



**BYKOTA LODGE No. 333 F.&A.M.**  
c/o Lodge Secretary  
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**BYKOTA Lodge No. 333 F. & A.M.**  
EPHESIANS CHAPTER 4 VERSE 32 "AND BE YE KIND ONE TO ANOTHER..."  
421 JENNINGS AVENUE • GREENACRES, FLORIDA 33463  
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[www.bykotalodge.com](http://www.bykotalodge.com)

Chartered April 21, AD1960 AL5960  
**Stated Communication:**  
**2<sup>ND</sup> & 4<sup>TH</sup> Mondays**  
Dinner 6:30 P.M. | Meeting 7:30 P.M.

**FLAG PRESENTATION OPEN TO PUBLIC  
MASONIC EDUCATION**  
Presented by: **W.: Wayne Thibeault** at  
our October Stated Communication.



**OCTOBER 2017**  
SETTING THE CRAFT TO WORK

**Sunday, October 8**  
BYKOTA FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST  
421 JENNINGS AVENUE • GREENACRES, FL 33463

**Monday, October 9**  
**PAST MASTERS DINNER**  
Stated Communication, Dinner  
421 JENNINGS AVENUE • GREENACRES, FL 33463

**Monday, October 16**  
Officers Meeting: BYKOTA Lodge No.333 starting at 6:30 P.M.  
7:00 PM to 9:20 PM TEXAS HOLD'EM CHARITY CARD NIGHT  
421 JENNINGS AVENUE • GREENACRES, FL 33463

**Monday, October 23**  
Stated Communication, Dinner at 6:30 P.M. and Meeting at 7:30 P.M.  
421 JENNINGS AVENUE • GREENACRES, FL 33463  
BIRTHDAY CAKE AFTER THE MEETING

**WIDOWS SONS BYKOTA CHAPTER**  
Scott Frum, President 561-252-9546  
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Stated Meetings: 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of Each Quarter

  
**BYKOTA Trestleboard**  
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## Message from the East

Greetings Brethren,

It is my sincerest hope that impacts of Hurricane Irma did not touch any of you. If it indeed did, remember you brothers are here for you. As for our lodge itself, it suffered little damage from the storm except for a few exterior lights.

Due to the timing of Irma, our Past Masters dinner is now on October 9<sup>th</sup>. There will also be a special presentation from Brother Mike Gauger, Chief Deputy PBSO and we will award several service awards that night. All are invited including families and friends.

The Grand Master's official visit to our district will be on October 14<sup>th</sup> at the Amara Shrine. This is a great opportunity to reconnect with not only the brothers in your lodge but, many others from around our district. Please make every effort to attend.

As an reminder, Bykota will have our breakfast on the second Sunday and charity card night on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday. Hope to see you all there.

Fraternally,

William Comer, W:.M.: 2017

### Message from the Secretary

Greetings Brothers,

Please open your wallets and see what year your membership card says. In order to be current for 2017, you will have needed to pay your dues by Dec 27, 2017. Make sure your card says 2017. If you have any questions, please call me at: [561-294-2981](tel:561-294-2981), or email me at: [wmbykota2013@outlook.com](mailto:wmbykota2013@outlook.com). Also Every Brother needs to go to the Grand Lodge of Florida web page to register in "Circumscribe." For specific instructions email me and I will send you the instructions to register yourself. If you are not computer savvy give me a call I will help you out. We would like to update everyone's email address to keep you better informed on what is happening in our Lodge and the GL of Florida.

Fraternally,  
Wayne M. Thibeault, PM Secretary

## 2017 LODGE OFFICERS

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## 2017 LODGE COMMITTEES

### **FINANCE COMMITTEE**

Chairman: Beau Cisco SW  
Matthew Johnson, JW  
Wayne Thibeault, PM, Secretary  
Ken Gray, PM  
Allan Mason, PM, Treasurer

### **VIGILANCE COMMITTEE**

Chairman: Matthew Johnson, JW  
David Zemola, Chaplain  
Beau Cisco, SW  
Ken Reese, PM

### **PETITIONS COMMITTEE**

Chairman: Allan Mason, PM Tres.  
David Devor, JD  
Joe Harvey, SD

### **MASONIC EDUCATION COMMITTEE**

Chairman: Matthew Johnson, JW  
John McIntosh, PM, Marshal  
Walter Arnet

### **BOARD OF RELIEF**

Chairman: Beau Cisco, SW  
Matthew Johnson, JW  
David Zemola, Chaplain

### **CHARITY COMMITTEE**

Chairman: Dave Zemola, Chaplain  
Allan Mason, PM, Treasurer  
Ken Gray, PM

### **LODGE PROPERTY COMMITTEE**

Chairman: Beau Cisco, SW  
Dave Devor, JD  
Joe Harvey, SD

### **LODGE INSTRUCTORS**

Chairman: Wayne Thibeault, PM, Sec.  
Allan Mason, PM, Tres.  
Scott Frum  
Bobby Sterns, PDDGM

### **MEALS AND DINING ROOM**

Matthew Johnson, JW  
John McIntosh, PM, Marshal  
Mike Wheelles, HPM

### **SICKNESS AND VISITATIONS**

David Zemola, Chaplain  
Matthew Johnson, JW  
David Devor, JD

### **Outreach/Website Committee**

Chairman: Joe Harvey, SD  
Allan Mason, PM, Treasurer  
David Devor JD

## Message from the West

Brothers,

We are closing in on the end of 2017 and will need to start looking forward to a new year. If you are looking being more involved with the lodge next year now is the time to let your officers know!

The holiday season is also approaching and this is a joyous time but also a sad time for those who may not have family close. Reach out to brothers in the area please let me know if anybody needs assistance over this holiday season.

As always, keep fellowship alive!

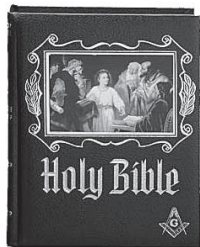
Fraternally,

Beau Cisco, Senior Warden 2017

### October's Masonic Birthdays

Djurre Walter Arnett	James Blackwood	Lee Brian
Travis Cardinal	James Davis	William Dunkelmann
Aquinas Evans	Mark Foster	Gerald Fowler
Arthur Harrell	Raymond Hart	Michael Harvey
Kenneth Hayes	Jeffery Iovino	Jonathan Iovino
Nicholas Iovino	John Irvine	Stephen Levisne
Gary Kahn	Robert Keller	Harold Ketola
George Lucier	Wayne Miller	Ryan Murphy
Thomas Pledger Jr	Ronald Scalise	James Schaffner
Eric Seigel	James Stapleton	Ronald Stenglein
Guy Watson	Robert Wise	

### **MASONIC FAMILY EDITION**



Order your 9 X 11.75 X 2.25 Masonic Bible as the official Bible of BYKOTA Lodge. Price is \$25.95 and Includes the Lodge name gold stamped on the cover. See the Secretary.

### **PIKE TAXES**

**PREPARATION OF INCOME TAXES  
AND REPRESENTATION**

**Capt. Bill Pike, EA**

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## Message from the South

My Brothers,

I hope that each of us emerged from Hurricane Irma safely and incident-free (and perhaps a little wiser for good measure); although times like this can be very stressful, they can also bring out the best in us.

We know what the lines looked like at stores before Irma arrived, and many of us experienced an inability to get gas at one point as well (either before or after the storm). The day before the storm made landfall when most gas stations were out of fuel, I saw something that renewed my faith in my fellow man.

With pumps shut down and tanks critically low, I saw a local convenience store owner actually turn a pump on for someone when the customer explained how his wife has serious health problems, and how important it was that he get a few gallons so they could travel to what they felt would be a safer place.

That simple act reminded me of what it means to be an upright man - I have known that store owner for years and consider him to be a close friend; he isn't a Mason, but he embodied many of the core values that we hold close to our hearts that day when he helped someone in need simply because it was "the right thing to do."

Fraternally,

Matthew Johnson, Junior Warden 2017

### **AWAITING DEGREES AND INVESTIGATIONS**

DEGREE DATE: TBA ENTERED APPRENTICE	DEGREE DATE: TBA FELLOW CRAFT	DEGREE DATE: TBA MASTER MASON
	DAVID COLLADO JOHN BIAGIOTTI	
<b>HONORARY MEMBER</b>		<b>INVESTIGATIONS</b>
M.:W.: RICK HOVER M.:W.: STAN HUDSON		LARKIE L. SNOW

### **Charity of the Quarter PALM BEACH SHERIFFS OFFICE CHARITY SELECTED CHARITY**



### **Dress Code for all Lodge Communications**

Brethren are **encouraged** to wear slacks and dress shirt; Officers are required to wear provided Lodge shirts; and Tuxedo's with white jacket when specified by the Worshipful Master.

# OCTOBER 2017

## EVENT CALENDAR

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>1</b> GARDEN #336 BREAKFAST 8:00 - 11:00 AM 9464 ROAN LA PALM BEACH GARDENS 33403	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> GARDEN #336 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM MEETING	<b>4</b> GULF STREAM #245 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM STATED COM	<b>5</b> BOCA-DELRAY #171 AND PALMWOOD #303 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM STATED COM	<b>9</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>8</b> BYKOTA #333 FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST 8:00 AM TO 11:00 AM	<b>9</b> BYKOTA #333 PAST MASTERS DINNER 6:00 PM DIN- NER MEETING 7:30 PM	<b>10</b> JUPITER LIGHT #340 AND LANTANA #372 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM STATED COM	<b>11</b> MASTER MASON ASSOCIATION MEETING 7:30 PM AT THE SCOTTISH RITE	<b>12</b> BOYNYON #236 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM STATED COM	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> GRAND MASTERS VISIT AMARA SHRINE REG:5pm DINNER 6:PM MEET 730PM
<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> BYKOTA #333 OFFICERS MEETING 6:30 PM TEXAS HOLD'EM CHARITY CARD NIGHT 7:00 PM	<b>17</b> GARDEN #336 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM STATED COM	<b>18</b> GULF STREAM #245 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM STATED COM	<b>19</b> BOCA-DELRAY #171 AND PALMWOOD #303 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM STATED COM	<b>20</b> SEM-I-NO GROTTO WPB MEETING AT BYKOTA LODGE 7:30 PM MEETING	<b>21</b> OPEN BOOKS DISTRICT SCHOOL AT HARMONIA LODGE. 9:00AM TO NOON
<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> BYKOTA #333 STATED COMMU- NICATION HARMONIA #138 STATED COMMUNICATION 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM	<b>24</b> JUPITER LIGHT #340 AND LANTANA #372 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM STATED COM	<b>25</b> SCOTTISH RITE MEETING 7:30 PM SCOTTISH RITE CENTER • LAKE WORTH, FL	<b>26</b> BOYNTON #236 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM STATED COM	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>29</b> GULF STREAM BREAKFAST AT THE SCOTTISH RITE 8:00 AM TO 11:00 AM	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>				

## BYKOTA LODGE Past Masters

\*Deceased | +Unity Lodge | \*\*Honorary | ++BYKOTA-Unity

### BYKOTA Lodge

1960 John Luke\*  
1961 Garth W. Staley\*  
1962 Robert E. Conklin\*  
1963 Ernest A. Hurley\*  
1964 Rex R. Stoddard\*  
1965 Clifford Del Santos\*  
1965 William A. Horejs\*\* \*  
1966 Richard H. Cate\*  
1967 Ted Goddard\*  
1967 Kenneth C. Bachtel\*\* \*  
1967 Dean W. Christian\*  
1968 Raymond F. Kindred\*  
1969 Joseph E. Miller\*  
1970 Roy E. Church  
1971 Homer D. Doyle\*  
1972 William B. Hawkins\*  
1972 N.W. Sutton, Sr. \*\* \*  
1973 Dean W. Christian\*  
1973 William L. Hopper\*\* \*  
1974 Frank Balash\*  
1975 Wilbur J. Smith\*  
1976 Ronald J. Schmitt  
1977 Joseph Spinazzola  
1978 N.W. Sutton, Sr.\*  
1979 Richard C. Moran\*  
1980 Walter F. Brown, Jr.  
1981 Walter F. Brown, Sr.\*  
1982 Jack B. Gardner  
1983 John C. Gee  
1984 James S. Cole  
1985 John W. Peak  
1986 N.W. Sutton, Sr.\*  
1986 George A Perkins\*\*  
1986 Frank Balash\*  
1987 John T. Irvine  
1988 Billy M. Taylor\*  
1989 W. Vonn Edwards  
1990 Frank K. West, Jr.\*  
1991 J. Steven Reynolds\*  
1992 Michael C. Shearer  
1993 Jerome T. Gill  
1994 J. Doug English  
1995 James Weitkamp  
1995 Dick Adams\*\* \*  
1996 Raymond I. Mosley\*  
1997 Ed Handy  
1997 James Keller\*\*  
1998 Leonard Volpe\*

1999 Wayne Sinot\*  
2000 Wayne Miller  
2001 Raymond Hart  
2001 Henry Johnson\*\* \*  
2002 Michael Cribbet+  
2003 Dean Heasley++  
2004 Robert Schooley++  
2005 David McGrew++  
2005 Mike Wheelles\*\*  
2006 Patrick Paynter++  
2007 Patrick Reardon++\*  
2008 Ed Handy  
2009 John McIntosh  
2010 Ken Reese  
2011 Daniel Larsson  
2012 Evan Richtman  
2013 Wayne M. Thibeault  
2014 Wayne M. Thibeault  
2015 Kenneth W. Gray  
2015 Gerry Moore, HPM  
2016 Allan D. Mason



### Wellington Lodge

1985 Moe Evans  
1986 Moe Evans  
1987 George D. Kinard  
1988 Ralph L. Leighton\*  
1989 Robert G. Stearns  
1990 Richard M. Gray  
1991 William Hess\*  
1992 Walter C. Johnson  
1993 Robt. Flachosky\*  
1993 Sam Schooley\*\* \*  
1994 Charles F. Alderson  
1995 Stephen E. Henwood\*  
1996 John A. Angevine  
1997 Timothy Church\*  
1998 Shawn P. Hinman  
1999 Gary G. Robeson  
2000 Scott F. Thompson

## TRESTLEBOARD BOOSTERS

JOHN MCINTOSH, PM  
WAYNE THIBEAULT, PM  
KEN GRAY, PM  
ALLAN MASON, PM  
W.:M.: BILL COMER  
SCOTT CARNEGIE, PM  
SCOTT FRUM  
MIKE BECK, PM  
PATRICK PAYNTER, PM  
MIKE WHEELLES, HPM  
GERRY MOORE, HPM  
JOE HARVEY  
MATTHEW JOHNSON  
CHARLES MATTHEWS  
BRUCE D. LEFFLER  
CHARLES MATTHEWS

## TEXAS HOLD'EM



## CHARITY CARD NIGHT EVERY 3rd Monday at BYKOTA Lodge

7:00 PM START TO 9:20 PM  
ENTRIES PLAY FOR THEIR  
FAVORITE CHARITY