



AUGUST - 2021

The Trestleboard

Salinas Lodge #204

Serving the greater Salinas area since 1869

48 East San Joaquin St. Salinas, CA 93901

2021 Officers

Master: Thomas Crompton, PM

Senior Warden: Mike Chasen

Junior Warden: Sam Mante, PM

Treasurer: John Williams, PM

Secretary: J. David Isaac, PM

Chaplin: Mark Washburn, DDS

Marshal: Nelson Cargo

Junior Deacon: Brian Vanderpool

Senior Steward: Tom Folliard

Junior Steward: Jim Riley

Tiler: Ron Wilmoth, PM

From the East



Brothers and Friends of Salinas Lodge,
Well, we have weathered the storm and finally had an in-person meeting at Salinas Lodge #204. The meeting dinner was well attended, and we enjoyed salads, hamburgers and all the fixin's prepared by your Senior Warden and his minions in the Steward's Committee. Please plan on attending our August barbeque and having a good time together. And...we can once again plan on Degrees

We kept the faith and have come out on the other side, intact, if not complete. We will all have to be cognizant of the safety concerns involved in getting back together and remember the universal safety precautions, hand washing, sanitizing & etc. The Hall Association has provided the necessary personal and institutional protective equipment for safe meetings. Touchless hand sanitizer near the front door and hand sanitizer containers spread throughout the hall. We will not require proof of vaccination or negative COVID-19 tests, masks are no longer required. If you feel safer wearing your mask, by all means continue to do so.

I would remind our members that dues were due and payable in January. You should have received your dues notices directly from Grand Lodge this year. You can either pay by check or by credit card. Only takes a few minutes if you are online with Grand Lodge through iMember. If not it only takes a few minutes to sign up. All you need is web access and your member number printed on your membership card. Please remit your dues payments as soon as possible. We will resume the occasional "Brobucks" get-togethers. If you would like to join us and be included, text or email myself or one of your officers for information. If you know of a brother in need, reach out to our brethren and to the lodge.

The first Tuesday of the month, August 3, 2021, we will convene at Carmel Lodge and enjoy their closed installation of officers. They will be able to keep going, at least for the time being, with the assistance of our lodge.

Our coaching staff remains available for coaching and if anyone wants to move forward in their progress forward through the degrees or learn/review any officer's ritual, now's the time. Contact your candidate's coach or officer's coach and get this work completed before we start meeting again. We'll be able to start the year with a bang! And don't forget, for the first time in 16 months, **TUESDAY NIGHT IS...LODGE NIGHT!**

Fraternally,

Thomas C. Crompton, PM
Master, Salinas Lodge #204



From the West



Happy August!

It was great to see everyone at the last stated meeting and see everyone back together for a long overdue lodge meal!

We will once again have a stated meeting meal for August and will fire up the grill with Tri Tip, Garlic Bread, Vegetable soup and Green Salad. We will have all the fixings and of course something sweet for

dessert.

Please come out and enjoy a good meal and great fellowship and I look forward to seeing you!

Mike Chasen
Senior Warden



**The Three Great Lights of Masonry
Holy Bible, Square and Compass**



BIRTHDAYS

FOR AUGUST

Marvin Ganaden 1	Harold Denney 11	Ricardo Torres 23
Julio Herrera 4	David Deckert 12	Ronald Wilmoth 23
Raymond Ryan 5	Joseph Ventura 13	Tommy Clifton 24
Sam Mante 6	Frederick Harris 15	Nelson Cargo 29
Juanito Reduque 9	Manuel Quebec 16	Steven Elliott 30
Ronald Edson 10	William Lippert 21	Zafer Aktan 30
	Aristoteles Fernandez 30	

CALENDAR: AUGUST 2021

Tuesday, August 3, 2021 7:00 PM, Closed Installation of Officers, Carmel Lodge #680

**Tuesday, August 10, 2021, 6:00 PM, Barbeque Dinner
7:30 PM Stated Meeting**

Tuesday, August 17, 2021 2nd Degree Practice.

Tuesday, August 24, 2021 Possible 2nd Degree

Tuesday, August 31, 2021 Possible 2nd Degree

Tuesday, September 7, 2021 Carmel Lodge Stated Meeting.

**Tuesday, September 14 6:00 PM, Dinner
7:30 PM: Stated Meeting.**

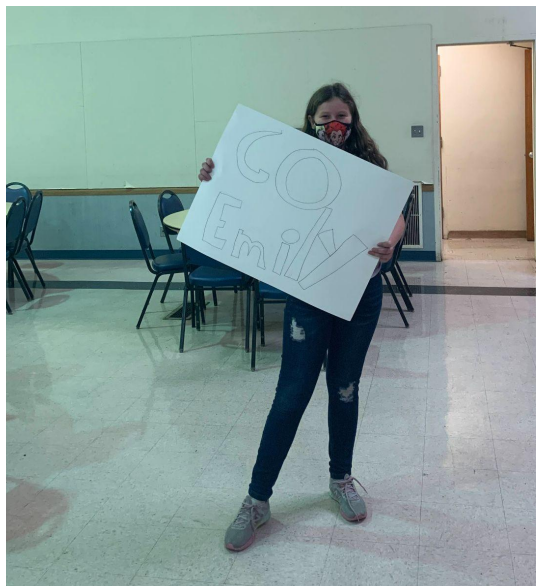


Where girls Bloom
learn to Lead
& Soar
to greatness.

**JOB'S DAUGHTERS
INTERNATIONAL**
Bethel No. 230, Salinas
August 2021

Dear Friends and Family,
Our Job's Daughters having been having meetings and activities on Zoom all year, but nothing beats seeing each other face to face. At the end of June, we met in the Lodge to support Emily's outgoing session as Grand Bethel Junior Princess. While we were sad that we couldn't be there in person for her, we are so proud of how Emily represented us over the past two years.

In July, we had our first in-person meeting before going Dark for the summer. On August 14, we will be going to Six Flags Discovery Kingdom with NorCal DeMolay. Please see our full list of upcoming events to the right.



If you have any questions please call or text Kellie Rodden at 831-840-7727.

August EVENTS

- August 14th Six Flags Discovery Kingdom with NorCal DeMolay (tickets must be purchased by August 5th)
- August 18th Meeting
- August 22nd Virtual Grand Guardian's Official Visit (Zoom information available upon request)

September EVENTS

- September 1st Meeting
- September 15th Meeting
- September 25th Apple Picking at Gizditch Ranch

