

# Golden Trowel Norwalk Lodge #273



## December, 2018 Trestleboard

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## GOLDEN TROWEL NORWALK CALENDAR

### December 2018

- **Mon. 3rd** - 7:00pm **Board meeting**
- *Mon. 3<sup>rd</sup>* - *First day of Chanukah*
- **Thu. 6<sup>st</sup>** - 7:00pm **Last Practice**
- **Fri. 7<sup>th</sup>** - Young Americans at **La Mirada Theater**
- **Sat. 8<sup>th</sup>** - **Job's Daughters Installation**
- **Thurs 13<sup>th</sup>** - 6:30pm **Dinner/Stated meeting**
- **Sat. 15<sup>th</sup>** - 2:00pm **Lodge Officers Installation**
- **Thurs. 20th** - **Dark**
- *Tue. 25th* - *Christmas Day*
- *Wed. 26<sup>th</sup>* - *First day of first day of Kwanzaa*
- **Thurs. 27th** - **Dark**

### January 2019 \*

- **Thu. 3<sup>rd</sup>** - 7:00pm **Officer's Practice**
- **Mon. 7<sup>th</sup>** - 7:00pm **Board meeting**
- **Thurs 10<sup>th</sup>** - 6:30pm **Dinner/Stated meeting**
- **Thurs. 17<sup>th</sup>** - **Officer's Practice**
- **Thurs. 24<sup>th</sup>** - **Officer's Practice**
- **Thurs. 31<sup>th</sup>** - **Officer's Practice**

\*January's Calendar subject to change



## **November Stated Meeting**

Please make your dinner reservations by Monday, December 10<sup>th</sup>, 2018 by 5 p.m. RSVP Information - Please call (562) 863-9101 - and Leave a message to our Secretary. There will be a country store after the dinner for the ladies.

### **Menu**

Dinner will be made this month by the DeMolay youth group!

### **\* SICKNESS AND DISTRESS \***

**Please notify us if any of our Members is in a Hospital / Nursing Home, or incapacitated in any way.**



# **From the East**

Mark Patton  
Worshipful Master

Happy Holidays!

Merry Christmas, Happy Chanukah, Happy Kwanzaa, and Happy Festivus for the rest of us!! Lol

With a blink of the eye another year has gone by. Thank You to my Officers for all your support and helping make this a great year.

Thank You to all the Brethern who step in to fill offices, help with events, and all the behind the scenes stuff needed to keep us a float.

Thank you to both Eastern Stars and Our youth Groups for cooking and for Our young ladies serving at our Stated Dinners. Thank You to all the Lodge Ladies who helped us out and to all the wives for being understanding with all the time the guys spend at Lodge away from home.

Congratulations to Worshipful Joseph Patronas I look forward to his year as Master.

Just a reminder Young Americans is at the La Mirada Theater Friday Dec 7 but first we will have dinner at the Lodge at 5pm Job's Daughters installation is Sat Dec 8 I believe at 6pm Our Stated Dinner is Dec 13 and hosted by our DeMolay, hope to see you all there. Our Lodge Installation is Sat Dec 15 at 4pm come show your Lodge support.

Once again Thank You all for a great year be safe in your travels and Happy Holidays!

Fraternally,

Mark Patton P.M. H.A.

Worshipful Master



## From the West

Joseph Patronas  
Senior Warden

Brethren and our Masonic Family,

Wow! Another year is coming to the end. A good year indeed, with great fellowship. From the Worshipful Master Mark Patton, the Officers of our Lodge, as well as all the Brothers, Sisters and Youth groups.

I would like to thank all of the above, as well as our Inspector Don Muller our Officer's Coach James Hannum, our Past Masters, sideliners and all the volunteers, who with their help have made possible for another great year go by.

I would also like to thank all the Brothers who have entrusted me for the incoming year to lead this great lodge of ours. I hope with your help and of course the help of the Masonic family, not to be disappointed and have another fabulous year.

Our Annual Officer's Installation will be on Saturday, December 15, at 4:00 pm. Reception will follow. Looking forward to see you.

Have a very Happy Holiday season,, and a Happy New Year!

\*This as well as many past Trestleboards the event calendar, are available for reading, downloading and printing at our Lodge's web site: [www.gtn273.com](http://www.gtn273.com)

Fraternally,  
Joseph Patronas, PM  
Senior Warden



## **From the Secretary**

Michael Winford

Is there anything on your table Brother Secretary? **YES INDEED,**

**Our Congratulations go out to Brother Alex Farris,-** who received his First Degree on Thursday, November 1st. Yes Indeed, along with several visitors filling stations including Dad Donald Farris Jr. (Solomon Staircase Lodge) and his DeMolay Brothers.

*Brother Alex, is also serving as the **Southern Jurisdiction DeMolay - Master Counselor**, this year. Yes, he will be busy as **DeMolay International**, will be celebrating their exciting *100th Year Anniversary*. DeMolay is the largest youth fraternity in the world and is for boys 12-21 years of age.*

You are invited to attend the Golden Trowel Norwalk No. 273  
\* **Installation of Officers** for the 2019 Masonic Year.  
The ceremony will be held on Saturday, **December 15th at 4 PM.**

If you know somebody interested in learning about Masonry, invite them to join you while attending this exciting event. *Please RSVP to the Senior Warden @ [joseph14841@yahoo.com](mailto:joseph14841@yahoo.com)* to ensure availability and meal planning along with your space at the reception.

\* \* **Have a Great Holiday Season** \* \*

Fraternally,  
Michael T. Winford, PM  
Secretary



# From the Building Association

Hello Bretheren from the Hall Association!

Enjoy your Lodge!

Fraternally,

Mike Mulcahy

Temple Board President

949-830-7790

*If there is anything that needs fixed, improved, or repaired, please let us know. Our meetings are held every first Monday of the month*





## **Job's Daughters Bethel #241**

[http://www.jobsd](http://www.jobsdughtersinternational.org/) aughtersinternational.org/



## **Buena Park Rainbow Girls #231**

[facebook.com/buenaparkrainbowgirls](https://www.facebook.com/buenaparkrainbowgirls)  
[instagram.com/buenaparkrainbowgirls](https://www.instagram.com/buenaparkrainbowgirls)  
[twitter.com/bprainbowgirls](https://twitter.com/bprainbowgirls)



## **DeMolay Excelsior Chapter**

<https://demolay.org/how-to-join/the-process-to-join/>

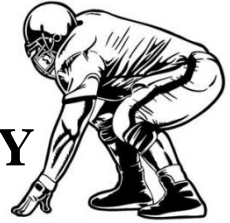


## **Emerald Star #143**

Brothers, Companions, Sir Knights, family and friends you are cordially invited to the:



## 13th ANNUAL SUPERBOWL PARTY



**Sunday, February 3, 2019  
2:30PM – End of the Game**

**WHERE: Frantone's Pizza: 10808 Alondra Blvd  
Cerritos, CA 90703 (near Home Depot off Hwy  
605)**

**All you can eat endless buffet and free non-  
alcoholic drinks. ONLY \$15 (same price for 13  
years)**

If you attended our Superbowl Parties in the past you know how much fun we have. If you haven't attended in the past, you have missed out on the great fellowship and fun that goes on. Either way I again invite you to join us. You won't be disappointed.

**BRING YOUR FAMILY and FRIENDS!!!**

If you plan on attending, please call Gary Iverson at:  
(562) 863-0319 or send an email at [garymi2@gmail.com](mailto:garymi2@gmail.com)  
before January 30, 2019

## Living Past Masters of Golden Trowel Norwalk

Alexander, David J. *	1986	McWilliams, Ivan S.	1976
Alexander, David R*	1998	Miller, Everett E.	91/93/94/99/03/06
Ankenbauer, William.	1994	Miller, George C.	1982
Arend, James	2015	Mitchell, Robert R.	1983/2016
Berg, Charles M.	1972	Moss, Clive W. *	2001/02/03/04/09
Bohn, Hans F.	1974	Nighswonger, James	1994/05
Booth, William M.	2010	Noble, Douglas A.	1983
Colon, Felix *	1972	Ogden, Charles J.*	2001/2002
Cowart Jr., Joseph W.	1974	Palmer, John M. *	1974
Eade,Jack W.*	1978	Patronas, John E.*	2013
Earl, Richard G.	75/80/81/82	Patronas, Joseph E.	2017
Easley, Ronald T.	1975	Patton, Mark F. *	2016
Eichen, Doug	1987/93	Perry, James	2000
Evans, Rick A.*	1991	Pool, Roy *	1973/1999
Gerken, Gary D.	1995	Quimby, Isaac W Jr. *	1986
Gillespie, Frank	86/87/2000	Ricarte Romeo E. *	2001
Grubb, Joseph Jr. *	2016	Roberts, D. Dale	1972
Gustafson, Warren *	1969	Rodriguez, George	1989
Iverson, Gary	2009	Rose, Charles D.	1990
Kidder, David W.	1979	Sanderson, Wallace*	1975/80
Kirklin, Robert B. *	2004/08	Swanston, David III	76/87/88/01/02/13/14
Lee Jr., Robert E.	1971	Thompson, James R.	1984
MacCallum,M. David	1978	Tripler, William *	1984/91
MacDonald, Brett *	1989/97	Watson, Carl F.	1971
Masson, John P.	1988	Weathers, Daryl L.	1986
McAdam, Theodore	2002/03	Williams, Gordon L. Sr.	1969/85/87
McAdams, Richard	1986/87	Winford Mike T.	1988/2011/12

\*Affiliated