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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.
Visit Our Website

www.boyntonlodge236.com

Stated Communication Thursday.

April 9th, 2009 at 7:30 PM

Stated Communication Thursday

FC DEGREE

April 23rd, 2009 at 7:30 PM

Master Masons Association 32

Sunday April 26th, 2009 7:00PM
Location Boynton Lodge No 236

DRESS CODE

**Brothers are requested to
dress in coat and tie.
Officers dress is dark suit
for regular meeting and
white tuxedo for degrees
and official visitations.**

Trestleboard Booster

Mark Bogert	Bill Winchester
Norris Fussell	Nabil karroum
Bill Diamond	Brian Work
C. Stanley Weaver	Daniel Cohen
Murray Gold	Robert Mandell
John Karroum	Bob MacNeil
Greg T. Walker	James Byrne
Joseph Edouard	The Aaron Family

Brethren

I ask you to be a booster member for 2009. Your donation of \$10, \$20, \$50, or \$100 will be most appreciated by your Lodge.

When may we add your name to this growing list? Please send your contribution to our secretary! Thank You!

Grand Lodge Communication

Grand Lodge will take place in Orlando from May 24th - 27th. All Brothers are encouraged to attend. Come meet Brothers from all across the state of Florida and the world. Please let our secretary R.H. John Karroum know if you plan to attend.

Official Visit to ARAWAK Lodge No 8877 Freeport, Grand Bahamas. May 1st-3rd, 2009

Brethren!

Boynton Lodge No. 236 F&AM will be making its Official Visit to Arawak Lodge No. 8877 in Freeport, Grand Bahama on May 1 - 3 of 2009.

On May 1, 2009 we shall again assemble with our wives/ladies at the Discovery Cruise Line Docks in Ft. Lauderdale for our trip to Freeport, Grand Bahamas. Priority Check-in and out, Champagne Breakfast and a-la-Carte lunch on the way to the Bahamas and 7-course gourmet dining in the Grand Bahamas Grill on the return cruise. Use of the Exclusive Florida Room onboard, Hotel accommodation at either Pelican Bay or the Sheraton Grand Bahamas Our Lucaya Resort (provided you get your reservations in before we must book to an overflow Hotel) in the Bahamas and transfers to and from the ship to the hotel in the Bahamas.

For reservations, call Tommy Crespo, Vacation Specialist for Discovery Cruiseline at 1-800-937-4477 Ext. 7614. It is necessary that each of us make our own reservations. CAUTION: You must deal ONLY with Tommy Crespo and ask for the Boynton Masonic Lodge Package. He is the ONLY cruise specialist who knows our needs! Cost should run about \$279 pp/dbl occupancy for the cruise and hotel accommodations together. Dinner is usually \$25/person for Friday night, and slightly more for Saturday. Cabins on-board are available starting at \$65.00 and strongly recommended. If you would like to join us for this historic Masonic event, please see R/W Dick Philpott (561) 927-8378, philpotr@bellsouth.net, so your name can be listed and you will be kept informed of all details.

INVESTIGATION

Harvey R. Miller
Morris Horowitz
Frederick VanWagenen, IV
Scott Grant Nelson
Clifford Edmond Bade

AWAITING E.A.

Michael Robert Gambarrotti

AWAITING F.C.

Curt Garrett Campbell
Joseppe Nocero
Andre Leonardo Palocz
Thomas Y. Wotherspoon
Carmelo Mendoza
Adam Paul Whiting
Matthew Robert Eckert
Damian Ramos

AWAITING M.M.

OPEN BOOKS for District 32

APRIL 11th, 2009

Held at
Harmonia Lodge No 138 F. & A.M.
Time: 9:00 AM-12:00 NOON
1896 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd,
West Palm Beach, FL
Phone: (561) 640-9115

**District School of Instruction for
District 32**

APRIL 11th, 2009

LOCATION: Harmonia Lodge No 138
Same time as open books

2009 COMMITTEES

Finance

Ross Cooper, *Chairman*
RW Charlie Mead, Brad Partridge, John Jelilian
W. Bob Mandell, William Diamond, Marty Kay,
Rodney Gnoinsky

Vigilance

Rodney Gnoinsky, *Chairman*
R.W. Dick Philpot. Brian Work

Petitions

Robert Kenny, *Chairman*
Barry Kimelstein, Alan Mason, Eric Maloy,
James Wooster

Education and Primary Schools

Ross Cooper, *Chairman*
Rodney Gnoinsky, Michael Floering

Board Of Relief / Charity

Michael Floering, *Chairman*
Ross Cooper, Rodney Gnoinsky

Lodge Property

Geoffrey Williams , *Chairman*
James Wooster, William Eckert, Alan Mason,
Robert Hess, Eric Malloy, Anthony Genna

Scholarship

W. Wayne A. Hansen, *Chairman*
Bill Diamond, Robert Kenny

Ritual

R.H. John Karroum
W. Everett Tarter

Masonic Youth

W. Wayne Hansen, *Chairman*
Brad Partridge, Geoffrey William

Masonic Funeral

R.W. Sheldon Altenhaus, *Chairman*
R.W. Alan Ehrlich, Lenny Tishberg,
W. Carl Lipton, W. Irwin Ettlinger, Art Wolf,
RW Murray Gold,



**Passed to The Celestial
Lodge - 2009**

Bro. Robert Howard MacNeil

DOB: 11-15-1925
Raised: 05-23-1989
Died: 01-11-2009

Bro. Robert C. Irwin

DOB:
Died: 1/24/2009

Bro. Robert Kurk

DOB: 1928
Died: 1/13/2009

Bro. Darrell Richard Kunkle

DOB: 10/26/1923
Raise: 04/19/1956
Died: 01/06/2009

Bro. Andrew Tureck

DOB: 11/09/1938
Raised: 04/23/2007
Died: 02/16/2009



Brethren:

Thanks to 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 driveway 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. Charlie Mead at :
561-737-8690

F R O M T H E E A S T

Brethren

At our first stated meeting, March 12th, two new candidates were initiated. It was a great degree. Brothers Partridge, Cooper, Hess, Eckert, Work, Mason, Cohen and the rest of the degree team did a wonderful job. I would like to give a special thanks to W. Hansen and JPM Karroum for wearing their white jackets and helping as needed during the degree. Also at our first stated meeting in March Brother Kirkpatrick informed the lodge of the details of our planned schedule to assist the Soup Kitchen on March 21st. In total our Lodge raised \$750.00, and Brother Kirkpatrick's employer donated \$250.00 for a total of \$1,000.00, which the Soup Kitchen truly appreciated. Between our lodge members and the Boynton DeMolay chapter we had about 20 volunteers present. Many of the lodge members wore their Boynton Lodge shirts. They looked great and appeared very comfortable. I recommend purchasing one for yourself if you don't already have one. I would like to give a special thanks to Brothers James Kirkpatrick and Alan Mason for going above and beyond their duty. Brother Kirkpatrick did a great job organizing the event and Brother Mason made a wonderful video of the event. If you have not seen the video yet go to BNNreports.com/soupkitchen and view it. The day at the soup kitchen was a very satisfying event for me personally and for all the Brothers and Demolay young men who were there.

At our second stated meeting in March 26th, our lodge was "abuzz" with the success of our Soup Kitchen event. It was great to see so much pride and excitement for our Lodge's adventure. It was wonderful! I must also say that everyone seems to be very proud of our DeMolay chapter; they did a great job as well. Also, at the same meeting we were blessed with a guest speaker from the VA Hospital in West Palm Beach, Mrs. Mary Phillips, who did a great job of informing the Brethren present of what her duties are as a Volunteer Coordinator. Brother W. Hansen arranged her visit along with W. Bro. Wes Dickmann, escorted her to the East, and presented her with a \$500 check. The Brethren present raised another \$260 when the hat was passed. Once again, the Brothers of Boynton Lodge #236 F&AM "stepped up" to the challenge and came through. It was great. I would like to say that not only have the Brothers of our Lodge opened their wallets, they have been polite, welcoming, courteous, caring, and supportive of our guests. They have done so with a smile on their faces and humility in their hearts. I believe our community really needs our support this year, and you all have been embracing the challenge. Thank you for contributing your time, finances, and expertise in these troubled times.

Also at the same meeting, March 26th, we had an official visit from R W. David Haycock, the DDGM of our 32nd District. The DDGM Committee Chairmen announced that the various committees met, or exceeded, their goals for the year. I feel that the Grand Master M.W. Joe A. Fleites and the Grand Lodge of F&AM of Florida should be proud of our District.

Brethren, we will have a FC Degree at our second stated meeting on April 23rd. I hope to see many of you at the meeting.

Brethren, our Lodge annual trip to Freeport Grand Bahamas is the weekend of May1st-3rd, 2009. For more details please see page one of the Trestleboard.

Sincerely & Fraternaly,

Michael A. Floering, W.M.

Proud to serve Boynton Lodge #236 F & AM

April 2009

April 2009							May 2009						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
			1	2	3	4						1	2
5	6	7	8	9	10	11	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
12	13	14	15	16	17	18	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
19	20	21	22	23	24	25	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
26	27	28	29	30			24	25	26	27	28	29	30
							31						

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Mar 29 - Apr 4	Mar 29	30	31	Apr 1	2	3	4
				6:30pm Boynton Derr 6:30pm Official visit tr 7:30pm Gulfstream Lc	6:30pm official Visit tr 7:30pm Boca-Delray L 7:30pm Palmwood Lo		
Apr 5 - 11	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
		7:00pm Palm Beach C	6:30pm Lodge of Inst 7:30pm Garden Lodg		7:30pm Boynton Lodg		8:00am Open Book H
Apr 12 - 18	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
		7:30pm Bykota Lodge 7:30pm Harmonia Loc 8:00pm OES 238 mee	6:30pm Lodge of Inst 7:30pm Jupiter Light 7:30pm Lantana Lodg	6:30pm Boynton Derr 7:30pm Gulfstream Lc	7:30pm Boca-Delray L 7:30pm Palmwood Lo		
Apr 19 - 25	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
		7:30pm York Rite Cou	6:30pm Lodge of Inst 7:30pm Garden Lodg	11:30am BBSC Lunche 6:30pm Scottish Rite	7:30pm FC DEGREE Br		
Apr 26 - May 2	26	27	28	29	30	May 1	2
	7:00pm Master Masoi	7:30pm Bykota Lodge 7:30pm Harmonia Loc 8:00pm OES 238 mee	6:30pm Lodge of Inst 7:30pm Jupiter Light 7:30pm Lantatna Lodg				



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HAPPY BIRTHDAY
 Donald Roxenberg
 George Soto, Jr
 S. Richard Brenner
 Robert Edward Miller
 Joseph George Lotito
 Robert Benjamin Pollack
 Thomas Otto Shermwick
 Sheldon C. Glickman
 James Joseph Byrnes
 Raymond Schilke, Jr
 James Arthur Butscher
 Samuel D. Koon, Jr
 James Gross
 Edward Gerald Hilery
 Charles Leonard Mead
 Fred Zemble
 Joseph Sousa Britto
 Robert Michael Polhamus
 Seymour Himelstein
 Philip Lewis Litman
 Norman Morris Strell