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Other Local Masonic District Lodges

Salinas Lodge #204
(831) 424-5284
48 San Joaquin St.
Salinas, CA 93901
2nd Tuesday @7:30pm

Pacific Grove Lodge #331
(831) 649-1834
Lighthouse and Central Ave.
Pacific Grove, CA 93950
1st Thursday @8:00pm

Santa Lucia Lodge #302
(831) 385-3367
421 Broadway
King City, CA 93930
2nd Thursday @8:00pm

Carmel Lodge #680
Lincoln Between 7th & 8th
Carmel, CA 93921
1st Tuesday @8:00pm

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Message from the East

Brethren,

I would like to thank all the Brothers, from both our Lodge and our local Lodges, who made March such a successful month for us here at Monterey. We have seen greater attendance at our degrees than we have in a long time. Our Lodge greatly appreciates all the help we have received from our Brothers at Pacific Grove, Carmel, and Salinas. As they have come out to support us, we have been honored to be of service to them already this month, and we look forward to more inter-Lodge cooperation in the months to come.

This last month we have seen the initiation of two new Brothers, David Fisher and Robert Boggs,

plus the impressive show of support at the raising of Brother Miroslav Lipowski

to Master Mason. We began March by hosting a local, nonprofit organization raise money to send local, at-risk girls to a college summer camp, and ended by hosting La Parfait Union Lodge #17 as they initiated Brother Daniel Schperberg into the Fraternity in the French Ritual. Over forty brothers attended and the sidelines were packed!

April looks to be just as packed with degrees and events. We will be initiating, passing, and raising Brothers this month and we will need the



support of everyone to make these events continued successes. We also plan to continue our social events this month with a trip up to the Mystery Spot in Santa Cruz, Game Night, and, when the weather gets a little warmer, some Bocce Ball. Updates and info will follow for these events.

We are still updating our membership roster and mailing lists in order to better serve you, the Lodge. If your address or contact info has changed, please update your info with our Secretary, or by emailing it to monterey217@gmail.com. Also, don't forget to check out the new website for a more complete calendar of events and updates on the good work your Lodge is achieving this year!

Fraternally Yours, Ethan Meyer

Message from the West

Brethren,

There will be a possible two Second Degree conferals on April 5th and I'd like to invite all Fellow Craft and Master Masons to attend and possibly lend some assistance in the Lodge that night.

I would like to ask every brother to assist the Lodge when called upon by Wor-

shipful Master Ethan Meyer, in all its events between April 19 through May 17. I, the Senior Warden and Brother Jamcy Castro, Junior Deacon, will be in the Philip-pines on those days. Among other things, we will be visiting Masonic Lodges during our stay there.

Please lend your assistance, whenever possible, to help out in our absence.

Fraternally
yours, Virgil
Quina, Jr.



New Website!

Check it out at:

www.montereylodge217.org

April Calendar

- Apr. 5 7:30pm Second Degree**
- Apr. 12 7:30pm Stated Meeting**
- Apr. 19 7:30pm Third Degree/SOI @ Monterey**
- Apr. 26 6:30pm Social Evening & Dinner**

May Calendar

- May 3 7:30pm Degree**
- May 10 7:30pm Stated Meeting**
- May 17 7:30pm Degree**
- May 24 6:30pm Social Evening & Dinner**
- May 31 Memorial Day**



Inspector's Message

Brethren,

First a much deserved THANK YOU to those who participated in the Ritual Competition and the Officer's coaches who made it possible.

The School of Instruction for the Officers of District 357 is scheduled at Monterey Lodge, April 19th at 7:30 pm. We will be reviewing the opening on the 1st Degree, both sections of the degree and closing. Come prepared to exemplify the work. We will pay particular attention to the work of the Marshall and Stewards.

Fraternally, Gene Bassett, PM - Inspector, 357th District

Message from the South

Brethren,

I would like to extend my congratulations to Bro David Fisher in completing his First Degree last March and I wish him luck in his wonderful journey into Masonry. I would like to thank Bro Marcus for putting together a wonderful dinner last month for our Social dinner and an outstanding French style cuisine dinner for La Parfait Union Lodge #17 after their French first degree conferral, courtesy of our Lodge.

Bro Joe Holt will be preparing the social dinner for April. Please make your reservations to our

Bro Secretary Leonard Green at (831) 375-6662. Please see below for April's menu.

Fraternally yours,

Virgil Quina, Sr.



April Dinner

****Spaghetti and Meatballs****

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****Garlic bread and fresh, tossed salad will be served with the main course****

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****Dessert will be pie a la mode****

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****Coffee, Tea & Soft drinks****

Dues are Due!

If you haven't yet paid your dues for 2010, contact our Secretary at 375-6662 or send a check for \$73 to the Lodge address on the front..