

Master Mason Association District 27 Meeting Minutes

May 22, 2010

Held at Sarasota Lodge Number 147

The meeting of the 27th District Master Mason Association was called to order at 6:44 pm on May 21st, 2010 by President W: . Rocky Kearney at Sarasota Lodge Number 147. After the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of our Country and opening prayer by R: . W: . Gerald Goacher, President Kearney welcomed the 32 Brothers present as per the attendance register. All officers were present except the Secretary, W: . Lou Marchetti.

Sickness and Distress: Non reported.

Treasurer's Report: R: . W: . John Wermann reported that the beginning balance was \$309.41, there had been expenses in the amount of \$83.49 and a deposit in the amount of \$60.00 for new life time members; Richard Muller, Mike Cripps and William Henley III all from Englewood, ending balance of \$283.92. The check book having been reconciled through April 30th. . . Approved. The Secretary to add these 3 new life members to our rolls.

Old Business: A plaque of appreciation had been dropped off at R: . W: . John Wermann's house and he thanked the Brothers for the honor.

New Business: Brother Earl Dennis announced that Manatee Lodge's hog roast fund raiser held this past weekend was most successful. It raised \$500.00 which will be turned over to the Master Mason Association to defray the cost of the Grand Masters' Visit. On another note: Sarasota Lodge is hosting bowling fund raiser for the same purpose on the 12th of June, 2010. On another note: R: . W: . Gene Jeffers thanked all of the Brothers for their support over the past year and told all how much he had enjoyed his year. On another note: The District Instructor Right Honorable Frank Albenson, soon to be the District Deputy Grand Master, announced that there were going to be many changes this coming year and he would cover some of them in the Lodge of Instruction following this meeting at 7:30 pm.

Lodge Reports and Calendars:

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| Manatee Lodge Number 31: | June 7th - There will be a Steak Dinner at 6:15pm. followed by a Stated meeting 7:30 pm; June 21st - Will be a Stated Meeting at 7:30 pm followed by a Pot Luck Dinner; June 28th - A Fellowcraft Degree will be held at 7:00pm. |
| Braidentown Lodge Number 99: | June 1st and 15th will be the Stated Meetings. June 12th there will be a work party followed by a fish fry opened to the public from 2 to 5 pm. |
| Cary B. Fish Lodge Number 346: | There was no report at this time. |
| Palmetto Lodge Number 110: | June 14th and 28th will be the Stated Meetings. |
| Sarasota Lodge Number 147: | June 8th and 22nd - will be Stated Meetings with a Pot Luck Dinner to follow on the 22nd Meeting; June 15th - There will be a Conductor Training at 7:30 pm; June 29th - there will be a Fellowcraft Degree at 7:30 pm. |
| Venice Lodge Number 301: | June 21st - will be their only Stated Meeting of the Month; June 5th - There will be a Lodge Picnic at Caspersen Beach from 1 to 5 pm. |
| Englewood Lodge Number 360: | On June 15th - will be their only Stated Meeting of the Month. June 13th - there will be a Bar-B-Q fund raiser from 11:30 am to 2:00 pm. |

The Builders Lodge Number 376: June 8th - will be their only Stated Meeting of the Month with dinner; They will be completely dark July and August

Announcements: Several Zone and District Committeemen introduced themselves and will be getting in touch with the Lodges after the Grand Lodge Communication.
The next meeting of the Master Mason Association will be held at 6:45 pm on June 24th at Manatee Lodge Number 31.

A closing prayer was offered by R: . W: . Gerald Goacher.

With all business having been presented and completed, W: . Rocky Kearney closed the meeting at 7:10 pm.

Peace and harmony prevailed.

Fraternally and Sincerely,

R: . W: . John F. Wermann, PDDGM, Secretary, Pro Tem

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