

A message from the East...

Greetings and Happy New Year Brothers! My apologies for this first iteration of our monthly tresselboard being late, Firstly, let me say what a great honor it is to be elected to serve the craft this year as the Worshipful Master. I am truly humbled and ready to get going. The installation ceremony was a smashing success. I want to express a heartfelt thank you to my brother RW Steven Silvers, who agreed to be my Installing Officer. It's not every day, that one gets to be installed by his brother, who's actually a brother, while his father, who is also a brother (I'm so confused...) watches from the sidelines. To my elected and appointed officers, I do not think I could have asked for a better or more capable crew to work with. We are truly going to do great things!

We have so much in store for this year, that I can barely organize my thoughts. I'll start by letting you know about the 2017 SUPERTICKET. Think of it as a season ticket for lodge events. Here is how it works. You pay \$45 and gain admission to five of our great lodge events this year, which includes a chicken dinner for Jupiter High School's Project Graduation. Other SUPERTICKET events include: Pig Roast, Summer Picnic, Halloween, and Thanksgiving. It's a great deal and should help boost awareness and attendance at lodge events, while at the same time minimizing the need for pedaling tickets every couple of weeks. Please show your support for buying them for your family and friends. See your lodge officers for more details.

Speaking of Project Graduation, that will be our first major fundraiser and it takes place here at the lodge Sunday, February 26th. Tickets are \$10, unless you buy a SUPERTICKET and all of the proceeds go to

our kids safe and off the streets.

Lodge cleanup this year will be outsourced to a professional cleaning company, but don't think for a moment that the last piece of crispy bacon has been served here. Instead this year we will opt for a district wide breakfast quarterly, with our first one being in March. Stay tuned!

There is so much more going on that it's tough to keep up with it all. Check our calendar at www.jupiterlightlodge.com for details. For those of you who are not fully "computer literate" we will be mailing the calendar to you directly starting in February.

Its going to be a great year

Fraternally,

Jason Silvers, Worshipful Master.

***Greetings from the West, and Happy New Year!***

First I would like to thank my Brothers for allowing me to serve Jupiter Light Lodge from the West for 2017. I am truly honored, and I'm excited, to have the opportunity to serve the Craft along with those elected and appointed for 2017. I believe we can look forward to many great and good things this year!

I would like to continue to bring to light insights about Freemasonry, ponderables, if you will, that will hopefully allow you to expand not only your Masonic knowledge, but also how you might look at the world around you. Let the polishing and adorning of the minds begin!

What, then, is the equality of which the Level is the Symbol? Clearly it is not identity, or even similarity of gift and endowment. No, it is something better; it is the equal right of each man to the full use and development of such power as he has, whatever it may be, unhindered by injustice or oppression. as our Declaration of Independence puts it, every man has an equal and inalienable right to "Life, Liberty and the Pursuit of Happiness," with due regard for the rights of others in the same quest. Or, as a famous slogan summed it up; "Equal Rights for all; Special Privileges to None!" That is to say, before the law every man has an equal right to equal justice, as before God, in whose presence all men are one in their littleness, each receives equally and impartially the blessing of the Eternal Love, even as the sun shines and the rain falls on all with equal benediction.

The above paragraph is but a snippet of a discussion about the Level which may

our local High School to fund Project Graduation, a post-graduation party to keep

Be found at:

www.masonicdictionary.com/level.html.

I highly recommend a thorough reading of the page, and encourage us, as Brothers, as Masons, and as Men, to openly discuss the meanings we may obtain from it, and how they may apply to our Lodge and our lives, and how they may be incorporated to make us better equipped to improve ourselves and the world we live in. I believe this will be a wonderful, productive, and most importantly a fun year for all. Again, Happy New Year, and let's make 2017 a year to remember together!

***Fraternally and respectfully,
Shawn Ray Lopez Senior Warden***

Happy New Year from the South!

First, congratulations to our new Worshipful Master, Jason Silvers, and my fellow lodge officers for 2017! This promises to be a fun-filled and productive year, and I am honored to serve as your new Junior Warden.

This year we will be introducing the SUPER TICKET – a punch type ticket that will get you 5 meals for the price of 4. You can purchase the SUPER TICKET for only \$45, and choose which meals/events you wish to attend, including project graduation. Events NOT included are the golf tournament, the sporting clays event, and events where meal or admission exceeds \$10. We will also have a KID'S SUPER TICKET for children 12 and under for only \$30.

One of my main goals this year is to increase attendance and fellowship at our dinners and events. Through good communication, boosting member involvement, and scheduling some fun (and yummy) events, we can make this a memorable and profitable (fund raising) year. You don't need to know anything about cooking to help at the events; just come out and have fun! It's always a good time, and sometimes we have a few special treats.

This year we have a cleaning crew to help us keep the lodge clean and professional looking. Pop Hawkins can finally retire from his illustrious position as "potty potentate". We can all help the cleaning crew, and ourselves, by cleaning up any messes that you come across in the lodge. This will help keep the cost low for us to maintain the service.

I'm looking forward to a fun and prosperous new year!

***Brother Keith Campbell
Junior Warden***

Charity Report

IMPORTANT DATES:

January 22: Eastern Star Open House

January 24: Stated Meeting @ 7:30pm

January 31: Daughters of the Nile
Official Visit

February 7: Officers Meeting @ 6:00pm

February 14: Stated Meeting @ 7:30pm

February 26: Project Graduation
Chicken Dinner, All Day

February 28: Stated Meeting @ 7:30pm

January 2017

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 <i>New Year's Day</i>	2	3	4 <i>Boy Scout Troop 711 Meeting @</i>	5 <i>Eastern Star 7:30pm</i>	6	7 <i>Jupiter Light Lodge Installation</i>
8	9	10 <i>Stated Meeting @7:30pm</i>	11 <i>Boy Scout Troop 711 Meeting @</i>	12 <i>DeMolay 7:30pm</i>	13	14
15	16	17 <i>Officers Meeting @6:00pm</i>	18 <i>Boy Scout Troop 711 Meeting @</i>	19 <i>Eastern Star 7:30pm</i>	20	21
22 <i>Star Open House 3pm-6pm</i>	23 <i>Daughters of the Nile Practice 6-8p</i>	24 <i>Stated Meeting - @7:30pm</i>	25 <i>Boy Scout Troop 711 Meeting @</i>	26 <i>DeMolay 7:30pm</i>	27	28
29	30 <i>Daughters of the Nile Set Up Afternoon</i>	31 <i>NILE-Grand Visit All Day</i>				