ROOM

Los Angeles Harbor Lodge



THE CORNERSTONE (PART 2)

The Keystone is the stone placed at the top of an archway which gives the arch its stability and completes the structure. Masonic legend harkens back to the time of King Solomon and the building of the Temple in Jerusalem. As the Keystone completes the arch and gives it its strength and stability, so does the diligent pursuit of knowledge and living a morally upright lifestyle. As you can see, this concept of balance and structure is as important in Masonic symbolism as it is in the actual art of building a physical structure. It has a beginning and an end. An Alpha and an Omega. Both are equally important because you can't have one without the other.

This concept permeates not only Freemasonry, but other mystical traditions as well. The Chakra system is prevalent in many Eastern religions. It also has found its way into Western thought through various means. The body has multiple energy centers within it. Starting at the base of the spine, or in the reproductive organs and going up, sequentially to the top of the head. This is symbolic of the lower self or base-emotions. In other words, one who only has an active Root Chakra is living in and acting in a low vibration of consciousness.

This can be likened to the Cornerstone. If the Cornerstone were the starting and ending point of a structure, there would be no structure. The activation of the Chakras is capped off with the activation of the Crown Chakra. Activation of this Chakra is said to create a moment of enlightenment and understanding. This can be likened to the placement of the Keystone. This is the completion of the journey. As a building must start with the Cornerstone and end with the Keystone, the activation of the Chakras must start in the dark corner of our lower emotions of the Root Chakra and end in the Crown. This is not to say that the Root Chakra is unimportant. Again, as in Masonic allegory, you cannot have one without the other. You must have the progression from lowest to high. This creates balance with the Chakras which is necessary for mastery.

[Part 2 of 2]

(Taken from various Masonic texts and modified)

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Old West Barbecue and Chili Cook-Off – Sunday July 21, 2019

Come out and have some fun at the **17th Annual Old West BBQ and Chili Cook-Off.**

- 3:30 PM Contestant Check-in
- 4:00 PM Judging Begins
- 4:00 PM Open to Public & Music Begins
- 5:00 PM Old West BBQ Dinner
- 6:00 PM Awards & Prizes

Grilled meats, vegetable, potato salad, BBQ beans, rolls & dessert

Ladies, Family & Friends are invited!

Tickets \$15 for adults, \$10 for children (12 years & under)

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Greetings from the West

Greetings Brethren,

I would like to start by congratulating Brother Jukes on his returning of his 3rd Degree Proficiency at our June Stated Meeting. He did a great job! Now that Brother Jukes has been found to be proficient in the Candidates Lecture of the 3rd Degree he will be assisting Brother Terrero in his Masonic journey as his Candidates Coach.

Now that we are halfway through the year it is time to start planning for next year. I am looking for suggestions for a new event or activity that we can add to our calendar. If you have any suggestions please let me know by contacting me at greg.petersonpm@gmail.com.

I look forward to seeing everyone at our Fourth of July party. This will be my first one and I am really looking forward to it.

As we head into the summer months I would like to send all of you well wishes as many of us travel to many different destinations for summer vacation.

Lastly, as Senior Warden it is my responsibility to oversee candidate coaching in our Lodge. If you are interested in becoming a candidate's coach please let me know. I have found that being a coach is a very fulfilling experience because it continually reminds me of my Masonic obligations and it allows me to create a long lasting bond with those brothers as they go through their own Masonic journey.

See you in Lodge,

Greg Peterson, P.M.
Senior Warden

Annual July 4 Picnic and Fireworks Party

Thursday July 4, 2019 6:00 PM



Join us as we celebrate another year of Independence! Come and watch ALL of the spectacular firework shows throughout the Harbor and the coastline that take place on this quintessential American holiday – Cabrillo Beach, the Queen Mary, Ports o' Call, Disneyland, Huntington Beach, Newport Beach...

The Lodge is supplying the complimentary hamburgers and hot dogs. Those attending are invited to bring a potluck item to share, along with their beverages of choice.

Dinner is served at 6 PM and the spectacular firework shows throughout the harbor can be seen from our beautiful deck, beginning at sunset. Bring a comfortable chair if you wish...and don't forget to bring a warm jacket because the temperature on the patio can be chilly sometimes!

We've got a bouncy house for the kids! Bring your family and friends! There is plenty of free parking...and no traffic.

Ladies, Family & Friends are invited!

This event is free.

Beach Cities Shrine Club *Hollywood Bowl Tchaikovsky Fireworks Spectacular* Saturday August 10, 2019

Our trip to the Hollywood Bowl for the *Tchaikovsky Fireworks Spectacular*, featuring the *USC Marching Band*, is fast approaching! The big finish is the *1812 Overture* with fireworks and canons presented by the U.S. Army. We have a reserved picnic area, a bus that leaves from Los Angeles Harbor Lodge, and a picnic dinner. The ticket price is \$45 and **must be paid by 10 July**, or your tickets will be released to others...no exceptions. Please let us know if you want to be on the list of 50 lucky people who will be getting tickets. We still have tickets available which will include admission, dinner, and transportation. Don't miss this spectacular event!

Seating is limited! Get your tickets now to avoid disappointment.

Ladies, Family & Friends are invited!

The bus leaves LA Harbor Lodge at 3:00 PM.

Contact Shawn Donohugh (secretary332@gmail.com or 310-850-4294)



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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 INTERNATIONAL
2ND & 4TH SATURDAYS AT 10:00 AM**

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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.

**ORDER OF DeMOLAY
2ND & 4TH FRIDAYS AT 7:30 PM**

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DeMolay is an organization for young men, 12-21 years of age, who develop management, leadership, and social skills as they participate in sports, community projects, and educational programs. They learn to grow into responsible adults of good moral character, providing them with lots of fun, companionship, and the opportunity to develop solid values.