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

MARCH 2015

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Stated Meetings

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

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CALENDAR

Mar 2..... Hall Association Meeting 7:00 PM

Mar 5Officers practice 7:00 PM

Mar 11OSI Greenleaf Gardens Lodge hosts. 7:00 PM, 1st degree.

Mar 12.....Stated Dinner 6:30 PM... Stated Meeting 7:30 PM Youth Orders Month

We will be serving Corn Beef & Cabbage with a salad and dessert for dinner. If you need chicken instead of beef, our caterer has agreed to bring 6 chicken dinners for those who cannot eat beef.

Please call The Lodge on or before Sunday March 8th 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.

Mar 19..... Officers practice 7:00 PM

Mar 26..... Officers practice 7:00 PM

Youth Orders at Norwalk Masonic Center

Buena Park Rainbow for Girls 2nd and 4th Mondays at 7:00 pm.

Bethel 241 Jobs Daughters 2nd Sat at 7:30 pm and 4th Sat at 9:30am.

For <u>Stated Dinner</u> reservations call (562) 863-9101 and press 5 to leave your information. Please call on or before Sunday, June 9, to be assured of a dinner. After June 9, please call the Master

MASTER'S MESSAGE

Brethren,

March has been proclaimed Youth Orders Month by **Most Worshipful Russ Charvonia**.

We here at Golden Trowel Norwalk will certainly be respecting our Grand Master proclamation if only by recognizing our Youth Orders at our Stated Meeting. Wor. Bro. Dave Swanston is continuing to monitor a **Cash for Grade** incentive program. I have spoken with other members of the Lodge and we want to recognize and thank every Youth in our Orders and their Parents in what they do. A friendly greeting and word of encouragement goes a long way in making them feel welcome.

Below is a portion of the Grand Masters Proclamation;

. "We all recognize that our youth are our future. In order to make this future bright, we must make an investment in the next generation, by devoting our time, guidance, and financial resources to our young people.

This year, the Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of California reflects on the theme *Repairing the World by Improving Ourselves*. As we examine our commitment to improving the communities we serve by consistently demonstrating Masonic values, we must remember to include support for our Masonic youth orders as a central focus.

It is imperative that we continue to support each young man and woman who finds a place within the family of Freemasonry. Strengthening Masonic youth orders is one of our 2010-15 strategic priorities because our youth are the future of society as well as our fraternity, and the ones who will continue to repair our world long after we are gone. I therefore PROCLAIM the month of MARCH 2015 to be YOUTH ORDERS MONTH."

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



SENIOR WARDEN'S MESSAGE

Senior Warden is pending qualification in March.

JUNIOR WARDEN'S MESSAGE

Senior Steward, Michael Heist, will be providing refreshments until the Junior Warden is qualified.

Living Past Masters of Golden Trowel Norwalk 273

Alexander, David J. * 1986 McElroy, Glenn 1972			
Alexander, David R, *1998		McWilliams, Ivan	1976
Ankenbauer, William. 1994		S. Miller, Everett E.	1991/93/94/99/03/06
Beckman Jr., Frank H.	1980/99	Miller, George C.	1982
Berg, Charles M.	1972	Mitchell, Robert R.	1983
Bodnar, Bart J.	1985/90/91	Moore, Barry D.	1993
Bohn, Hans F.	1974	Morrissy, Scott T. *	2005
Booth, William M.	2010	Moss, Clive W. *	2001/02/03/04/09/12
Buck, Gil	2007/08	Nichols, Lowell L.	1983
Collins, Robert C.	1978	Nighswonger,	1994/05
Cowart Jr., Joseph W.	1974	James Noble, Douglas A.	1983
Creswell, Frank L.	1951/80	Ogden, Charles J.*	2001/02
Eade, Jack W.*	1978	Palmer, John M. *	1974
Earl, Richard G.	1975/80/81/82	Perry, James	2000
Easley, Ronald T.	1975	Perry, Richard E.	1965
Eichen, Doug	1987/93	Poole, Roy *	1973/99
Evans, Rick A.*	1991	Powers, William. B.	1981
Fulbright, Ross E.	1960	Richmond, Gayle*	1988
Gerken, Gary D.	1995	Roberts, D. Dale	1972
Gillespie, Frank	1986/87/2000	Rodriguez, George	1989
Gustafson, Warren *	1969	Rose, Charles D.	1990
Henry, H. Lon	1965	Sanderson, Wallace*	1975/80
Hofmann, Ivan A.	1966	Sargent, Terry T.	1979
Hood, Lyle E.	1999	Sickles Jr., Robert	1985
Hooper, Fred L.	1975	Spann, LeRoy E.	1984
Iverson, Gary	2009	Swanston, David III	1976/87/88/01/02/13
Jansen, John *	1958	Taylor, H. Al	1970/78/79
Jensen, Carl A.*	1977	Taylor, Ted R.	2004
Kidder, David W.	1979	Thompson, James	1984
Kirklin, Robert B. *	2004/08	R. Tripler, William*	1984/91
Koomen, Ronald H.	1992/96/97	Walthall, Leonard	1971
Ladnier, Michael	1984	S. Watson, Carl F.	1971
Lee Jr., Robert E.	1971	Weathers, Daryl T.	1986
MacCallum, M. David	d 1978	Williams, Gordon	1969/85/87
MacDonald, Brett	1989/*97	L. Williams, Larry D.	1997
Masson, John P.	1988	Winford Mike T.	1988/11/12
McAdam, Theodore	2002/03		
McAdams, Richard	1986/87		

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