
Santa Maria Lodge #580 F&AM



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From the East

Greetings My Brothers! Welcome to October 2017! October is the time for ghosts, goblins, and the harvest moon. One of the things I love about Ramona is *Merchants Safe Trick or Treat* on Main Street. There aren't many towns in American with such a tradition that offers community, fun, and safety. Our Lodge participates every year, so please stop by and help hand out candy to the kids. It's always a great event that Brothers enjoy.

It is with great sadness that I convey the loss of our Brother Fred Dacy. Fred has dropped his working tools to join the great Architect of the Universe in the house not made with hands. Please keep his family in your thoughts and prayers.

We had a great turnout for worshipful Bill Graham's Hiram Award dinner. Worshipful Bob Weldon and his lovely wife Brenda did an awesome job with dinner. Thanks for everyone who turned out for this event.

Worshipful Peter Krickhuhn had a great idea at our past masters meeting. His idea is for Master Masons, Past Masters, and Front Line Signers to help raise our Entered Apprentices and Fellowcrafts to Master Masons. A new listing of Entered Apprentices and Fellowcrafts is next to the Tiler's Desk. If you know someone or wish to contact them to offer your help, please initial next to the name of that person. Let's get involved and engaged! Let's get them raised!

Our officers are nearly finished with their proficiencies for next year. Keep up the good work!

October's Stated Meeting is Monday, October 9th. And, it is a double-header treat! The Krickhuhn's will be cooking their famous Oktoberfest dinner to be followed by our Biannual Auction/Fundraiser! There is still time to think of donations of crafts, desserts, and other items of value (new or gently used). This is our most popular event. You are guaranteed to have a fabulous meal, have fun, and laugh while helping the Lodge.

Fraternally,

Glen Jarvis
Worshipful Master

October 2017

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Major Monthly Events

10/2 Officers' Meeting
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10/31 Merchant Safe Halloween

Candidate Coaching Wednesday

To schedule practice, please contact:
Rex McCray, Head Candidates Coach
760-788-4957 or h-mccray@cox.net

Frat Boy Friday

Friday meetings start at 7:00 am.

Dues & Contributions

Start budgeting for 2018 dues!
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 the Secretary by phone, mail, or email at info@santamaria580.org

Trestleboard Input

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Visit Facebook at Santa Maria #580!



From the West

October is here! October means shorter days, Halloween parties, kids in costumes, and hopefully cooler weather.

The Pillars of the Lodge will be attending Grand Lodge on the 13th-15th. Let them know where you stand on this year's resolutions before then.

The Officers are working on finishing their qualifications in preparation for the December 16th installation. I am working on the committee list for next year and will be asking for volunteers in the near future.

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—may God bless and keep you,

Fraternally,

R. Wayne Rhea, Past Master

From the South

Dear Brethren and Ladies:

It is so nice to be able to communicate with you each month. I try not to repeat what has been said and stay in a different direction regarding the happenings at our Lodge.

Connie and Peter Krickhuhn will be cooking the Oktoberfest dinner at our Stated Meeting. I can tell you from past experience that this is a very tasty meal and you will leave very satisfied. It is cooked in the German tradition and Connie's purple cabbage is excellent!

I will be attending Grand Lodge this month so if there is any Brother that has a concern about any of the propositions being brought before the Grand Lodge for a vote, please let me know so I can represent you. Have a great month and be safe!

Sincerely & Fraternaly,

Bob Weldon, Past Master



Happy Third Degree Anniversary

Brethren raised to Master Mason in October

George Boggs, Jr.	56 Years
Darrel Brown, Sr.	41 Years
Peter Krickhuhn, Past Master	39 Years
Charles Mabrey, Past Master	16 Years
Morgan McCarty, Sr.	7 Years
David Hovsepian	5 Years
Tony El-Assis	4 Years

Happy October Birthday!

Russell Buchman	4th
Morgan McCarty, Sr.	4th
Ronald Stanford	8th
Donald Fairchilds, Jr.	10th
Bobby Lyles	11th
Carl Muse	11th
John Ruble	11th
Reinhart Jaenisch	16th
Scott Brown	17th

Live in such a way that you would not be ashamed to sell your parrot to the town gossip.

—Will Rogers—

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2017 Fall Arts, Crafts & Dessert Auction Fundraiser October 9th

Please mark your calendar for the 2017 Fall Arts, Crafts & Dessert Auction Fundraiser! This anticipated event is scheduled for the October Stated Meeting Dinner. We welcome your donations of arts, crafts, and desserts (including sugar free). We also welcome new or gently used, quality items that others may enjoy.

The bidding gets heated and everyone has a blast. A past Inspector was impressed with our enthusiasm and generosity of our members and their wives.


Looking forward to seeing you there! Let's plan on another great event!

You Know You're a Freemason if...

1. Your neighbors think you are a fine dining waiter because they see you wearing a tuxedo so often.
2. You can keep a secret.
3. When stopped by a police officer you hand him your dues card instead of your license.
4. When you see an older building you scrutinize it for Masonic symbols and cornerstones.
5. You tailgate to see if a bumper sticker is Masonic.
6. When you open your desk top or dresser drawer you see your dues card collection.
7. If you see a man wearing jewelry, you look to see if it is a Masonic ring or pin.
8. The only home cooking you get is at the Lodge.
9. When you are in church you say So Mote it Be after a prayer while the rest of the congregation says Amen.
10. When driving through a parking lot you look for Masonic emblems and bumper stickers.
11. Your favorite chair at home faces east.
12. When you stop at a crosswalk and look both ways you knowingly step off as an Entered Apprentice.
13. You have a love hate relationship with canned green beans.
14. You Google people currently in the news to see if they are Freemasons.
15. When you knock on someone's door you expect them to knock back.
16. After coffee in the morning you look at your Masonic ring and say, compass points in or out today?
17. You think real men wear aprons.
18. You don't like to walk counter clockwise.
19. The words regular and irregular mean something else.
20. You love and hate Dan Brown.
21. You have a fondness for furniture made of acacia.
22. Your children have the names of Greek gods and goddesses.
23. Your grandmother is hundreds of years old.
24. You laugh every time you see goats.

October 2017

“Computer Learning Month”

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 International Coffee Day	2 6:30 Officers Meeting	3 Virus Appreciation Day	4 6:30 Candidate Coaching	5 6:30 Degree/Practice	6 7:00 Frat Boy Breakfast	7 Bathtub Day
8 World Octopus Day	9 6:30 Dinner 7:30 Stated Mtg	10 Shift10 Day	11 6:30 Candidate Coaching	12 6:30 Degree/Practice	13 7:00 Frat Boy Breakfast	14 Be Bald & Free Day
15 World Maths Day	16 OSI	17 Ada Lovelace Day	18 6:30 Candidate Coaching	19 6:30 Degree/Practice	20 7:00 Frat Boy Breakfast	21 Apple Day
22 Smart is Cool Day	23 TV Talk Show Host Day	24 United Nations Day	25 6:30 Candidate Coaching	26 6:30 Degree/Practice	27 7:00 Frat Boy Breakfast	28 Hug a Sheep Day
29 Internet Day	30 Checklist Day	31 HAPPY HALLOWEEN				



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