

MESSAGE FROM THE EAST

My brothers,

Thank you for electing me as our Worshipful Master for 2019. As I look forward to the new year I realize that I have an enormous task ahead of me. Our Junior Past Master, Erick Hoffman had a phenomenal year and has left Boynton Lodge in much better shape than when he found it. Now it becomes my duty to lead our lodge to the next level which will be achieved through communication and more involvement with potential candidates and our newly obligated brothers Rodrigo Maltarollo, Anthony Kresty, Robert Schoener, and Marc-Edouard Saint-Hillien.

When you open the email for the Trestle Board you will see what is on the calendar; always looking three months in advance without opening any attachments and there is a reason that I want to do this. Very simply we need to better communicate with the Millennials in a way that is more appropriate for them. Research is telling us that they make decisions in 5 and no more than 15 seconds if an email is worth their time or not. Our primary objective will be engagement not only for new members and their families but also prospective members and their families. We are not a secret organization and we need to stop acting like one. I will refer to this initiative as "The Builders" – rebuilding the great organization that we know it is by using what works. I am open to any suggestions that anyone might have.

Fraternally,

John Jay Carter, Worshipful Master – (The Builders)

MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY

Brethren,

As we start the new year, please be sure to update your contact information with me. Also, if you need a ride to lodge, please contact me so I can let our carpool committee know.

The library is fully functional, thanks to Br. Scott Schwartzberg's tireless efforts. You can now visit the website for the library: www.librarycat.org/lib/boynton-lodgeno236.

Thank you again brothers for re-electing me as your secretary. I look forward to the year and helping RW John Jay Carter to leave the lodge in better shape than he found it.

Sincerely & Fraternaly,
RW Michael Gambarrotti, DDGM



Brethren:

Thanks to R.W. Wayne Hansen. The new brick program is on track. W.M. Hansen worked so hard the weekend of December 8-9th, 2007 with his brick paver specialist and the result is an astounding success.

The Square and Compasses with the G is already placed in the drive way in the portico of the Lodge. The Square and Compasses are filled with Gold Bricks for the cost of \$ 100.00 each. The Letter G is filled with Blue Bricks and reserved for Past Masters of Boynton Lodge only, the cost is \$ 200.00 each. No business advertisement is allowed on any brick. The Blue bricks are restricted to name, WM Date and DDGM date, if any.

Please make a check payable to Boynton Lodge No 236 and send it to the Lodge address along with the inscription you desire.

If you have any questions you may call,
W.: Ross Cooper, PM
at: (561) 702-0859

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THE TRESTLEBOARD

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Regular Communication 2nd and 4th
Thursday of each month at 7:30 P.M.
**Except November and December when
it shall be the 2nd and 3rd Thursday**

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www.boyntonlodge236.com

Called Communication **INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS**

January 5th at 1:00pm

Lunch at 11:30am

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Stated Communication **January 10th at 7:30PM**

Dinner at 6:30PM

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Called Communication **Guest Speaker - Norman Frajman** **January 24th at 7:30PM**

Dinner at 6:30PM

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DRESS CODE

**Officers & Brothers are required to dress
in coat and tie. Officers dress in white
tuxedo for degrees and official visitations**

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MWGM John Karroum, W. Mark Bogert,
W. Brad Partridge, W. Robert Mandell,
RW Michael Gambarrotti, Scott Schwartzberg

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Fisher

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RW John Jay Carter, Chairman
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W. Eric Hoffman, Enea Ajazi, Gordon Oreskovich

AWAITING E.A.

AWAITING F.C.

Robert Schoener
Rodrigo Maltarollo
Anthony Kresty
Marc-Edouard Saint-Hillien

AWAITING M.M.

Kerwin Rodriguez

UPCOMING EVENTS

**January 5: Installation of
Officers** - 11:30am Lunch, 1pm

Installation - Open to all

**January 9: Master Mason
Association** - 6:30pm Dinner,
7:30pm Meeting - Palmwood
Lodge No. 303

**January 19: Open Books &
Proficiency Cards** - 9am-12pm
Harmonia Lodge No. 138

**January 24: Called
Communication** - Guest
Speakers - Maureen Carter &
Norman Frajman - 6:30pm Dinner,
7:30pm Meeting - Open to all

Trestleboard Booster 2019

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John Karroum, MWGM
Michael Gambarrotti, DDGM
Dennis Hartenstine
Bruce Leffler



Nabil Karroum
Richard Philpott
Fidel Watlington
Robert Kares
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Sheldon Hall
Joseph Ciardullo

**Passed to The Celestial
Lodge 2019**