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Grand Master Proclamation: April is Public Schools Month

Grand Master Charvonia has proclaimed April 2015 to be Public Schools Month.

Please read his [Public Schools Month Proclamation](#) at your March and April stated meetings, and encourage your lodge brothers to plan a program in support of local public schools.

Other stated meeting notices:

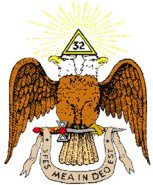
- **March is Youth Orders Month.** Read the [Youth Orders Month Proclamation](#) at your March stated meeting to remind your lodge to celebrate Masonic youth in March. Consider planning a joint service project or providing opportunities for mentorship.
- **The June/July issue of California Freemason magazine will be distributed online only. Please update your email addresses in the Member Center.** To ensure your members receive this special digital issue, encourage them to update their email address in the Member Center at freemason.org. Reach out to Masonic sweethearts to ensure that their email addresses are current, too. Printed magazines will resume in August.
- **Explore Masonic conspiracies – from anywhere.** On March 21, the 4th International Conference on Freemasonry, *Secrets Revealed: Freemasonry and the Conspiracy Theories It Evokes*, will take place at UCLA. Join us at the conference in Los Angeles, or stream it at your lodge. A high-speed webcast is available for only \$15. [Learn more.](#)

Thank you for mentioning all of these efforts at your stated meetings.

Please remember that all articles on freemason.org can be repurposed for inclusion in monthly Trestleboards, on websites, and printed for distribution.

Questions? Contact communications@freemason.org.

<p><i>San Bernardino Hc 12 Club No. 430</i></p> <p><i>Good Food!</i></p> <p><i>Meets Friday Noon</i></p> <p><i>For all Masons, their Spouses, their Widows and Friends</i></p>  <p><i>Good Fellowship</i></p> <p><i>Arrowhead CC Parkside Drive.</i></p>	<p><i>In Memory of a Worthy Brother:</i></p> <p><i>Bro. Smith Marshall</i></p> <p><i>from a Friend & Brother Mason</i></p>
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SCOTTISH RITE BODIES VALLEY OF SAN BERNARDINO

4400 Varsity Avenue - San Bernardino, CA 92407 - (909) 887-4415

- April 18th - 8:00 A.M. - til done - Work Party - Stage Area
- April 21st - 6:00 P.M. - Renewal & Remembrance Ceremony Part 1
- 6:30 P.M. - Dinner (*reservations required*) POV
Ill. Frank Loui, 33°, SGIG
- 7:45 P.M. - Special Program, Clinic Guest Speaker,
R&R Ceremony Part 2, Past Wise Masters
- 8:15 P.M. - Stated Meetings - AASR in Auditorium
& Women's Association in Conf. Room



Gate City O.E.S. #212

April 10, 2015

7:30 p.m. Stated Meeting
Barbara Woolery, P.M., Chmn.

April 24, 2015

7:30 p.m. Stated Meeting
Harlan Family, Chmn.



YORK RITE BODIES SAN BERNARDINO

2888 N. Arrowhead Ave. - San Bernardino, CA 92407 - (909) 883-2615



Keystone Chapter No. 56, R.A.M.

- April 1st - 7:00 pm - Building Board Meeting
- April 1st - 7:30 pm - Chapter Convocation



Valley Council No. 27, C.M.

- April 1st - 7:00 pm - Building Board Meeting
- April 8th - 7:30 pm - Stated Assembly
- April 11th - 9:00 am - Conferral of Degrees



St. Bernard Commandery No. 23, K.T.

- April 1st - 7:00 pm - Building Board Meeting
- April 15th - 7:30 pm - Stated Conclave
- April 25th - 9:00 am - Conferral of Orders

Greetings from the East



Greeting From The East My Brothers!

Time is flying by! Last month we had our first “Out-of-Lodge” outing when a bunch of brothers and their families meet together in Ontario to watch a hockey game. Everyone had a great time, and it was great getting together outside of Lodge! This was the first of several Non-Lodge events that will take place this year, so if you did not make to this one, I highly recommend going to the next one!

Thinking of upcoming Events! We have a busy couple of months ahead, so I would like to point out some special dates! The morning of April 18th at 9:00 am will be the Lodges coffee social. If you have not come down in a while, just to say “Hi” with the guys and see how things are going, this is the perfect time! April 16th and April 23rd will both be 3rd Degrees! Also please mark your calendars, on May 19th at 9am. Our Lodge will be officially adopting Wilson Elementary School here in San Bernardino. If you are local and can make it, it would be great to have as many brothers in attendance as possible for this **public event!**

Fraternally,

Bro Thad Coffing
Worshipful Master,
San Bernardino Lodge #178

2015 Masters Masonic Calendar



Date	Day	Event
5/9/2015	Saturday	May-Fest
6/6/2015	Saturday	Corner Stone Ceremony
7/5/2015	Sunday	Crestline Parade
8/21/2015	Fri-Sun	Annual Flagstaff Degree
8/22/2015	Saturday	Hiram Award Presentation
9/17/2015	Thursday	Constitutional Observance
11/11/2015	Wednesday	Veterans Dinner

Upcoming Events - Dates TBD Later

Hiram Award	Rusty Towel Ceremony
Past-Masters Night	Coffee Social
Widows Night/Event	Golf Tournament

Sickness & Distress

Please advise the Secretary of any brothers in need of visits by
Lodge Brethren, and/or Prayer.

From the Secretary's Desk



Brethren, I hear comments from many of you that you would like to see the Lodge be involved in more social activities. Not only for the members to enjoy, but also to raise the public's awareness of our participation in the community, and to grow the Lodge.

The Master has an energetic program for the year. However, in order to accomplish these activities requires money. Since dues are the only source of income for the Lodge, it is necessary that we all pay our dues.

Last year, out of a total of 234 members, 170 paid their dues. This year, to date, only 127 of the 226 members have paid their dues. Please, if you haven't already done so, pay your dues and help **YOUR LODGE** grow.

Fraternally

Tom Meyer, Secretary

909-489-4896



Greetings from the South

It's that time, almost, when those that celebrate the Christian religion will gather together; I'm not sure how a giant rabbit with eggs got into the picture? Easter is the time when the death and rebirth of all things. This is universal theory in that many people believe that they will transcend this earthly toil to a better and brighter land. Masonry, uses the theory that when a person becomes a mason, that the former passes and his new life takes hold, However, Masonry does not use this in the frame of a religious experience. More in the wakening of a mans soul to things that may have been in the dark. Thus Masonry is termed the "light". We use the reference as a revelation of the man and what he maybe capable of doing. Masonry teaches us to use reason and logic to do away with the old superstitions of the past and view the world in the vast expanse. For all the former things are washed away and we view the world with a new light.

Wor. Robert Jacka, P.M.
Junior Warden



Greetings from the West

The first of Spring has come and gone and we are rapidly approaching Easter. Spring is seen as a time of renewal, hope and rebirth. The Lodge continues to change, evolve and grow from new landscaping to our newly obligated Brothers. There are many opportunities for fellowship in the coming month.

The Los Angeles Scottish Rite is presenting a series of renowned Masonic Scholars. Each month of the 2015 Masonic year, one distinguished speaker will address a different topic followed by a question and answer session. The schedule is as follows:

April 17th, 7 PM - Ill. Arturo de Hoyos
May 15th, 7 PM - Ill. Robert G. Davis
June 12th, 7 PM - Ill. Sean Graystone
July 10th. 7 PM - Ill. Rex R. Hutchens

The presentations will be held at the Santa Monica Masonic center located at 926 Santa Monica Blvd., Santa Monica, CA 90401. All Masons are welcome.

I hope to see everyone in or around the lodge in April.

Fraternally Yours,
Brent Croyle
Senior Warden

San Bernardino Lodge



April 2015

Upcoming Events to Watch for:

- May 9th - May-Fest
- June 6th - Corner Stone Ceremony
- July 5th - Crestline Parade
- August 21st - Annual Flagstaff Degree
- August 22nd - Hiram Award Presentation at Flagstaff

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2  Dinner 6:30 P.M. Stated Meeting 7:30 P.M.	3  Hi-Twelve Arrowhead CC- 11:30 A.M. Good Friday	4   Job's Daughters 8:30 A.M. DeMolay 1:30 P.M.
5 <i>Easter Sunday</i>	6	7	8	9  Officers Practice 7:00 P.M.	10 <u>Hi-Twelve</u>  Gate City O.E.S. 7:30 P.M. – Stated Meeting at York Rite Temple	11
12	13	14	15	16  3rd Degree 7:00 P.M.	17 <u>Hi-Twelve</u>	18  Job's Daughters 8:30 A.M.  Coffee/Donuts Social 9:00 A.M.
19	20	21  at Scottish Rite Center 6:15pm - Dinner 7:30pm - POV Ill. Frank Loui 8:15pm - Stating Meetings	22	23  3rd Degree 7:00 P.M.	24 <u>Hi-Twelve</u>  Gate City O.E.S. 7:30 P.M. – Stated Meeting at York Rite Temple	25
26	27  D.O.A. Fontana Lodge 6:30 P.M.	28	29	30  Degree or Practice 7:00 P.M.		