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BYKOTA Lodge No. 333 F.&A.M. 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 PUBLI **MASONIC EDUCATION** 

Presented by: Joe Harvey, SW at our December Stated Communication.

SETTING THE CRAFT TO WORK

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

> Monday, December 9 **ELECTIONS**

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

> **Monday, December 16** Lodge Officers Meeting at 6:30 P.M. 421 JENNINGS AVENUE • GREENACRES, FL 33463

Saturday, December 21 **OPEN BOOKS AT HARMONIA LODGE NO.138** 1896 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd #200 · WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33409 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M.

> Monday, December 23 **DARK • NO MEETING • HAPPY HOLIDAYS**

Saturday, December 28 **INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS** 

Open Communication: Lunch at 12:30 PM and Installation at 2:00 PM 421 JENNINGS AVENUE • GREENACRES, FL 33463

## **WIDOWS SONS BYKOTA CHAPTER**

Scott Frum, President 561-252-9546 421 JENNINGS AVENUE • GREENACRES, FLORIDA 33463 Stated Meetings: 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of Each Quarter

## **BYKOTA** Trestleboard

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## **Message from the East**

My Brothers -

As the year comes to a close, I would like to take this opportunity to once again thank you for the trust which was extended during my year as the Worshipful Master for Bykota. I would also like to thank my family for the support which they showed me – not only this year – but also during the last few years as I worked through the chairs.

For me, a Lodge is far more than just a physical building – rather, it is the Brothers who work together, in harmony, to make so many wonderful things happen. To that effect, I am proud to report that our Lodge showed strong support this year for the Masonic Home, for Veterans causes, for our First Responders, and for Children who are in need. Members of Bykota also reached out to other Lodges in our District and extended the bonds of Brotherly love in ways which bring honor to the fraternity.

I sincerely look forward to the coming months and years as our Lodge continues to grow – and I encourage each and every Brother to make an effort to continue their own Masonic journey – whether it means by reconnecting at Bykota or traveling to other Lodges, furthering their education, or by simply remembering what it was which made us petition a Lodge in the first place – each of these are ways that we can continue to help the fraternity to prosper.

If there is anything that I can ever do to assist you in the future, please do not hesitate to reach out to me directly. I wish each of you the very best.

Yours in fellowship,

Matthew Johnson, Worshipful Master 2019

# Charity of the Quarter REAL LIFE CHILDREN'S RANCH

CONTRIBUTING TO THE RELIEF OF WIDOWS AND ORPHANS

#### – AWAITING DEGREES AND INVESTIGATIONS ———

DEGREE DATE: TBA Entered apprentice	DEGREE DATE: TBA FELLOW CRAFT	DEGREE DATE: MASTER MASON
	Leonard Loiacono Robert Gullett Justin Schooley Donaid Cassius Seals	

### **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. Gray 2015 Gerry Moore \*\* 2016 Allan D. Mason 2017 Bill Comer 2018 Beau Cisco 2019 Matthew Johnson



### **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 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 2000 Scott F. Thompson 2001 Michael Grace

## TRESTLEBOARD BOOSTERS

MATTHEW JOHNSON, WM WAYNE THIBEAULT, PM MIKE WHEELES, HPM ALLAN MASON, PM BILL COMER, PM BEAU CISCO, JPM SCOTT FRUM MIKE BECK, PM LARKIE SNOW FRANKIE MUNIZ ROBERT SCHOOLEY, PM **BRUCE BARTON** FRANK MUNIZ JAMES ENGLISH, PM BRUCE LEFFLER, WM ROY STROHACKER RH JOE HARVEY, SW



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## <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.

### DECEMBER 2019

## **EVENT CALENDAR**

### **DECEMBER 25TH MERRY CHRISTMAS & HAPPY HOLIDAYS**

DE	DECEMBER 25TH MERRY CHRISTMAS & HAPPY HOLIDAYS								
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7			
GARDEN LODGE No.366 FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST	MASTER MASON ASSOCIATION ELECTIONS PALMWOOD DINNER STARTS 6:30 PM MEETING AT 7:30 PM	GARDEN LODGE No. 336 DINNER STARTS 6:30 PM MEETING AT 7:30 PM	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 STATED COM					
8	9	10	11	12	13	14			
BYKOTA LODGE No. 333 FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST 8:00 AM TO 11:00 AM	BYKOTA LODGE 333 HARMONIA LODGE 138 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM	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					
15	16	17	18	19	20	21			
	BYKOTA OFFICERS MEETING 6:30 PM	GARDEN No. 336 DINNER STARTS 6:30 PM MEETING AT 7:30 PM	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 STATED COM	SEMI-NO- GROTTO 6:30 PM DINNER 7:30 PM MEETING	OPEN BOOKS HARMONIA LODGE 138 9:00 AM TO NOON			
22	23	24	25	26	27	28			
	BYKOTA LODGE No. 333 <b>DARK</b> NO MEETING	JUPITER LIGHT No. 340 AND LANTANA No. 372 ARE DARK		BOYNTON No. 236 IS DARK		BYKOTA INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS LUNCH: 12:30 PM INSTALLATION 2:00 PM			
29	30	31							

## **Message from the West**

Greetings,

As we close the year I wanted to remind everyone that lodge elections are the first meeting of December which is on 12/9/19.

I wanted to thank you all for a great year in the West. I truly enjoyed myself this year assisting WM Johnson. He did a fantastic job running the lodge for us this year and it was an honor to work with him.

I am looking forward to 2020 and another great year at Bykota.

Fraternally,

Joe Harvey, Senior Warden 2019



Why did you leave the West and travel East?

To get to the other side of the Lodge Room.

## **The Secretary's Message**

Greetings Brothers,

BYKOTA Brothers... We are implementing a **Trestleboard E-mail system**, the better to enable us to communicate more efficiently. Plus it cuts the cost of postage and printing. **We need your current E-mail** to make this program work. Send your E-mail to: <a href="mailto:amason@PBSproducer.com">amason@PBSproducer.com</a>

We are using E-mail Merge to send lodge attachments, so there are no BCC or CC email addresses for anyone to see or capture. **Thanks to participating Brothers... It's working.** 

Fraternally,

Allan Mason, PM Secretary 2019

## **Message from the South**

#### Greetings Brothers,

I wish personally send my best wishes to all of you as you travel to and/or welcome your families during this holiday season .

I wish to extend my own personal invitation to each of you, please come and rekindle old relationships, set aside old animosity and begin a new journey with your Brothers here at Bykota Lodge.No.333. WE NEED YOU, YOUR LODGE NEEDS YOU.

I look forward to what this coming year will bring and the new and old Brothers that I will have the opportunity to re-connect with. I wish you all the best and I hope to see you in Lodge soon.

Walter Arnett, Senior Warden 2019

## **December's Masonic Birthdays**

#### BIRTHDAY DESSERTS SERVED AFTER THE LAST MEETING

William Barton Brian Brown Kenneth Camer III

Beau Cisco David Collado David Devor

Robert Frum Jr. Michael Gauger Jr. Michael Grace III

Joseph Harvey Dean Heasley Ray Hunt

Charles Johnson Mario Lanarca Mitchell Lamb

James Levy James Liliestedt David Lund

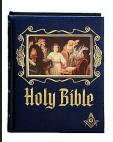
Karl Martin Glenn Miller Francisco Muntz

Michael Petrillo Charles Phillips II Ronald Schmitt

William Shetron Larkie Snow David Zemola

Richard Adams Barry Fay

## **MASONIC FAMILY EDITION**



Order your 9 X 11.75 X 2.25 Masonic Bible as the official Bible of BYKOTA Lodge. Price is \$36.00 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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### **2019 LODGE COMMITTEES**

#### FINANCE COMMITTEE

Chairman: Joe Harvey, SW Allan Mason, PM, Secretary Beau Cisco, JPM, Treasurer

#### **VIGILANCE COMMITTEE**

Chairman: Walter Arnett, JW David Lund, RW, Chaplin Ken Gray, PM

#### PETITIONS COMMITTEE

Chairman: Allan Mason, PM Sec. Walter Arnett, JW Ken Camer, JD

#### MASONIC EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Chairman: Walter Arnett, JW Allan Mason, PM, Sec. Bill Comer, PM

#### **BOARD OF RELIEF**

Chairman: Joe Harvey, SW Bill Comer, PM Beau Cisco, JPM

#### **CHARITY COMMITTEE**

Chairman: David Lund, RW, Chaplain John McIntosh, PM, Marshal Joe Harvey, SW Karl Martin, SD

#### LODGE PROPERTY COMMITTEE

Chairman: Joe Harvey, SW Ken Gray, PM Allan Mason, PM, Sec.

#### LODGE INSTRUCTORS

Chairman: David Lund, RW, Chaplin Allan Mason, PM, Sec. Scott Frum Bobby Stearns, PDDGM

#### **MEALS AND DINING ROOM**

Chairman: Walter Arnett, JW Bruce Barton, SS Mike Wheeles, HPM

#### SICKNESS AND VISITATIONS

Chairman: David Lund, RW, Chaplain Walter Arnett, JW John McIntosh, PM, Marshal

#### **OUTREACH/WEBSITE COMMITTEE**

Chairman: Joe Harvey, SW Allan Mason, PM, Secretary Beau Cisco, JPM