

MESSAGE FROM THE EAST

Greetings Brethren;

I hope everyone enjoyed Thanksgiving. I know I did spending time in NY with my family. It looks like the year is about over.

We had a great Fellowcraft degree. Brother Jason Fisher and all the officers did a great job. Congratulations to Brother Agazi for being passed to the Degree of Fellowcraft. I would also like to thank W. Mandel for his great job in presenting the lecture.

Please don't forget we only have one meeting in December. It's on December 14. We will be having Elections of officers for 2018. I hope to see as many Brothers as possible. As the holidays approach I would like to wish everyone a very Merry Christmas. Happy Hanukkah and a very Happy and Healthy New Year

In closing, I would like to take this moment and thank everyone for a great year. Thank you to all the officers and members of Boynton Lodge. Everyone really helped make this a great year. From my installation to The Centennial. I will always be honored to say that I was the Worshipful Master of Boynton Lodge, especially for our 100th Anniversary. I see our lodge moving forward and getting even better in the upcoming years. Here's to another 100 yrs of excellent work and leadership.

Fraternally.

W.M.Stamatis Stamatopoulos

MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY

Brethren,

It's that time of year, Dues notices have been mailed out. Please remit your dues for 2018 as soon as you can. If you have not paid your 2017 dues, please remit them ASAP as you will be suspended for non-payment of dues.

We have had some inquiries as to the ability to pay for dinner using a credit card and as I have told those who have asked, we have always had the ability. There will be a small service charge included with your payment when paying with your credit card, so please see me prior to dinner. We are also able to take payment over the phone so if you wish to RSVP and pay at the same time, feel free to. To sum up, you can pay for dinner with cash, credit card, and check.

I hope everyone has a happy and safe holiday season and a Happy New Year. Our installation of Officers will be on January 6th. 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, Secretary



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

DECEMBER 2017

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.**

Visit Our Website

www.boyntonlodge236.com

Stated Communication

ELECTION NIGHT

December 14th, 2017 at 7:30PM

Dinner at 6:30PM \$12.00 /Person

RSVP Mike Gambarrotti

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Stated Communication

December 21st, 2017 at 7:30PM

MEETING CANCELLED

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

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W. Alan Cohen, Chairman
Eric Hoffman, W. Ross Cooper

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W. Alan Cohen, James Wooster,
Scott Schwartzberg,
Jack Page, Joseph Rios III

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Scott Schwartzberg

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Eric Hoffman, W. Alan Cohen

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Scott Schwartzberg, W. Brian Work

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W. Brian Work, W. Michael Gambarrotti

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W. Michael Gambarrotti

MASONIC FUNERALS

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W. Irwin Ettlinger, Tom Wotherspoon

PUBLIC RELATIONS

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INVESTIGATION

Kerwin Rodriguez

AWAITING E.A.

Juan Villar

AWAITING F.C.

Brian Qualters

AWAITING M.M.

Enea Ajazi

UPCOMING EVENTS

December 13: Master Mason Association - ELECTION NIGHT
7:30pm - Boca Delray Lodge No. 171

December 14: ELECTION NIGHT
7:30pm - Boynton Lodge No. 236

December 16: Open Books & Proficiency Cards - 9:00am - 12pm - Harmonia Lodge No. 138

January 6, 2018: Boynton Lodge No. 236 Installation of Officers - 11:30am - Lunch, 1pm Installation - Boynton Lodge No. 236

Trestleboard Booster 2017

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John Karroum
Peter Van Leeuwen
Nabil Karroum
Ed Wheat
Daniel Cohen
Bill Diamond
Michael Gambarrotti
Dennis Hartenstine



Stephen Shakerdge
Joseph Rios III
Jason Morris
Leonard White
Geoffrey Shank
Bernard Cormen
Kenneth Aaron
Barry Kimelstein
Michael Yamrick
Garland White
Frederick Glass
Gerard Hogan, Jr.
Edward Wheat
Martin Kaye

Passed to The Celestial Lodge 2017

Bro. William R. Hanshumaker
DOB: 10-25-1924
Died: 12-12-2016
Bro. Paul Wesley Graham
DOB: 06-22-1919
Died: 01-02-2017
Bro. Robert Hess
DOB: 07-30-1963
Died: 01-27-2017
Bro. John Jelilian
DOB: 12-12-1930
Died: 08-02-2017
Bro. Seymour Simpson
DOB: 05-09-1917
Died: 08-08-2017