

June 2017

Santa Maria Lodge #580 F&AM



Trestleboard

From the East

Greetings My Brothers! Welcome to June 2017! WOW! - the year is half over. I hope all of the Mothers enjoyed their special day. Please remember all our Dads this month.

First, let me congratulate this year's Hiram Award recipient Worshipful Bill Graham. Bill is a gentleman that I am proud to call Brother. When you see him, be sure to share your congratulations.

The Ramona Rodeo and parade was such a good time. Thank you to everyone who participated. Also, thanks to those who cleaned and prepared the float for the parade.

A special thank you to Heidi McKinney for her generous donation to the high school scholarships. It was my distinct pleasure to hand out two \$1000 scholarships to our high school.

Thank you to Worshipful Don Ruch for stepping in as Senior Warden. The line is strong and looks good for several years to come.

Congratulations to David Murray on his 3rd degree and to Guy Shidner on his 2nd degree. Both proficiencies went well.

We all enjoyed a successful stated meeting preceded by a great dinner. Dave Murray cooked a delicious gumbo with all of the sides. Tasty desserts were prepared by his lovely wife Catheren. Many thanks to Dave, Catheren, and everyone who helped coordinate the meal.

We will be practicing our degrees and ceremonies this month. We have just five more months to qualify for those new chairs.

We will be voting on changing our bylaws during the July Stated Meeting. We will be voting on changing the start time of our stated meeting for August. August is our dark month with no dinner.

Our potluck/hotrods dinner was awesome and always so much fun! Thank you everyone who brought sides. Thursday, June 29th will be our next potluck. The theme: PORK! Please come and join the fun, the community, and don't forget that comfy chair!

Fraternally,

Glen Jarvis
Worshipful Master

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Candidate Coaching Wednesday

To schedule practice, please contact:
Rex McCray, Head Candidates Coach
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Frat Boy Friday

Weekly meeting starts at 7:00 am

Dues & Contributions

2017 Dues are now past due.
Pay by cash, check or credit card.
Pay in person, by mail, or online.

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Address, Phone or Email Changes?

Submit updates to Secretary by phone, mail,
or email at info@santamaria580.org

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From the West

We are now into June and it is warming up so we can wear shorts and flipflops! May was a very busy month. We had a great dinner prepared by Brother David Murray and his wife Catheren. The gumbo was a special treat that was absolutely delicious!

Brother David Murray did a great job on his 3rd degree proficiency on the 11th. The 2nd degree for Guy Shidner on the 18th also went very well. It was wonderful seeing everyone there. We also had OSI, the Parade and Rodeo, and our Hotrods and BBQ.

If you know of a Brother or Honored Lady in distress, please contact me so we can help those in need.

From the Biggest Little Lodge in California,

Faternally,

R. Wayne Rhea, Past Master & Senior Warden

From the South

Hello Brethren and Ladies: This month marks the half-way point of the year. This is when we start to think about what we want to accomplish for next year. Personally, I would like to see even more Brothers attend and participate. That makes us even stronger as a Lodge.

I also would like to personally thank Sarah Swafford for creating the Certificates honoring our outstanding sixth graders this year. The Certificates were simply beautiful.

This month my wife Brenda and Vicki Ruch are going to cook Meatloaf for dinner which will include salad, green beans, roasted potatoes and dessert. I look forward to a large crowd for this one. Have a great month and be safe.

Respectfully,

Bob Weldon, Past Master & Junior Warden

Happy
Father's
Day

Happy Third Degree Anniversary

Brethren raised to Master Mason in June

Charles Taylor, Jr.	58 Years
Robert Anderson	47 Years
Frederick Pratt, Past Master	43 Years
Raymond Hartmayer	39 Years
Don Martin, Past Master	39 Years
Rex McCray	38 Years
Ronald Stanford	25 Years
Walter Scaff	19 Years
Kevin Bonner	16 Years
Wayne Rhea, Past Master	12 Years
Jacob Hinton	10 Years
Richard Rozendal	10 Years
Michael Reher	5 Years
Keith Cochenour	4 Years
Elvin Reamey, II	4 Years
Bryan Young	2 Years

Happy June Birthday!

Chris Christoff, Past Master	1st
Douglas Downes	2nd
James Rudeen, Past Master	4th
William Biggs, Past Master	7th
Kevin Seiff	7th
Peter Johnson	8th
George Kesler	8th
Peter Krickhuhn, Past Master	9th
Dennis Spelts, Past Master	10th
Ronald Hughes	11th
Kirk Delph	13th
Rex McCray	15th
James Freezell, Past Master	19th
Shannon McKeirnan, Jr.	20th
David Witt	21st
Van Lear Reeder, Jr.	23rd
Robert Anderson	30th
Mark Pounds	30th

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Interesting Masonic Facts

When Brothers Richard E. Byrd and Bernt Balchen first flew over the North and South Poles, they dropped a Masonic flag on each Pole. Then, in the 1933 expedition, Brother Balchen tossed his Shrine Fez on the North Pole.

In 1892 the world's tallest building @ 210 feet, was the Masonic Temple at Randolph and State Streets in Chicago with 14 floors and 1037 rooms.

In 1952, eighty-nine percent of the U.S. Supreme Court Justices were Freemasons.

The highest Masonic Lodge on earth is Roof of the World Lodge #1094, located in Oroya, Peru. Its elevation is 14,167 feet.

The highest Masonic Lodge in the United States is Corinthian Lodge #35 located in Leadville, Colorado. Its elevation is 10,152 feet.

The lowest Masonic Lodge in the United States is Winnedumah Lodge #287 of Bishop, CA. It occasionally hold meetings in Death Valley at 270 feet below sea level.

Edwin (Buzz) Aldrin, a member of Clear Lake Lodge #1417 in Texas, when he stepped onto the surface of the moon, carried a special deputation from his Grand Master to claim the moon as being in the territorial jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of Texas.

John Glenn a Mason, was the first American to orbit Earth in 1962.

Brother George Washington took his oath of office outside, on the balcony where the crowd could see and participate in the ceremony. In the center was a small table covered with crimson velvet upon which lay a bound Bible on a crimson velvet cushion. The Bible was opened to Chapter 49 and 50 of Genesis.

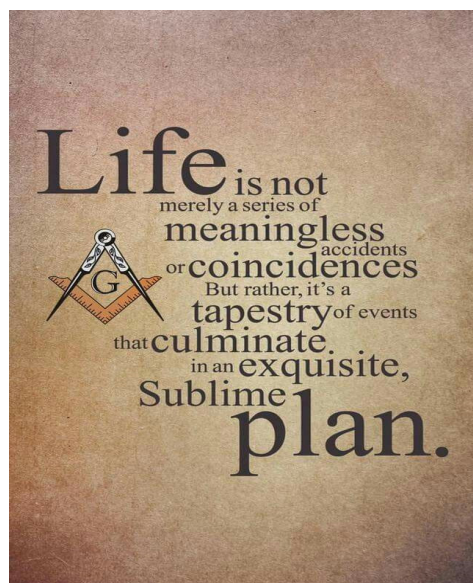
In Christchurch, New Zealand, there are two naturally-eroded stone pillars standing at the entrance to Tumbledown Bay. Looking from the land, the one on the left is named Boaz and the other on the right is named Jachin. Leads one to believe that the founders were indeed members of The Craft.

Lux in Tenebris Lodge #3856 in London is for blind Masons. The Latin words mean "Light in Darkness."

New Bern, the Colonial Capital of North Carolina, is said to be the smallest city in the USA in which one can obtain ALL the degrees of Freemasonry, Entered Apprentice through the Scottish Rite, York Rite, and the Shrine.

In 1920, Gate City Lodge #522 in Kansas City MO met every day of the week except Sunday to confer a record 1,107 degrees, averaging 21 degrees a week.

A Brother was initiated on August 23, 1879 by Lodge #239 in a balloon flying over Paris.



June 2017

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 6:30 Degree/Practice	2 7:00 Frat Boy Breakfast	3 Chimborazo Day
4 Hug Your Cat Day	5 6:30 Officers Mtg	6 Yo-Yo Day	7 6:30 Candidate Coaching	8 6:30 Degree/Practice	9 7:00 Frat Boy Breakfast	10 Knit in Public Day
11 Corn on the Cob Day	12 6:30 Dinner 7:30 Stated Mtg	13 International Axe Throwing Day	14 6:30 Candidate Coaching	15 6:30 Degree/Practice	16 7:00 Frat Boy Breakfast	17 Apple Strudel Day
18 FATHER'S DAY	19 6:00 OSI—Santa Maria	20 American Eagle Day	21 6:30 Candidate Coaching	22 6:30 Degree/Practice	23 7:00 Frat Boy Breakfast	24 Swim a Lap Day
25 Color TV Day	26 Canoe Day	27 Sunglasses Day	28 6:30 Candidate Coaching	29 Hot Rods & BBQ	30 7:00 Frat Boy Breakfast	



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