SPECIAL EVENT!

Eastern Star Chapter 291 will be honoring Master Masons and fathers at their June meeting which will be held on Friday June 13. They will be having a Potluck dinner at 6:00 PM before the meeting. The Chapter will be providing meatloaf for the dinner and those attending should bring a side dish to share with others. Please RSVP by June 6 if you are coming with the number of those attending and what side dish you will be bringing.

Peace be with you



Master & Wardens,

I want to thank everyone that came to master and wardens at Grand Lodge, we had a very good turn out. Had a lot of good ideas and discussion, also would like to congratulate the new DDGM of the 29th District Bobby Mimmo & the new DDGM of 28th District Lawrence Tomlinson. Cant wait to see everyone at the Master & Wardens meeting which is on the 4th Wednesday of every month.

President

Brother Dan Akard

STATED COMMUNICATIONS
2ND AND 4TH MONDAYS
DINNERS AT 6:30PM, MEETINGS AT 7:30PM
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*A Very Special Note

We need items for sale so that we can raise the money for the Poinsettias for the Masonic Home. Clothes do not do well. Purses, shoes and house hold items, tools, fishing and games. Books are all ok. I really need these items I know everyone has something they can donate, Even furniture. We are at the Lodge every Friday and Saturday they can drop off items or drop off the items on Monday nights.

Thanks for your help.

Lisa Goehle

TRESTLE BOARD LEHIGH ACRES LODGE 344 F&AM



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ROBERT BERNSTEIN	*1962	LEWIS FISH	1988
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JAMES BURGETT	*1979	JONATHAN HAMMETT	2005
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JOHN BEDNAR	*1981	MICHAEL CROUCHELLI	2007
ERNEST SAMUELSON	*1982	GUY WALTMAN	2008
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WALTER REESE	*1984	JASON HOLLINGER	2010
ROBERT CAMPBELL	1985	WILLIAM HORACIO JR.	2011
PAUL GOEHLE	1986	PAUL GOEHLE	2012
WALLACE BATEMAN	*1987	PAUL GOEHLE	2013

*Deceased



Calendar For June

Monday The 2nd -

Officers Meeting

Monday the 9th-

Stated Communication: Bible & Apron Ceremony

Monday the 16th-

E.A.• Practice 7:00pm

Friday the 13th

OES Dinner for Master
Masons

Monday the 21st-

Stated Communication

Wednesday the 23rd-

Masters and Wardens
Preamble 6:30pm
Meeting 7:30pm

Monday the 30th-

E.A.• Practice 7:00pm

FROM THE SECRETARY'S <u>DESK</u>

WE STILL HAVE A FEW
BROTHERS WHO HAVEN'T PAID THEIR 2014 DUES. PLEASE
CHECK YOUR CARDS TO MAKE SURE
YOU AREN'T ONE OF THEM.

PEACE BE WITH YOU PAUL GOEHLE

BIRTHDAYS FOR JUNE

DANNY MOSS 6TH

ARTHUR POKORNY 13TH

GERALD POKORNY 13TH

JAMES TAYLOR 13TH

FRANK CAVALIERO JR. 23RD

HEIKO SEGIETH 24TH

ROBERT MEYER 28TH

ANNIVERSARIES FOR JUNE

GUY WALTMAN 58 YEARS
JAMES BOLLA SR. 33 YEARS
DOUGLAS COMPTON 24 YEARS
RONALD WEBB 21 YEARS
MICHAEL MITCHELL 18 YEARS

Special note:

The dress code for Lodge Meetings will be Pants and Polo shirts until September.

All Degree Work will be in Tux or Suits!

Order of The Eastern Star



Hope everyone had a nice Mother's day. It is exciting to announce that we will be initiating three new members at our next meeting on June 13, 2014. Prior to our meeting, our Chapter along with our Masonic brothers will be honoring our lodge members in cooking a Father's Day dinner at 6:00pm.

We will be going dark for July, August and September but that does not mean we also stop having activities in our Chapter.

Reminder to all members that we will be having a School of Instruction on Thursday, June 12 at 7pm. All Chapter members need to be there and we will be learning the proper way of conducting our sessions.

As mentioned before, I am open to suggestions on how we can raise money for our Chapter.

God bless you, Till we meet again Debbie Horacio Worthy Matron



Lehigh Acers Shrine Club

Members of the Ancient Arabic Order Nobles of the Mystic Shrine for North America in the State of Florida are members of the Masonic Order and adhere to the principles of Freemasonry -- Brotherly Love, Relief and Truth.

Noble Cliff A. Ayers, President: blecliffayerspm@yahoo.com

Noble Jim Bolla, Secretary: shrinerjim@hotmail.com

The Lehigh Acres Shrine Club meets at 5:30 P.M. on the fourth Thursday of every month except July & August.

Meeting are held at the Loyal of Moose Lodge,

210 Homestead road South in Lehigh Acres.

READERS, PLEASE MAKE DONATIONS, TO THE LODGE, SO FLOWERS CAN BE PURCHASED FOR THE MASONIC HOME. DONATED ITEMS WILL BE SOLD AT THE FLEA MARKET HELD AT THE LODGE EVERY FRIDAY AND SATURDAY FROM 7:00AM TILL 2:00PM. THANK YOU FOR YOUR DEDICATION TO THIS GREAT CAUSE!

PLEASE CONTACT THE LODGE SECRE-TARY FOR DONATIONS



The Independent Order of Odd Fellows

Noble Grand: Ada Thompson 239-369-0393

Secretary: Janice Martin 239-369-6478



Noble Grand: Arthur Pokorny 239-303-2374

Greetings from the East,

We had an eventful month for May, with our official District Deputy Grand Master visitation from Jeff Nowak and we made it through our Grand Lodge Legislation discussions.

At Grand Lodge, the Senior Warden and myself represented the lodge on the Brothers behalf and voted what the craft wanted. The results are:

-By-Law change Section 31.03, "Rejected"

-Resolution Amending Chapter 31, "Rejected"

-Resolution (Chapter 48)(6.03(c)), "Approved"

-Resolution to Allow Quarterly Meetings of Memorial Lodges, "Approved"

-Resolution on the Manual for the Administration of Masonic Justice for the Grand Lodge of Florida, "Approved"

-Resolution to Allow Per Capita "Tax" Proposed Legislation, "Approved"

-Resolution to Increase the Per Capita "Tax", "Approved" (846 brothers voted: 14 blank, 620 for, 212 against)

-Resolution on the Masonic Home Board of Trustees, "Approved" (850 voted: 749 For, 101 against and unreadable)

-Proposal to Amend Section 38.04, "Approved"

-Resolution on Electioneering (24.05, 7.02), "Approved"

-Resolution to Limit the Number of NON-Past Grand Masters to Serve as Members of the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence, "Rejected" (832 voted, 731 no, 69 for, 32 dazed and confused)

-Resolution for the Admittance of Children and Orphans of Master Masons to the Masonic Home, "Withdrawn"

-Resolution on Social Media, "Rejected"

-Resolution on Board of Trustees Meetings, "Approved" (818 voted, 788 for, 16 against, 14 blank) -*EMERGENCY** Resolution to Amend Chapter 48 Masonic Home, Trustees of Masonic Home and Emergency Relief Appendix, Masonic Home Rules and Regulations, "Rejected" (808 voted, 357 for, 431 against, 20 blank or void) (Additional Note: upon additional information the S.W. & Myself voted against)

***Special Note: A Motion was Made and Passed for A-3 item 315 (Masonic Youth Scholarship) which had a Budget of \$0.00 for the 2014-2015 year. The Motion was to take \$10,000.00 from Emergency Relief, and Fund the Scholarship Program.

For the month of June, we will be voting to go "partially" dark, so we will meet on our regularly first stated communication for July and August. On our First communication, we will be doing a Bible and Apron ceremony (finally!) and some Petitions. On our second communication, it appears to be a light night. Light snacks and refreshment will be served starting this month, in lieu of a dinners until attendance warrants it. The Senior Deacon has stepped up for kitchen duty while our Junior Warden is with his family. The Lodge will be practicing for our inevitable E.A. degree(s) in the coming month(s), for those interested in participating, let us know at the Stated meetings

Please keep in mind of the fundraising efforts being done to raise money to get poinsettias for the residents of the Masonic Home for the coming holiday season. If you have any knick-knacks you'd like to donate to the cause, please contact the Lodge Secretary or bring it by to the flea market on Fridays and Saturdays

May God Bless all of you,

W:.M:. Rich





We will be discussing all the legislation from Grand Lodge. Hope our brother Junior Warden is feeling better. Hope to see you all at all the meetings. Hope everyone had a good holiday.

Fraternally yours

Brother Dan Akard

Greetings from the South,

Brethren,

During the summer month's we'll be doing light refreshments before and after the meeting's. This will be coffee, tea, soda and cookies. The dinner menu will return in October and will be in the Trestle Board.

We still need volunteers for the weekly garage sale. The sign up sheet is located on board outside the Lodge Room.

Sincerely & Fraternally, Bro. Bobby Lippek J.W

