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| Danny Cook, Worshipful Master | 613-5197 |
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| Matt Newhouse, Junior Warden | 961-2608 |
| Armin Wolle, Treasurer | 684-2196 |
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| Jim Brown, Chaplain | 806-4433 |
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| Randy Roberts, Senior Deacon | 412-3936 |
| Pete Paul, Junior Deacon | 848-2019 |
| Art Hitch, Senior Steward | 613-2534 |
| Wyatt Werneth, Junior steward | 704-0151 |
| Cliff Schmitt, Tyler | 543-6794 |
| Don Pretsch, PDDGM, Marshall | 784-2659 |

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| Social Events | 321-848-1137 Armin Wolle, Treas. Noral Koehn Danny Cook, WM Rodger Fowler, PDI Rodger Fowler, PDI Tom Savage, PM Josh Pryor Noral Koehn Rodger Fowler, PDI Brother Casey Roberts Randy Roberts, SD Rodger Fowler, PDI John Johanson, SW John Johanson, SW Rodger Fowler, PDI |

Trestle board



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MARCH 2014

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Contact our Secretary at 321-783-0339 or send an E-mail to **Rodger1out@aol.com** to participate.

MARCH MASONIC BIRTHDAYS

- 06 Ronald Vaughn
- 06 William Workman, Jr.
- 17 Paul Davis
- 17 Thomas Perry
- 24 Rodney Bornefeld
- 26 Steven Mageras
- 28 Donald Scott
- 29 John Ensminger

MARCH BIRTHDAYS

- 03 Darrell Schmitt
- 08 Kevin Moser
- 08 Mathew Schnicke10 Donald Cardelli
- 10 Bollard Cardel
- James ScraggGeorge Snyde
- George SnyderRobert Crawford
- 12 Billy Wiggins
- 12 Dilly Wiggins
- Wendell Wilkins
- 25 Robert Hackett
- 29 Ronald Vaughn

Lodge Meetings in the 26th Masonic District

Melbourne No. 143 - 1st & 3rd Mondays Lodge Phone 727-8675

Merritt Island No. 353, 1st & 3rd Mondays Lodge Phone 338-7391

Beach No. 354 - 1st & 3rd Tuesdays Lodge Phone 729-0042

Brevard No. 113 - 1st & 3rd Tuesdays Lodge Phone 636-4785

Palm Bay No. 397 - 1st & 3rd Tuesdays Lodge Phone 727-8675

Canaveral No. 339 - 2nd & 4th Mondays Lodge Phone 783-0339

Gateway No. 384 - 2nd & 4th Mondays Lodge Phone 267-9822

Harbor City No. 318 - 2nd & 4th Tuesdays Lodge Phone 254-3456

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Awaiting the Fellow Craft Degree

Brother Noral Koehn Brother Casey Roberts Brother Josh Pryor

Petitions Approved for Membership None waiting at this time

Eastern Star Chapter 297

The ladies will be having their Pot Luck Dinner on April 30th at 5:00 PM. Bring a Dish and enjoy the wonderful fellowship. Sister Evie makes the best desserts on the beach, come see for yourself.

Sickness and Distress

Ms. Glenda Cook, the wife of our Worshipful Master, Danny Cook was hospitalized with pneumonia. She has been released from Canaveral Hospital & is recuperating at home.

Memorial Perpetual & Honorary Memorial

GL-411 (\$200) (43) Alben B. Kouns Robert E. Wicker Fredrick W. Jaehne Joseph P. Rubino Roy J. Worley Hartwell P. Strickland Charles W. Phiffer Walter L. Pate Roy L. Greer James B. Brown Hugh E. May William W. Murray, Jr. George R. Rogers Robert T. Shaver Ralph D. VanValkenburg Robert W. Hacker John W. Keller, Jr. Albert E. Halev Raymond L. Brewer Henshall J. Ravenscroft Billy M. Harrison, Sr. Richard L. McDole Robert O. Whymeyer Robert E. Mann Donald J. Pressler Stewart L. Carse Eugene J. Jandreau James C. Cowan

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Wallace B. Jacobs

Jean A. Burris

Fredrick A. Riegel, Jr.

George C. Edwards Jr.

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Jerald B. Geistweile John W. Cook

Grover R. Revels Roger A. Quick Carmen J. Marino Joseph P. Davies

GL-412 (\$200) (21)

Charity of the Month

Canaveral Lodge made a monetary donation in support of the Masonic Medical Research Laboratory, a not-for-profit corporation and the Grand Lodges' Flagship Charity.

Lodge Breakfast & Dinner

We thank everybody that attended & supported our Saturday Breakfast & Dinner. It was a real joy seeing so many smiling faces again in the lodge.

Perpetual Members and Friends

GL-410 (20x dues) 31 Deceased * Pending (P)

Charles H. Smith Edmund Vincent* James E. Harrison* Thomas J. Neal* Rayfield D. Farmer* Harry L. Brown* Wayne J. Lennox* Rodger S. Fowler Russell E. Fowler Robert D. Hackett Pete N. Mageras* BW Laubenheimer Sr.* Robert E. Wicker II Bruce Laubenheimer Jr. Matthew A. Schnicke (P)

Walter M. Schirra, Jr.* Vernon L. Jenson* Rodney P. Bornefeld Robert W. Fitch John R. Ensminger Joseph R. Morgan* Oliver W. Follweiler III Eugene A. Sanderlin* William L. Ewertz John C. Hallenborg* Arthur H. Hansen* Danny E. Cook Billy M. Harrison, Jr. John W. Werneth (P)

John J. Johanson Plural Perpetual (3) GL-417 (20x dues x 2)

Thomas M. Savage Edmund J. Peresluha Barry R. Shaffer

Armin Wolle

GL-416 (\$200) 38 **Scott Carpenter**

Alan B. Shepard* Donald K. Slayton* Jessie W. Fowler* Katherine Ensminger* Helen Wicker* Othella Riegel Janice Pate Stamatia Mageras Mary Jacobs Dorothy Hartley* **Dorothy Harrison** Irma Halev* Norinne Farmer* Toy Edwards Helen Disbrow* Sandra Crisp Margaret Bachus Jo An Konjevich Mary Lee Hansen Bruce Goodwin Edmund S. Fowler* Oscar S. Worlev* Hettie Rubino* Roma Phillips Ralph Phillips Bernie Marino Kimberly Parish*

Margit Hansen* Lisa Tsotsos **Rusty Fisher** Terry Griffith Craig Harriman Wayne A. Meadows

Jane Townsend Roger Burleigh Joseph D. Dvorak Georgia L. Dvorak

Honorary & 50 Year Exempt

GL-413 (\$200) 3 Gerald R. Ford John H. Glenn, Jr. Edwin E. "Buzz" Aldrin. Jr.

GL-415 (\$200) 13

Billy D. Emrick Dale E. Prosuhn Walter W. Taylor Ralph W. Robb* Eugene A. Sanderlin*

Irven C. Davis Herman H. Efud Robert B. Crawford James J. Fayed, Sr.* Lacy B. Latta Jack B. Schwartz Alvin F. Stern, Jr. George B. Snyder

From the EAST

Brothers,

Every year we like to show our appreciation to our Brothers' widows. This year we are inviting them to join us at the Olive Garden in Merritt Island on April 17 at Noon. We ask that you join us by attending & showing your respects for these wonderful ladies.

Canaveral Lodge will be hosting a garage sale on May 17th from 8-5. We are renting the tables for \$25.00 each. You just bring the items you wish to sale, keep all the proceeds & take away any items left over. We will take care of the permit, signs & advertisements.

The next lodge breakfast will be March 8 from 8-10 AM for only \$6.00. This is a made to order breakfast & includes waffles this year.

The next lodge dinner will be March 22 from 5:30 -7:30 PM. Chicken Parmesan will be the main course, per our JW. AGAIN

If you would like to receive the Trestle Board, please send us your email address.

We will have hard copies available at the lodge, so stop by, say hello & pick up a copy.

We hope you will continue to support our monthly Breakfast & Dinner meals. Brother Cliff Schmitt has won a very nice cutlery set & a River Cruise. Ms. Glenda Cook won the drawing at our latest dinner & received a nice 32 piece Auto Emergency Kit. (cont.)

From the EAST (cont.)

TIME CHANGE

Our dinner menu will vary each month and will be from 5:30-7:30 PM on the 4th Saturday of each month.

Brother Cliff Schmitt won the door prize at our Breakfast on Saturday, February 08, 2014

Congratulations again to Brother Cliff.

Our breakfast will be on the second Saturday of the month from 8-10 AM.

Have a great month!

Sincerely & Fraternally, Danny Cook, Worshipful Master

From the WEST

Brother Senior Warden

Have you have an article for the Trestle Board?

No Article for the Trestle Board

Worshipful Master

Fraternally,

John Johanson, Senior Warden

Check the Trestle Board for dates & times for the Ball Games.

REMENBER TO SEND US YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS FOR A COPY OF THE TRESTLEBOARD

From the South

My Brothers, as you can see on the calendar included in this Trestle Board, our Lodge will be passing our two youngest Brothers to the degree of FC on March 31st. I hope those of you who are able, will take the time to attend. Some of us can't wait to attend our Grammyworthy MM degree.

You should consider attending our FC degree as well. During the time of Operative Masons, one started out as an Apprentice and only after mastering the trade, was called before the Lodge to do a Master's Piece to show his skill. Upon approval with a ballot, the Apprentice became a Fellow of the Craft, also known as a Master Mason. Having only these two distinctions between an Apprentice and a Fellow/Master was retained even after the forming of the Grand Lodge of England in 1717.

However, the amount of ritual work took up more time than could comfortably fit in two degrees, so the first degree was split in two: the EA and the FC, and the original second degree became the today's third, the MM degree.

Much of the symbolisms we use in Freemasonry are explained in the FC degree. Personally, I always enjoy the lecture and explanations even though I have heard it many times before.

Let us all attend, share a good meal, enjoy the fellowship, and support our youngest Brothers who are making the same journey we have all embarked on, with the same enthusiasm which we, ourselves have also experienced

Fraternally,

Matt Newhouse, Junior Warden

MARCH 2014 - Canaveral Lodge No. 339, F. & A.M. CHARITY Of The MONTH --- MMRL

| Sun | Monday | Tuesday | Wed | Thursday | Fri | Saturday |
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| | | | | Masonic Education 6:00 PM | | 1 Masters & Wardens Brevard Lodge #113 8:00 AM Breakfast 9:00 AM Meeting |
| 2 | 3 | DDGM Official Visit to Brevard Lodge | OES Meeting 7:30 OPEN BOOKS Harbor City Lodge 6:00 PM | Masonic Education 6:00 PM | 7 | Morning Breakfast 8-10 AM \$6.00 |
| 9 | Stated Communication 6:30 Dinner 7:30 Meeting | Masonic Education 6:00 PM | 12 | DDGM Official Visit to Indian River Lodge | 14 | 15 |
| 16 | 17 | Masonic Education 6:00 PM | OES Meeting 7:30 | Masonic Education 6:00 PM | 21 | Saturday Night Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM \$8.00 |
| 23 | 24 <u>Stated</u> <u>Communication</u> 6:30 Dinner 7:30 Meeting | 25 <u>Masonic</u> <u>Education</u> 6:00 PM | 26 | Masonic Education 6:00 PM | 28 | 29 |
| 30 | 31 <u>Called Communication</u> <u>Fellow Craft Degree</u> 6:00 Dinner 7:00 Meeting | April 1 Catechism Class 5:00 PM Masonic Ed. 6:00 PM | April 2 OES 7:30 OPEN BOOKS Harbor City Lodge 6:30 PM | April 3 Catechism Class 5:00 PM Masonic Ed. 6:00 PM | 4 | April 5 <u>Masters & Wardens</u> Melbourne Lodge #143 8:00 AM Breakfast 9:00 AM Meeting |

Congratulations to the following members:

Awaiting the Fellow Craft Degree March 31th 2014 @ 7:00 PM

Brother Noral Koehn & Brother Josh Pryor

Congratulations for your service to Masonry:

Robert Hentschel - 60 Years Mike Hampton, PM – 25 Years Andrew Kittren – 40 Years Wayne Cook – 25 Years

From the Secretary's Desk

If you are interested in receiving Lodge notices and/or the Trestle board, please forward your email address to rodger1out@aol.com or ccbeach2001@gmail.com or visit our web site at www.canaverallodge.org and place your request with the web master.

Please notify the Secretary if your mailing address or your email address changes. We strive to communicate with our members and the Trestle board is vital to this effort. Some members have requested mail delivery vs. email and we are doing just that, for those we have heard from. We are continuously trying to keep our Trestle Board costs to a minimum.

Worshipful Master's Corner Canaveral Lodge No. 339, F&AM

The Worshipful Master's Corner March- 2014

Freemasonry is composed of a family of organizations bound by common purposes and ideals; dedicated to improving life by improving human kind. Blue Lodge Masonry (also known as Craft or Symbolic Masonry) is the starting point. To be affiliated with any other part of the family you must first be a Blue Lodge Mason or a member of a Blue Lodge Mason's family. Once made a Master Mason, other Masonic Organizations are open for membership. These include: The York Rite of Freemasonry. The Scottish Rite of Freemasonry. And The Shrine. The Order of the Eastern Star, is a Masonic organization open to men and women; and your children can become a part of several organizations, including DeMolay for boys, Jobs Daughters and Rainbow for girls.

In the Beginning...

The Blue Lodge is the beginning of Masonry. It is the foundation on which all other Masonic organizations are built.

Origins...

Many Masons believe that the Fraternity has its origins in the building of King Solomon's Temple and that the three degrees represent the three classes of workmen, the Entered Apprentice, Fellow Craft, and Master Mason. In fact, these are the names of the three degrees of the Blue Lodge. Others believe that the Fraternity was born from the guilds of stone masons who built the castles and cathedrals of medieval Europe. Other "popular" theories claim the Fraternity was originated by the Pharaohs of ancient Egypt or as a place for the Knights Templar to hide after the purge by Phillip of France and Clemet V in 1307. What we do know for sure is that organized Speculative Freemasonry began in 1717 when four London lodges came together at the Goose and Gridiron Ale House, St Paul's Churchyard, and formed them into a Grand Lodge. Masonry in the United States can be traced back to early colonial times. By the American Revolution there were an estimated 250 lodges in the colonies. Many Masons of the time, including George Washington, Nathaniel Greene and Henry Knox were staunch patriots. Many claim that the Declaration of Independence and the Bill of Rights were documents founded upon Masonic principles.

In the United States each state and the District of Columbia is organized independently under its own Grand Lodge. Individual Lodges are chartered by the Grand Lodge and work under that charter. Masonry teaches good men to become better, not better than others, but better than themselves. It teaches life's lessons through a progressive series of degrees. Symbolic or Blue Lodge Masonry is composed of the degrees of Entered Apprentice, Fellow Craft, and Master Mason. It is the foundation upon which all other Masonic orders are based. The prescribed ritual is taught using symbolism and allegories, the interpretation and value of each is unique to each brother mason, based upon his own experiences.

Fraternally & Sincerely,

Danny Cook, Worshipful Master

Schedule for Nationals Ball Games

You can volunteer to help work at these Ball Games & earn money for Canaveral Lodge.

Last year Canaveral Lodge earned approximately \$1,000.00 by working this event.

You do not have to be a Mason to volunteer your time. Anyone can volunteer & work under the name of Canaveral Lodge.

The schedule is posted below.

Contact Worshipful Bo Ewertz to volunteer.

EwertzW@ginl.state.gov

The evening games fill up fast, so respond quickly if you need an evening game.

All these games are at 1:05 PM

March: 1,2,5,7,8,9,11,13,16,20,22,25 Weekend games are March 8, 9,16,22

These games are at 6:05 PM

March: 10 & 19

Total Games: 14

THE THUNDERING 26th MASONIC DISTRICT MASONS

The 26th Masonic District held a Masonic Child ID Event at the Crane Community Center in Melbourne, Florida on February 22, 2014.he program processed 22 children, including a couple of seniors. In attendance at this event were: W:. Terry Hill of Palm Bay Lodge, W:. Kirk Hall of Beach Lodge, Brothers Noral Kohen, Cliff Schmitt, & Armin Wolle from Canaveral Lodge, Brother Romel Saweress of Harbor City Lodge & W:. M:. Danny Cook of Canaveral Lodge. As the new Chairman of the 26th Masonic Distinct for the Child ID Program, I extend my warmest thanks to those brothers that gave up their personal time to help with a very good cause. Thank You.

Masonic Memorial Service

On February 23rd, 2014, Canaveral Lodge held a Masonic Memorial Service for **Brother Junior Cameron** of Muncy Lodge No. 299 in Muncy, PA. There were approximately 75 people in attendance. Brother Junior was a 50 year Mason & 90 years young. Brother Junior & his wife Kilda visited our lodge many times just for the fellowship & our breakfast. The service was held at the Veterans' Memorial Park behind Merritt Square Mall. (cont.)

(memorial service cont.)

In attendance was:

W:. M:. Danny Cook, (Presiding Officer)

W:. Dan Maltby (Great Lights),

Brother Armin Wolle (Chaplain), RH Rodger Fowler (Secretary).

Ms. Kilda Cameron was very appreciative of Canaveral Lodge for us putting on this Memorial Service for her husband. We must have done a great job, as we got a hardy applause from the crowd. Ms. Cameron looks forward to having breakfast at our lodge in the future and bringing her friends and neighbors.

Monthly Lodge Dinner for February

Our monthly dinner at the lodge was a success. Whenever we make a profit, I call this a success. We thank **Brother Matt Newhouse** all his hard work in putting on this dinner for the lodge. As he is a real Junior in the kitchen. He is learning fast and doing a fantastic job. He is in need of more help in the kitchen, as he is new in all aspects of shopping, cooking, serving & cleaning up. If you can lend him a hand, he would surely appreciate it.

Our next lodge meal is a breakfast on March 8th from 8:00 AM until 10:00 AM.

Please join us for a great breakfast & even better fellowship.