



## **Masters and Wardens Association** **The Thundering 17<sup>th</sup> Masonic District**

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**Meeting of** April 3, 2021

**Location:** Gateway Lodge No. 384

**Call to order by:** Our President at 9:00 a.m. with 25 members present.

Our President led the Brothers in paying tribute to the Flag of our Country. Prayer was offered up by our Chaplin.

### **Introductions:**

Grand Lodge Officers: 0

Past Presidents of M&W :2

State Chairmen: 1

Past District Instructors:1

Zone 5 Committeemen: 1

Past District Deputies: 1

17<sup>th</sup> District Committeemen: 3

Past Masters:8

Worshipful Masters 17<sup>th</sup> Dist.: 5

Shrine Officers: 1

Senior Wardens 17<sup>th</sup> Dist.: 4

Past Potentates: 0

Junior Wardens 17<sup>th</sup> Dist.:3

District Instructor: Present

Past Grand Masters: 0

District Deputy Grand Master: Present

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The Craft elected to accept the minutes as presented.

### **Bills Presented:**

-No bills presented.

### **Motion to pay Bills:**

-N/A



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**Correspondence:**

-No correspondence today.

**Fliers Distributed:**

- North Brevard Shrine Club plant sale.
- District 17 Masters and Wardens mini-golf tournament June 12<sup>th</sup> at Azan Shrine Center.

**Sickness and Distress:**

-Please see Lodge reports.

**Old Business:**

- Today we had elections for a 2- year Board Member and W:. Jim Hawkins was elected to serve as a Board Member of the 17<sup>th</sup> Masonic District.
- Our President reported on the progress of the golf tournament at the Azan Shrine. We have 9 putting holes but we need putters!
- Our District Travel \$1000.00 voucher raffle is going well as we have taken in \$860.00.

**New Business:**

-No new business this evening.

**Table of Installations- 2022**

<b><u>Lodge</u></b>	<b><u>Date</u></b>	<b><u>Time</u></b>
Indian River No. 90	Jan.8, 2022	2:00 p.m.
Brevard Lodge No.113	Dec.28, 2021	7:30 p.m.
Melbourne Lodge No.143	Dec. 28 ,2021	7:30 p.m.
Harbor City Lodge No.318	Jan. 8 , 2022	10:00 a.m.
Canaveral Lodge No.339	Jan. 8, 2022	10:00 a.m.
Merritt Island Lodge No.353	Jan.1, 2022	6:00 p.m.
Beach Lodge No. 354		
Gateway Lodge No.384	Jan. 8, 2022	1:00 p.m.
Palm Bay Lodge No.397		
Azan Shrine Center	Jan. 7, 2022	7:00 p.m.



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**District School of Instruction and Open Books:** First Wed. of the Month

**Location:** Harbor City Lodge No.318

**Time:** 6:00 P.M.

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**Good of the order:**

-None

**Lodge Announcements:**

**8 of 9 Lodges Represented Today.**

**Indian River No.90:**

7:30 PM – 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays

- Master Mason Degree in May TBD.
- April 11<sup>th</sup> Car Show Tyco Airport 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
- April 22<sup>nd</sup> Don Henry Valiant Air Command 7:00 p.m.
- Spaghetti Dinner last Wednesday of every month.
- January 8<sup>th</sup> Installation of 2022 Lodge Officers 2:00 p.m.

**Brevard Lodge No.113:**

7:30 PM – 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesdays

- Entered Apprentice Degree TBD
- April 6<sup>th</sup> D.D.G.M. Official Visit 7:30 p.m.
- April 18<sup>th</sup> Family Breakfast 8:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
- Our Junior Warden is undergoing Cancer treatment.

**Melbourne Lodge No.143:**

7:30 PM - 1st & 3rd Mondays

- April 24<sup>th</sup> Master Mason Degree.
- May 3<sup>rd</sup> Entered Apprentice Degree.
- Family Dinner second Monday of each month at Beef O'Brady's on Dairy Road. ( This month April 12)
- Brother Mike Robin had surgery.
- Brother Steve Chadwick has COPD.
- Sponsoring a golf hole at the District 17 Master's and Warden's Association on June 12<sup>th</sup> at the Azan Shrine Center.

**Harbor City No.318:**

7:30 PM – 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays

- No report presented today.



### **Canaveral Lodge No.339:**

7:30 PM – 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Mondays

- 2 Entered Apprentice Brothers Passed to Fellow Craft.
- April 26 Fellow Craft Proficiency 7:30 p.m.
- W.: Danny Cook had surgery.
- Brother Mark Swanberg is having back issues.
- Brother John Tweedy is undergoing chemo treatments.
- Brother Henry Forschino is having health issues.
- Building a mini golf hole for the District 17 Master's and Warden's Association Mini-Golf Tournament.
- Please check out our Lodge website and the new look to our Trestle board.

### **Merritt Island No.353:**

7:30 PM – 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays

- April 17<sup>th</sup> Master Mason Degree.
- May 19<sup>th</sup> Fellow Craft Degree.
- April 2<sup>nd</sup> at 6:00 p.m. Street Party at Village Idiot Pub to support the SPCA of Brevard..

### **Beach Lodge No.354:**

7:30 PM – 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesdays

- No Degrees in past 4 years.
- Brother England's wife Annie had both hips replaced.
- Brother Arthur Horn Passed on March 15, 2021.
- Possible services for Brother Horn on April 25<sup>th</sup>. Information to follow.

### **Gateway No.384:**

7:30 PM - 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Mondays

- June TBD Master Mason Degree for 10 Fellow Crafts.
- Bible and Apron presentation for 4 Master Mason's TBD.
- April 12<sup>th</sup> Stated Communication 7:30 p.m. inviting guests.
- Building a mini golf hole for the District 17 Master's and Warden's Association Mini-Golf Tournament.
- Brother Scott Sharp has been having heart issues and is healing.
- Brother Jim Hough's wife is in the care of Hospice.
- Spaghetti Dinners resume on April 6<sup>th</sup>.
- Yard sale TBD.

### **Palm Bay No.397:**

7:30 PM – 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays

- No report.

### **AZAN SHRINE CENTER:**

Stated Communication First Thursday of the Month at 7:00 p.m. (Dark July and August)

- April 1<sup>st</sup> Stated Meeting at 7:00 p.m. with dinner at 6:00 p.m.
- April 24<sup>th</sup> Azan Annual Fish Fry Noon- 3:30 \$12.00 per person. (not all you can eat)



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**President's Comments:**

- Thank you Gateway Lodge No. 384 for hosting our Association meeting this month and for serving a delicious breakfast.
- Please remember that the drawing for our District raffle will be held at Harbor City Lodge No. 318 Annual Table Lodge at the Azan Shrine Center on October 12, 2021.

**Vice Presidents Comments:**

- No closing comments.

**Treasurer's Comments:**

- No closing comments today.

**Secretary's Comments:**

- Thank you all for attending our Association meeting.

**District Instructor comments:**

- Open books this Wednesday at Harbor City Lodge No. 318 at 6:00 p.m.
- If any Lodge is planning on having any Degrees our District Instructor is here for you.

**DDGM Message:**

- Thank you all for attending today.
  - R.:W.: Christopher Durie presented Brother Jesus Rodriguez with his MLT Certificate.
  - Our D.D.G.M. is almost done with his second round of visits and thanks the Lodge's for the reception.
  - L.Y.P.M.G.C. 1<sup>st</sup> Quarterly reports are due by April 15, 2021.
  - M.E.R.1 report is due by May 1, 2021.
  - Lodges need to have their 990's filed by May 15, 2021.
  - Worshipful Master's and Secretaries will receive the Legislation package for our 192<sup>nd</sup> Annual Grand Communication.
  - Legislation meetings will be announced.
  - R.:W.: Christopher Durie announced our new D.D.G.M. Kevin Smithwick and our D.I. Jay Rodgers.
  - W.: Kevin Smithwick announced that our incoming Grand Master would like the D.D.G.M. Visits to be completed ASAP. W.: Smithwick will send out the schedule and Visitation report forms to the Lodge Secretaries and Worshipful Master's.
- If you plan on going Dark please inform W.: Smithwick A.S.A.P.

Next Meeting will be held on May 1, 2021 hosted by Merritt Island Lodge No. 3534 with Breakfast served at 8:00 a.m.

This Association meeting was Closed with Peace and Harmony prevailing at 9:42 a.m. with Benediction by our Chaplain.



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Respectfully Submitted,

Attest:

*John Paniccia*

*Mickey Goshen*

**R:.W.: John Paniccia  
Secretary Master's & Warden's 2021**

**W.:Mickey Goshen  
President Master's & Warden's 2021**