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## MARCH 2015

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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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### Called Communication Thursday **March 12th, 2015 at 7:30PM** **EA DEGREE**

Dinner at 6:30PM \$10.00 /Person  
RSVP Steve Stamatopoulos  
(561) 301-7925

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### Stated Communication Thursday **March 26th, 2015 at 7:30PM**

Dinner at 6:30PM \$10.00 /Person  
RSVP Steve Stamatopoulos  
(561) 301-7925

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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

## 2015 COMMITTEES

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**AWAITING E.A.**  
**Patrick Harvey**  
**Michael Critelli**  
**Jason Fisher**  
**AWAITING F.C.**

**AWAITING M.M.**  
**Luis Gregorio Novaton**

## **T r e s t l e b o a r d** **B o o s t e r 2 0 1 5**

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Bill Diamond  
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Mark Bogert  
Nabil Karroum  
Robert Mandell  
Sheldon Altenhaus  
Ed Wheat  
Ziggy & Selma Friedman  
Ralph Warren  
Daniel Cohen  
Murray Gold

# FROM THE EAST

Greetings Brothers and Masonic family:

This is my favorite time of the year and hopefully you are enjoying the mild weather that accompanies our winter season. At our first stated communication of February, we draped the altar for our Past Master, W Br. Thomas Mangold. In addition, we held a moment of silence for Gladys Mead who passed on February 13, 2015. Gladys was the widow of our late Past Master Charlie Mead. Please keep both families in your thoughts and prayers.

We closed our first communication with a report from our Finance committee regarding early stage discussion with a local commercial real estate agent to discover the possibility of generating income from our fellowship hall.

I would like to personally thank WM Tony Petrides of Harmonia lodge for visiting our lodge with a host of other brothers from Harmonia. It was an honor to receive these brothers and we hope to reciprocate with a visit to their lodge very soon.

At our second communication of February we received our DDGM William R. Bates Sr. and his Committeemen. It was a wonderful night! We had numerous guests, some who traveled as far away as Finland. This is the second year that we have received visitors from Finland, hopefully they will return again next year. During the evening we experienced a superb Master Mason catechism from brothers Matthew Bennett, Ian Hunt and Phillip Rodney Knowles. It was clear that they had worked hard on their preparation. Thank you W Br. Work for conducting this Catechism. It was a great night highlighted by the self-introduction of four interested gentlemen who have been attending our dinners and are interested in learning more about our craft. Each man had his own unique biography and reason for being among us. I look forward to seeing them again and maybe one day petitioning our lodge.

As the year begins to pick up steam I would like to recognize and thank all of our officers for their commitment and dedication. Their regular attendance and hard work is paying dividends in the manner in which they deliver the standard of ritual work our lodge is known for. I would like to remind the craft that at our first March meeting, we will be conducting an EA degree for Messrs. Patrick Harvey, Michael Critelli and Jason Fisher. Your degree team is working hard my brothers, so please join us on the March 12, 2015 for our first degree of the year.

Fraternally,  
Mark Bogert, Worshipful Master

## ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- 1- Open Books and Proficiency Cards - Saturday, February 28, 9:00am to 12:00pm, Harmonia Lodge No. 138
- 2- CALLED Communication, EA Degree – Thursday, March 12, Dinner @ 6:30pm, Degree @ 7:30pm
- 3- Masonic Home Pilgrimage - Saturday, March 21
- 4- Masonic Seminar, W. Anthony Mongelli, March 28th, \$30.00 / Ticket, 10am-3pm, Lunch Included
- 5- Shrine Circus – Friday, April 3-Sunday, April 5, 11am Fri., 10:30am Sat., 1:30pm Sun. – CHILD ID will be there
- 6- Master Mason Association District Picnic – Sunday, April 12, 12pm – Okeehelie Park, – CHILD ID will be there

# Boynton 100th anniversary

Our lodge was chartered on January 18, 1917 and Boynton Lodge will be celebrating our 100th anniversary in 2017. This will be an important milestone for us. To think what the Boynton Lodge has endured through one hundred years, survived depressions, recessions, wars and everything else that could challenge us. The fact that Boynton Lodge has remained strong and energetic is quite impressive. After 100 years we have a great facility and a strong brotherhood, all of which we should be very proud and should celebrate.

A few weeks ago a committee was formed to plan the 100th anniversary celebration. The main goal of this committee is to develop a thorough plan for the 100th celebration. When we have the plan developed, we will present it before the Lodge Officers and Craft for their approval and vote.

While the committee stands at seven members, it is important that all members should have the right to voice their opinions, thoughts and ideas of what should be involved in the celebration. People, not necessarily committee members, are welcomed and encouraged to participate. It will take the efforts of all to make this the best ever 100th anniversary celebration. All I ask is that the opinions, thoughts or ideas to be expressed be either written or emailed to me so I can best communicate them to others. My email is: [gardner01@gmail.com](mailto:gardner01@gmail.com).

A celebration a couple of years away may seem like plenty of time to plan, but it really is not. For any success there needs to be ample attention to detail. We need to determine what 100 years of Boynton Lodge means to us and how best to celebrate all the efforts of those who made it possible.

So, what does 100 years of Boynton Lodge No. 236 mean to you?

## BOYNTON LODGE ESOTERIC RESEARCH GROUP PRESENTS

### WORSHIPFUL ANTHONY MONGELLI JR

WRITER OF THE CRAFTMAN'S SYMBOLOGY, FOUNDER AND DIRECTOR OF THE SOCIETY FOR MASONIC RESEARCH. HIS ARTICLES HAVE BEEN PUBLISHED IN THE WORKING TOOLS AND LIVING STONES MAGAZINES.

#### DATE

SATURDAY, MARCH 28, 2014

#### TIME

9:30 AM : CHECK-IN

10:00 AM—3:00 PM :

THE CIRCUMPUNCT  
LUCIFER AND THE CRAFT  
THE TWIN PILLARS

APPROACHES TO COMPARATIVE SYMBOLOGY

11:50 AM—1:00 PM : LUNCH

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**MARCH 2015**  
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William	Marrion	Pierre
Steven		Vincent
Paul	Bredner	Jean
Jacob	Maxwell	Diamond

Passed to The Celestial  
 Lodge - 2015

**W. Bro. Thomas C. Mangold (PM Boynton 1999)**

DOB: 09-24-1935

Raised: 06-08-1962

Died: 01-23-2015

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