



**BYKOTA LODGE No. 333 F.&A.M.**  
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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

W.:M.: Beau Cisco • 561-718-9452

[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: **Matthew Johnson, SW** on  
our July Stated Communication.

### JULY 2018

SETTING THE CRAFT TO WORK

**Sunday, July 8**

**FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST AT BYKOTA LODGE 8:00 AM TO 11:00 AM**  
GOOD FOOD AND FINE FELLOWSHIP

**Monday, July 9**

**Stated Communication, Dinner at 6:30 P.M. and Meeting at 7:30 P.M.**  
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**Monday, July 16**

**Officers Meeting 7:00 P.M. at BYKOTA Lodge**  
**FOLLOWED BY CHARITY CARD NIGHT**

**Saturday, July 21**

**Open Books from 9:00 A.M. TO 12:00 P.M. at Harmonia Lodge**  
1896 PALM BEACH BLVD. #200 • WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33409

**Monday, July 23**

**Open Communication, Dinner at 6:30 P.M. Meeting at 7:30 P.M.**  
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### WIDOWS SONS BYKOTA CHAPTER

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Stated Meetings: 2<sup>ND</sup> Monday of Each Quarter



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# Message from the East

Greetings from the East,

I would first of all like to thank each and everyone of you for making the first half of this year go as smoothly as it possibly could've gone. I did not feel that it would be an easy job, but I have been surrounded by great officers and brothers that helped me every step of the way.

The Bykota Cigar Night Was a success and I would like to thank Alcarnes Cigars for helping us make it a great night! We also had nine people join us for the concealed weapon's permit class. I would like to thank Brother Mario Lamarca from the Palm Beach Shooting Organization for making this possible and generous donation to the lodge.

We will be hosting a Fellowcraft degree within the next few months and I invite anyone who would like to be involved in the degree to let one of the officers know. I more especially extend this invitation to those who have not been to lodge for a while. If you have never been involved in a degree, it is a great way to see how things work behind the scenes and the work that goes into putting on a degree. Hopefully, we will be ready to do this by the end of August.

I will conclude this message by saying that this lodge belongs to you, I am merely here to keep the doors open and the lights on. I will do everything I can to make this place feel like home for each and everyone of you. I know we all have our reasons for coming or not coming to lodge each month. The officers that have been elected and appointed this year will never judge anyone for not showing up. We will faithfully and dutifully keep the doors open and the lights on until you're ready to come back and join us.

Keep fellowship alive.

Fraternally,

Beau Cisco, Worshipful Master 2018

## 2018 LODGE OFFICERS

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### **JUNIOR STEWARD**

TBA

### **MARSHAL**

TBA

### **TYLER**

ALL AROUND SWELL GUY  
561-722-4022



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R.:H.: George Winterling  
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## 2018 LODGE COMMITTEES

### **FINANCE COMMITTEE**

Chairman: Matthew Johnson, SW  
Wayne Thibeault, PM, Secretary  
Allan Mason, PM, Treasurer

### **VIGILANCE COMMITTEE**

Chairman: Joe Harvey, JW  
Bill Comer, JPM Chaplin  
Ken Gray, PM

### **PETITIONS COMMITTEE**

Chairman: Wayne Thibeault, PM Sec.  
Brian Brown, SD  
Joe Harvey, JW

### **MASONIC EDUCATION COMMITTEE**

Chairman: Joe Harvey, JW  
Wayne Thibeault, PM, Sec.  
Bill Comer, JPM Chaplin

### **BOARD OF RELIEF**

Chairman: Matthew Johnson, SW  
Bill Comer, JPM Chaplin  
Brian Brown, SD

### **CHARITY COMMITTEE**

Chairman: Bill Comer, JPM Chaplain  
John McIntosh, PM, JD  
Matthew Johnson, SW

### **LODGE PROPERTY COMMITTEE**

Chairman: Matthew Johnson, SW  
Ken Gray, PM  
Wayne Thibeault, PM Sec.

### **LODGE INSTRUCTORS**

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

### **MEALS AND DINING ROOM**

Joe Harvey, JW  
Brian Brown, SD  
Mike Wheelles, HPM

### **SICKNESS AND VISITATIONS**

Bill Comer, JPM, Chaplain  
Joe Harvey, JW  
Brian Brown, SD

### **Outreach/Website Committee**

Chairman: Joe Harvey, JW  
Allan Mason, PM, Treasurer  
Brian Brown SD

## Message from the South

Greetings Brothers,

We are half way through the year already and boy what a year it has been! We have had visitors from all over the district come and fraternize with us at Bykota, and our officers have done quite a bit of traveling ourselves. We just had our visit from our new DDGM Mike Gambarotti of Boynton Lodge No. 236 and we had a great turnout. I would like to thank all who attended and made the night so memorable.

With the new Florida Grand Master M.:W.: John Karrum, Grand Master, being a member of our District it is important that we do our part to support him this year in all of his endeavors. His official visit is going to be in November and we are asking for some volunteers to help out in setting up and taking down. You can see me for more information.

The Charity Card night is going strong with 14 different players contributing thus far. W.:M.: Beau Cisco is currently in the lead with 38 points followed by myself in second and P.:M.: Allan Mason rounding out the top 3. Remember that Charity Card night is the 3rd Monday of each month and its a \$10 donation. I look forward to seeing some of you there.

Fraternally,

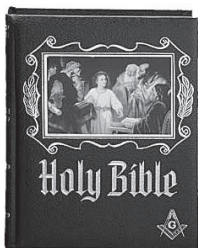
Joe Harvey, Junior Warden 2018

### July's Masonic Birthdays

ICE CREAM AND CAKE SERVED AFTER MEETING

James Best	Frederick Cohan	Charles Curry III
John Degnan Jr	Rodney Fowler	Armen Gregorian
Gale Zeiher	Daniel Larsson	Dennis Mercer
Robert Palumbo	Austen Poropat	Bobby Richard
John Sutcliffe		

### 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

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## Message from the West

Brothers,

I recently attended an event which was held out-of-state; I found myself with a few hours unexpectedly free, so I decided to look up the local Lodge (Dothan Lodge #466 in Alabama). I was able to get in touch with their Lodge Secretary; I explained who I was, and I indicated that I was hoping to get to preview their Lodge before I left town. I readily acknowledged that the request was unplanned, but my desire to see their Lodge was sincere. I was very pleased when I quickly received an affirmative response and was told to head on over.

The Brother who met me was a Past Master, and he absolutely made my family and I feel right at home. The current Lodge building was erected in 1932, and I can say that I had never seen anything quite like it before that day. The building was three stories tall - the ground floor was a fellowship / dining hall, the second floor was split between a blue Lodge to the right and the Scottish and York Rites to the left, and the entire third floor was dedicated to the OES. While we learned about the history of the Lodge, we were also afforded the opportunity to see similarities and little differences first-hand. The single greatest similarity? The welcoming nature of our host.

It is my sincere hope that if you have a chance to visit a remote Lodge that the Brethren there make you feel the way that Dothan Lodge made me and my family feel. Fellowship and Brotherly love prevailed that day, and word spread that we visited the Lodge. Interestingly, I met two additional members of the Lodge while visiting the local grocery store later that day and word had already spread about the "out of town Brothers" who paid the Lodge a visit; we enjoyed a great conversation with them as well before leaving.

It just goes to show you that you're never far from home when you're among Brothers.

Fraternally,

Matthew Johnson, Senior Warden 2018

### ----- AWAITING DEGREES AND INVESTIGATIONS -----

DEGREE DATE: TBA ENTERED APPRENTICE	DEGREE DATE: TBA FELLOW CRAFT	DEGREE DATE: TBA MASTER MASON
	KARL MARTIN CHARLES JOHNSON BRUCE BARTON KEN CAMER MIKE PATRILLO	David Collado Larkie L. Snow
		INVESTIGATIONS

# JULY 2018

## EVENT CALENDAR

### HAPPY INDEPENDENCE DAY

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>
GARDEN LODGE No.366 FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST 8:00 AM TO 11:00 AM	.	GARDEN LODGE No. 336 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM STATED COM	GULF STREAM No. 245 DARK	BOCA-DELRAY No. 171 AND PALMWOOD No. 303 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM STATED COM		
<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>
BYKOTA No. 333 FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST 8:00 AM TO 11:00 AM	BYKOTA No. 333 HARMONIA No. 138 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM STATED COM	JUPITER LIGHT No. 340 AND LANTANA No. 372 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM STATED COM	MASTER MASON ASSOCIATION DINNER 6:30 PM MEETING AT 7:30 PM BOYNTON LODGE No.236	BOYNYON No. 236 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM STATED COM		
<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>
	BYKOTA No. 333 OFFICERS MEETING 7:00 PM OFFICERS MEETING CHARITY CARD NIGHT 7:30 PM	GARDEN No. 336 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM STATED COM	GULF STREAM No. 245 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM STATED COM	BOCA-DELRAY No. 171 AND PALMWOOD No. 303 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM MEETING	SEM-I-NO GROTTA MEETING 7:30 PM AT BYKOTA LODGE No. 333	OPEN BOOKS HARMONIA LODGE NO.138 9:00 AM—12:00 PM
<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>
	BYKOTA No. 333 HARMONIA No. 138 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM MEETING	JUPITER LIGHT No. 340 AND LANTANA No. 372 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM STATED COM		BOYNTON No. 236 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM STATED COM		
<b>29</b>	<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 \*\*  
 2016 Allan D. Mason  
 2017 Bill Comer



### Wellington Lodge

1985 Moe Evans  
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 1987 George D. Kinard  
 1988 Ralph L. Leighton\*  
 1989 Robert G. Stearns  
 1990 Richard M. Gray  
 1991 William Hess\*  
 1992 Walter C. Johnson  
 1993 Robert 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

## TRESTLEBOARD BOOSTERS

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

## TEXAS HOLD'EM



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

7:30 PM START TO 9:20 PM  
 WE PLAY FOR OUR FAVORITE CHARITY