# BYKOTA LODGE No. 333 F.&A.M c/o Lodge Secretary

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EPHESIANS CHAPTER 4 VERSE 32 "AND BE YE KIND ONE TO ANOTHER..."
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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 November Stated Communication.

# NOVEMBER 2018

SETTING THE CRAFT TO WORK

Saturday, November 3
GRAND MASTER'S OFFICIAL VISIT

REGISTRATION 5:00 PM DINNER 6:00 PM AMARA SHRINE • PALM BEACH GARDENS

Sunday, November 11
FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST AT BYKOTA LODGE 8:00 AM TO 11:00 AM
GOOD FOOD AND FINE FELLOWSHIP

Monday, November 12

Stated Communication, Dinner at 6:30 P.M. and Meeting at 7:30 P.M.
NOMINATIONS ARE DUE PRIOR TO THE START OF THE MEETING
421 JENNINGS AVENUE • GREENACRES, FL 33463

Monday, November 19

Officers Meeting 6:30 P.M. • Charity Card Night at 7:00 P.M. 421 JENNINGS AVENUE • GREENACRES, FL 33463

Saturday, November 17

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

Monday, November 26

Open Communication, Dinner at 6:30 P.M. and Meeting at 7:30 P.M. 421 JENNINGS AVENUE • GREENACRES, FL 33463

# **WIDOWS SONS BYKOTA CHAPTER**

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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 from the East,

As I enter my final two months as Worshipful Master of Bykota Lodge, I find myself thinking more and more about what this experience has done for my Masonic journey. I will always be thankful for the opportunity to have served in this post and feel it is something every Mason should strive to do at one point during your Masonic career. I hope when my brothers looked back at my year, they recall it as a time where fellowship and family were the focuses.

I appreciate everybody that attended lodge and it's events this year, I hope you had a great year. I hope we will continue to grow our attendance and share in the fellowship that we all joined this great brotherhood for. I will never stress attendance as a measure of a Mason, I feel true Masonry is how we live our lives and treat others. That being said, attendance in lodge is an important part in furthering our fraternity. We did not last as long as we did by staying at home.

I hope to see more brothers and families in lodge during this holiday season. For those who would like a make a difference, we will be holding our yearly elections this December. I hope he will show up in cast your vote for the future of your lodge.

Fraternally,

Beau Cisco, Worshipful Master 2018

# **Message from the Secretary**

Greetings Brothers,

Please open your wallets and see what year your membership card says. In order to be current for 2018, you need to pay your dues by Dec 27, 2018. Make sure your card says 2018. If you have any questions, please call me at: <a href="mailto:561-294-2981">561-294-2981</a>, or email me at: <a href="mailto:wmbykota2013@outlook.com">wmbykota2013@outlook.com</a>. 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 and phone number to keep you better informed on what is happening in our Lodge and the GL of Florida.

Fraternally,

Wayne M. Thibeault, PM Secretary

## **2018 LODGE OFFICERS**

#### WORSHIPFUL MASTER

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#### JUNIOR WARDEN

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#### JUNIOR DEACON

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#### JUNIOR STEWARD

TBA

#### **MARSHAL**

TBA

#### TYLER

ALL AROUND SWELL GUY 561-722-4022



#### DISTRICT DEPUTY DIRECTOR

R:.W:. Michael Gambarrotti mgambarrotti23@gmail.com

#### **DISTRICT INSTRUCTOR**

R:.H:. George Winterling gw@ill340.com

## **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 Wheeles, 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,

I hope everyone had a happy Halloween! In a few short weeks it will be Thanksgiving, I hope you all will be making it to Thanksgiving Dinner at the Lodge.

Elections for 2019 Lodge Officers will be coming up in December. Please remember that voting on Lodge matters is a huge part of being a member of the lodge, and your vote is very important. The future of our Lodge is nothing to be taken lightly.

The Holiday Season is a tough time for many people and as a Brotherhood it is part of our responsibility to check up on those Brother's who may be alone during the Holidays.

Reach out to your Lodge Officers if there's anything you can do to help Brother's in need this Holiday Season, from rides to meetings, to delivering food or other necessities.

Fraternally

Joe Harvey, Junior Warden 2018

# **November's Masonic Birthdays**

ICE CREAM AND CAKE SERVED AFTER MEETING

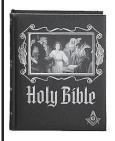
Daryl Bowden Brantley Christian Michael Cohan

James English John Gee Kenneth Gray

Dennis Haberkorn Malcolm Henry Thomas Jones III

Harry Pearce Richard Shimmel

## **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 West**

Brothers,

I was recently approached by a coworker – he works in a different business unit, but he has seen me wear a Bykota polo shirt with the Square and Compasses on it while at work, and he has noticed my ring as well. He recognized these basic symbols and said that he had wanted to ask me some questions about Masonry for some time – but that he was never really sure if there was a "good time" to do so.

We enjoyed a spirited discussion that afternoon on what my journey meant to me – for obvious reasons, I couldn't be too specific with what I told him – but I felt an enormous sense of pride to know that I am part of a fraternity with such a proud history. It was clear to me that this man also has a favorable view of Masonry, and I told him that I wouldn't hesitate to do it all over again.

As I look back on my time with Bykota, I do so with a sense of pleasure – I see what has been accomplished by the Brethren over the years with hard work, and I welcome the challenges that we will face together in the future as well. After all, if everything was simple in life, would it mean as much?

Fraternally,

Matthew Johnson, Senior Warden 2018

# **Charity of the Quarter**

MASONIC HOME OF FLORIDA ST. PETERSBURG, FLORIDA

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

DEGREE DATE: TBA ENTERED APPRENTICE	DEGREE DATE: DEC 15 MASTER MASON	DEGREE DATE: DEC 15 MASTER MASON		
·	KARL MARTIN CHARLES JOHNSON BRUCE BARTON KEN CAMER MIKE PATRILLO	David Collado Larkie L. Snow		
		INVESTIGATIONS		

## **NOVEMBER 2018**

## **EVENT CALENDAR**

#### **HAPPY THANKSGIVING •**

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1	2	3
				BOCA-DELRAY No. 171 AND PALMWOOD No. 303 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM STATED COM		GRAND MASTERS OFFICIAL VISIT AMARA SHRINE 5:00 PM DINNER 6:00 PM
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
GARDEN LODGE No.366 FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST 8:00 AM TO 11:00 AM	BYKOTA No. 333 FELLOW CRAFT DEGREE 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM STATED COM	GARDEN LODGE No. 336 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM STATED COM	GULF STREAM No. 245 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM STATED COM	BOYNYON No. 236 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM STATED COM		
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
BYKOTA LODGE No. 333 FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST 8:00 AM TO 11:00 AM	BYKOTA No. 333 OFFICERS MEETING 7:00 PM CHARITY CARD NIGHT	JUPITER LIGHT No. 340 AND LANTANA No. 372 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM STATED COM	MASTER MASON ASSOCIATION BYKOTA DINNER 6:30 PM MEETING AT 7:30 PM	BOCA-DELRAY No. 171 AND PALMWOOD No. 303 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM MEETING	SEM-I-NO GROTTO MEETING 7:30 PM AT BYKOTA LODGE NO. 333	OPEN BOOKS HAR- MONIA LODGE NO.138 9:00 AM— 12:00 PM
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	BYKOTA No.333 THANKSGIV- ING DINNER 6:30 PM OPEN MEET 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	THANKSGIV- ING DAY		
25	26	27	28	29	30	
		JUPITER LIGHT No. 340 AND LANTANA No. 372 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM STATED COM				

## **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. Dovle\* 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 Schoolev++ 2005 David McGrew++ 2005 Mike Wheeles\*\* 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. Grav 2015 Gerry Moore \*\* 2016 Allan D. Mason 2017 Bill Comer 2018 Beau Cisco



## **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

# 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 WHEELES, HPM GERRY MOORE, HPM JOE HARVEY MATTHEW JOHNSON **CHARLES MATTHEWS** BRUCE D. LEFFLER SCOTT CARNEGIE, PM



## <u>Dress Code</u> <u>for all Lodge</u> 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.