



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



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Meeting of: September 1, 2018

Location: Canaveral Lodge No. 339

Call to order by: Our President at 9:00 a.m. with 29 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 :5

State Chairmen:0

Past District Instructors: 2

Zone 5 Committeemen:3

Past District Deputies: 4

17th District Committeemen: 3

Past Masters: 15

Worshipful Masters 17th Dist.: 5

Shrine Officers: 2

Senior Wardens 17th Dist.: 3

Past Potentates: 0

Junior Wardens 17th Dist.:4

District Instructor: Not Present

Past Grand Masters: 1

District Deputy Grand Master: Present

The Craft elected to accept the minutes as presented before the Craft.

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

Total of all funds: \$2772.58

Bills Presented:

-None

Motion to pay Bills:

-None.

Correspondence:

-None.



Fliers Distributed:

- Harbor City Lodge No. 318 Annual Table Lodge. M:.W:.. John Karroum will be our Honored Guest.
- Lasagna Fundraiser for our S.G.W. R:.W:.. Tommy Turlington on December 1, 2018 hosted by Harbor City Lodge No. 318.

Sickness and Distress:

- Please see Lodge reports.

Old Business:

- Our Second Annual Mini Golf Tournament has brought in \$1123.00 to date.
- Year total of Lodge Contributions to our Master’s and Warden’s Association is \$700.00.
- W:.. Michael Ovens presented the idea of a virtual golf tournament. There was extensive discussion on the subject. W:.. Allan Gregg made a motion seconded by M:.W:.. Jorge L. George Aladro and approved by the Craft to go forward with the Virtual Golf Tournament dates to run October 1, 2018-November 1, 2018.
- R:.W:.. John Paniccia commented that Harbor City Lodge received their new Dues notices and it has an additional line for donations to our Master’s and Warden’s Association. It was commented that an amount had to be inserted otherwise Circumscribe would not be able to acknowledge it.
- There was discussion about the District Wardens conferring Degrees, but no one volunteered to head this up.
- Junior Grand Warden Homecoming September 29, 2018.
- Grand Master’s Homecoming November 3, 2018.

New Business:

- No new business presented before the Craft.

Table of Installations- 2019

<u>Lodge</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>
Indian River No. 90	Dec. 29, 2018	2:00 p.m.
Brevard Lodge No.113	Dec.27, 2018	7:00 p.m.
Melbourne Lodge No.143	Dec. 28, 2018	7:00 p.m.
Harbor City Lodge No.318	Jan. 11, 2019	6:30 p.m.
Canaveral Lodge No.339	Jan. 12, 2019	10:00 a.m.
Merritt Island Lodge No.353	Jan. 5, 2019	6:00 p.m.
Beach Lodge No. 354	Dec. 29, 2018	10:00 a.m.
Gateway Lodge No.384	Jan.12, 2019	2:00 p.m.
Palm Bay Lodge No.397	Jan. 5, 2019	2:00 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:

Lodge Announcements:

Indian River No.90:

7:30 PM – 2nd & 4th Thursdays

- Master Mason Degree on September 15, 2018.(no time reported)
- Every Tuesday 8:30 a.m. Board of Relief.
- September 26, 2018 5p.m.- 7p.m. Spaghetti Dinner.
- W:.. Daryl Debates clean bill of health.

Brevard Lodge No.113:

7:30 PM – 1st & 3rd Tuesdays

- W:.. Richard Prickett's wife is still holding her own on her battle with cancer. The Doctors want to try a new treatment and hopefully this will help.
- September 16, 2018 9 a.m. – 11 a.m. breakfast.
- September 26, 2018 7 a.m. Breakfast with Dad at Cambridge Elementary School.

Melbourne Lodge No.143:

7:30 PM - 1st & 3rd Mondays

- October 10, 2018 Master Mason Degree.
- 6 Brothers studying Master Mason Proficiency.
- 1 Brother Studying Entered Apprentice Proficiency.
- 3 Brothers studying Fellow Craft Degree.
- 3 Brothers scheduled for Fellow Craft Degree.
- Brother Stephon Rheus suffered a mild heart attack.
- September 29, 2018 3 p.m. – 6 p.m. Hiram Riders Meat Fest! \$12.00 per person.

Harbor City No.318:

7:30 PM – 2nd & 4th Tuesday

- September 11, 2018 D.D.G.M. Official Visit 7:30 p.m.
- September 19, 2018 Fellow Craft Degree.
- October 9, 2018 6 p.m. Annual Table Lodge M:W:> John Karroum M:w:.. Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Florida will be in attendance with the Grand Line. \$10.00 per person.



Canaveral Lodge No.339:

7:30 PM – 2nd & 4th Mondays

- Entered Apprentice Degree to be determined.
- September 13, 2018 Master Mason Exam. 6 to complete.
- September 20 & 27 Entered Apprentice Practice.
- Everyone is working on getting on circumscribe.
- Practicing for the D.D.G.M. Official Visit.

Merritt Island No.353:

7:30 PM – 1st & 3rd Monday

- September 14, 2018 Steak Night.
- September 21, 2018 Bowling Night.
- W.: Jimmy Hawkins has arthroscopic knee surgery.

Beach Lodge No.354:

7:30 PM – 1st & 3rd Tuesdays

- Presented 65 Year Masonic Service Award for Brother William Bill Payne Sr.

Gateway No.384:

7:30 PM - 2nd & 4th Mondays

- September 10, 2018 D.D.G.M. Official Visit.
- September 14, 2018 5 p.m. – 7 p.m. Spaghetti Dinner.
- September 24, 2018 Master Mason Proficiency.
- 4 Entered Apprentices studying Catechism.
- Brother Scott Sharp in Hospital with infected foot and has lost a toe.

Palm Bay No.397:

7:30 PM – 2nd & 4th Tuesdays

- September 11, 2018 Fellow Craft Degree.
- September 29, 2018 Child I.D. 9 a.m. – Noon.
- Senior Warden Jerry Luz is having complications from surgery.
- R.:W.: Tom Johnson is in Holmes Regional Medical Center with Heart Issues.

AZAN SHRINE CENTER:

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

- September 16, 2018 Noon – 4:00 p.m. Annual Azan Shrine Barbeque. Tickets are \$10.00 per person open to all!
- September 29, 2018 5K Fundraiser.
- Azan Gun Raffle \$10.00 a ticket.
- Fall Ceremonial October 12 & 13.

President's Comments:

- Our President thanked Canaveral Lodge No. 339 for hosting our Association meeting and for serving a delicious breakfast.

Vice Presidents Comments:

- Our Vice President was not present with us today.



Treasurer's Comments:

-No closing Comments from our Treasurer.

Secretary's Comments:

- Our Secretary thanked the District for their support of our Master's and Warden's Association.
- Our Secretary announced that he will not be here for our October meeting.
- Reminder nominations for Officers of our Master's and Wardens Association are due in November.

District Instructor comments:

-Our District Instructor was not present with us today.

DDGM Message:

- First Lady's Project Fundraiser a 7- night Cruise raffle.
- Bronze Grand Master's Coins are still available.
- Our District Deputy Grand Master visited Merritt Island Lodge No. 353, Brevard Lodge No. 113 and Indian River Lodge No.90 in the month of August and R:.W:. Hall thanked the Lodges for their warm reception.
- September visits scheduled are Gateway No. 384, Harbor City No. 318 and Palm Bay Lodge No. 397.
- Reminder that the District Deputy Grand Master Lodge Visitation check list is meant to assist the Lodges.

Next Meeting will be hosted by Merritt Island Lodge No. 353 on October 6,2018 at 9:00 a.m. with Breakfast served at 8:00 a.m.

This Association meeting was Closed with Peace and Harmony prevailing at 10:14 a.m. with Benediction by our Chaplain.

Respectfully Submitted,

Attest:

John Paniccia

James Demenkow

**R:.W:. John Paniccia
Secretary Master's & Warden's 2018**

**R:.W:. James Demenkow
President Master's & Warden's 2018**