

Trestleboard

Winter Garden Lodge No. 165

Stated Communication: August 2009

August 6th 2009 **Stated meeting @ 7:30PM**

August 20th 2009 **Dinner @ 6:00 PM, DDGM Official Visit**

Stated Meeting @7:30 PM

Other Meetings for August 2009

August 1st, 2009 **Masters & Wardens @ Orange 36**
Breakfast @ 8am, Meeting @ 9am.

Out Door MM Degree Aug 1 2009 4pm Gary Storys Ranch

August 12 & 26th 2009 **School of Instruction**
@ Orange Lodge 36 7:30 Pm

Brothers Please check out our web site. It is updated weekly with the entire district information

WWW.FLMASON-WG165.COM

Happy Birthday to all the Brothers born in August

From the Secretary

Brothers, If your address has changed, please notify the Lodge by mail or phone (407-877-2550 and leave a message.)

Fraternally, Robert E. Burke, Jr. PM, Sec.

From the East

Well Brothers our BIG 4th of July Breakfast and Kids Parade was a great success again this year. Each year the parade and Breakfast keep getting bigger. We estimate we served breakfast to over 300 people and the parade had 351 people in it. Big day for the Lodge and for Masonry in general. Our Child ID program was in full swing and did great. Thanks to Brother Ken Lyons who set the entire thing up and was assisted by Bro.Kelly Klatt, Child ID Program director for the 17th district. We did 24 child ID s this year. It was a big success.

Congratulations to W Steve Teal for being elected and excepting the position of Lodge Treasurer. W Teal has been protem Treasurer since the passing of W Rod Hollis. The Lodge also voted to make W Rod Hollis Treasurer Ameritus for his years of service to the Lodge.

Big thanks to all who came out for the Masters & Wardens meeting and school of instruction meetings in our Lodge last month.

Brothers we got a deal on a brand new refrigerator this month thanks to Brother Bob Teitz. We got a \$650 refrigerator for \$200 but we had no funds to purchase it with so we asked for donations in the lodge meeting and we raised the full amount.

This is an appeal to the Brothers that don't make it out to Lodge much. We need your help. We need you to come to lodge but if you can't make it out please consider sending a donation to help finish the remodeling and replacing the chairs. I know things are tough right now but your lodge needs your help. PLEASE take a minute and send in a check to help finish the Lodge. We are vary close.

Please don't forget about the Outdoor degree on Aug 1 at 4Pm out at Gary Story's ranch. We have three Fellow Crafts that will be raised . We will be serving Ribs for dinner between the first and second section. It will be a great day, you don't want to miss it.

We also have a Fellow Craft going to Kingston TN on Aug 15 to be Raised in the cave. The 17 th district is conferring the MM Degree in the cave. Several of us from the Lodge will be going.

I look forward to seeing all of you this month.

Fraternally, W: Scott Penvose

From the West

It was great having everyone come out for the 4th. We did 24 Child ID's and a dozen for the Police ID.

We continue to have practices every Monday and Wednesday at 7pm and

are gearing up for Master Mason Outdoor Degree. The lodge is looking great

and we'd love to have more wives and visitors at our dinners. The lodge is what U make it, participate.

Bro. Ken Lyons Sr Warden

From the South

Brethren, our next supper night will be on 08-20-2009. The meal will be served at 6:00p.m. We will be hosting the DDGM and his entourage. The menu will be chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, cole slaw, baked beans, biscuits, and desserts. As always feel free to bring any dish or dessert to compliment our meal.

Thank you, Bro. Gary Story

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