

J. DEWEY HAWKINS LODGE No. 331

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Worshipful Master..... Solomon Goldenberg, PDDGM
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Junior Deacon..... Robert Weir
Senior Steward..... George Ivanoff
Junior Steward..... Devon Hilton
Assistant Steward..... Kenneth Wood
Assistant Steward..... Ronald Bogner
Musician..... Michael. Waymire
Tyler..... William F. Levin

LODGE INSTRUCTOR

R.:W.: Michael S. Binder, PDDGM

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SICKNESS & DISTRESS

Brothers, if you are aware of any Brother in sickness or distress, please contact R.: W.: Stephen R. Gladstone, (954) 234-0096 or bocamason@earthlink.net in order that we may render any assistance possible and to reference this information in our trestleboard.

LODGE COMMITTEES

Board of Relief

W.: Solomon Goldenberg, PDDGM
Marques Gibson
Javier Hernandez

Building Committee

R.:W.: Michael S. Binder, PDDGM
R.:W.: Nicholas L. Canora, PDDGM
Roshan Ishahack
Kenneth Wood

Finance

R.:W.: Nicholas L. Canora, PDDGM
R.:W.: Stephen R. Gladstone, PDDGM
R.:W.: Michael J. Maher, PDDGM

Lodge Property

R.:W.: Michael S. Binder, PDDGM
R.:W.: Nicholas L. Canora, PDDGM
R.:W.: Emil "Skip" Meyer, PDDGM

Masonic Education*

W.: Melville B. Herron, PM
Ronald J. Bogner
Javier Hernandez
George Ivanoff
Roberto Weir

Petitions**

R.:W.: Michael S. Binder, PDDGM
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W.: Melville B. Herron, PM
R.:W.: Emil "Skip" Meyer, PDDGM

Public Education

Ronald J. Bogner
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Vigilance

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* Also serving on subcommittee "Mentors"

** Also serving as the Character Committee

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From the East

Last night we had a great family reunion at Franco & Vinnie's, a small Italian restaurant on Sunrise Boulevard. Although only five officers of the lodge were there with their partners, we also had five potential candidates and their spouses. The five brothers who attended were R.:W.: Stephen Gladstone, Brother Javier, Brother Ron, Brother Ken and myself. Our Fellowcraft Brother Mike Gonzalez came solo and we had four interested members who came with their ladies. I am sorry that none of the old guard (other than R.:W.: Gladstone) were there to support us. However, I can only commend Brother Ron for his choice of venue. The food was excellent and we all had a good time.

Our next officer's meeting is next Thursday September 2 at 7.00 pm. We have certain matters to discuss such as an update on the roof of the lodge, confirming the Master Mason Degree on October 7th (a called meeting) and the Grand Master's visit on Saturday, October 9th. I have invited our Fellow Crafts to join us and get involved.

My Brothers we are No. 1 for the Joe Weinberg trophy. We only have two more events to increase our lead. I am therefore asking you for your support to ensure that as many Brothers as possible attend the Grand Master's Official Visit on October 9th and the Masters and Wardens pre-Christmas fund raising party on November 6th. It will be the first time our lodge is successful in winning the trophy.

My Brothers I would like to have a Public Relations and Publicity day at our lodge. This will be an open meeting and we shall have a MASONIC PLAY enacted by Brothers of our lodge in the near future. I have been advised that R.:W.: Wallace Fine will be in attendance, schedule permitting It is my desire to have the play accompanied by a dinner, and awards presentations. I look forward for your support for the above events.

Finally my Brothers I would like to wish our Jewish Brethren a Happy and Healthy New Year and a Holy Yom Kippur.

Sol. Goldenberg (Worshipful Master)

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PETITIONS FOR THE THREE DEGREES OF FREEMASONRY

It is requested that all members of the Lodge consider carefully the Petitioners whose names appear below, notifying the Chairman of the Investigation Committee of any facts or reasons which you believe would justify denial of the Petition. **All information received will be held in strictest confidence.**

Robert W. Smathers Plantation, Fl

PETITIONS FOR PLURAL MEMBERSHIP

PETITION FOR REINSTATEMENT

PETITIONS

All Petitions are to be fully executed, leaving **no** blank spaces. The signatures on the reverse side must be accompanied by a **legible**, printed indication of that individual's name. It is the responsibility of the Brother receiving the Petition to confirm these requirements are complied with **or the Petition will be returned without further action.** Please govern yourselves accordingly.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY BROTHER(s)

September

3rd Jack Lay
8th William Benny
John Manning
Harry Perkins
15th Charlie Brooks
19th Oscar Ribiero
26th Richard Jones
27th Sidney Sontag
28th Kevin McNulty

DON'T LET YOUR MEMBERSHIP LAPSE

The dues notices for 2010 have been mailed. If you are unable to pay your dues, please contact the Worshipful Master at (786) 251-4509 or the Secretary at (954) 484-2929.

2010 Dues: \$100.00
\$ 10.00 Voluntary Building
Fund Contribution
\$ 7.30 Let Your Pennies
Make Good Cents

Perpetual and Honorary members-please send in your \$7.30. These monies add up and are for the sole purpose of keeping our Masonic Home operating at its current level of excellence

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IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

September 6 th	Labor Day
September 9 th	Stated Meeting
September 10 th	Ferramo Grotto at Lauderdale Lakes Moose
September 13 th	York Rite-Chapter & Council
September 14 th	DDGM visit to Coral Springs Lodge
September 18 th -19 th	Board weekend at the Masonic Home
September 23 rd	Stated Meeting
September 25 th	Grand Master's Homecoming
September 29 th	Masters & Wardens at Eureka Northshore Lodge
October 7 th	Master Mason Degree
October 9 th	Grand Master's Official Visit

REVITALIZATION OF OUR YORK RITE CHAPTER

Brothers, our Junior Warden, Javier Hernandez and our Worshipful Master, Solomon Goldenberg, are trying to revitalize **your** York Rite Chapter. Please try to attend these meetings and show your support

THE BOOKS ARE HERE

The written books containing all the esoteric work are available on the first Wednesday of each month at Doric Lodge No. 140. These are a "Must See" for those instructing our catechisms, putting on any of our three degrees or just for your own edification. Please contact R.:W.: Al McDonald at (954) 805-0445 to confirm the time.