

Brevard Lodge Number 113

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Trestle Board

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LODGE OFFICERS

Worshipful Master	Albert Barone	321-508-7144
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Marshal	John Arel, PM	774-254-7247
Tyler	John Millhouse PM	321-632-5043
Historian	Steven Agid HPM	321-537-3677

From the East

Brethren,
We are making progress but there is still a lot to do. I am concerned about the participation of our brethren at the meetings as March's first meeting had ONE sideliner and the required Officers. It is difficult to work for you if there is no input on your wishes so, please come out, eat and help move us forward. There will be an EA degree upcoming for 2 candidates so keep that in mind for the next month. April brings a cornerstone ceremony with the Grand Master of Masone MW.: Glen B. Bishop at 12:15pm on April 12th at Viera Elementary. Please come see this historic event. I am adding 2 pages to the ONLINE Trestle Board which can be found on our lodge website. You will NOT get this in the copy Our Bro. Secretary mails out. The best way to get the most current information is to participate and come to the meetings rather than to wait to hear it later, if you want the extra page then visit: <https://pcatchpole15.wixsite.com/brevard113> Please check it out you may be mentioned in there. Thats all for now, Until Next time,
Fraternally,
Albert Barone, W.M.

From the West

Brethren,
Hope everyone had a great month of March, including Easter Sunday! Now into April, the tax month. It's great to get a return, not so great if one must pay, but worst of all—the paperwork. After 200+ years you'd think we might have a clearer and simpler approach! But April has some great things about it, too. An opportunity to clear our Lodge building of some clutter, fix up some fixtures and amenities, and prettify things a bit. Kudos to JW Joyner for his leadership in all of this! Other fun things like the Inter-Lodge Chili Cook-off on April 27th, and an upcoming EA Degree for three new brothers is also outstanding! What else could be better? You tell us! I welcome any and all suggestions on improving our facility, our meetings, our events—whatever! If you have an idea, I promise we want to hear it. My number is on the Trestle Board cover, or you can drop a line to Brother Secretary to relay to me if your idea is better written than voiced. Brevard #113 exists because of its members, and it must address their needs. That is all.
Fraternally,
Travis Elmore, SW

From the South

Brethren

We are making improvements around the lodge. New water valves for the lodge room air conditioners were installed and we have seen a reduction in our monthly water bill. A wireless extender was placed in the dining room to boost the wireless internet signal. We have more on our list of improvements to organize and declutter the lodge. To tackle this list of improvements, our Spring Lodge Clean-up is scheduled for Saturday, April 20 from 11 AM to 1 PM. The lodge will provide lunch (hot dogs, chips, and drinks). All work and no play, makes for a dull Master Mason. For fun and fellowship, join your lodge Chill Cooking Team. We will be participating in this year's Masters and Wardens Chill Cook-off on April 27 held at Harbor City Lodge (1715 Avocado Ave, Melbourne FL 32935). Come out and support your lodge cooking team from 1-4PM. Tickets are only \$5 to taste and vote. Speaking of food, the June barbecue planning is going well. We set the date for Saturday, June 29. A couple of locations are being considered. The location, cost, and time for the barbecue will be announced in the May Trestle Board. We have also drafted up an Astronaut Degree for the barbecue. I cannot put on the barbecue or this fun degree by myself and I will need help from the Craft. Please let me know how you can help and make this fundraiser a success for the lodge.

Fraternally,

James "JJ" Joyner Sr, J.W.

From the Secretary's Office

Brethren,

Brothers, 12 of you still need to pay your dues. Also if you belong to an appendant body please let me know so I can put it in your record. Email or call my cell phone. Rarely do I not answer, if I don't, please leave a message. I also sent an email to all brothers from our Master. If you didn't receive it, you may also want to validate your address with me. I sent out a bright paper for changes with the dues reminders. Please fill it out and return it. I gave everyone a peel and stick return address label. Please use it! Thanks to all!

Fraternally,

Jerome Smith HPM, Secretary
jeromeflorida@gmail.com

Monthly Charity: Aging Matters in Brevard

Brevard 113 April 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
MAR 31 EASTER SUNDAY	1 OES 35 Practice 6 PM When Called	2 Brevard Lodge Stated Meeting Meal 6:30 PM Meeting 7:30 PM	3	4	5	6 Master and Wardens Merritt Island 353 Breakfast 0800 Meeting 0900
7	8 OES 35 Practice 6 PM When Called	9 Cocoa Chapter OES #35 Stated Meeting 7:30 PM	10 York Rite Stated Meeting 7:30 PM	11 Brevard Lodge #113 Lodge Officers Meeting/Ritual Practice 6 PM When Called	12 Viera Elementary Cornerstone Laying By MW.: Glen B. Bishop 12:15 PM	13
14	15 OES 35 Practice 6 PM When Called	16 Brevard Lodge Stated Meeting Meal 6:30 PM Meeting 7:30 PM	17	18 Brevard Lodge #113 Lodge Officers Meeting/Ritual Practice 6 PM When Called	19	20
21	22 OES 35 Practice 6 PM When Called	23 Cocoa Chapter OES #35 Stated Meeting 7:30 PM	24 York Rite Stated Meeting 7:30 PM	25 Brevard Lodge #113 Lodge Officers Meeting/Ritual Practice 6 PM When Called	26	27 Knight Masons Practice@10:30, Lunch 12, Meeting1PM
28	29	30				

These pages will be online only due to added cost:

Lodge Committee Contact Information: (Phone/email on page 1)

Finance: Bro. Travis Elmore, SW, Chair
Vigilance: Bro. James Joyner, JW, Chair
Petitions: Bro. Albert Barone, WM, Chair
Masonic Education: Bro. Travis Elmore, SW
Board of Relief: Bro. Albert Barone, WM
Investigations: Bro. James Joyner, JW
Charity: Bro. Albert Barone, WM
Lodge Property: Bro. James Joyner JW

Petitions Recieved/ Awaiting Ballot

Dylan Sanderlin Read and accepted

Balloted awaiting Degree (EA)

Beris Robinson Brian Vandiver

Brothers Initiated/Passed and Raised:

Jamie Carman- Awaiting MM Degree

Sickness/Distressed

1. Jerry Walters Still recovering from a fall last year
2. Billy Stuart still recovering from knee Surgery
3. Please Keep these brothers in your prayers

District Events:

Cornerstone Ceremony Viera Elementary 12:15pm April 12th
Open Books 1st Wed Every Month at Harbor City 318
GMOV Fundraisers in progress More info coming
Masters and Wardens 8am 1st Sat This month at Merritt Island 353

Appendant Bodies

Order Eastern Star Chapter 35 meets 2&4th Tuesday
York Right meets on the 2nd & 4th Wednesday
Area Bodies:
Azan Shrine, Melbourne
North Brevard Shrine Club, Titusville
We Proudly Support The Boy Scouts Merritt Island

DDGM Visit(s)

7:30pm March 19th 2024

Candidate Tracker

Dylan Sanderlin Read and awaiting Background/Refrences
Beris Robinson/Brian Vandiver Ballot Clear Scheduling EA Degree

Past Masters 1998-Current

1998 Roger Bennett
1999 C. Dwight Cullen
2000 Richard Prickett
2001 Robin Camp *
2002 Ewell Gann
2003 Ronnie Griffith
2004 David Gell
2005 Robin Camp *
2006 Roger Bennett
2007 Bruce Laubenhimer
2008 Marshall DeGraw *
2009 Leroy Galbrand
2010 Clark Moody
2011 Don Vargus
2012 Roger Bennett
2013 Leroy Galbrand
2014 Benjamin M. Shank
2015 Tim Dahn
2017 Jerry Walters
2018 Jamie Howell
2019 Barry Shaffer
2020 Phillip R. Catchpole
2021 Joe 'Rex' Shaffer *
2022 Thomas 'Billy' Stuart
2023 John P. Arel

Honorary Past Masters

Richard P. Long *
Earl Gray *
Leroy E. Fackler *
Bruce W. Laubenhimer Sr. *
George A Wilhelm *
Paul W. Main
Jerome Smith
Steven Agid

* Denotes Past Masters who have Passed to the Grand Celestial Lodge Above

Perpetual (Continued)

Bro. Mark Ward
Bro. William Wood
Bro. Henry Youngblood
Bro. Steven Walden
Bro. Daniel Pleasant
Bro. Richard Prickett
Bro. Thomas Savage
Bro. Eric Shaffer
Bro. Barry Shaffer
Bro. Benjamin Shank, IV
Bro. Robert Simmons
Bro. Jerome Smith
Bro. Billy Stuart
Bro. Ron Trinkle
Bro. Dewey Villareal

Perpetual Members

Bro Robert Atkinson
Bro. Albert Barone
Bro. Roger Bennett
Bro. David Bornberg
Bro. Thomas Branan
Bro Michael Carpenter
Bro. Phil Catchpole
Bro. Leland Chemerys
Bro. Wayne Clark
Bro. Tim Dahn
Bro. Henry Davis
Bro. Benny Duke
Bro. Michael Elliott
Bro. Pedro Escallon
Bro. Rodger Fowler
Bro. Cleveland Grant
Bro. Ronny Griffith
Bro. Jamie Howell
Bro. James Hunt
Bro. Marcus Ingeldsen
Bro. James Joyner, Sr
Bro. Kevin Laubenhimer
Bro. Bruce Laubenhimer
Bro. Krist Leidy
Bro. Donald Long
Bro. Martin Maggio
Bro. Paul Main
Bro. Clark Moody