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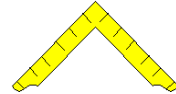
Carlos Reyes

Tiler

Gary Rock Jr.,
PM, DDGM

Greetings from the East

Brethren,



August has flown by and we're into September. We've Started September at break neck speed. Our first Concession Stand was extremely busy and we followed that up the next day with a Blood Drive at the Allen Event Center.

I'd like to thank each of you for your hard work supporting the events and extend a special thanks to the wives that helped us. We worked very hard and hopefully our return on the concessions sales will be a larger than normal amount.

Masonic Education

This month's lodge document will be the Vanguard Submission. It will be placed on the Library table for your viewing. If you have never seen our Vanguard Submission, take a look at it. Although this document is not required by the Grand Lodge of Texas, it serves as a way to honor those active Lodges working hard in their communities. Each year a brother compiles this document for our Lodge and we submit it to the DDGM no later than August 15th. It's a lot of work and I think you'll be impressed.

This Month's Masonic Law Reading will also cover the Vanguard Award.

September Stated Meeting

In addition to our normal agenda I would like to cover two items I feel are important to our Lodge and our fellow Texans.

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Greetings from the East (Continued)

First I would like to discuss what, if any, contribution Allen Lodge wishes to make to aide those effected by Hurricane Harvey. I plan on opening the item for floor discussion during the meeting. If you have an idea please step forward and offer it. I have already received suggestions to make a monetary contribution to a relief agency selected by the Brethren and a suggestion to "Adopt a Lodge" that was damaged by the Hurricane or subsequent flooding.

The Second item is to bring a recommendation to the Brethren that we pay-off the Mortgage on our Lodge Building. A Presentation will be given to the Lodge covering the financial aspect of this action such as funds on-hand and funds remaining after a final payment should the Lodge elect for a complete payment of the note. We will then hold the item over for a vote in our October Stated Meeting.

Family Night

We're finally going to try a family night. No Tiled Meeting, just family and friends getting to gather at the lodge for food, games and movies for the kids. Our Chaplin, Brother Eric Stewart and I will schedule this for a Friday or Saturday night. We've had to hold off on selecting a date until the Concession Stand dates were set and the Scottish Rite Fall Reunion Schedule was published. Those things being done we hope to have some fun just being friends vice meeting to work some activity. I always love to see children in the Lodge, they make it fun evening.

In Closing I would like to again say thank you for the hard work you do and your dedication to Allen Lodge. I know it's not the most fun thing to get off work and then work a Concession Stand or Blood Drive but Allen Lodge is known and respected in our community because of that hard work!

God Bless,
Scott G. Hill



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Snippet from September 14, 1976 Stated Meeting Minutes

Stated Meeting of Allen Lodge #1435 A.F. & A.M. held at Allen, Texas on Tuesday, the 14th day of September A.D. 1976 A.L. 5976.

Officers present:

Joe D. Dungan.....W.M.	Gene Dalsing.....Chap.
Jack B. Hall.....S.W.	Lynn Pridgen.....S.D.
C. Rack Sanders.....J.W.	E. T. Beem.....J.D.
Joe L. Perks.....Secy.	Pete Yurgensen.....S.S.
Steve Allen.....Treas.	Dayle Burnside.....Tiler

Attendance at this meeting was 15, one (1) of which was a visitor: Brother W. O. Slaughter, Progress #932.

The Master Masons Lodge was duly opened at 7:30 o'clock P.M.

The minutes of the Stated Meeting held on Aug. 10th and the called meetings held on Aug. 24th and Sept. 7th were read and approved.

The following petitions for the degrees in Masonry were received on Mr. Estey William Hinkle and Mr. Michael Ray Reaves and referred to the following committee respectively: Bro. Harold Biggs, Bro. Gene Dalsing, Bro. Steve Allen, and Bro. Roger Adams, Bro. J. D. Dungan, Bro. Kermit Sallow.

The following petitions for affiliation were received on Bro. Bill D. LaGreus and Bro. William C. Slaughter and referred to the following committee respectively: Bro. James R. Dungan, Bro. Neman Pharr, Bro. George Hamilton and Bro. William Kirk III, Bro. Ashley Langley, Bro. Lynn Pridgen.

The unfinished business, new business, motions, resolutions, etc. are as follows:

A discussion about Grand Lodge which is to be held on December 1st and 2nd this year.

The following claims and accounts were allowed and ordered paid:

Allen American	\$ 7.50
T P & L	19.58
Gulf Ins.	95.09
Allen Water	9.50
P & M (Window shades)	20.00
Balance in General Fund	545.52
Balance in Bldg. Fund	56.08

Nothing further appearing before a Master Masons Lodge, it was duly closed at 8:30 o'clock P.M.


Secretary


Worshipful Master



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September Actual Birthdays

Robert Howard	09/01
Jeff Warrick	09/02
Rudy Hernandez	09/03
Steve Terrell	09/10
Douglas Kale	09/11
Gregory Steiner	09/14
Carson Doss	09/15
Paul Thompson	09/17
Billy Aylor	09/19
Allen Barr	09/19
Scott Taylor	09/19
Doug Harper	09/21
Bob Black	09/24
Mark Bennett	09/26
Tony Story	09/28
Tom Cheek	09/29
Glenn Hodge II	09/30

September Masonic Birthdays

Josh Livingston	09/06
Bob Waters (PGM)	09/07
Billy Davidson	09/11
Raul Carvajal	09/15
Ben Oakley	09/15
Mike Polocek	09/19
Bryan Calapati	09/22
Jofre Mendez	09/22
Jimmy Stovall	09/22
Mark Beaty	09/25
Fredrick Kidney	09/25
Donald Wilson	09/25
Gordon Carline	09/27
Toby Roberson	09/29
Doug Harper	09/30

Upcoming Events:

Allen Eagle Concession Stand "B" Fund Raiser—Need 30

Friday September 1, 2017

Starts at 5:00 PM until 10:25 PM

Allen vs Cedar Hill



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Upcoming Events: (Continued)

“Gift of Life” Blood Drive

Saturday September 2, 2017
9:00 AM through 5:00 PM
Allen Events Center

Two EA Exams & Fellowcraft Degrees!

Tuesday September 5, 2017
Exams start at 5:30 PM
Dinner at 6:30 PM & Degrees after dinner

“Knife & Fork Degree Team” Meeting

Wednesday September 6, 2017
Starts at 11:30 AM
Meet for fun & friendship, then go out to eat

Allen Eagle Concession Stand “A” Fund Raiser—Need 30

Friday September 8, 2017
Starts at 5:00 PM until 10:25 PM
Allen vs Evangel Christian

September Stated Meeting & Fellowcraft Exam

Tuesday September 12, 2017
Dinner at 6:30 PM, Meeting at 7:30 PM

Master Mason Degree!

Tuesday September 19, 2017
Dinner at 6:30 PM & Degree after dinner

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