



Masters and Wardens Association ***The Thundering 17th Masonic District***



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Meeting of: June 1, 2019

Location: Indian River Lodge No. 90

Call to order by: Our President at 9:00 a.m. with 28 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 : 3

State Chairmen: 0

Past District Instructors: 1

Zone 5 Committeemen: 2

Past District Deputies: 4

17th District Committeemen: 4

Past Masters: 16

Worshipful Masters 17th Dist.: 5

Shrine Officers: 2

Senior Wardens 17th Dist.: 3

Past Potentates: 0

Junior Wardens 17th Dist.: 2

District Instructor: Present

Past Grand Masters: 0

District Deputy Grand Master: Present

The Craft elected to accept the minutes as presented.

Motion made and passed to accept Treasurers report subject to audit.

Total of all funds: \$4802.58

Bills Presented:

-None.

Motion to pay Bills:

-N/A

Correspondence:

-None.



Fliers Distributed:

- Azan Shrine Center Annual Barbeque on September 29, 2019 from 12:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.
- District 17 Master’s and Warden’s Association fundraiser at Beef O’ Brady’s on Lake Washington.

Sickness and Distress:

- M:W:.. John Karroum 2018 Grand Master had an episode during our Annual Grand Communication on Tuesday and Passed Away on Friday.
- Please see Lodge reports.

Old Business:

- Canaveral Lodge No. 339 contributed \$200.00 to the District 17 Master’s and Warden’s Association. Reminder that our Association is still accepting Lodge donations as well as personal donations! You can also add a Voluntary Contribution line to your Annual Dues for donations to Association.
- Our Annual Grand Communication is over, and we are all back.
- June 8th is our District fundraiser at Beef O’ Brady’s.
- Our Mini-Golf tournament is scheduled for August 3rd at Gator and Golf in Cocoa Beach.
- The Grand Master’s Official Visit is scheduled for September 13, 2019 at the Azan Shrine Center.
- R:W:.. Thomas P. T.J. DeLaine thanked everyone for their thoughts and prayers and will be moving to Jacksonville.

New Business:

- There are 2 York Rite Festivals scheduled for July and September.
- Our President will not be with us at our July 6th Master’s and Warden’s Association meeting at Gateway Lodge No. 384.

Table of Installations- 2020

<u>Lodge</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>
Indian River No. 90	1/4/2020	2:00 p.m.
Brevard Lodge No.113	12/27/2019	7:00 p.m.
Melbourne Lodge No.143	12/28/2019	6:00 p.m.
Harbor City Lodge No.318	1/11/2020	2:00 p.m.
Canaveral Lodge No.339	1/11/2020	10:00 a.m.
Merritt Island Lodge No.353	1/4/2020	6:00 p.m.
Beach Lodge No. 354	12/28/2019	10:00 a.m.
Gateway Lodge No.384	1/11/2020	11:00 a.m.
Palm Bay Lodge No.397		
Azan Shrine Center	1/3/2020	7:00 p.m.



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

Location: Harbor City Lodge No.318

Time: 6:00 P.M.

Good of the order:

-None.

Lodge Announcements:

9 of 9 Lodges Represented Today.

Indian River No.90:

7:30 PM – 2nd & 4th Thursdays

-2 working on their Entered Apprentice.

-June 9th Sunday Breakfast 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

-June 26th Spaghetti Dinner 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

-June 27th Open Meeting 6:30 p.m. dinner 7:30 p.m. meeting.

-Every Thursday morning Board of Relief 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Brevard Lodge No.113:

7:30 PM – 1st & 3rd Tuesdays

-June 22 Fellow Craft Degree for 4 Entered Apprentices at 9:00 a.m.

Melbourne Lodge No.143:

7:30 PM - 1st & 3rd Mondays

-June 13th Fellow Craft Degree.

-Dark second meeting in July through First meeting in September (total of 4 meetings)

Harbor City No.318:

7:30 PM – 2nd & 4th Tuesdays

-Fellow Craft Degree for 1 Entered Apprentice TBD.

-June 8th Fellow Craft Degree for 2 Entered Apprentices at 9:00 a.m.

-1 Fellow Craft working on his Proficiency.

-June 8th Masters and Wardens Fundraiser at Beef O' Brady's all day.



Canaveral Lodge No.339:

7:30 PM – 2nd & 4th Mondays

- Master Mason Degree for 3 Fellow Craft's on June 15th.
- June 27th Junior Warden Dinner 6:30 p.m.
- Donated \$200.00 to the District 17 Master's and Warden's Association.

Merritt Island No.353:

7:30 PM – 1st & 3rd Mondays

- June 6th Entered Apprentice Degree
- June 22nd St. John's Day Dinner at 6:30 p.m. PLEASE R.S.V.P.
- June 29th M.L.T. Workshop 9:00 a.m.

Beach Lodge No.354:

7:30 PM – 1st & 3rd Tuesdays

- Fellow Craft Degree TBD.
- June 17 Public Education and Citizenship District workshop at 6:00 p.m.

Gateway No.384:

7:30 PM - 2nd & 4th Mondays

- June 10th Master Mason Catechism.
- June 15th Widows Dinner 5:00 p.m.
- Master Mason Exam 1,2 &3 ongoing thru the year.
- June 14th Spaghetti Dinner.
- Widows Sons getting Poker Run set up.

Palm Bay No.397:

7:30 PM – 2nd & 4th Tuesdays

- June 15th Master Mason Degree for 1 Fellow Craft.
- Fellow Craft Degree for 3 Entered Apprentices TBD.
- February 2020 Trap shoot.
- November 16th Turkey Shoot 9:00 a.m. Guns and Ammo provided.

AZAN SHRINE CENTER:

Stated Communication First Thursday of the Month at 7:00 p.m.

- Azan Shrine Center will be Dark July and August but this is for STATED MEETINGS only! The Oasis Lounge will still be open!
- June 3rd Divan Meeting at 6:00 p.m. and Director's Staff meeting at 7:30 p.m.
- June 6th Azan Stated Meeting at 7:00 p.m. with dinner served at 6:00 p.m. Ladies welcome!
- Every Friday evening TGIF at the Oasis Lounge. Dinner served at 6:00 p.m. check Azan website for details and calendar of events.
- September 29th is the Azan Annual Barbeque 12:00 p.m.-3:30 p.m. \$10.00 per person! We will have plenty of raffles during the event.
- Fall Ceremonial is scheduled for October 18th and 19th. There are many Master Mason Degrees occurring the next few months let's get those petitions in their hands!

President's Comments:



- Our President thanked Indian River Lodge No. 90 for hosting our Association meeting and serving a delicious breakfast!
- Please support our June 8th fundraiser at Beef O' Brady's.
- Our President congratulated our new D.D.G.M R.:W.: Tom Kruse and our District Instructor R.H. Christopher Durie on their Appointments.

Vice Presidents Comments:

- “DITTO” (direct quote!)

Treasurer's Comments:

- Not present with us today.

Secretary's Comments:

- Reminder that is was approved by the Craft for a per capita increase.

District Instructor comments:

- R.H. Christopher Durie is looking forward to working with the District as the District Instructor for his second year.
- Congratulations to W.: Lou Fields for placing first in the State Lecture competition for the Entered Apprentice Lecture. R.H. Durie also presented W.: Fields with his Entered Apprentice Lecture Proficiency Card.
- There will be Competitions this year and we will receive more information at future Master's and Warden's Association meetings.
- Open Books are scheduled for June 26th 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. and July 17th 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. It is being looked at to possibly having a couple of Open Books on Saturday's to assist the Brothers who work late during the week.

DDGM Message:

- Our new District Deputy Grand Master addressed the Craft and announced the District Committeemen.
- Grand Master's coins both Silver and Bronze are available for purchase along with the Grand Master's ties.
- R.:W.: Kruse is looking forward to working with District.
- Our Grand Master would like to push the Masonic Leadership Training, Masonic Education and Membership Development.

Next Meeting will be held on July 6th at 9:00 a.m. hosted by Gateway Lodge No. 384 with Breakfast served at 8:00 a.m.

This Association meeting was Closed with Peace and Harmony prevailing at 9:49 a.m. with



Benediction by our Chaplain.

Respectfully Submitted,

Attest:

John Paniccia

Kevin D. Smithwick

**R.:W.: John Paniccia
Secretary Master's & Warden's 2019**

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President Master's & Warden's 2019**