THE BULLETIN BOARD

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ALL CALIFORNIA MASONS WELCOME!

NEXT BUREAU MEETING is on September 25, 2016

<u>Review Of</u> <u>Grand Lodge Resolutions</u> M/W R. Stephen Doan, PGM

Pasadena Scottish Rite 150 North Madison Ave. 9:15 AM Continental Breakfast 10:00 AM Meeting (no ladies)



Planning for the 167th Annual Grand Lodge Communications at the end of October has alreadv started! Reservations for event tickets and/or lodging can now be made on the Grand Lodge Website. Events include Ladies Lunch/Program and Special Saturday Night Entertainment/ Awards. Note that, as usual, Hotel packages are going fast, so make vour reservations now!

Future Events!

August 15, 2016

Night At the L.A. Sports Museum Ionic Composite Lodge No. 520 (benefitting Masons4Mitts)

September 19, 2016 Masons Night at Dodger Stadium

Presentation to Dodgers Youth Program Order tickets from G.L. Office at <u>jcastro@freemason.org</u>

October 28, 2016

Grand Master Breakfast at G.L. 10:00 AM at Marine Memorial Club Sponsored by L.A. Area Inspectors

JULY SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Grand Master David Perry will join with the Heads of the California York Rite Bodies for a <u>Four-Way Reception</u> on Sun., July 3, hosted by the San Fernando Valley York Rite Bodies at Van Nuys Masonic Center.

Another yearly event, the <u>26th Annual</u> <u>New England Summer Picnic</u>, will be held on Sat., July 30th, also with our Grand Master in attendance. Sponsored by the Ventura Scottish Rite Bodies, it will again be held at the Camarillo Grove Park location.

And also the Picnic will be followed that day by the annual informal gathering at <u>Anacapa Lodge 710</u> in Oxnard, called *"The Grand Filipiniana"*, organized in honor of MW Perry.

A special Reception for the Grand Orator, <u>Wor. Marc Newman</u>, will be held by <u>Conejo Valley Lodge 807</u> on Sun., July 24th, at an informal dinner and program.

Several distinguished Grand Lodge Brothers will be honored this month with the Golden Veterans' Award for 50 years of Masonic membership. Our Ass't Grand Tiler (and former Div. 7 AGL), <u>Wor. Roy</u> <u>Pool</u>, is being recognized by his <u>Destiny</u> <u>Lodge 856</u> at a dinner and program at the Covina Masonic Homes on Fri., July 22nd.

And not too far further East, our Past Grand Master, Most Wor. David Decker, will receive this Award from his <u>Upland</u> <u>Mt. Baldy Lodge 419</u> at a dinner and program on Sun., July 23rd.

Our Grand Secretary, Wor. Allan Casalou, will join <u>Beach Cities Lodge 753</u> on Thurs., July 21st, for a Presentation Lecture entitled, "Seven or More – Is There an Ideal Size for a Masonic Lodge?". A social and refreshment hour will precede the 7:30 PM lecture.

And a unique "<u>Cornerstone Removal</u> <u>Ceremony</u>" will take place at the current <u>Shriners Hospital for Children</u> in Los Angeles on Fri., July 29th, in preparation for the erection of the new Hospital now in process in Pasadena. The ceremony includes displaying the articles placed in this original hospital cornerstone.



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., with our Grand Master joining the Masons from <u>Old West Lodge No. 813</u>, the Masonic Youth Groups and the Sir Knights of L.A. Commandery No 9 in the event. It will be followed by a Barbeque at the Lodge.

<u>Riviera Lodge No. 780</u> and L.A.'s westside Masons will be participating in the <u>Pacific Palisades Parade</u> starting at 2:00 P.M., with appropriate banners and flags and our Masonic Youth Groups waving from its "Schoolhouse" float.

Contact these Lodges and march with them!



LEADERSHIP TRAINING FOR YOUTH GROUPS

Our California Masonic Foundation is offering a weekend of leadership experiences, called "<u>LxWeek 2016</u>", to all SoCal DeMolay, Jobs Daughters and Rainbow youth, on July 22-24 at the University of San Diego, for only \$75 per person total including two nights room & board! They hope to enhance real life skills and offer guidance in advancing leadership abilities in these young people.

How about you Lodges also helping your Youth Groups to participate?



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