

**Golden Trowel Norwalk  
Lodge No. 273  
F. & A. M.**

**July 2015**

**TRESTLEBOARD**



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**Stated Meetings**

Second Thursday of the month  
Dinner 6:30 --- Meeting 7:30

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## CALENDAR

**July 2<sup>nd</sup> ... Officers practice 7:00 pm**

**July 6<sup>th</sup>... Hall Association meeting 7:00 pm**

**July 9<sup>th</sup> ....Stated Dinner 6:30 pm**

**Stated Meeting 7:30 pm.**

We will be serving **BBQ Beef Ribs**, Café Signature Potato Salad, BBQ Baked Beans, Fiesta Style Corn, Apple Pie, Rolls & Butter.

For those unable to eat beef I will arrange with the caterer to bring a couple chicken dinners.

Please call The Lodge on or before Sunday July 5<sup>th</sup> at (562)863-9101 so that we have some idea if we have enough food. But we usually order extra so don't worry if you forget.

The ladies will have a craft while the men are in the Lodge room.

**July 12<sup>th</sup> .....Reception for Doug Eichen at GTN Lodge: dinner at 6:00 pm**

**July 16<sup>th</sup> .....Officer's practice 7:00 pm**

**July 23<sup>rd</sup> .....Officer's practice 7:00 pm**

**July 25<sup>th</sup> ..... Temecula Outdoor degree at Liefer Ranch.**

**July 30<sup>th</sup> .....Officer's practice 7:00 pm**

**Youth Orders at Norwalk Masonic Center**

**Buena Park Rainbow for Girls ... 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Mondays at 7:00 pm.**

**Bethel 241 Jobs Daughters ... 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Saturdays at 9:30am.**

**Excelsior DeMolay ..... 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays at 7:00pm.**

## **IN MEMORIUM**

Brother Floyd W. Vineyard January 16<sup>th</sup>, 2015

**Until then, dear Brethren, until then Farewell**

## MASTER'S MESSAGE

Brethren,

Bernice and I want to thank everyone who showed up for our **Saint John's day breakfast**. The Deputy Grand Master was especially impressed with the participation of our youth groups. Special thanks go to Brother Gary Iverson who made this event happen as smoothly as it did.

On July 12<sup>th</sup> there will be a **Reception** honoring our own **Douglas B. Eichen AGL Div. X** at GTN Lodge with dinner starting at 6:00 pm and the program at 7:00 pm. The cost will be \$15.00. The **Grand Master** himself will be here helping to honor this giant in California Masonry. For reservations contact Gil Buck at home: (714)995-0200, cell: (714)904-4248 or [gilbuck@sbcglobal.net](mailto:gilbuck@sbcglobal.net).

This is a **30 day notice** that during the **August 13<sup>th</sup> 2015 Stated Meeting** there will be a vote to **remove** some directors of the board of directors of the **Golden Trowel Norwalk Hall Association** and **elect** new ones according to **CMC 900.040**. I hope to see everyone at the July Stated Meeting for some pertinent discussion.

Bro. Larry Orozco is selling tickets for the **Masons for Mitts** Dodgers vs. Giants game on August 31<sup>st</sup> for \$25. Bus seat is included text or call at (562)445-7065.

If you have any information about a Sister or Brother in sickness or distress please contact the Chairman of our sickness and distress committee, James Reyburn at (562)943-9342

Or email; jimmyburnoo@msn.com

Fraternally,

James Arend, Master



## **JUNIOR WARDEN'S MESSAGE**

Brethren,

Another busy but rewarding Masonic month just passed. Besides the necessary Stated Meeting, OSI, & officer's practice meetings, I was also busy with more "fun" events. We have had a very successful annual Saint John's breakfast. I also really enjoyed the ceremony of the installation of the Bethel 241 Jobs Daughters officers.

Fraternally,  
Joseph Patronas, Jr. Warden

## **ACTIVITY CHAIRMAN**

Yearly Trip - Laughlin at the Aquarius Hotel

Thursday, Sep. 24 – Sunday, Sep. 27

Cost is \$25.00 per person, double occupancy. Dinner Friday night is included on the bus.

We will leave the lodge at 7 p.m., returning around 8:30 pm on Sunday.

The side trip will be Oatman. The bus will leave the hotel at 11 a.m. Friday and return around 3:30 p.m.

Money collection will start at our June stated meeting and stop at our August stated meeting. Please be at the lodge at 6:30 p.m. so that you can be checked in and we can load the luggage on the bus.

Frank Gillespie, Activity Chairman.

## Living Past Masters of Golden Trowel Norwalk 273

Alexander, David J. *	1986	McWilliams, Ivan S.	1976
Alexander, David R, *	1998	Miller, Everett E.	1991/93/94/99/03/06
Ankenbauer, William.	1994	Miller, George C.	1982
Beckman Jr., Frank H.	1980/99	Mitchell, Robert R.	1983
Berg, Charles M.	1972	Moore, Barry D.	1993
Bodnar, Bart J.	1985/90/91	Morrissy, Scott T. *	2005
Bohn, Hans F.	1974	Moss, Clive W. *	2001/02/03/04/09/12
Booth, William M.	2010	Nichols, Lowell L.	1983
Buck, Gil	2007/08	Nighswonger, James	1994/05
Collins, Robert C.	1978	Noble, Douglas A.	1983
Cowart Jr., Joseph W.	1974	Ogden, Charles J.*	2001/02
Eade,Jack W.*	1978	Palmer, John M. *	1974
Earl, Richard G.	1975/80/81/82	Patronas, John E. *	2013
Easley, Ronald T.	1975	Perry, James	2000
Eichen, Doug	1987/93	Perry, Richard E.	1965
Evans, Rick A.*	1991	Pool, R. Roy *	1973/99
Fulbright, Ross E.	1960	Powers, William B. *	1981
Gerken, Gary D.	1995	Richmond, Gayle*	1988
Gillespie, Frank	1986/87/2000	Roberts, C. Dale	1972
Gustafson, Warren *	1969	Rodriguez, George	1989
Henry, H. Lon	1965	Rose, Charles D.	1990
Hofmann, Ivan A.	1966	Sanderson, Wallace*	1975/80
Hood, Lyle E.	1999	Sargent, Terry T.	1979
Hooper, Fred L.	1975	Sickles Jr., Robert	1985
Iverson, Gary	2009	Spann, LeRoy E.	1984
Jansen, John *	1958	Swanston, David III	1976/87/88/01/02/13/14
Jensen, Carl A.*	1977	Taylor, H. Al	1970/78/79
Kidder, David W.	1979	Taylor, Ted R.	2004
Kirklin, Robert B. *	2004/08	Thompson, James R.	1984
Ladnier, Michael	1984	Tripler, William*	1984/91
Lee Jr., Robert E.	1971	Walthall, Leonard S.	1971
MacCallum, M. David	1978	Watson, Carl F.	1971
MacDonald, Brett	1989/*97	Weathers, Daryl T.	1986
Masson, John P.	1988	Williams, Gordon L.	1969/85/87
McAdam, Theodore	2002/03	Williams, Larry D.	1997
McAdams, Richard	1986/87	Winford Mike T.	1988/11/12

\* By Affiliation