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FROM THE EAST

Boynton Lodge is very active despite the fact we are in the middle of summer. Many of our brothers are on their way to Scotland for what is now an annual visitation of Lodge Saint Andrews. On Sept. 17, Bro. Eugene Toote will be installed as Master of Arawak Lodge 8877 of Freeport, Grand Bahamas. An entourage of brethren from Boynton will be attending this ceremony. Our *global* involvement in Masonry stands as a testament to the vitality of our lodge.

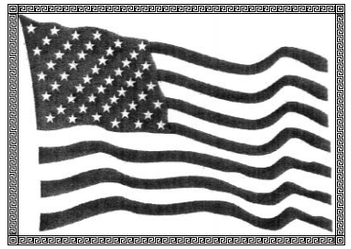
At home we have a group of four Entered Apprentices meeting and studying for their proficiencies and a Fellowcraft who is ready to stand proficient in September. Balloting has become a routine aspect of our regular business meetings. We are truly fortunate.

Let us not forget that this success is a result of hard work and dedication to The Craft. Boynton Lodge is a fraternity of men dedicated to practicing and living the philosophy of Freemasonry. Many of us have recently completed the Master Mason Exams I, II and III. We must continue to expand Masonic Education within our lodge and district. Masonry "becomes a way of life only when it is appreciated, and when Masons are proud of its teachings and accept the responsibility for nurturing it."

My brothers, one of our most important annual events will soon be upon us. On Oct. 30th, Boynton Lodge and The Palm Beach Square Club will host the annual "Ozzie" Golf Tournament. This tournament is named in honor of Ozzie Grimstead who was financially instrumental to the building of our beautiful new lodge. This annual event is also a major fundraiser. The success of this tournament is of the utmost importance to our lodge.

YOU can help make this event a success! In lieu of an auction, we will be raffling-off our grand prize this year and we are selling raffle tickets for $5.00 each. I would ask that each brother take five raffle tickets and sell them for the benefit of Boynton Lodge OR, simply buy the five tickets. *This one simple act on your part can help insure our golf tournament is a success.*

Also, we are selling cart sponsorships for $50.00 and hole sponsorships for $100.00. Who do you know that owns their own business? Where did you buy your last automobile? What businesses do you frequent? These are prime candidates to be cart and/or hole sponsors! Finally, we need foursomes of golfers to participate. We live in a



golfing paradise and I am certain you know many golfers. *Simply ask.*

I cannot over-emphasize the importance of this event. Bill Koppelman and Bert Eippert, along with a committee of representatives from the lodge, are working earnestly to make this our best "Ozzie". Our goals for this year are nearly double that of last year's tournament – please help.

Fraternally, W.M. Geoffrey Shank

Brethren:

You now have a marvelous opportunity to become a part of the permanent living history of Boynton Lodge # 236. We have revived the long dormant program of ENGRAVED BRICK-PAVERS located in the driveway at the entrance to our Lodge.

For $ 50.00 a Brother or Eastern Star Sister may have a brick engraved with any inscription, dedication or memorial of your choosing (limit of 17 letters), and placed in our driveway.

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