# THE BULLETIN BOARD

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# MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

## NEXT BUREAU MEETING is on

Sunday, August 29, 2010 Review Of

### **Grand Lodge Resolutions**

MW R. Stephen Doan, PGM Pasadena Scottish Rite 150 North Madison Ave. 9:15 AM Coffee and Rolls 10:00 AM Meeting

#### **MAKE A MASONIC MOVIE!**

Are you aware that our Grand Lodge has a contest in progress to develop a 3-minute video on "What does Masonry mean to you?" If chosen, your entry will debut on the Grand Lodge web site and you will win a Flip Video Camcorder! See the article entitled, "Masonry in the Movies", with the contest rules, at www.freemason.org under "News & Events". Deadline for submittal is August 31.



## **July 4th Parades**

Don't miss the two Independence Day Parades in our local area that will have marching units and floats representing our Masonic fraternity. The <u>Santa Clarita Parade</u> starts at 10:00 A.M. Sunday, with participating Masons, Youth Groups and L.A. Commandery No 9 from the northern part of Los Angeles. The west-side Masons will be joining the <u>Pacific Palisades Parade</u> starting at 2:00 P.M. Sunday, with their Schoolhouse float.

# Masonic Veterans to resume WWII memorial trips

After a short summer break to avoid the heat and humidity of the East Coast, flights carrying our Masonic WWII veterans to see the impressive Memorial will start again this fall. Since mid-April, *Operation Greatest Gift* has sent 366 veterans to Washington, D.C., where they visited the World War II, Korean and Vietnam Memorials. Accompanying them were II6 voluntary guardians, to assist our veterans while there. Nearly \$400,000 has already been donated this year to our Grand Master's Special Fund, for this purpose. Openings are still available for veterans. Contact Joyce Hahn at 415-292-9139.



#### *ANNOUNCEMENTS*

Al Malaikah's *Million Dollar Band* will be presenting its annual fundraiser, the *Orchid Breakfast*, this year at the Van Nuys Masonic Center, Sunday, July 11. \$10 per person, 9 A.M. until Noon.

Another yearly event, the 20th Annual New England Summer Picnic, will be held 12 noon, Sat., July 24, with our Grand Master in attendance. Sponsored by the Ventura Scottish Rite Bodies. Note a location change, however – it will be held at Camarillo Grove Park this year, not in Ojai. \$30 Lobster or \$25 steak, as usual. Parking \$5.00. Contact 805-981-8262.

Also on July 24, a special 100th Anniversary Celebration will be held by Elysian Lodge No. 418 at their location on Vermont Avenue, starting at 6:00 P.M. Grand Master Nagel will be there to honor them. \$25.00 per person. Contact 213-369-7926.



## U.C.L.A. CLASSES ON FREEMASONRY BEING OFFERED

The first two courses on Freemasonry. developed this spring as part of the new partnership between our Grand Lodge and the University of California at Los Angeles, are now being offered in an accelerated format to Masons and others. These courses, to be taught by Dr. Natalie Bayer and Matthew Crow from UCLA, cover Freemasonry's impact on the history of Europe and America, and its role in the early development of modern thought. culture and politics. The classes will meet once a week in the evening, for three consecutive weeks, starting in mid-July. They will be given in five different locations throughout the State The local Class is of California. scheduled for July 15, 22, and 29, at the Pasadena Scottish Rite. Due to a generous donation by the California Masonic Foundation, there is a reduced registration fee of only \$60.00 for these classes. A registration form is available on the Grand Lodge Website; deadline is July 7.

#### **MasonicHome.org**

Keep this web site address handy for learning about and accessing the support services offered by our *Masonic Homes for Seniors*, the Senior Outreach (formerly MOS) Program, and the Family Outreach Program.

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