

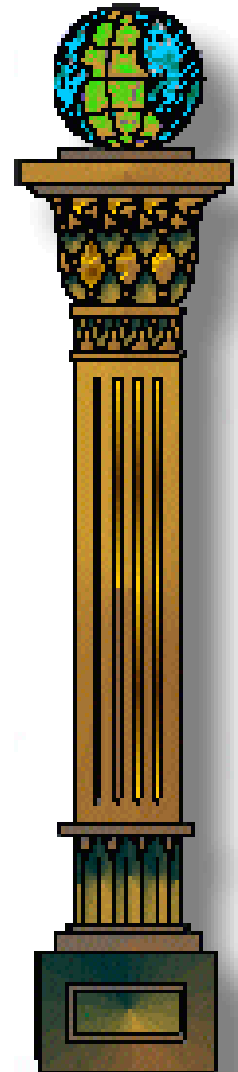
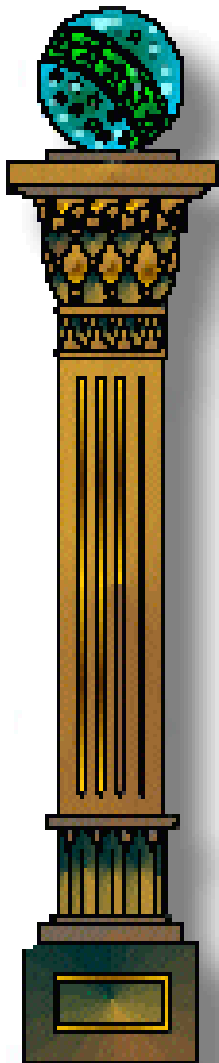


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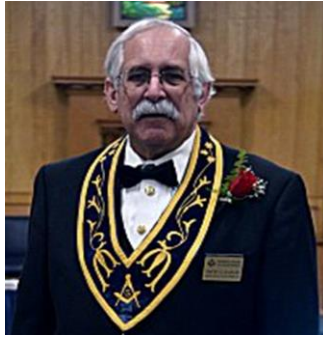
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***August 2023***



## From the East

Brethren and Ladies of S. W. Hackett Lodge,

After a very busy June, July turned out to be a very quiet month for us.

As our stated meeting is normally scheduled for the first Tuesday of every month, this year being the 4<sup>th</sup> of July, we postponed our monthly meeting to the second Tuesday, per our by-laws. On Monday evening, July 10<sup>th</sup>, we signed a lease agreement to use the lodge room of John D. Spreckels Masonic Temple Association as our temporary “home away from home” until the new Scottish Rite building can be completed and approved for occupancy. The parking was a little tight, but all went well and we had a good turnout. One of the highlights was our vote to reinstate Brother Shane C. Williams, Master Mason, to membership in our lodge.

At this time, we are not sure how we will be handling stated dinners going forward, so we are going to try something a little different. As always, we will continue to meet at 6:30pm for dinners prior to the stated meetings. Our next dinner on September 5<sup>th</sup>, will be a “bring your own take-out” theme where you bring your own favorite supper, dessert, and beverage from either a sit-down restaurant, fast food, or home prepared. The dining room will be set up just inside the entrance doors. Ladies are encouraged to attend as Marty will be continuing the after-dinner activities as she did before the change in location. There will also be a sign-up sheet for the October stated dinner where the theme will be “pot luck”. A second sign-up sheet for volunteers for table decorations will also be available. During the month of October, we will solicit thoughts and comments from our members to see whether we should continue these styles of dinners or revert to a more conventional catered dinner.

On another happy subject, the Gales have once again opened their home to what has become one of our most anticipated summer activities: the annual BBQ and pool party. The festivities will begin on Saturday August 26th at 2:00pm and last until you are partied out. The menu is the same as last year: Carne and Pollo Asada. Please bring a side dish or dessert to accompany that. Also, don't forget your swimwear, as it is sure to be plenty hot.

Hoping to see you in lodge as often as possible, I am...

David A. Haslim, PM, Master

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## ***AUGUST CALENDAR***

Tuesday	August 1 <sup>st</sup>	7:30pm	Stated Meeting Only (Business Casual Attire)
Tuesday	August 8 <sup>th</sup>	6:30pm	Lodge Dark (individual coaching - TBA)
Tuesday	August 15 <sup>th</sup>		Lodge Dark
Tuesday	August 22 <sup>nd</sup>	6:30pm	Lodge Dark (individual coaching - TBA)
Saturday	August 26 <sup>th</sup>	2:00pm	BBQ & Pool Party @ Gale's House (details inside)
Tuesday	August 29 <sup>th</sup>		Lodge Dark

### ***2023 OFFICERS/INSPECTOR***

Master .....	David A. Haslim, PM
Sr. Warden .....	Charles I. Caskey
Jr. Warden .....	
Treasurer .....	Clinton R. Black, PM
Secretary .....	Dimiter K. Lyakov, PM
Chaplain .....	Luis M. Gallegos
Sr. Deacon .....	Devon P. Casper
Jr. Deacon .....	Ethan M. Carswell
Marshal .....	Benjamin P. Pulido
Sr. Steward .....	Vaughn W. R. Franklin
Jr. Steward .....	Mark R. Helton
Musician .....	William "JR" Knight, PM
Tiler .....	James J. Achenbach, PM
Inspector 921 <sup>st</sup> District..	Richard W. Bullard, PM

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Funeral	David A. Haslim, PM
Honored Ladies	Maebelle Haslim
Life Membership	Devon P. Casper
Masonic Education	James J. Achenbach, PM
Member Retention	
Public Schools	James J. Achenbach, PM
Sunshine & Visitation	
Trestleboard	David A. Haslim, PM

### ***AUGUST BIRTHDAYS***

<u>Date</u>	<u>Name</u>
2	Devon D. Casper
2	Nicholas S. Coddington, EA
3	Norman "Chris" Parker, PM, HA
7	Kenneth E. Hilburn, GVA
10	Gerald Winstanley, PM, HA
11	Vaughn W. Franklin
24	Kyle B. Dau, PM, HA
24	William "Anthony" Knight
25	Robert L. Salini, PM, HA

GVA – Golden Veterans Award Recipient  
 HA – Hiram Award Recipient

### ***MASONIC ANNIVERSARIES***

<u>Name</u>	<u>Raised</u>	<u>Yrs</u>
None of our current members were raised in August.		



## ***LADIES CORNER***



Happy Summer to all of our Lodge Ladies!

As you can see below, there will not be a dinner in August prior to the stated meeting. We will resume dinner hour at 6:30pm in September. As usual, all of you are invited. We will continue playing bingo with the usual prizes for the winners..

Please do your best to keep cool during this hot spell. The frozen ice packs work wonders.

Hoping to see you in September when we will again be having stated dinners in our new, but only temporary, location!

All My Best Regards,  
Marty Haslim

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### ***AUGUST STATED MEETING DINNER***

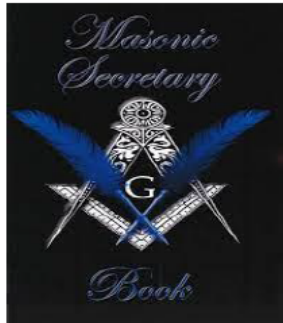
**Brethren and Ladies: We will not be having a stated dinner in August.**

**Over the years, our S. W. Hackett tradition has been to be dark in August, for a variety of reasons, and have only a stated meeting to conduct minimal business.**

**Therefore, our next scheduled stated dinner will be on Tuesday, September 5<sup>th</sup>, 2023 at John D. Spreckels Lodge, 3858 Front Street, San Diego.**

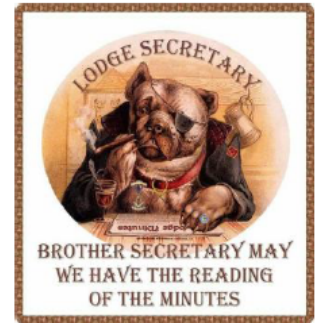
**Please refer to the Master's message for dinner details in September and beyond.**

# FROM THE SECRETARY'S DESK



## IMPORTANT NOTE:

The 2023 Annual Dues are  
**\$127**



- BRING YOUR DUES CURRENT.
- If you haven't already, please pay your dues for 2022.

***Be a supporter of your great Lodge!***

Fraternally,  
Dimiter Lyakov, PM

## EDITOR'S CONTINUAL REQUEST

We have been able to get our mailing costs down by using email for the delivery of the Trestleboard. It will be very helpful if we achieve more email deliveries.

Let us know if you have a working email address so that we can begin emailing your Trestleboard. This will help save the Lodge and money for postage.

You can email Worshipful Dimiter, our Lodge Secretary, at [hackettlodge@gmail.com](mailto:hackettlodge@gmail.com)