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#### **PAST MASTERS**

DODEDT DEDNICTEINI\$	1062
ROBERT BERNSTEIN*	1962
WALTER RIDGE*	1963
GRADY RYMER*	1964
THOMAS BOSWELL*	1965
LEON HURTADO*	1966
WILLIAM BEEMAN*	1967
FRANK LYONS*	1968
THOMAS BOSWELL*	1969
CHARLES GOEHLE JR*	1970
THOMAS BOSWELL*	1971
CHARLES GOEHLE JR*	1972
PAUL MELOY	1973
PAUL MELOY	1974
JAMES FOSTER*	1975
ROY C. ROBERTS*	1976
WILBER FRENCH*	1977
PAUL WILLIAMSON*	1978
JAMES BURGETT*	1979
RONALD TEMPLIN*	1980
JOHN BEDNAR*	1981
ERNEST SAMUELSON*	1982
HOWARD SPOERKE*	1983
WALTER REESE*	1984
ROBERT CAMPBELL*	1985
PAUL GOEHLE	1986
WALLACE BATEMAN*	1987
LEWIS FISH	1988
TED BLOCK	1989
ROBERT HOEPPNER*	1990
ALBERT SAMUELSON	1991
ANDREW STANFORTH*	1992
J. DOUGLAS WRIGHT	1993
HOWARD SPOERKE*	1994
HARRY HOPKINS*	1995



CLIFF AYERS	1996
KENNETH LAVINE*	1997
JEROME MASSEE*	1998
WILLIAM HORSELING*	1999
CHARLES MARTIN	2000
KENNETH LAVINE*	2001
HELMUT REIMER	2002
JAMES ROSE*	2003
CARL PETERSON	2004
JONATHAN HAMMETT	2005
RALPH MCDONALD*	2006
MICHAEL CROUCHELLI	2007
GUY WALTMAN	2008
JOHN CARTER	2009
JASON HOLLINGER	2010
WILLIAM HORACIO JR.*	2011
PAUL GOEHLE	2012
PAUL GOEHLE	2013
G. RICHARD CURETON	2014
DANIEL AKARD	2015

#### \* DECEASED

# TRESTLE BOARD LEHIGH ACRES LODGE 344 F&AM APRIL 2016



# **OFFICERS**

WORSHIPFUL MASTER	ROBERT LIPPEK	239-600-9084
SENIOR WARDEN	KEVIN GOURLEY	239-849-1534
JUNIOR WARDEN	HELMUT REIMER	239-303-5224
TREASURER	DANIEL AKARD	239-707-4451
SECRETARY	PAUL GOEHLE	239-633-8249
SENIOR DEACON	FRED NATOLI	239-895-6488
JUNIOR DEACON	J. MICHAEL FRISBY	239-728-3811
MARSHAL		
SENIOR STEWARD		
JUNIOR STEWARD		
CHAPLAIN	CHARLES MARTIN	239-369-6478
TYLER	JAMES BOLLA SR.	239-368-8065



# LODGE MEETINGS APRIL 2016

APRIL 4TH OFFICERS MEETING 7:00 PM

APRIL 11H STATED COMMUNICATION

DINNER 6:30 PM MEETING 7:30 PM

APRIL 18TH LODGE PRACTICE 7:00 PM

APRIL 25TH STATED COMMUNICATION

DINNER 6:30 PM MEETING 7:30 PM

APRIL 27TH MASTERS & WARDENS

DINNER 6:30 PM MEETING 7:30 PM

## **GRAND LODGE OFFICERS FOR DISTRICT 29**

D. D. G. M. R.W. ALLAN R. GOLDSTEIN 239-961-0216

D. I. R.W. JEFF NOWAK 239-571-0935

#### REBEKAH LODGE

NOBLE GRAND CHARLES MARTIN

(239) 369-6478

SECRETARY ADA THOMPSON

APRIL 12TH 1:00 PM

REGULAR MEETING



INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODDFELLOWS LEHIGH ACRES LODGE 2009

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APRIL 12TH

IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING REBEKAH

**REGULAR MEETING** 

**MASTERS & WARDENS** 

APRIL 27TH 7:30 PM

REGULAR MEETING

DINNER AT 6:30 PM RSVP TO SWFLMWDINNER@GMAIL.COM

IF YOU ARE GOING TO ATTEND THE DINNER

WE HAD A GREAT TALK BY R:. W:. RUDY BOATWRIGHT, WHO IS RUNNING FOR THE GRAND SOUTH, AT OUR MEETING IN MARCH. MASTERS & WARDENS IS SPONSORING THE LEGISLATIVE MEETING AGAIN THIS YEAR AT OUR MEETING IN APRIL. I HOPE TO SEE EVERYONE AT THE MEETING AND ALSO AT OUR MAY MEETING WHICH WILL BE HELD AT GRAND LODGE.

DANIEL AKARD PRESIDENT

#### ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR

#### LEHIGH ACRES CHAPTER 291

JANICE MARTIN WORTHY MATRON

JAMES BOLLA, SR WORTHY PATRON

GERALD POKORNY SECRETARY (239) 303-2374

APRIL 8TH 7:30 PM REGULAR MEETING

OUR EASTERN STAR HAD THE FIRST MEETING OF THE NEW TERM AND I AM HAPPY TO REPORT THAT WE HAD A FULL SLATE OF OFFICERS INSTALLED. I THANK ALL THE OFFICERS FOR ACCEPTING THESE OFFICES ESPECIALLY OUR NEW MEMBERS. IT'S A LOT TO LEARN AND WILL TAKE SOME TIME BUT WE ARE ALL WILLING TO TRY AND THAT IS THE MOST IMPORTANT THING. GRAND CHAPTER IS TO BE HELD APRIL 12-14 IN ST. AUGUSTINE. THEN WE WILL HAVE A SPECIAL MEETING ON WEDNESDAY MAY 11AT 7:00 PM FOR THE NEW GRAND INSTRUCTOR'S VISIT. ALL OFFICERS ARE REQUESTED TO BE PRESENT AT THIS MEETING IN THE SAME ATTIRE AS A REGULAR MEETING. ANY STAR MEMBER IS WELCOME AT ANY OF OUR MEETINGS, SO COME OUT AND JOIN US.

IN STAR LOVE, JANICE



# Lehigh Acres Shrine Club

NOBLE BILL R. JONES, PRESIDENT NOBLE JIM BOLLA SR, SECRETARY

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THE LEHIGH ACRES SHRINE CLUB MEETS EVERY FOURTH THURSDAY AT CHINA STAR RESTAURANT, EXCEPT JULY AND AUGUST WITH DINNER 6:00 P.M. AND THE BUSINESS MEETING IS AT 7:00 P.M. ALL SHRINERS, MASTER MASONS AND THEIR LADIES ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND FOR DINNER. FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL JIM AT 239-368-8065 OR BILL AT (239) 368-6474.

#### GREETINGS FROM THE EAST;

THE FIRST QUARTER OF THE YEAR HAS FLOWN BY, AND AS MANY HAVE WARNED, MY YEAR IS GOING BY FASTER THAN ANY YEAR I HAVE EVER EXPERIENCED. I WOULD LIKE TO THANK THE OFFICERS AND MEMBERS FOR ALL OF YOUR HELP THIS YEAR. I'VE LEARNED VERY QUICKLY THAT ALTHOUGH THERE'S ONLY ONE "GAVEL", IT TAKES MANY HANDS TO PERFORM THIS JOB. WITH THAT IN MIND, W.: HELMUT REIMER, OUR JW, WILL BE AWAY FOR THE SUMMER. PLEASE SEE ME IF YOU'RE ABLE TO ASSIST WITH FILLING IN. A SPECIAL THANK YOU TO THE BROTHERS THAT TRAVELED TO THE MASONIC HOME FOR PILGRIMAGE DAY IN SUCH RAINY CONDITIONS.

WE NEED MORE MEMBERS TO CONTINUE GROWING OUR GREAT LODGE AND FRATERNITY. IF YOU KNOW A MAN WHO MEETS OUR REQUIREMENTS INVITE THEM IN FOR DINNER. ALSO, I AM ALWAYS LOOKING FOR BROTHERS WHO ARE WILLING TO SERVE THE LODGE; IF INTERESTED, PLEASE EMAIL ME. ANY SUCCESS THUS FAR IS NOT SOLELY BECAUSE OF ME, BUT MOST CERTAINLY DUE TO THE LABOR OF ALL THE OFFICERS AND CRAFT OF LEHIGH ACRES LODGE. I THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR EFFORTS, AS THE LODGE IS PROGRESSING BECAUSE OF YOU. KEEP IN MIND THIS EXCERPT FROM OUR CLOSING CHARGE: "FINALLY, BRETHREN, BE YE ALL OF ONE MIND; LIVE IN PEACE, AND MAY THE GOD OF LOVE AND PEACE DELIGHT TO DWELL WITH AND BLESS YOU!"

LOVE & LIGHT, W∴ROBERT (BOBBY) LIPPEK

#### DATES TO REMEMBER

4/2/16 DISTRICT SCHOOL 4/16/16 MLT TRAINING LEHIGH ACRES 09:00-1:00PM 4/16/16 ZONE SCHOOL @ PUNTA GORDA LODGE 4/27/16 LEGISLATIVE MEETING @ MASTERS & WARDENS 7:30PM

#### GREETINGS FROM THE WEST;

IT IS ALWAYS GOOD TO BE INVOLVED IN SOMETHING. WHETHER IT BE IN LODGE, A CHARITY ORGANIZATION, OR SOME OTHER COMMUNITY EVENT, YOUR CONTRIBUTION CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE. SO, GO OUT AND DO SOMETHING GOOD TODAY!



SAFE TRAVELS AND GODSPEED, BR. KEVIN GOURLEY SENIOR WARDEN

#### CHARITY FOR APRIL

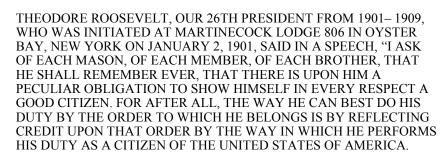
THE MISSION OF THE HARRY CHAPIN
FOOD BANK IS TO OVERCOME HUNGER THROUGH EDUCATION
AND BY WORKING IN A COOPERATIVE EFFORT WITH AFFILIATED
AGENCIES IN THE PROCUREMENT AND DISTRIBUTION OF FOOD,
EQUITABLY AND WITHOUT DISCRIMINATION. THE HARRY CHAPIN
FOOD BANK IS COMMITTED TO A FUTURE WHERE PEOPLE OF ARE
FREE FROM HUNGER. IT CREATES AN ENVIRONMENT THAT
ATTRACTS AND NURTURES CARING, HIGHLY COMPETENT STAFF
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#### FROM THE SOUTH;

IN THE EIGHTIES THERE WAS A POPULAR TV COMMERCIAL, AN OLD LADY ASKING, "WHERE'S THE BEEF." I AM ASKING WHERE'S THE PAST MASTERS AND ALL OTHER MASTER MASONS. WHY ARE YOU NOT JOINING THE MEETINGS? WHEN WAS THE LAST TIME YOU VISITED A LODGE MEETING? THINK ABOUT YOUR OBLIGATION TO YOUR LODGE! LET THE WORSHIPFUL MASTER KNOW WHY YOU ARE NOT JOINING THE MEETINGS, MAYBE IT IS SOMETHING THAT CAN BE WORKED OUT.



REMEMBER A MASONIC LODGE IS NOT A SOCIAL CLUB, A MASONIC LODGE SHOULD BE A SOCIETY OF FRIENDS AND BROTHERS, TO EDUCATE YOU FOR A HIGHER LIFESTYLE.

I AM HEADING BACK TO GERMANY SOON AND I WISH YOU AND YOUR FAMILIES HAPPINESS ALL SUMMER LONG.

W. HELMUT REIMER JUNIOR WARDEN

#### HAPPY BIRTHDAY AND ANNIVERSARY TO THE FOLLOWING

#### BIRTHDAYS FOR APRIL

G. RICHARD CURETON 1ST PAUL CONROD 4TH

TED BLOCK 8TH BOJAN STRICEVIC 8TH

JOSEPH BEALE III 10TH LINN BALLIET 14TH

ANNIVERSARIES IN MASONRY FOR APRIL

WILLIAM LINDSAY 53 YRS PAUL MELOY 47 YRS

ARTHUR POKORNY 39 YRS EARL NEWMAN 24 YRS

TED MORELAND 24 YRS ANTONIO RECIO 23 YRS

JOSEPH BEALE III 17 YRS G. RICHARD CURETON 7 YRS

#### WISH THESE BROTHERS A HAPPY BIRTHDAY OR ANNIVERSARY WHEN YOU SEE THEM

FROM THE SECRETARY'S DESK:

THERE ARE STILL 11 BROTHERS THAT HAVE NOT PAID THEIR 2016 DUES. PLEASE CHECK YOUR DUES CARD AND MAKE SURE THAT YOU ARE CURRENT.

PEACE BE WITH YOU, PAUL GOEHLE

TALL CEDARS OF LEBANON OF

NORTH AMERICA

**TAMIAMI FOREST 205** 

SECOND SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH PUNTA GORDA LODGE AT 2:00 PM



GRAND TALL CEDAR IRVIN HOPKINS (941) 661-0212

SCRIBE WILLIAM BOND (941) 475-4854

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