



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

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Meeting date : October 3, 2020

Location : Brevard Lodge No. 113

Call to order by: Our President at 9:00 a.m. with 15 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 :1

State Chairmen: 1

Past District Instructors: 1

Zone 5 Committeemen: 1

Past District Deputies: 1

17th District Committeemen:2

Past Masters: 7

Worshipful Masters 17th Dist.: 2

Shrine Officers: 1

Senior Wardens 17th Dist.: 2

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 corrected.

Bills Presented:

-N/A

Motion to pay Bills:

-N/A



Correspondence:

-Nomination form for 2021 Treasurer Randy Klause.

Fliers Distributed:

-Fall Craft Fair.
-Grand Master's Tie.

Sickness and Distress:

(that will be covered in Lodge reports)

Old Business:

-Nominations for 2021 Masters and Wardens Association Officers and Board Members are due prior to the opening of our Association meeting on November 7th which will be held at Beach Lodge No. 354.
-October 27th at Harbor City Lodge No. 318's Stated Communication will be the District 17 \$1000.00 voucher drawing. We have a profit of \$850.00 as of today. Keep selling those tickets!

New Business:

-.Canaveral Lodge No. 339 presented our Association with \$100.00 for the Grand Masters Official Visit.

Table of Installations- 2020

<u>Lodge</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>
Indian River No. 90	1/02/2021	2:00 p.m.
Brevard Lodge No.113	12/28/2020	7:30 p.m.
Melbourne Lodge No.143	12/29/2020	6:00 P.M.
Harbor City Lodge No.318	1/02/2021	????????
Canaveral Lodge No.339	1/09/2021	10:00 a.m.
Merritt Island Lodge No.353	1/02/2021	6:00 p.m.



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Beach Lodge No. 354	12/29/2020	7:30 p.m.
Gateway Lodge No.384	1/02/2021	1:00 p.m.
Palm Bay Lodge No.397		
Azan Shrine Center	1/07/2021(?)	???????

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:

- W:., Mickey Goshen announced that he has the new Grand Masters ties as the original ones had “ issues” but are good to wear!
- On October 15th Canaveral O.E.S. will have a stated meeting.

Lodge Announcements: 7 of 9 Lodges Represented Today.

Indian River No.90:

- 7:30 PM – 2nd & 4th Thursdays
- 6 total Entered Apprentices.
- Car show moved to November 14.
- Every Tuesday 9:00 a.m. coffee hour.
- October 28th Spaghetti Dinner 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.
- W:.. Randy Klause having foot issues.

Brevard Lodge No.113:

- 7:30 PM – 1st & 3rd Tuesdays
- November 14th Master Mason Degree.
- October 16th at 6:00 p.m. Widows and Widowers Dinner.
- October 18th 8:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Family Breakfast.
- Installation December 26th.



Melbourne Lodge No.143:

7:30 PM - 1st & 3rd Mondays

- 1 Master Mason Brother studying his proficiency.
- 5 Entered Apprentice Brothers studying their proficiency.
- October 26th Entered Apprentice Degree at 7:00 p.m.
- W.: Joe Leitz is recovering from a stroke.
- Brother Alan Burmitz has Covid-19 and Pneumonia.

Harbor City No.318:

7:30 PM – 2nd & 4th Tuesdays

- Stated Communication 2nd and 4th Tuesdays at 7:30 p.m.

Canaveral Lodge No.339:

7:30 PM – 2nd & 4th Mondays

- Courtesy Entered Apprentice Degree at Gateway Lodge No. 384.
- Presented Masters and Wardens with 4100.00 for the Grand Masters Official Visit.

Merritt Island No.353:

7:30 PM – 1st & 3rd Mondays

- Re-opening October 5th with D.D.G.M. Official Visit.

Beach Lodge No.354:

7:30 PM – 1st & 3rd Tuesdays

- Not represented today.

Gateway No.384:

7:30 PM - 2nd & 4th Mondays

- 10 Brothers working on their Master Mason Catechism Proficiency on October 12, 2020.
- 5 Candidates awaiting the Entered Apprentice Degree on October 7th with 1 Courtesy.
- 7 Entered Apprentice Brothers working on Catechism.
- 4 Fellow Craft Brothers working on their proficiency.
- Yard sale today.

=October 10th Ladies dinner.

-November 7th Fall Craft Fair.

Palm Bay No.397:

7:30 PM – 2nd & 4th Tuesdays

- Not represented today.



AZAN SHRINE CENTER:

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

-Fall Ceremonial is Cancelled.

-Azan Car show November 14th 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

-Azan Annual Toy run with Harley Davidson on December 6th.

President's Comments:

-Our President thanked Brevard Lodge No. 113 for hosting our Association meeting.

-Thank you to all the Brothers who attended today.

Vice Presidents Comments:

-Not present with us today.

Treasurer's Comments:

-No Treasurer.

Secretary's Comments:

-Our Secretary has Azan Shrine Gun raffle tickets available at \$10.00 a ticket.

District Instructor comments:

-R.H. Jay Rodgers held a School of Instruction and the topic was Balloting and the floorwork associated.

-October 7th Open Books at Harbor City Lodge No. 318 starting at 6:00 p.m.

DDGM Message:

-Grand Master's Official Visit is this Friday October 9th at the Azan Shrine Center with registration at 5:30 p.m. and dinner and program start at 6:30 p.m. Olive Garden will cater and supply 2 servers at the buffet. The Cub Scouts will assist with clean up.

Please R.S.V.P. by September 25th as the cap for attendance is 170 and we are at 145.

-R.:W.: Christopher Durie thanked Canaveral Lodge for their hospitality on his Official Visit and will be visiting Merritt Island Lodge No. 353 and Beach Lodge No. 354 very shortly.

-Masonic Education (MER2) forms need to be filled out and returned by November 1st to the District Committeeman.

-R.:W.: Durie thanked the 27 Brothers who attended the MLT session held at Gateway Lodge No. 384. The next session will be held on October 31, 2020 at Melbourne Lodge



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No. 143 at 9:00 a.m. Sessions 11-15 will be covered.

-The State MLT system is getting caught up and our District Deputy Grand Master handed out Certificates today

Next Meeting will be held on November 7th hosted by Beach Lodge No. 354 at 9:00 a.m. with Breakfast served at 8:00 a.m.

This Association meeting was Closed with Peace and Harmony prevailing at 9:37 a.m. with Benediction by our Chaplain.

Respectfully Submitted,

Attest:

John Paniccia

Randy Klause

**R.:W.: John Paniccia
Secretary Master's & Warden's 2020**

**W.: Randy Klause
President Master's & Warden's 2020**