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January 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 NEW YEAR DAY	2	3 Clearwater Y.R. Chapter & Council Meeting 7:30pm	4	5	6
7	8 Anclote DeMolay Stated Meeting 7:30 PM	9 Officers Practice 6:30 PM	10	11 Stated Meeting 7:30 PM	12	13 Officer Installation 10AM Lunch 12PM York Rite Installation to follow lunch
14	15 Anclote DeMolay Fun Meeting 7:30 PM	16 Officers Practice 6:30 PM	17 Commandery Practice 7:00 PM	18	19	20
21 Lodge Breakfast 9-11AM All are welcome	22 Anclote DeMolay Fun Meeting 7:30 PM	23 Officers Practice 6:30 PM	24 Commandery Meeting 7:30 PM	25 Stated Meeting 7:30 PM Dinner 6:30PM	26	27
28	29 Anclote DeMolay Fun Meeting 7:30 PM	30 Officers Practice 6:30 PM	31			

February 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2 First Friday 4:30-9:30PM	3
4	5 Anclote DeMolay Stated Meeting 7:30 PM	6 Officers Practice 6:30 PM	7 Clearwater Y.R. Chapter & Council Meeting 7:30pm	8 Stated Meeting 7:30 PM	9	10
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Greetings from the East

The Greek philosopher Aristotle tells us that there are three kinds of friendship:

We have friends who make us laugh, whose company we enjoy.

We have friends who are useful to us, who lend things to us, who do things for us that we cannot do well for ourselves.

Finally, we have "friends in the good." This friendship occurs when we are united with others in a common undertaking, which lifts us to another level, giving us a desire to strive for something beyond our own lives. This is the highest form of friendship, and we seek it because we quite simply become better people for having "friends in the good."

Thank you to all who have entrusted me with the honor of being your WM for the year of 2024. You and your families are welcome to contact me at any time, day or night, for any reason.

We will be traveling this year to as many other Lodges as possible. Making new friends and Brothers as well as strengthening our already strong fraternity. I look forward to having you accompany me on this journey.

Thank you, W Forman, for a great 2023. We will continue in tradition and look forward to having you continue with us. It was a pleasure.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to you all.

Humbly and Fraternaly,

Cy M. Havron Sr - WM

727-301-8579

Greetings from the West

Hope everyone had a wonderful Holiday and Wish All A Very Happy New Year

Fraternaly,

Ken Briscoe Jr - JW

727-729-2141

Greetings from the South

Brethren, as we welcome a new year with new leadership, we can reflect upon all we accomplished in 2023. The lodge had a wonderful makeover due in part to the work of Brother Havron, Brother Briscoe and Brother Hinote. The checkerboard flooring and wood border have taken the looks of the lodge to a different level this year.

Thank you, Worshipful Master Forman, for your leadership and friendship in 2023. Congratulations Worshipful Master Havron, we look forward to your leadership, friendship and what you bring to our lodge and fraternity in 2024.

As we reflect on our past year's accomplishments, we should reflect on our heritage and those who came before us. One of us born on January 17, 1706 was Benjamin Franklin, a fifty-year member of our great fraternity and a traveling man visiting several lodges.

As we start this new year, let us embrace our traveling heritage and visit as many lodges as possible. While visiting other lodges, don't forget to invite the brothers to visit our lodge.

This month's dinner will be served on January 25th. Please email me to RSVP and with any food allergies at Helvey@hlj357.com

Fraternally,

Helvey Johnson - JW

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The Secretary's Quill

One of the first lessons:

We are taught in Freemasonry to be good men and true. So how to go about doing that? Where to start?

I was recently talking with a new EA Brother and when I asked him how his catechism proficiency was coming along he responded with a quick enthusiastic upbeat change in his demeanor saying, "You know that part about learning to control the passions? That really hit home with me. It got me to thinking about the things I need to work on ". Trying not to broadcast too big a smile, I responded, "I'm pleased that Masonry is already working in your life."

For me personally when I first started studying about subduing passions, I didn't get it. Why would I want to suppress my passions? Passion for music, my Country, or my passion for my profession or my passion for my family and the Fraternity? Well clearly I wasn't understanding the lesson. It has nothing to do with love of God, Family or Country or music and it is not about, which I errantly thought, eliminating all passion, rather self control. Self discipline. I'm in charge of me, not my whimsical phantasm.

As Freemasons we should not be enslaved but free. It's in our very name. Free from being ruled by our passions. Free from being captives of vicious things.

True slavery is the self-enslavement of the mind to emotion and desire as Marcus Aurelius discusses in his Meditations.

Free in our minds eye. Free in our minds perceptive thoughts and free in our willful actions.

As you increase in Masonic knowledge you will improve in social intercourse.

Fraternally,

Cory Underwood, Sec; PM

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727.204.3549

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* Wor.Bro. James C. Craver	1891	* Wor.Bro. Maurice Nash	1938	Wor.Bro. Francis C. Disney, Jr.	1984
* Wor.Bro. James C. Craver	1892	* Rt. Wor.Bro. George E. Smitzes	1939	Wor.Bro. Michael P. Koulianos	1985
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* Wor.Bo. Henry F. Penny	1898	* Wor.Bro. Clyde D. Smith	1945	Wor.Bro. Norbert A. Cheesman	1991
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* Rt. Wor.Bro. Newton E. Coler	1918	* Rt. Wor.Bro. Alexander H. Bell	1964	Rt. Wor. Bro. Carl Gilmore	2011
* Wor.Bro. Edwin A. Pierce	1919	* Wor.Bro. Francis Chatham	1965	Wor.Bro. Douglas O. Stobbs	2012
* Wor.Bro. James. I. Blake	1920	Wor.Bro. Cecil I. Raymond	1966	Wor.Bro. Ryan Lee	2013
* Wor.Bro. W. Floyd Goodwin	1921	* Wor.Bro. John M. Billiris	1967	Wor.Bro. Richard Stevenson	2014
* Wor.Bro. David Tail	1922	* Wor.Bro. Gene E. Padgett	1968	Wor.Bro. Marty Smith	2015
* Wor.Bro. Maurice Nash	1923	* Wor.Bro. George G. Gerakios	1969	Wor.Bro. Kirk Hinote	2016
* Wor.Bro. William E. Mann	1924	* Rt. Wor.Bro. Alexander H. Bell	1970	Wor. Bro. Cory Underwood	2017
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