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ANNUAL BUREAU MEETING

Sunday, January 14, 2018

Pasadena Scottish Rite 150 North Madison Ave. Continental Bkfst. at 9:15 AM Meeting Starts at 10:00 AM



Election of 2018 Bureau Officers, Year End Reports,

Introduction of New Lodge Masters

- This is our Annual Meeting of the Bureau. Reports on its activities for the past Year 2017 will be presented.
- All continuing and newly-appointed Lodge Service Bureau Representatives are particularly encouraged to attend and select our new Executive Committee. For these voting members, a preliminary List of Nominees is provided with this Bulletin.
- Special recognition of the 2018 Lodge Masters is also planned. Pictures will be taken. Come and congratulate them, and give them a good send-off for their year!

PLAN AHEAD!

The <u>Lodge Secretaries & Treasurers</u>
<u>Retreat</u> will take place this year, at the Irvine Marriott, on February 10-11. If a new officer, check out the Friday "Boot Camp" and INTACCT Training!



THE 2018 RITUAL COMPETITION

As Ritual excellence is extremely important in our fraternity, California Masonry yearly encourages this goal by holding a Competition for "Best Ritualist", to promote the best execution possible of our Masonic Degrees.

In 2018, all California Master Masons are invited to compete in the delivery of the Marshal's Interrogations and the Perambulations of all three Degrees. You may compete individually or as part of a team.

Interested competitors must submit a Registration Form to their Inspector by April 1st. Rules and the required Form are located on the GL Website.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Supplementing the L.A. Lodge
Installation Dates included with the
December Bulletin, the following
additional dates are provided for the
month of January:

Culver City-Foshay Lodge 467 – Jan. 6; 5:00 PM Liberal Arts Lodge 677 – Jan. 13; 7:00 PM Beach Cities Lodge 753 – Jan. 14; 4:00 PM Sunset Lodge 369 – Jan. 14; 6:00 PM Santa Monica-Palisades Lodge 307 – Jan 20; 6:30 PM Artesia Sunrise Lodge 377 – Jan. 20

LODGES ORDER YOUR TICKETS NOW!

L.A. Service Bureau Annual Men's Breakfast

honoring

our Grand Master

April 8, 2018

The Hilton Hotel at LAX Los Angeles

\$250.00/table - (\$25.00/person)
Seating is limited - reserve ASAP!

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All EA's, FC's & MM's are welcome!

Masonic Lodge Growth in L.A.!

Within the last year or so, the Los Angeles area will have seen four new Masonic Lodges created! The new Downtown Masonic Lodge No. 859, instituted in September 2016, will hold its Constitution Ceremonies on January 8th, at the L.A. Athletic Club facilities. Two others, the Clarence F. Smith Daylight Lodge (Granada Hills) and the Raven's Rock Lodge (Glendale) should receive their Charter later this year.

Planning to follow a new Lodge concept is another Lodge-in-formation, calling itself the *Anchor Bell Lodge*, which will hold its meetings at *Sunset Masonic Hall* in Santa Monica. It was born of a desire to bring the best Masonic experiences from around the world to L.A. With the Grand Master in attendance, it will hold its *Institution Ceremonies* on January 7th at 6:30 PM.



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