

# INDIAN RIVER LODGE NUMBER 90 F & AM

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## TRESTLE BOARD

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### FROM THE EAST

!!!ALERT!!! We are calling upon the Craft to help foot the bill for our new picture rails. We have been soliciting the Craft for help with this project internally (for over a year) to no avail. Last stated meeting, the Craft voted to pay \$4000.00 to a contractor to manufacture the rails for us (which we will install on a Lodge Work Day). Our Senior Warden, Sam, generously offered to put up half of that cost himself, leaving the remaining \$2,000.00 to the Craft. Unfortunately, our building maintenance funds have not yet recovered from the new roof last year, nor do I know it ever will be. If you can find it within the length of your cable-tow to donate in any amount, this will help us get back on track with our budget and allow us to continue to be a charitable organization in our community in a capacity greater than we currently are.

Other announcements: Our first stated meeting in March, I'd like to invite you to bring in your unwanted Ties, or maybe the good ones you've worn too many times and would like something different for your current wardrobe, as we will be hosting a tie exchange where members of all degrees can trade, sell or swap ties to help diversify our collections! Our second meeting will no longer be an open meeting this month, as we will be hosting our District Deputy Grand Master on his official visit. Please come to lodge dressed for such an occasion. I'd love to see a big attendance at this DDGM visit to make us look as strong as we know we are!

Fraternally yours,  
Brian Carter  
Worshipful Master

***Congrats to the new Fellowcrafts  
who were passed in February!***

### FROM THE WEST

Brothers,

Two things for March:

1) We're having a tie swap at our first meeting. Bring in a tie or two to trade for another tie more your tastes. I quote Forrest Gump: Life's like a box of chocolates, you never know what you'll get!

2) On a more serious note: !!!! ATTENTION !!!! Your Lodge needs your assistance with purchasing new picture railings for the Lodge room. The old rails were severely damaged during removal for room painting. If every Brother sends in just \$10, we'll more than cover the cost of railings. Of course we'll gladly accept any amount. Brothers, it's not often your Lodge makes a special request for funds, but this is one of those occasions. The price of goods and services has gone through the roof for all of us. Please place a donation in the mail and let's make our Lodge room one we can be proud of. Be sure to note that your donation is for the picture rails. Thank you !!

Fraternally,  
Sam Rogero

### New Members:

Corey Fitts, Tyler Fitts, Logan Facemyer, and Wayne Rybeck work on FC Proficiency.

Petitions Received – William Murray  
We have several petitions that are out, and are eagerly awaiting their return.

### Committees & Committee Chairman

Finance Committee	Sam Rogero
Vigilance Committee	Brandon Windsor
Petitions Committee	Sam Rogero
Masonic Education	Matt Hanks, PM
Board of Relief	WM Brian Carter
Charity	Randy Klaus, PM
Lodge Property	Brandon Windsor

### ELECTED OFFICERS FOR 2024

Worshipful Master	Brian Carter (Sarah)	321-890-5830
Senior Warden	Sam Rogero	321-480-8119
Junior Warden	Brandon Windsor	321-544-1775
Treasurer	Greg Maruna (Billie Jo)	330-608-4620
Secretary	Matt Hanks (Shannon)	321-503-2846

### APPOINTED OFFICERS FOR 2024

Senior Deacon	Terry Andrews	
Junior Deacon	Brian Stoll	
Senior Steward	Jesse Tibbets	
Junior Steward	Jim Kirby	
Chaplain	Mike Corey	321-431-5461
Marshall	Eric Hall	
Tyler	Louis Fields, PDDGM	

## FROM THE SOUTH

Greetings from the South,

I wish to congratulate our new Fellowcrafts as they progress in their Masonic journey, as well as our Master Masons who gave a fantastic proficiency this past month. A reminder that we are hosting Masters and Wardens this month. If you are able to lend a hand it would be much appreciated. If you have never attended, it is an opportunity to see what is happening around the district.

We are moving forward with installation of the picture rails and will need to hold an additional Lodge Work Day to get them up; stand by for more information. As always, your help is greatly appreciated. We have plenty to get done to help our Lodge grow and improve. If you are interested in being involved, give one of the officers a call!

Fraternally,  
Brandon Windsor  
Junior Warden

"It is not the critic who counts; not the man who points out how the strong man stumbles, or where the doer of deeds could have done them better. The credit belongs to the man who is actually in the arena, whose face is marred by dust and sweat and blood; who strives valiantly; who errs, who comes short again and again, because there is no effort without error and shortcoming; but who does actually strive to do the deeds; who knows great enthusiasms, the great devotions; who spends himself in a worthy cause; who at the best knows in the end the triumph of high achievement, and who at the worst, if he fails, at least fails while daring greatly, so that his place shall never be with those cold and timid souls who neither know victory nor defeat."

- Bro. Theodore Roosevelt Matinecock  
Lodge No. 806 in Oyster Bay, New York

## Charity of Month DeMolay Chapter

## THE SECRETARY'S COMPASS

Please go in and leave our lodge a Google review. This will help people know that we're active and know about all the good things happening in our lodge.

Also, if you are reading this from a hard copy and prefer a hard copy, please let me know either by phone call or email. I will ask again next month here.

2025 Dues are mailed out. Please try to get those paid up front in order to keep us in line with our proposed budget. As of mid-February, we're missing about a quarter.

Matt Hanks, PM  
Secretary

## Titusville Scottish Rite Club

The Titusville Scottish Rite club is back. We have had a couple meetings and it's been a good time socializing with brothers in the district right here at Indian River 90. We are meeting the 2nd Tuesday of Every month at 7 pm. This is a social hour where we're planning on having presentations and just having fun. Some nights we do plan to have some more esoteric discussions as well. This is open to anyone.

The Orlando Valley meets at Winter Park Lodge typically the 4th Friday of Each month. Most meetings are open but a few are tyled. Spouses always welcomed to attend the dinners and inside during the open meetings. The next Reunion is planned for April 2025. If you're interested in learning more about joining the Scottish Rite, please reach out to Matt Hanks.

You can contact:  
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## AZAN Shrine

AZAN SHRINE's upcoming events

- Sunday, March 1st, 8:00 am Breakfast with the Potentate at Azan Shrine Center -\$10 PP, which gets you two Mimosas -proceeds to benefit the First Ladies Project.
- Saturday, March 9, 1:00 pm, North Brevard Shrine Club Seafood Festival - \$20 per plate. Public welcome.

Shriners are bound together by our shared values and desire to have fun, do good and build relationships that can last a lifetime. Shriners International is more than just a fraternity – it's great men making an even greater difference – together. Because together, we are more. Are you a great character interested in learning more about becoming a Shriner? Take the first step and reach out to Todd Forschino at Canaveral Masonic Lodge, 321-588-1910, or call Azan Shrine at 321-259-5302. You can become a Shriner as a Master Mason, go through the cold sands and start attending our meetings. ALL who join will be invited to participate in our Large Ceremony in June with Bahia Shrine in Daytona Beach. It will be a great time! You can also visit <https://beashrinernow.com/join-shriners-form/>

## Sickness & Distress

As we go through each day, we come across our Brothers and Sisters who have fallen ill, or who find themselves in distress and need good thoughts and prayers sent their way. This space is meant to provide a listing of people who need our thoughts and prayers, or perhaps a friendly call to let them know they are thought of. Let the Worshipful Master or Secretary know who we can add to this list and they will be published in the next Trestle Board.

## Trestle Board Boosters

Brothers, this is a place we will honor those who donate to help offset the costs of the Trestle Board. If you would like to be added to this list, please let the Secretary know.

Edward Wilson	Louis Fields	Jerry Johnson	Jerry Reynolds
Ken Kelly	Stanlee Levine	Randy Klaus	Jim Prevatt
David Norris	Jack McDonald	Martin Antonio	Greg Seaman
Gary Tittle	Dale Wolf	Thomas & Jolene Corbin	Kyle Cannamore
Nathan Herman	Gerald Pierce		

## March Birthdays

Tucker Lynden Adkins, Sean Geiger Bower, William Howard Butcher, James Joseph Devine, Robert Louis Galke, Charles Clayton Gross III, Christopher Sean Jannette, Silas Mullins Jr, John Dean Palmer, Charles Gregory Prickett, Jerry Leon Richards Sr, Jeffery Short, Gregory P Stryletz, William Leslie White

## District 17 Happenings & Special Events

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

Lodge:	Website:	District 17	<a href="https://thunderingdistrict.wixsite.com/seventeen">https://thunderingdistrict.wixsite.com/seventeen</a>
Indian River #90	<a href="http://indianriver90.com">http://indianriver90.com</a>	Brevard #113	<a href="http://www.brevard113.info">www.brevard113.info</a>
Melbourne #143	<a href="http://www.melbournelodge143.com">www.melbournelodge143.com</a>	Harbor City #318	<a href="http://www.harborcity318.com">www.harborcity318.com</a>
Canaveral #339	<a href="http://canaveralLodge.org">http://canaveralLodge.org</a>	Merritt Island #353	<a href="http://www.miblueLodge.org">www.miblueLodge.org</a>
Beach # 354	<a href="http://www.beachLodge354.org">http://www.beachLodge354.org</a>	Gateway #384	<a href="http://www.gateway384.com">www.gateway384.com</a>
Palm Bay #397	<a href="http://www.palmbayLodge.com">http://www.palmbayLodge.com</a>		

## Masonic Education

Did you know every first Wednesday at Harbor City, you can read word for word everything related to our ritual in plain text? This is a good opportunity to ride down with some brothers and refresh yourselves on the material to ensure our lodge is squared away on ritual. Here you can work on proficiency cards with the District Instructor and learn something new at the District School of Instruction.

## Living & Still Breathing Past Masters

1976 – Brent Cull	2002 – Silas Mullins	2014 - Daryl DeBaets
1981 - Joe Fowler, Jr.	2004 – Barry McAmis	2015 - Michael Fisher
1985 – Keith Hendrix	2005 – Dennis Stowe	2016 - Peter Super
1988 – Thomas Corbin	2006 – John Hillman	2017 - Randy Klaus
1991 – Darrell Hamilton	2007 – James Kolb	2018 - Louis Fields
1993 – William Macken	2008 – Robert Headley	2019 - Greg Seaman
1994 – Gregory Davis	2009 – Ben S. Schwartz	2020 - Ken Kelly
1997 – John Palmer	2011 - Jeffrey Bills	2021 - Darrell McCall
1998 – Jerry Reynolds	2012 - Jack McDonald	2022 - Greg Maruna
1999 – James Cheek	2013 - Gene Bryer	2023 - Matt Hanks
		2024 - Eric Hall

**Trestle Board**

**Booster Name(s)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Amount enclosed \$** \_\_\_\_\_

I would prefer to receive the Trestle Board \_\_\_\_\_ Electronically \_\_\_\_\_ Hard Copy \_\_\_\_\_ Both

Return to the Lodge by dropping it off at the Lodge or by mail at:

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**Titusville, FL. 32781-0465**

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Or Current Resident

## March 2025

Sunday      Monday      Tuesday      Wednesday      Thursday      Friday      Saturday

						<sup>1</sup> <b>Masters and Wardens,</b> Indian River Lodge No. 90 <i>Breakfast 8 am,          Mtg 9 am</i>
2	3	4 Board of Relief Coffee Hour, 9 AM	5 <b>Open Books</b> Harbor City Lodge No. 318, 6 - 9 pm	6	7	8
9	10 <b>Gateway #384</b> <i>7:30 pm mtg</i>	11 Board of Relief Coffee Hour, 9 am <b>Titusville Scottish Rite Club, 7 pm</b>	12 <b>NBSC Mtg,</b> <i>7 pm</i>	13 <b>Stated Meeting</b> (Tie Exchange) <i>6:00 pm dinner 7:00 pm mtg</i>	14	15
16	17	18 Board of Relief Coffee Hour, 9 AM	19	20	21	22
23	24	25 Board of Relief Coffee Hour, 9 AM	26	27 <b>Stated Meeting DDGM</b> <b>Official Visit</b> <i>6 pm</i>	28 <b>Sewing Class</b> <i>4:00 pm</i>	29
30	31					