



Liberty Lodge No. 412 F&AM



April 2019 Trestleboard

Message from the East; Worshipful Master Tom Haber

My Brothers,

Liberty Lodge is about to embark on the summer of the Candidates! We read 8 Petitions for Candidates at our meeting last week, and we have 2 more potential Candidates in our pipeline. There is a great mix of men ranging in age from their 20's to their 70's. This will be a great test for our Lodge. With assistance from all the Craft we will grow this Lodge Brother by Brother, through Initiations and through plural members who I hope will see us as a happy, up and coming Lodge.

One other thing I have put a great emphasis on this year as Master, is improving our relationship with Manatee 31. As we grow Liberty Lodge's history, until we are more established and can find places where our Lodge can make a difference in our community we need to partner with other Lodges to help them make even more of an impact. Through our support of Manatee 31, the 23rd Masonic District's MMA and the OES 87 Chapter now meeting at Manatee 31 we can improve our presence in the District and assist in their worthy causes. Nothing good comes quickly Brothers. See you all in Lodge hopefully.

W.: Tom Haber; 904-501-0993

Message from the West; SW Ken Ammons

Brothers,

The Pirate Spring Training Games are over; we appreciate all that were able to work for our Lodge. We've got quite a number of events coming up this Spring. A fund raiser at Walmart on Cortez for the Southeast Guide dogs, and Grand Lodge in Orlando. We also have some gentlemen interested in joining our Lodge. We are the only Daylight Lodge in our district which give more opportunities to visit other Lodges in our district for fellowship with our Brothers. Be sure to reach out to some of your neighbors that maybe Masons and bring them with you. It appears we'll probably be having two Entered Apprentice Degrees coming up pretty soon. That's all from the West.

Ken Ammons; SW 941-238-8828

Message from the South; JW David Finkelstein

Hello Brothers!

As the head of the Vigilance Committee, I want to remind everyone that vigilance begins with ourselves. We're Masons. We like doing the right thing. We like policing ourselves. Our primary motivation to follow our rules comes not from a fear of punishment, but because we like and respect our rules and because we know that our rules make us who we are. Therefore, if we see an infraction, let's first give our Brothers the chance to do the right thing. Let's not sit around digesting the Digest, looking for the opportunity to find a violation and report it just to show others or ourselves that we know the rule.



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You don't need to do that. Even if a Brother seems to ignore you after you whisper in his ear. Remember, we usually find out quickly when our Brothers are not impressed with us. This is usually all the "course correcting" that we need. So if a behavior is troubling you, if you can, wait a little while and see if the problem solves itself through self-reflection or "peer pressure". Of course, if you've done that and you feel that the Vigilance Committee should get involved, we are at your service.

David Finkelstein; JW 941-587-8800

From the Lodge Secretary; Richard Benson

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Current 2019 Trestle Board Sponsors:

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PM.: Mark Mason

Petitions:

Baron Kamp, 55, Green Cove Springs, FL
Cameron Jade Mailloux, 26, Bradenton FL
Horace George Griffin Jr., 77, Bradenton, FL
Kevin Douglas Clayton, 50, Myakka City, FL
Otis Wilson, 67, Bradenton, FL
Robert J. Leonard, 47, Ruskin, FL
Seaborn Walker, 66, Bradenton, FL
Yerandy Molina, 29, Ruskin, FL

Happy Birthday to Brothers Celebrating a Birthday in April!

Ken Ammons
Ben Steven Grubbs
Kevin Sapio

April Masonic Birthdays

Jamie Rocafort - 1978 - 41 Years
John Rule - 1983 - 36 Years
Kevin Sapio - 2003 - 16 Years
Jeffrey Smith - 1996 - 23 Years



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2019 Liberty Lodge Dues are now due and payable. You may send a check to the Lodge or pay through Circumscribe. If any brother is having difficulty making his payment please contact the Worshipful Master or the Secretary.

Liberty Lodge 412 - Committees for 2019:

Masonic Education - David Finkelstein, Tom Haber.

Finance - Brothers Ammons, Mason, Benson, Light and Dobbs.

Petitions - Brothers Benson, Light and WM.: Haber. These brothers will sign all Petitions but will not be on any investigation committee.

Board of Masonic Relief - Brothers Haber, Ammons, Finkelstein.

Petition Investigation - Assigned as needed; none include any Petition Committee Member or a signer of the Candidate's Petition.

Charity - Brothers Cunningham, Ammons, Benson.

Lodge Property - Brothers Ammons, Mason, Light.

Richard Benson, Secretary - Liberty Lodge 412 F&AM

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Liberty Lodge No. 412 F&AM meets the second Saturdays of the month

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23rd District Instructor: **RH James J. Albritton**
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Liberty No. 412 Past Masters

2017 - Earl Dennis Jr.

2018 - Dr. Mark L. Mason

Liberty No. 412 Perpetual Members

Dr. Mark Mason

Ken Ammons

Thomas Haber

Steven Grubbs

Les Ruggerio



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Liberty No. 412 Sick and Distressed

None currently that we are aware of. Please inform our Chaplain Bob Cunningham of any sickness, distress or requests for Funeral Services at (941) 417-7872 or at bob44c@aol.com

Liberty Lodge Social Media Links:

Liberty Lodge 412 F&AM Website: <https://libertylodge412.com/>

Liberty Lodge FaceBook Site: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1987051098234807/>

23rd Masonic District Website

Webmaster: Gary Schweinshaupt

www.trowel.com/flamason/dist23.htm or via email at: GarySch@trowel.com

Degree and Proficiency Work

Awaiting Balloting: Baron Kamp, Cameron Mailloux, Horace Griffin Jr., Kevin Clayton, Otis Wilson, Robert Leonard, Seaborn Walker, Yerandy Molina.

Awaiting EA Degree: None

Awaiting EA Catechism: Amir Ghaeenzadeh, Dariush Ghaeenzadeh, Stanley Walker Jr.

Awaiting FC Catechism: None

Awaiting MM Degree: None

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Calendar of upcoming Lodge Events

Sat. April 2nd, 2019 – Liberty 412 / Manatee 31 Lodge Cleanup day, 8:00 AM; Manatee Lodge No. 31

Sat. April 9th, 2019 - Liberty Lodge Stated Communication, 9:00 AM; Manatee Lodge No. 31

Mon. April 15th, 2019 – Manatee 31 Stated Communication, 7:30 PM; Manatee Lodge No. 31

Thr. April 25th, 2019 – 23rd District MMA Meeting, 6:45 PM; Punta Gorda Lodge No. 115

Sat. April 27th, 2019 – 23rd Masonic District Chili Cook-off; Sahib Shrine Center, 11am – 2pm

Sat. May 4th, 2019 – Liberty 412 / Manatee 31 Lodge Cleanup day, 8:00 AM; Manatee No. 31

Sat. May 11th, 2019 - Liberty Lodge Stated Communication, 9:00 AM; Manatee Lodge No. 31

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