

LEHIGH ACRES LODGE NO. 344 F&AM

TRESTLE BOARD — NOVEMBER 2019



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Important Dates

November 4th
Called Communication
Entered Apprentice Degree
6:30pm Dinner
7:30pm Degree

November 11th
Stated Communication
Dinner 6:30pm
Meet 7:30pm

November 18th
Ritual Practice 7:00pm

November 25th
Dark—No Meeting

GREETINGS FROM THE EAST



Greetings Brethren,

I hope everyone had a Ghoulish Halloween. With the holiday season upon us, I would like to wish all of my Military Brothers a very Happy Veterans Day. On this day I find myself thinking of friends from long ago and always remembering those who gave the ultimate sacrifice.

With only one stated meeting this month, I'd like to take this opportunity to wish All of you and your Families a very Happy Thanksgiving. I am very thankful for my extended Masonic family. God Bless you all.

Sincerely & Fraternally,
Fred Natoli
Worshipful Master



GREETINGS FROM THE WEST



The charity for November will be [Family Promise](#).

"Family Promise develops community-based Affiliate programs that serve children and families experiencing or at risk of homelessness and provides ongoing support for these Affiliates to empower families to achieve and maintain their sustainable independence. Family Promise provides technical assistance and expertise to a national network of more than 200 Affiliates in 43 states, mobilizing 200,000 volunteers, and serving approximately 125,000 homeless family members each year. Our comprehensive model includes prevention, shelter, and stabilization programs to address the range of issues affecting low-income families and families experiencing homelessness to help them rebuild their lives and find independent, sustainable housing."-CN

Have a safe and happy Thanksgiving!

Sincerely & Fraternally,
R.:H.: Robert Lippek, PDI
Senior Warden



Charity of the Month



Meals for November

- **November 4th**
TBD
- **November 11th**
Chicken Alfredo, Salad,
Dessert



GREETINGS FROM THE SOUTH



It's my hopes that everyone is enjoying their Fall. I hope to see everyone at our EA Degree on the 4th. The meal for November 4th is TBD. For November 11th we will have chicken alfredo, salad, and a dessert.

With Brotherly Love,
Joe Propst
Junior Warden



FROM THE SECRETARY'S DESK



Nominations for the 2020 Elected Officer Line have been received. If any other nominations are to be considered, they must be turned in before the Stated Communication on November 11th. So far, the current nominations received for the proposed 2020 elected officers are as follows:

- W.: Kevin Gourley as Worshipful Master
- W.: Fred Natoli as Senior Warden
- Bro. Clinton Larkins as Junior Warden
- W.: Rob Antkiewicz as Treasurer
- Bro. Mike Frisby as Secretary

Dues notices for the 2020 year are also being sent out and should be paid before December 27th this year.

Fraternally,
W.: Kevin Gourley, PM
Secretary



NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Billy Harvey—7th
Ronald Carter—11th
Michael Stanforth—11th
David Walther—16th
John Carter—17th
Terry Steele II—26th



ANNIVERSARIES IN FREEMASONRY

Tom Castor—51 Years
Lewis Fish—37 Years
Kenneth Croy II—19 Years
James Grant—19 Years
Robert Beans—17 Years
Scott Braun—16 Years
Heiko Segieth—16 Years
David Walther—16 Years
Clinton Larkins—2 Years
Luis Tulier-Fabregas—1 Year

On October 3, 1789, George Washington issued his [Thanksgiving Proclamation](#), designating for "the People of the United States a day of public thanks-giving" to be held on "Thursday the 26th day of November," 1789, marking the first national celebration of a holiday that has become commonplace in the United States.



Master Mason Association of Southwest Florida

- ◆ President: R.:W.: Dan Akard
- ◆ Vice President: W.: Michael O. Gardner
- ◆ Treasurer: R.:W.: Joe Smedley
- ◆ Secretary: R.:W.: Jeff Nowak
- ◆ Social Media Director: R.:H.: Robert Lippek

Business Meeting Every Fourth Wednesday
Dinner: 6:30 PM
Meeting: 7:30 PM



Independent Order of Odd Fellows & Rebekah

Noble Grand: Charles Martin
 (239) 369-6478
 Secretary: Ada Thompson

Regular Meeting Second Tuesday each month at 1:00PM.



National Sojourners

President: Mike Crouchelli
 Phone: (239) 368-2047
 Email: unclemike73@msn.com
 Secretary: Jeff Nowak
 Phone: (239) 571-0935
 Email: jmnowak1@aol.com

Regular Meetings are held on Second Thursday at N. Fort Myers Elks Lodge. 6PM Dinner / 7PM Meeting



Tall Cedars of Lebanon

Tamiami Forest #205
 Grand Tall Cedar: James (Jim) R. Bolla, Sr.
 (239) 368-8065 shrinerjim@hotmail.com
 Scribe: William P. Bond
 (941) 475-4854 billandtinabond@yahoo.com

Regular Meetings are held the second Sunday of each month at the Punta Gorda Lodge at 2:30 P.M.



Order of the Eastern Star

Lehigh Acres Chapter 291
 Worthy Matron: Dorothy "Dotti" Foisy
 Worthy Patron: Jeff Nowak
 Secretary: Gerald Pokorny (239) 303-2374

Regular Meeting Second Friday Each Month at 7:30 P.M.



Lehigh Acres Shrine Club

Noble Bill R. Jones (President)
 (239) 368-6474 wrij509@aol.com
 Noble Jim Bolla, Sr. (Secretary)
 (239) 368-8065 shrinerjim@hotmail.com

Location: Beef "O" Brady's
Dinner: 6:00 PM
Business Meeting: 7:00 pm

All Shriners, Master Masons, and their ladies are welcome to attend for dinner.



Scottish Rite Valley of Fort Myers

Personal Representative: Ill. Clay Taylor, 33°
 Secretary: Bro. Fred Wright, 32° KCCH
WWW.SCOTTISHRITEFORTMYERS.COM

10868 Metro Pkwy
Fort Myers, FL 33966
Regular Meetings are held the third Wednesday each month.
6:30pm Dinner, 7:30pm Consistory

District 24 Grand Lodge Officers

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTER
R.:W.: GENE SIMS
(239) 707-3080

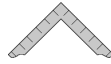
DISTRICT INSTRUCTOR
R.:W.: JEFF NOWAK
(239) 571-0935



2019 OFFICERS

Worshipful Master

Fred Natoli
(239) 895-6488



Senior Warden

Robert "Bobby" Lippek, PDI
(239) 600-9086



Junior Warden

Joe Propst
(239) 821-2844



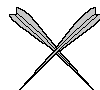
Treasurer

Daniel Akard, PDDGM
(239) 707-4451



Secretary

Kevin Gourley, PM
(239) 849-1534

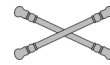


Chaplain

Robert Antkiewicz, PM
(239) 220-7569

Marshall

Robert Sweet, PM
(239) 303-9989



Senior Deacon

Clinton Larkins
(239) 204-1941



Junior Deacon

Timothy Fjelsted
(239) 247-0254



Senior Steward

Luis Tulier-Fabregas
(270) 319-7558



Tyler

Michael Crouchelli, PM
(239) 368-2047



PAST MASTERS



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	1973-1974
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	2012-2013
G. RICHARD CURETON	2014
DANIEL AKARD	2015
ROBERT LIPPEK	2016
KEVIN GOURLEY	2017
JAMES BOLLA, SR.	2018

*Indicates Deceased