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Memorial Day, May 28, 2012
-Remember the Fallen-



“And they who for their country die shall fill an honored grave, for glory lights the soldier's tomb, and beauty weeps the brave.”

MEETINGS: 2nd & 4th TUESDAYS 7:30 PM

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R.:W.: Ray Kinser/ Daisy 746-2759

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Mike Hyland/ Judy 385-8524

MESSAGE FROM THE EAST



Brethren,

The year seems to be flying by. We are almost half way through the year and there is still much to do. I am very happy with what we have accomplished so far and the Brothers should be proud, though we have only just begun.

We had our annual Past Masters Dinner where we honored the Brothers who have given so much to make our Lodge what it is today. It was great to see those who attended and a great meal and a good time was had by all. During the festivities, R.W. Ray Kinser and R.W. William Annis were presented their 40 Year Awards. Additionally, at our Stated Meeting on 4/10, Bro. Bernhard Meyberg was also presented his 40 Year Award. Congratulations to all of them for such dedicated service and their continued support.

Additionally, Brothers David Paul, Chris Hayward, Michael Dillyhon and Eric Horton were passed to the Degree of Fellowcraft. Congratulations to them as well for advancing an additional step in their journey.

Jupiter Light Lodge has set a very high standard and the work that must be done to continue this will never be light. We must as Brothers and members of this great Lodge, be diligent in our duties and not sit back and assume someone else will take care of this. The joy of our Lodge, most all members will tell you, is the fellowship during our events. These events do not run themselves and we need more assistance to continue the growth we have seen over the last several years. Please get involved and show the community, but most importantly yourself, why Mason's are "Good men wanting to be better".

"None are more fit to wear the Square and Compasses than those who know themselves unworthy, for they are those who strive to be real Masons". (M.W. Carl H. Claudy, 33*)

Fraternally,
Michael Loeffler
Worshipful Master

Upcoming Lodge Events

Lodge Widows Dinner

Master Mason Degree

JLL Fishing Tournament

May 19th

June 2nd

June 16th

Message from the WEST

Brethren,

Almost half way through the year! Where does the time go?

I'd like to congratulate our newly passed Fellow Crafts!

You are now one more step closer to full membership and fellowship. Get involved, you'll be glad you did.



We entered into a Lease agreement with a church group to utilize our facilities. W.M. Loeffler hit a home run with this one. We will dramatically increase our annual income while at the same time reduce the intensity of use of the Lodge. Perhaps our arrangement with them will also yield mutual assistance in our charitable endeavors.

I have really enjoyed my time in the West. I look forward to the rest of this year and can't wait for what the future may hold for our Lodge. Please feel free to stop me anytime if you have any suggestions as to how we can become better to serve our mission.

Fraternally
Bill Hawkins, SW

Charity Report

Brethren:

The Best Friends Club of Jupiter will be our charity for the month of May. This grass roots organization is made up of several Lodge members' wives and daughters. These wonderful ladies have not only made a difference within our local community but have worked hand in hand with us to support several of our Lodge fund raisers. The Best Friends Club is also responsible for providing us with homemade desserts that we have enjoyed following each of our meetings.



Jupiter Light Lodge is once again outdoing itself. We are on pace to surpass last year's charitable giving. Through March our donations total \$6,497 which represents an increase of 217% from this time last year. Congratulations brethren and keep up the great work.

W. Travis A. Routt, Chairman
Charity Committee

Message from the SOUTH

Greeting Brothers,



I'd like to thank everyone who helped out with the past master's dinner this month. Despite providing complementary meals to all the Past Masters we netted about \$400.00. I considered cooking for them to be an honor. These are the men that for the past fifty years have led the craft toward the Light of the Supreme Architect; for that we owe them a debt of gratitude.

This month's lodge clean-up will be May 26th. What better way to start your Memorial Day weekend than in service to your brothers, many of whom have served our country bearing arms in its defense. Many of us will gather with friends and family to enjoy a beautiful day picnicking at the beach, camping or just grilling out by the pool. I ask you to take a moment to remember the true meaning of the day and the sacrifice paid in blood by our servicemen and women. Sadly, between now as I write this and the time you read this another Soldier, Sailor, Airman, Marine or Coast Guardsman will die in the service of their country. A spouse, parent, sibling or child will know a loss that most will never know. I've enclosed a letter written by a past Commander-In-Chief that was written long ago to a grieving mother, Mrs. Bixby, Boston, Massachusetts:

DEAR MADAM: I have been shown in the files of the War Department a statement of the Adjutant-General of Massachusetts that you are the mother of five sons who have died gloriously on the field of battle. I feel how weak and fruitless must be any words of mine which should attempt to beguile you from the grief of a loss so overwhelming. But I cannot refrain from tendering to you the consolation that may be found in the thanks of the Republic they died to save. I pray that our Heavenly Father may assuage the anguish of your bereavement, and leave you only the cherished memory of the loved and lost, and the solemn pride that must be yours to have laid so costly a sacrifice upon the altar of freedom.

Yours very sincerely and respectfully,
Abraham Lincoln

Though the world has drastically changed in the past 150 years, the pain of losing a loved one never does. This memorial day take a moment to call an older veteran and thank them for their service. It will make you feel good and the "Old War Horse" feel even better....

May's dinner will be the "Widows" dinner. It will be Saturday the 19th at 17:30. As always, many hands make light work so come out to help cook the meal and then enjoy the dinner with our widows. After all, we recognized them in our oath. See any of the lodge officers for tickets.

Fraternally Yours,
Bro Jim Mullinax, Junior Warden



Permanent Brick Order

Form



Fundraiser for Jupiter Light Lodge

Cost: 4x8 brick \$75.00, 8x8 brick \$125.00

1 Logo: No Charge (others available)

Square and Compasses or Order of the Eastern Star

Brick 4x8 - 20 characters per row, three rows total without a logo,
(Spaces count) 12 characters per row, three rows total with a logo of your choice
to the right side.

Brick 8x8 - 20 characters per row, six rows total without a logo,
(spaces count) 20 characters per row, four rows total with a logo of your choice
to the bottom.

Please send completed form and full payment to:
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Name _____

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Annual Sponsorship for \$50

Mike Loeffler / Jan

R.W. William Annis / Feb.

Bill Hawkins Sr. / Feb.

Harry Lawson / Jan.

Jerry Silvers / Feb.

Bill Hawkins Jr. / Apr.

Current \$10 Trestleboard Boosters

Michael Loeffler / Jan.

Bill Paxton / Jan

R.W. George Wiggins/ Feb.

Bill Paxton / Feb.

Bill Hawkins Jr. / Apr.

R.W. William Annis / Feb.

Jerry Silvers / Feb.

Bill Hawkins Sr. / Feb.

James Daly / March

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We welcomed our District Deputy Grand Master R.W. John Karroum, R.H. Gerald Strohacker and the District Committeemen for their last “official” visit on April 10th



Congratulations to R.W. Ray Kinser and R.W. William Annis who received their 40 year awards at the Past Masters Dinner on April 14, 2012 Also Bro. Bernhard Meyberg who also received a 40 year award this month!

2012 Jupiter Light Lodge Committees & Chairmen

*Finance Committee**

Chairman: Bill Hawkins
Clay Gordon, Jay Kasper, Travis Rount

*Vigilance Committee**

Chairman: Bill Hawkins Jr.
Jay Kasper, Reid Bierer

*Petitions Committee**

Chairman: Jason Silvers
Paul Gazo, Don Hires & Jon Duren

*Masonic Education Committee**

Chairman: James Schmidt, Don Zimmerman
Harold Gordon, Pat Seachord ,

*Investigative Committee**

Chairman: Mike Loeffler
Jim Mullinax, Don Hires, Jason Silvers

*Board of Relief Committee**

Chairman: Michael Loeffler
Bill Hawkins Jr., Jim Mullinax

*Charity Committee**

Chairman: Bill Hawkins, Jr.
Mike Loeffler, Ryan Mahoney, Sean Lopez

*Lodge Property Committee**

Chairman: Jim Mullinax
Bill Paxton & Evan Anderson

*Budget Committee**

Chairman: Clay Gordon
Michael Loeffler, Bill Hawkins Jr. & Jim Mullinax

Funerals Committee

Chairman: Ray Kinser
William Owen, Pat Seachord, Jack Hammill

Public Relations Committee

Chairman: Michael Loeffler
Jim Mullinax, Bill Horn, Jack Hammill

Lodge Mentor Committee

Chairman: Ray Kinser
Travis Rount, Pat Seachord

Project Graduation

Chairman: Max Groceman
George Keoster, Mike Loeffler

Fishing Tournament Committee

Chairman: Mike Loeffler
Mike Hyland, Jim Burg

Golf Tournament

Co-Chairman: Jason Voelzke & Ryan Mahoney

Degree Conductor Committee

Chairman: Jack Hammill

Website Committee

Chairman: Bill Paxton

*Required Committees by Grand Lodge and/or Jupiter Light Lodge By-Laws

Awaiting Entered Apprentice Degree

Daniel Houseman, M. Murray, R. Simmons

Awaiting Fellow Craft Degree

K. Campbell, J. Andrews, F. Lasagna, C. Briggs, Robert Emerson, Michael Hart

Awaiting Master Mason Degree

Brent Dempsey, Kenneth Vanevenhoven & Jeffrey Duncan, David Paul, Eric Horton, Christopher Hayward, Michael Dillyhon

District 32

Zone 9

District Deputy Grand Master: R.:W.: John Karroum

District Instructor: R.:H.: Gerald Strohacker

Celebrating 51 years of Past Masters at Jupiter Light Lodge

UD61 Richard Atkins *	1987 Iva Bridges *
1962 Donald McHale *	1988 Frank McCray *
1963 Ivan Carter *	1989 Charles Woody
1964 Fleming Fowkes *	1990 Donald French *
1965 Julian Blackburn *	1991 Michael Henze
1966 Arliss Krum *	1992 Orel Beasley
1967 Ken Stevens *	1993 Karl Frankfort *
1968 James Worth *	1994 Cliff Chapman, Jr.
1969 Al Butterfield *	1995 Gary Schluter
1970 James Marrs *	1996 James Knabe
1971 James Crooks	1997 Robert Osterhoudt
1972 William Jacques *	1998 George Wiggins
1973 Cliff Chapman, Sr. *	1999 William Capel*
1974 William Stewart	2000 Harold Gordon
1975 James McCray *	2001 Jan G. Johnson
1976 John Sailors *	2002 Richard Puig
1977 M.K. Vance	2003 Thomas H. Watson
1978 John Watson	2004 Robert J. Brown
1979 Dewey Hillhouse	2005 Jeff Palm
1980 William Leyhe *	2006 Alfred Mueller Jr.
1981 James Woody	2007 Jay Kasper
1982 Nathaniel Davis	2008 Max Groceman
1983 Jack Pannell *	2009 Jim Schmidt
1984 Robert Maynard	2010 William Bates
1985 Patrick Seachord	2011 Travis Routt
1986 Ray Kinser	

District #32 Lodges and their Meeting Nights

Harmonia #138
2nd & 4th Mondays

Palmwood #303
1st & 3rd Thursdays

Boca-Delray #171
1st & 3rd Thursdays

Bykota #333
2nd & 4th Mondays

Boynton #236
2nd & 4th Thursdays

Garden #366
1st & 3rd Tuesdays

Gulfstream #245
1st & 3rd Wednesdays

Lantana #372
2nd & 4th Tuesdays

Jupiter Light #340
2nd & 4th Tuesday

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
		Officers Meeting 6:30pm	Boy Scouts Meeting at 7pm	OES Meeting		White Shrine Dinner 5:30pm Meeting 7:30pm
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		Stated Communication Dinner 6:30pm Meeting 7:30pm	Nile Initiation Practice 6:30pm Boy Scouts Meeting at 7pm	DeMolay Meeting 7:30pm		OES Dinner & Program 5:00 p.m. Hillbilly Degree Open to All
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	<i>Daughters of the Nile Rehearsal 5:30pm Meeting 7:30pm</i>	Officers Meeting 6:30pm	Boy Scouts Meeting at 7pm	OES Meeting		Lodge Widow's Dinner 5:30pm
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Master Mason Association Meeting 7:00pm Palmwood Lodge	Boy Scout Committee Meeting @ 6:30pm York Rite Chapter Meeting 7:30p.m. Harmonia Lodge	Stated Communication Dinner 6:30pm Meeting 7:30pm	Boy Scouts Meeting at 7pm	DeMolay Meeting 7:30pm		Lodge Clean-up 7:30 am Breakfast
27	28	29	30	31		
Grand Lodge - Orlando	Grand Lodge - Orlando	Grand Lodge - Orlando No Officers Meeting		OES – School of Instruction		