



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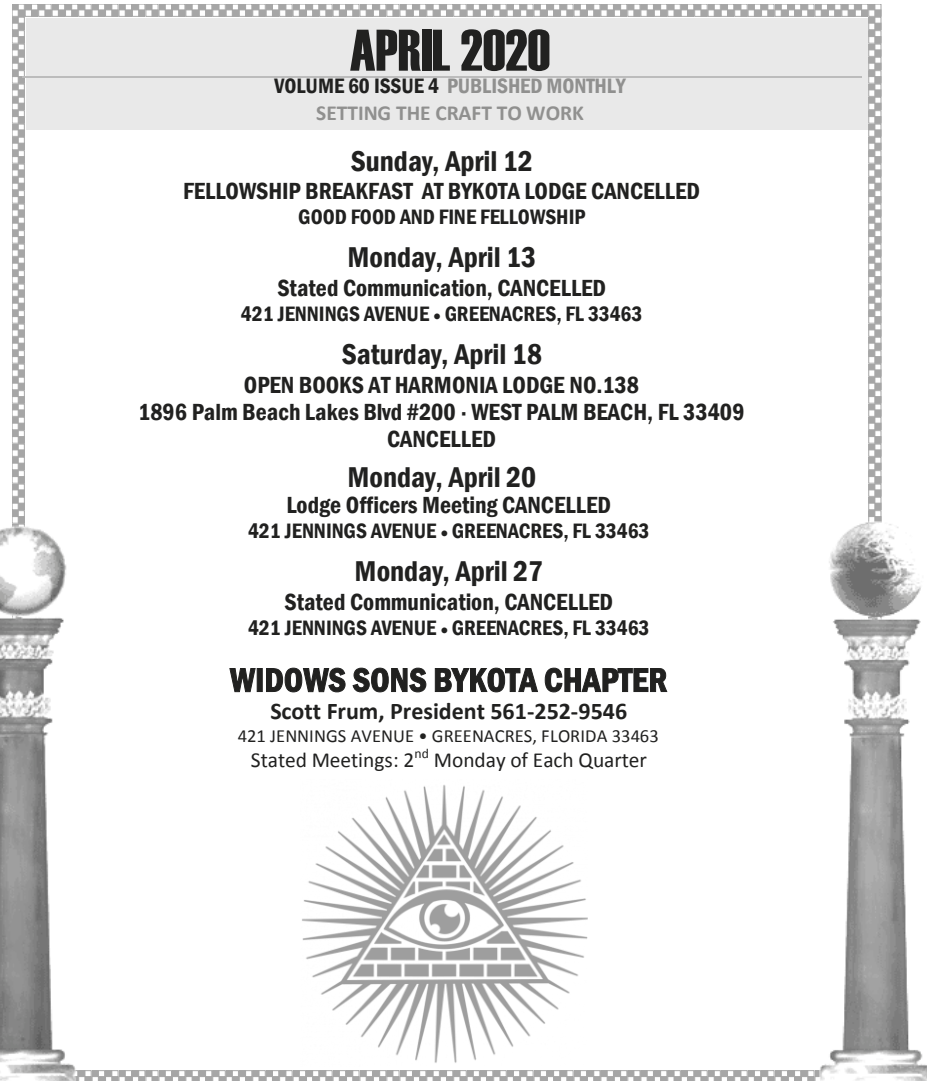


BYKOTA Lodge No. 333 F.&A.M.
EPHESIANS CHAPTER 4 VERSE 32 "AND BE YE KIND ONE TO ANOTHER..."
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www.bykotalodge.com

Chartered April 21, AD1960 AL5960

Stated Communication:
2ND & 4TH Mondays
Dinner 6:30 P.M. | Meeting 7:30 P.M.

FLAG PRESENTATION OPEN TO PUBLIC
MASONIC EDUCATION
Presented by: **Walter Arnett, SW** at our
April Stated Communication.



APRIL 2020
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SETTING THE CRAFT TO WORK

Sunday, April 12
FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST AT BYKOTA LODGE CANCELLED
GOOD FOOD AND FINE FELLOWSHIP


Monday, April 13
Stated Communication, CANCELLED
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Saturday, April 18
OPEN BOOKS AT HARMONIA LODGE NO.138
1896 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd #200 • WEST PALM BEACH, FL 33409
CANCELLED

Monday, April 20
Lodge Officers Meeting CANCELLED
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Monday, April 27
Stated Communication, CANCELLED
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WIDOWS SONS BYKOTA CHAPTER
Scott Frum, President 561-252-9546
421 JENNINGS AVENUE • GREENACRES, FLORIDA 33463
Stated Meetings: 2nd Monday of Each Quarter



Message from the East

Greeting my Bothers,

As we are all now dealing with COVID-19 I first ask you to all stay home and stay safe. The sooner everyone stays home and quarantines themselves, the sooner this will all end.

As of right now, All Lodge activities are suspended until May 4th per the Grand Master. We will keep you updated if anything changes but for now stay home, stay safe, and if you need anything please call or email an officer.

Our contact information can be found on the Bykota Lodge website at <https://bykotalodge.com/>

Yours in fellowship,

Joe Harvey
Worshipful Master 2020

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: amason@PBSproducer.com

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.

Fraternally,

Allan Mason, PM Secretary 2019-2020

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
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

JOE HARVEY, WM
MATTHEW JOHNSON, JPM
FRANK MUNIZ
ALLAN MASON, PM
JAMES ENGLISH, PM
BEAU CISCO, PM
SCOTT FRUM
MIKE BECK, PM
LARKIE SNOW
BRUCE BARTON
ROBERT SCHOOLEY, PM
WAYNE THIBEAULT, PM
BILL COMER, PM
KEN CAMER
MIKE WHEELLES, HPM
BRUCE LEFFLER, PM



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.

Message from Grand Lodge

The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of Florida

JOHN W. WESTERMAN, III
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DIRECTIVE NO. 3

March 17, 2020

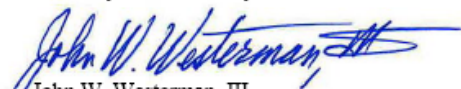
To: All Worshipful Masters and Secretaries of the Particular Lodges

In consequence of the new orders set out by the Governor of the State of Florida concerning the coronavirus pandemic, as Grand Master, I hereby **ORDER AND DIRECT** that effective immediately all Stated and Called Communications, Masonic meetings and events are suspended until at least May 4, 2020. This suspension includes, but is not limited to, all Masonic Education/Masonic Leadership Training classes, Secretaries and Treasurers Seminars, Child ID Events, Social Gatherings, all Allied and Appendant Orders and Masonic Youth Groups that meet in any Lodge buildings, and Lodge building rentals. If a Brother is working with a candidate on catechisms outside the Lodge building, continuing to get together for instruction is up to the individuals; however, they should practice "social distancing" and following the guidelines set by the Center for Disease Control. This Directive should be forwarded to your Lodge membership and may be considered proper notification. If your Lodge meeting is tonight and it is not practical to cancel at this late hour you may proceed.

My Brothers, this situation is fluid and moving very fast. The safety of our Brothers and their families shall be the priority and please use common sense and be safe.

Take due notice and govern yourselves accordingly.

Sincerely and fraternally,


John W. Westerman, III
Grand Master

Message from the Secretary

This directive includes BYKOTA Easter Breakfast, the Master Mason Association's Annual Picnic and Open Books. Stay well Brothers.

Message from the West

Brothers,



Walter Arnette
Senior Warden 2020

The Story of Tranquility Lodge No. 2000

On July 20, 1969, two American Astronauts landed on the moon of the planet Earth, in an area known as Mare Tranquillitatis, or "Sea of Tranquility". One of those brave men was Brother Edwin Eugene (Buzz) Aldrin, Jr., a member of Clear Lake Lodge No. 1417, AF&AM, Seabrook, Texas. Brother Aldrin carried with him SPECIAL DEPUTATION of then Grand Master J. Guy Smith, constituting and appointing Brother Aldrin as Special Deputy of the Grand Master, granting unto him full power in the premises to represent the Grand Master as such and authorize him to claim Masonic Territorial Jurisdiction for The M.:W.: Grand Lodge of Texas, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, on The Moon, and directed that he make due return of his acts. Brother Aldrin certified that the SPECIAL DEPUTATION was carried by him to the Moon on July 20, 1969.

To commemorate this historic event, and to further solidify and establish Texas Freemasonry on the Moon, it is proposed that a charter be issued to a new Lodge, to be known as Tranquility Lodge No. 2000.

The Grand Lodge of Texas is the first to have a Member step onto the Moon, Brother Buzz Aldrin, in 1969. Through this event, The Grand Lodge of Texas has Chartered Tranquility Lodge 2000 for the purpose providing Fraternal Assistance to Masonic Organizations and other worthy organizations.

Message from the South

To all of my Masonic Brothers,

In these unprecedented times I would like to wish the best of health to everyone and their family's. Though the country is in a state of unrest due to the spread of COVID 19 I would like to point out the silver lining.

Now that we are asked to stay in our homes and practice social distancing, it is a great time to spend ample time with our family members and loved ones. Never has there been a better opportunity to do so, than under the present circumstances. Once life returns to normal, we are all eager to get back to the lodge and business as usual.

Stay safe and healthy my brothers.

Yours in service,

Kenneth Camer,
Junior Warden 2020

NOTICE

NOTHING TO SEE HERE... MOVE ALONG.

Have board games invaded your home yet?
Shoots and Ladders won't cut it and Monopoly takes to long.

----- AWAITING DEGREES -----

DEGREE DATE: TBA ENTERED APPRENTICE	DEGREE DATE: TBA FELLOW CRAFT	DEGREE DATE: MASTER MASON
Daniel Berringer Jr.	Leonard Loiacono Robert Gullett Justin Schooley Donaid Cassius Seals	

MASONIC LODGES AROUND THE WORLD



In the township of Arrow Rock, Missouri the 1868 building housing the Masonic Lodge Hall and Craft Shop, held Arrow Rock Lodge No. 55 meetings on the second floor until 2009. Since 1961, Craft Club members have sold hand-made items on the lower level.

Courtesy of Google Maps, street view.

Charity of the Quarter

MASONIC HOME OF FLORIDA
ST. PETERSBURG, FLORIDA

BYKOTA'S TRESTLEBOARD IS ON LINE TOO

WWW.BYKOTALODGE.COM

RECEIVE YOUR TRESTLEBOARD BY E-MAIL

SEND YOUR LATEST E-MAIL TO THE SECRETARY AND IT SHALL BE DONE!

MASONIC EDUCATION

STAY AT HOME!

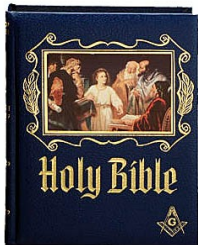
AND PRACTICE YOUR CATECHISM

April's Masonic Birthdays

BIRTHDAY DESSERTS SERVED AFTER THE LAST MEETING

AnthonyCombs	WilliamEdwards	Gerard Fernandez
LarryFick	Scott Frum	Carson LaMarca
Alan Marshall	John McIntosh	Lynn Moorhouse
John Nesbitt II	Richard Newbery	Kenneth Reese
Thomas Ross	Robert Schooley	Michael Shearer
James Weitkamp	Steven Wood	

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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DISTRICT INSTRUCTOR

R:.W.: Roy Strohacker
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2020 LODGE COMMITTEES

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Chairman: Walter Arnett, SW
Allan Mason, PM, Secretary
Matthew Johnson, JPM, Treasurer

VIGILANCE COMMITTEE

Chairman: Ken Camer, JW
Barry Fay, PM, Chaplin
John McIntosh, PM, JD

PETITIONS COMMITTEE

Chairman: Allan Mason, PM Sec.
Ken Camer, JW
John McIntosh, PM, JD

MASONIC EDUCATION COMMITTEE

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

BOARD OF RELIEF

Chairman: Walter Arnett, SW
Bill Comer, PM
Beau Cisco, PM

CHARITY COMMITTEE

Chairman: Barry Fay, PM, Chaplain
John McIntosh, PM, JD
Walter Arnett, SW
David Lund, RW, SD

LODGE PROPERTY COMMITTEE

Chairman: Walter Arnett, SW
Ken Gray, PM
Allan Mason, PM, Sec.

LODGE INSTRUCTORS

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

MEALS AND DINING ROOM

Chairman: Ken Camer, JW
Bruce Barton, SS
Mike Wheelles, HPM

SICKNESS AND VISITATIONS

Chairman: Barry Fay, PM, Chaplain
Ken Camer, JW
John McIntosh, PM, JD

OUTREACH/WEBSITE COMMITTEE

Chairman: Walter Arnett, SW
Allan Mason, PM, Secretary
Beau Cisco, PM

APRIL 2020

BYKOTA LODGE NO.333

EVENT CALENDAR

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1	2	3	4
			GULFSTREAM LODGE NO. 245 STATED COMM CANCELLED	BOCA-DELRAY LODGE NO. 171 PALMWOOD LODGE NO. 303 STATED COMM CANCELLED		
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
GARDEN LODGE NO. 366 FELLOWSHIP BREAKFAST FROM CANCELLED ALL YOU CAN EAT \$10.00	MASTER MASON ASSOCIATION MEETING CANCELLED AT BYKOTA LODGE NO. 333	GARDEN LODGE NO. 366 STATED COMM CANCELLED	SHRINE MEETING CANCELLED	BOYNTON LODGE NO. 236 STATED COMM CANCELLED		
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
BYKOTA LODGE NO. 333 EASTER BREAK- FAST FROM 8:00 CANCELLED STILL ALL YOU CAN EAT \$5.00	BYKOTA LODGE NO. 333 HARMONIA LODGE NO. 138 STATED COMM CANCELLED	JUPITER LODGE NO. 340 LANTANA LODGE NO. 372 STATED COMM CANCELLED	GULFSTREAM LODGE NO. 245 STATED COMM CANCELLED	BOCA-DELRAY LODGE NO. 171 PALMWOOD LODGE NO. 303 STATED COMM CANCELLED	SEM-I-NO GROTTO 6:30 DINNER AT SELECTED LOCATIONS CANCELLED	OPEN BOOKS HARMONIA LODGE NO. 138 CANCELLED
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	BYKOTA LODGE NO. 333 OFFICERS MEETING CANCELLED	GARDEN LODGE NO. 366 STATED COMM CANCELLED	SCOTTISH RITE AT HARMONIA LODGE NO.138 CANCELLED	BOYNTON LODGE NO. 236 STATED COMM CANCELLED		
26	27	28	29	30		
	BYKOTA LODGE NO. 333 HARMONIA LODGE NO. 138 STATED COMM CANCELLED	JUPITER LODGE NO. 340 LANTANA LODGE NO. 372 STATED COMM CANCELLED				