# INDIAN RIVER LODGE NUMBER 90 F & AM

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# TRESTLE BOARD

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#### FROM THE EAST

Important Message to all Dues paying Brothers! I have some very upsetting news. As soon as we thought that we were all done with our dues increase and didn't have to do it, the Grand Lodge of Florida voted an increase in per capita dues. This takes our per capita assessment from the current \$20 to \$45 over the next five years at a \$5.00 increase per year. This is a cost that your Lodge just cannot absorb. Please understand that we have no control over this. Keep in mind that we do our best to keep our dues to a minimum. To accommodate the per capita increase and simplify our dues, I am looking to discuss raising our dues to \$150.00 a year. This will cover the per capita increase in total, rather than having to re-address and raise our dues every year. \$150 comes out to \$0.41 a day. So, it looks like we will begin the process of addressing raising our dues after all—Thank you Grand Lodge!!

A Big Congratulations goes out to our Secretary's Daughter, Chloe! She is a proud Mom for the second time, and Nana and Grandad are very happy everyone is safe and healthy! Congratulations to all, especially Dr. Victoria! For those that may not know, baby was inpatient and decided she wanted to be born ON THE WAY TO THE HOSPITAL, and Nana/Dr. Victoria was there to catch!

On a lighter note, summer is coming to an end. School is back in, so please keep a lookout for kids going and coming from school. We had a workday at the Lodge on August 17. We did a lot of cleaning and organizing that will be a big help to everyone. We also had to remove the paneling from the two back rooms because during the last big rainstorm we had, the Lodge got flooded in those two rooms as well as the Secretary office. Now we need to figure out what repairs need to be made.

A Big thanks to our Secretary, Louis Fields, Senior Warden Ken Kelly, Deacons Matt Hankes and Darrell McCall for all their hard work. Afterwards we had some very pleasant relaxing time when we had a BBQ and some of the wives and kids showed up. Great times with some great people! Thanks again to all involved.

Please don't forget to support your Lodge! Fraternally, Greg Seaman WM

#### FROM THE WEST

Greetings from the West!

We are having an EA proficiency and Fellow Craft Degree on September 5th; Dinner at 6:00 and proficiency and Fellow Craft Degree at 7:00.

We are in the process of receiving several petitions, so expect to be ready to start the EA degree soon, while getting ready for a MM degree. We hope to have these completed before the end of the year. If you haven't been in a degree yet, or awhile, reach out to me and we will get you moving!!

Fraternally Yours, Ken Kelly, SW

# Breakfast at the Lodge

Second Sundays, 8:00 till noon. Eggs to order all the fixings!

Come on out and enjoy the Brotherhood.

#### INDIAN RIVER 90 BOOSTER CLUB

We started an effort to help offset the rising cost of producing our Trestle Board. If you would like to pledge a donation, please fill out the form at the bottom of page 3 and return it to the Lodge.

#### **ELECTED OFFICERS FOR 2019**

Worshipful Master Greg Seaman (Mariana) 516-316-4985 Senior Warden Ken Kelly 321-794-2493 Junior Warden Sean Hollis

Treasurer John Hillman, PM (Sue) 321-536-1847 Secretary Louis Fields, PM (Victoria)850-532-9143

#### **APPOINTED OFFICERS FOR 2019**

Senior Deacon
Junior Deacon
Senior Steward
Junior Steward
Junior Steward
Chaplain
Marshall
Pete Super
Tyler
Matt Hankes
Darrell McCall
Jimmy Devine
Randy Klaus
Mike Corey
Pete Super
Keith Fields

#### FROM THE SOUTH

Greetings from the South, my Brothers,

Come out and support our Sunday Breakfast from 8am-12pm on the second Sunday of each month; only \$5! This month it will be held on 9/8.

Don't forget our Spaghetti Dinner on the last Wednesday of each month, and we could always use a few extra helping hands. We need you to show up by 4pm if you can help early, but if you can't show until 6pm, that's okay, too! Bring your appetites on 9/25.

And we will have the open meeting on 9/26.

Fraternally, Sean Hollis, Junior Warden

#### THE SECRETARY'S COMPASS

Greetings to All!!

The summer is coming to an end and so is my push for paying dues!! I have gotten a few more dues sorted out, so thank you to all who have helped with that! For those who haven't yet, expect your letters by the time you read this. Please heed the letters and pay your dues, or contact myself or the WM if you are struggling and we will accommodate you if possible.

Also, I'm going to say it now. Dues notices will be going out in the next couple of months, so please take notice and ensure you pay your dues for the upcoming year by Dec 27 of THIS year!!

> Fraternally, Louis Fields, PM Secretary

#### **Titusville Scottish Rite Club**

Titusville Scottish Rite Club meets on the 2nd Tuesday each month except July and August at the Lodge. Covered dish dinner at 6:30 p.m., followed by meeting. You do not have to be a member of Scottish Rite to participate. Wives are also encouraged to attend.

#### **DeMolay**

All Master Masons and Eastern Star are welcome to attend. If you have any young men between the ages of 12 to 21 who may be interested in learning about DeMolay, please contact Brother Randy Klaus, Chapter Dad, at (321)213-4054 or umpirerandyklaus@aol.com. DeMolays meet on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday at 7 PM.

~ Randy Klaus

#### **INDIAN RIVER #90 BOARD OF RELIEF**

Hello from the Indian River 90 Board of Relief Committee,

The Relief Committee meets every Tuesday morning from 9 AM to approximately 10:30 AM just for coffee refreshments at the lodge. We don't have meetings. We just have social hour and talk about current events and things that are going on at the lodge or around town. We also keep up on information on our fellow members and families.

All are welcome to attend, bring family members or just friends. We have been making and serving lunches for some of our members and we make approximately 16 to 20 every Tuesday. Come visit with us once or twice. Would love to have you.

In sisterly love, Barbara Carter

#### **Committees & Committee Chairman**

Finance Committee Ken Kelly
Vigilance Committee Sean Hollis
Board of Relief Greg Seaman
Lodge Property Sean Hollils
Masonic Leadership Training Greg Seaman
Widows Liasons Jim Cheek

#### RAINBOW CORNER Chapter # 99

If you would like more information about your local Rainbow Girls, please contact Susan Turner at (321)806-6545 or sturngi68@gmail.com.

Rainbows meet on the 2nd and 4th Sundays, 5 pm.

#### **Trestle Board Boosters**

Mark Tyson Samuel Rogero Jerry Reynolds Bernie Kattau Irene Sherritt Jimmie Prevatt Clyde Aldridge Minnie Hightower Barbara Conrad

Jerry Reynolds Sue Ann Reynolds

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## September Birthdays

Alan Henry Berger, James Alan Burroughs, Steven Joseph Deponty, Christopher Arrand Dixon, Gregory Scott Elwood, Robert Douglas Giffen, Sean Craig Hollis, Timothy Joseph Hubinger, Robert Coleman Hughes, Jerry Lee Johnson, Charles Ralph McKnight, J Paul Miller, Robert Eugene Morgan, Charles Eugene Mort, Edward Leon Moseley, Thomas Lewis Reid, William Randall Scarbrough, Elmer Henry Sevor, Stephen Lee Skinner, John Robert Wagner, James Edward Wald, Robert Norman Wallace, Stephen Lawrence Westman

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#### 17th Masonic District School of Instruction OPEN BOOKS

Meeting: 1st Wednesday of the month, 6:00 - 9:00 PM - HARBOR CITY Lodge No. 318, F. & A.M.

- Find out what the red book actually says. Learn a lecture. Bring your degree team and exemplify a degree.
- Bring your ritual team. Do you want to learn how to open and close a Lodge? We will teach you how to do it.
- Do you want to learn the ritual for a place or station? Come and demonstrate your skills for proficiency cards. ENTERED APPRENTICE MASON, FELLOW CRAFT MASON, MASTER MASON

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### **District 17 Happenings & Special Events**

Welcome! Here is a listing of all Lodge websites in District 17. Please visit them to find out what is happening throughout our district. You will find such information as Lodge meetings, names of current officers, events (dinner, breakfast dates, etc), contact numbers and Lodge history. Please visit them frequently. Keep in mind that these websites are constantly changing with new information added almost daily.

Lodge: Website: Indian River #90 http://indianriver90.com Brevard #113 http://www.brevard113.info Melbourne #143 www.melbournelodge143.com Harbor City #318 http://www.harborcity318.com Canaveral #339 http://canaveralLodge.org Merritt Island #353 http://www.miblueLodge.org Beach # 354 http://www.beachLodge354.org Gateway #384 http://www.gateway384.com http://www.palmbayLodge.com Child ID website Palm Bay #397 Soon to be posted

# **Living & Still Breathing Past Masters**

1968 – Robert Moyer	1995 – James Towles	2009 – Ben S. Schwartz
1974 – Robert Wallace	1997 – John Palmer	2011 - Jeffrey Bills
1976 – Brent Cull	1998 – Jerry Reynolds	2012 - Jack McDonald
1979 – Kermit Huff	1999 – James Cheek	2013 - Gene Bryer
1985 – Keith Hendrix	2002 - Silas Mullins	2014 - Daryl DeBaets
1988 – Thomas Corbin	2004 – Barry McAmis	2015 - Michael Fisher
1990 – Lawrence Webb	2005 - Dennis Stowe	2016 - Peter Super
1991 – Darrell Hamilton	2006 – John Hillman	2017 - Randy Klaus
1993 – William Macken	2007 – James Kolb	2018 - Louis Fields
1994 - Gregory Davis	2008 - Robert Headley	

Trestle Board Booster Name(s)		
Amount enclosed \$		
I would prefer to receive the Trestle Board Electronically	Hard Copy Both	
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## Or Current Resident

# September 2019 Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3 Board of Relief Coffee Hour, 9 AM	4 NBSC Mtg, 7 pm DeMolay Meeting, 7 pm	5	6	7 Masters and Wardens, Canaveral Lodge No. 339 Breakfast 8, Mtg 9 am
8 Breakfast, 8 am - noon. \$5.00 Rainbow Girls, 5 pm	9 Gateway #384 7:30 pm mtg	10 Board of Relief Coffee, 9 AM Titusville Scottish Rite, 6:30 pm	11	12 Stated Meeting 6:30 pm dinner 7:30 pm mtg	13	14
15	16	Board of Relief Coffee Hour, 9 AM	18 DeMolay Meeting, 7 pm	19	20	21
Rainbow Girls, <i>5 pm</i>	23 Gateway #384 7:30 pm mtg	24 Board of Relief Coffee Hour, 9 AM	25 Spaghetti Dinner 5-7pm	Open Meeting 6:30 pm dinner 7:30 pm mtg	27	28
29	30	Oct. 1 Board of Relief Coffee Hour, 9 AM	2	3	4	Masters and Wardens, Brevard Lodge No. 113 No. 353 Breakfast 8, Mtg 9 am

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