

## MESSAGE FROM THE EAST

Greetings Brethren,

We are soon approaching spring and this year is moving by quickly! We had our first open meeting of the year titled "Today's Healthcare & Education Seminar" which was enjoyed by all those who attended. As an extension of this meeting, we will be having a CPR Certification class on Saturday, March 24th at Boynton Lodge No. 236 at 2pm in the Fellowship hall. If you are interested in becoming certified and potentially saving a life, please be sure to RSVP with our secretary, W. Michael Gambarrotti.

I mentioned last month that Br. Scott Schwartzberg's parents, Florence and Martin, have been very generous to donate book shelves for our new library. Along with that, Br. Schwartzberg has been working tirelessly to catalog over 1000 books that he will be donating to the library. I want to thank the Schwartzberg family for their generous and hard work to give the lodge a well-deserved library of its own. This month, we would like to get started preparing the room in the fellowship hall and I am asking for volunteers who would be interested in being a part of this exciting event!! Please let myself, Scott Schwartzberg, or our Secretary W. Gambarrotti know if you are available to help. I hope to see you all at our upcoming meetings & events:

Tuesday, March 6th – Officers Meeting at 6pm, all officers should attend.  
Wednesday, March 7th – Lodge Visit to Gulf Stream Lodge No. 245. Dinner at 6:30PM / Meeting at 7:30PM. Please try to attend and support your Worshipful Master.

Thursday, March 8th – Stated Communication Meeting – "Past Masters Dinner" – We cordially invite all Past Masters of Boynton Lodge No. 236 for a free dinner in appreciation for all their time in the East. During our meeting we will ask each PM to share with the brethren a little about their year.

Saturday, March 10th – Family Bowling Night! 5:30pm – Brethren, family and friends join us for some fun and laughs! Currently the location is TBD as we are working on getting bang for our buck. Please contact W. Mike Gambarrotti if you plan to attend.

Thursday, March 22nd – Called Communication Meeting – "MM Degree". Our first MM raising of 2018!! Please try to attend and come out to support our officers and brothers who are working hard to make this an excellent degree.

Sincerely and Fraternaly,  
Eric Hoffman, Worshipful Master

## MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY

Brethren,

If you need a ride to lodge, please contact me so I can let our carpool committee know. Also, Br. Jason Fisher has invited the brethren to attend the baby shower for his wife, Melissa. Please see the invitation attached to the trestleboard.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely & Fraternaly,  
W. Michael Gambarrotti



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,  
R.W. John Karroum, DGM  
at: 561-843-1219

## MARCH 2018

### THE TRESTLEBOARD

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#### **Boynton Lodge No.236 F&AM**

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Boynton Beach, FL 33426-8616  
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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.**

Visit Our Website  
[www.boyntonlodge236.com](http://www.boyntonlodge236.com)

**Stated Communication**  
**March 8th, 2018 at 7:30PM**  
Dinner at 6:30PM \$12.00 /Person  
RSVP Jason Fisher  
(561) 386-0045  
[flcurtaincall@yahoo.com](mailto:flcurtaincall@yahoo.com)  
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**CALLED Communication**  
**March 22nd, 2018 at 7:30PM**  
**MASTER MASON DEGREE**  
Dinner at 6:30PM \$12.00 /Person  
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**DRESS CODE**  
Brothers are required to  
dress in coat and tie.  
Officers dress is dark suit  
for regular meeting and  
white tuxedo for degrees  
and official visitations

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**FINANCE**

W. Alan Cohen, Chairman  
RW John Karroum, W. Mark Bogert,  
W. Brad Partridge, W. Robert Mandell,  
W. Michael Gambarrotti, Jason Fisher

**VIGILANCE**

Jason Fisher, Chairman  
W. Alan Cohen, W. Ross Cooper

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W. Michael Gambarrotti, Chairman  
W. Alan Cohen, Scott Schwartzberg,  
James Wooster, Dennis Hartenstine

**MASONIC EDUCATION**

Scott Schwartzberg, Chairman  
W. Brian Work, Jason Fisher

**BOARD OF RELIEF**

Eric Hoffman, Chairman  
W. Alan Cohen, Jason Fisher,  
RW John Karroum

**CHARITY**

RW John Karroum, Chairman  
W. Alan Cohen, Jason Fisher,  
Scott Schwartzberg

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W. Brian Work, RW Richard Philpott  
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W. Michael Gambarrotti, W. Alan Cohen,  
Jason Fisher

**MASONIC FUNERALS**

RW Sheldon Altenhaus, Chairman  
W. Irwin Ettlinger, Tom Wotherspoon,  
Jason Fisher

**PUBLIC RELATIONS**

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**INVESTIGATION**

Michael Valez

**AWAITING E.A.**

**AWAITING F.C.**

Juan Villar  
Kerwin Rodriguez  
Gordon Oreskovich

**AWAITING M.M.**

Enea Ajazi

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**March 7 - Lodge Visit - 6:30pm**

Dinner, 7:30pm Lodge - Gulf  
Stream Lodge No. 245

**March 8: Past Masters Night**

6:30pm Dinner, 7:30pm Lodge  
Boynton Lodge No. 236

**March 10: Family Bowling**

Night - 5:30pm - 8:30pm  
Location TBD

**March 14: Master Mason**

Association - 7:30pm -  
Harmonia Lodge No. 138

**March 17 - Masonic Home**

Pilgrimage Day - 10am-2pm -  
St. Petersburg

**March 25: CPR Certification**

Class - 2pm-5pm - Boynton  
Lodge No. 236 - RSVP Required



Herbert Jacobson  
Luis Novaton  
Nicholas Harvey  
Warnell Phillips  
Edwin Glass  
C Richard Brown  
Phillip Knowles  
Paul Jean  
William Pierre  
Victor Karroum  
Steven Kapnick  
Joseph Edouard  
Thomas Sawicz  
Robert Landis  
Bill Winchester  
Robert Kenny

**Trestleboard Booster 2018**

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John Karroum  
Michael Gambarrotti  
Sheldon Altenhaus  
Dennis Hartenstine

**Passed to The Celestial  
Lodge 2018**

# MARCH 2018

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1 "Blerg's Meeting Boynton Lodge 236 7:00 P.M. "	2  Shushan Purim (Jerusalem)	3  Noke's Birthday
4	5	6 Officers Meeting 6:30 P.M. Lodge Practice 7:00 P.M. E.A. DEGREE- Jupiter Light Lodge No. 340	7 LODGE VISIT Gulf Stream Lodge No. 245 Dinner at 6:30P.M. Meeting at 7:30P.M.	8 Stated Communication Past Master Night Dinner at 6:30P.M. Meeting at 7:30P.M.	9	10 Family Bowling Night 5pm-8pm Location TBD
11	12	13  Lodge Practice 7:00 P.M.	14 MMA Meeting Harmonia Lodge No. 138 7:30pm	15 Fellowcraft degree at Palmwood 6:30 Dinner Meeting 7:30PM	16	17 OPEN BOOKS Harmonia Lodge No. 138 9A.M.-12P.M. MASONIC HOME PILGRIMAGE DAY
18	19	20  Lodge Practice 7:00 P.M.	21	22 Called Communication MM DEGREE Dinner 6:30 P.M. Lodge 7:30 P.M.	23	24 CPR CLASS 2pm-5pm RSVP REQUIRED
25 Jason Fisher Baby Shower RSVP REQUIRED	26 Yom HaAliyah	27 Lodge Practice 7:00 P.M.	28	29	30	31 Pesach I (First day of Passover)
		<b>NOTES:</b> March 7th, - LODGE VISIT to Gulf Stream Lodge No. 245 - 845 Bradley St, West Palm Beach, FL 33405 March 8th, - PAST MASTERS NIGHT - INVITE AND NECCESARY, PICK UP PAST MASTERS OF BOYNTON LODGE - Hear the opinions of our PWM's regarding Boynton Lodge and our future. March 22nd, - MM DEGREE CHARITY OF THE QUARTER "CHILD ID"				

# APRIL 2018

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 Easter Sunday Pesach II (Passover)	2	3 Officers Meeting 6:30 P.M. Lodge Practice 7:00 P.M.	4	5 Blerg's Meeting Boynton Lodge No. 236 7:00 P.M.	6	7
8	9	10 Lodge Practice 7:00 P.M.	11 MMA Meeting Membership Development Town Hall Palmwood Lodge Dinner 6:30P.M. Meeting 7:30P.M. Yom HaShoah/ Holocaust Memorial Day	12 Stated Communication Dinner at 6:30 P.M. Meeting at 7:30 P.M.	13 Thomas Jefferson's Birthday	14
15 MMA Picnic Okecheelee Park Tuskegee Pavilion 12pm- 4pm	16	17 Lodge Practice 7:00 P.M.	18	19 Yom HaAtzmaut (Independence Day)	20	21 OPEN BOOKS Harmonia Lodge No. 138 9A.M.-12P.M. Family Night 5:30P.M.-9P.M.
22	23	24 Lodge Practice 7:00 P.M.	25	26 Open Meeting "THE ROAD TO FINANCIAL INDEPENDENCE" Dinner at 6:30P.M. Meeting at 7:30P.M.	27	28
29	30					
		<b>NOTES:</b> April 11th - Palmwood Lodge No. 303 - RWSGW Westerman presents how to encourage Millennials to joins lodge / ADDESSS: 845 Bradley Street, WPB, FL 33405 April 26th - OPEN MEETING "Road to Financial Independence" speaker to present topics on investing and retirement.				

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Once upon a time...

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HONORING

MELISSA FISHER



SUNDAY, MARCH 25 FROM 9:30AM - 12:00PM  
2701 QUANTUM BLVD, BOYNTON BEACH, FL 33426  
RSVP BY MARCH 3 TO HOLLY FISHER AT [HBF715@GMAIL.COM](mailto:HBF715@GMAIL.COM)  
MELISSA IS REGISTERED AT BABIES'R'US AND TARGET  
HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!