



FROM THE EAST

My Brothers,

The year is almost done but we are not slowing down. I am very proud of our Eola brothers because we raised six new Master Masons and for the first time in a long time we have hosted our own second section of the Master Mason degree with some assistance from the Past Masters Degree Team. Congratulations to Brothers Ersan Songur, Atiae Justin "AJ" Palata, Joseph Arlie "Joe" Adamson, Fred Richard Moore, Michael Rivera and Greg Carter! Your perseverance and desire for further light have merited you the honor of the highest degree in the Blue Lodge.

We had some presentations from the District Committee Chairmen with regard to the committees they represent. It gave the Craft enough time to learn more about what the committee is about and why it is important for us to support them.

I'd like to personally acknowledge the generosity of W. Rex Cain for giving the members of Bahia DeMolay and Lake/Sumter DeMolay the opportunity to see for themselves a live hockey game at the Amway Center. So in behalf of both Bahia and Lake/Sumter Chapters of the Order of DeMolay, Thank you W. Rex Cain!

For the first time in a very long time, our Lodge has brought home the Travelling Gavel. The Gavel was obtained by travelling to Orlando 69 on their meeting night. This achievement was reached through the efforts of W. Rex Cain, W. JR Soares, B. Roy Campbell, B. AJ, Palata, B. Joe Adamson, B. Ersan Songur, B. Gaston Texier, B. Michael Rivera, B. Freddy DeLarosa and yours truly. We will wait for the visitation of another lodge to take this away from us but until then, it will call Eola as its home.

For the next month, we are expecting have a Fellow Craft Degree. We also adopted a school within our vicinity, Ferncreek Elementary School. We had the opportunity to hear from their school administrator and found out that they are in need of non-perishable goods to support their food bank. Their food bank supports their students who are in need of assistance which we found out is about 90% of their entire student population. So the next time you visit Eola, we are accepting donations of canned goods and other non-perishable goods.

Thank you very much for your continued support for our Lodge and our charities.

Fraternally,
Kenneth Virata
Worshipful Master



CHARITY

We continue to support the Russell Home for Atypical Children located at 1480 E Michigan St. Orlando, FL 32806 and the Pre-K class at Pine Hills Elementary School. Remember Brothers that generosity like charity can be expressed or performed even during the non-holiday seasons. You are more than welcome to send donations to these institutions at the Lodge in cash, check or in kind.

For next month we will be adding Ferncreek Elementary School to our list of beneficiaries for charity. Their food bank is in need of donations of non-perishable food. The Lodge will be designating a place in the dining room as a drop of area.

In line with the food bank collection, our Brother Joe Adamson sponsors a toy drive every Friday the 13th of every year, but for this year he will start a toy and food drive for the benefit also of Ferncreek Elementary. Thank you Brother Joe for this charitable endeavor! We are more proud to have you as a Brother!

Our Christmas Angels for Pine Hills Elementary School is also about to start again. This year we will continue to sponsor two classrooms. Our presence and generosity towards these kids is something they anticipate every year. Watch out for further announcements on what toys to buy for the kids.

Thank you in advance for the support!

Eola Lodge acquired the Traveling Gavel in October 2013



Master Mason Degree at Eola Lodge in October 2013



NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Let's wish a happy birthday for our brothers:

- 01 Kenneth Sikes
- 02 Benjamin King
- 04 Julius Friis
- 05 Lloyd Farabee
- 06 Mark Mitchell
- 06 William Chamberlin II
- 07 George Bohman
- 07 Jeffery Tisdale
- 07 John Harney
- 08 Ralph Valido Sr
- 10 Adam Kobler
- 10 James McCuller
- 11 Melvin Bellwood
- 13 Fred Almand
- 14 Lawrence Meadows
- 15 James Carr
- 19 Tommy Hill Jr
- 20 Victor Janoska Jr
- 25 Charles Johnson
- 26 Marc Lavoie
- 27 Roy Campbell
- 28 John Cudd Jr
- 29 Allen Harvey
- 30 Grady Cooksey

QUOTABLE QUOTES

Blessed is the person who sees the need, recognizes the responsibility and actively becomes the answer.
William Arthur Ward

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LIVING PAST MASTERS

1967 Woody D. Hutton	1989 I. Vance Henderson	2002 Toby M. Lev	2009 Luis Nuñez
1970 John E. Cudd Jr.	1990, 2008 Martin D. Schwebel	2002 Melvin H. Roe (2)	2010 James A. Palow
1973 Paul B. Miller+	1991 Ronald R. Raymond	2002 Ralph M. Valido (1)	2011 Jody A. Fales
1975 W. Edward Cook	1992 Robert E. Burlison	2003 Michael T. Rudd	2012 Imre (Jim) Judovits
1976 John B. Fletcher Jr.+	1993 Joe E. Yates	2003, 2009 Leslie R. Williams (2)	2012 Leibnitz Soares (1)
1981 "Val" McLaughlin	1994 Mark S. Yates	2004 Harry G. Brumley III	2013 Leibnitz Soares Jr. (1)
1982 Ralph Lott	1995 Gerald H. Favor	2005 Robert Massey	
1983 Kenneth A. Sikes	1995 Wesley M. Jester (1)	2005 Mark D. Griffis (2)	+ District Deputy Grand Master
1984 Burton R. French	1996 Keith W. Albright+	2006 Herbert W. King III	(1) Composite Lodge
1984 John N. Dickinson (1)	1997 Richard I. Fox	2006 Mark W. Plosila (2)	(2) MM Lodge
1986 Clay H. Oehlert	1998 Phillip R. Fulmer	2007 Steven M. Jones	
1987 Richard A. Wilson	1999 Gary A. Johnson (1)	2007 Robert N. Simmons (2)	
1988 E. Leroy Browning	2000 Thomas S. Rice	2008 Thom H. Doran (2)	

2013 LODGE COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Finance: Roy Campbell	Masonic Programs: Jose David Lopez	Petitions & Lodge Property: Troy Eugene McQuagge
Sickness & Visitation: R. H. John B. Fletcher, Jr.	Lodge Mentors: Juan Sepulveda,	Attendance & Membership: Victor Adolfo Morales
Board of Relief & Charity: W. M. Kenneth Virata	W. JR Soares, W. Rex Cain	Fundraising: W. Jody Fales
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