

THE TRESTLEBOARD

DECEMBER 2024
INSTALLATION EDITION



Left-to-right

Bro. Fred Robinson (Steward), Bro. Damon Bose (Steward), Bro. Ryan Clark (Senior Deacon), WB Gary Loeb (Secretary), Bro. Dustin Barron (Junior Warden), WB Bryan Young (Master), Bro. Shane Larson (Senior Warden), Bro. Derreck Thompson (Treasurer), Bro. Arizona Milke (Chaplain), Bro. Jim Contreras (Tyler), Bro. Jerome Sinclair (Musician), Bro. Tom Dawson (Marshal)

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Congratulations to Bro. Michael Condon, who was Raised to the Sublime Degree of Master Mason in Sun City Lodge #72 on Thursday, November 21, 2024

Job well done by our newly installed line of officers, under the leadership of WB Bryan Young.





ALMONER NOTIFICATION
NECROLOGY

**Bro. Edward J. Hanzel died October 21, 2024,
at the age of 82**

***As our beloved brother pass to the Celestial Grand
Lodge above, we will remember him in our hearts and
in our prayers, may the G.A.O.T.U look after him. R.I.P.***

From all at Sun City Lodge #72

***If you hear of a Brother in Distress, please contact the
Lodge Almoner, WBro Barry White***



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anonymous*



From the East



Fraternal Greetings from the East

My brothers, I am humbled to have been elected as Master of our Lodge. With the blessing of the Great Architect of the Universe, I will strive to live up to the expectation of my brothers. I know I have large shoes to fill and will do my best to fill them. Your Lodge Officers this year are looking forward to another successful year for our Lodge. I am honored to have these men assisting me at continuing to move our Lodge forward. We indeed have the most amazing Lodge which is due to the members. I thank you for your trust in me.

This year, I have adopted the moto; "United in Brotherhood, Strengthened by Family." I believe our family is a very important part of our fraternity. I know my wife, Mone puts up with a lot of my time being gone. My goal is to find a way to get our loved ones involved. I am open to any ideas you may have. I would like to start by extending an open invitation for your loved ones to join us for dinner at our stated meetings or any degree night.

This year we will once again work at Surprise stadium during Spring Training. Brother Ryan Clark has taken the lead once again. He has recruited Brother's Dustin Barron and Fred Robinson to spread the responsibility. If you have not worked at the stadium, please sign up for just one day. Once you work a day, you will realize that not only is it a great time with your brothers, but it is also a chance to show who we are to the public. See the above brothers for more information.

I am hoping you all have a wonderful Thanksgiving with family and friends. Enjoy your time with your loved ones. Stay safe and healthy.

"Lux in Tenbris."

Fraternally,

Bryan Young

Worshipful Master

Sun City Lodge #72

From the West



Greetings from the West,

It's truly humbling to write my first Trestleboard article as Senior Warden. It feels like just yesterday I was penning my first words from the South. Serving as Junior Warden this past year has been an absolute honor and privilege, and I am excited for the opportunities and challenges that lie ahead as I take my place in the West.

I have some big shoes to fill following Worshipful Brother Bryan Young, whose dedication and leadership have left a lasting impact on our lodge. I'd like to express my heartfelt gratitude to Worshipful Brother Doug for allowing me to be part of his line and for his unwavering guidance throughout my journey.

Congratulations to Worshipful Brother Bryan Young on becoming Master of the Lodge! I have no doubt that you will lead us with wisdom and distinction, and I am honored to stand by your side as your Senior Warden. Congratulations as well to all the Officers of Sun City Lodge — I know we will make this a great year, working together to uphold the values and traditions we cherish.

As we move into the holiday season, I want to wish everyone a joyful and meaningful time with family and friends. I hope your Thanksgiving was filled with good food, warm company, and reflections on the many blessings in our lives.

Here's to a wonderful year ahead, filled with fellowship, growth, and continued service to our fraternity and community.

Fraternally,

Bro Shane Larson

Senior Warden

Sun City Lodge 72



From the South



Greetings from the South,

I want to first thank the Brethren for bestowing the honor upon me with the opportunity to serve as the Jr Warden of Sun City Lodge #72 for the upcoming year. It is something which I humbly take on and hope to serve the Worshipful Master and brethren as best as I possibly can. Thank you to all who attended and invited friends and family to the installation ceremony, and to everyone who prepared for its commencement. It was an unforgettable experience!

With Thanksgiving coming in a couple of weeks, it brings upon us a time of reflection for that which we are grateful. From the network of friends and family that supports us and that we support, to the accomplishments we have made over the last year, or even just the state of being we are in, the list goes on and on. One thing I can safely say we are all grateful for is masonry, among many things the bond of brotherhood we share both in our lodge and around the globe. Masonry cultivates in us a daily practice of gratitude, to find and appreciate the blessings in the world. It teaches us to be the blessings as well, in a spirit of charity to all. In that same spirit, we bring forth light to the world.

Please make sure you now send your RSVP's for degrees and stated meetings to me ASAP, my email is dustin@alphaexteriors.co. (I couldn't afford the "m" for .com, lol).

I am looking forward to taking this journey with my brethren this year, it will be a great year!

Happy Thanksgiving to you and yours

Fraternally,

Dustin Barron

Jr Warden

Sun City Lodge #72

FROM THE SECRETARY'S DESK

FOR YOUR KIND ATTENTION

Secretary's Report as of December 1, 2024:

Sun City Lodge has 186 members.

Presently the Lodge has one Fellowcraft and two Entered Apprentices. **That totals 3 new members in the "works"!** This equals a potential membership of 189. Additionally, we have a bunch of prospective members interested in joining our Lodge, either by petition or affiliation!

The average age of our membership is 67.4 years old, with a median (middle) age of 71.3 years old. The Fellowcraft is 53.4 years old, and the Entered Apprentices average 43.0 years old.

The upcoming meetings are:

Thursday, December 12, 2024 – Stated Meeting and presentation of 65-year Apron at 7:00 p.m. (Dinner at 6:00 p.m.)

DUES – DUES – DUES – The dues for 2025 are \$114, and dues bills were mailed out on October 15, 2024. Your dues payments, if you are not Life Members, are required by Grand Lodge to be paid before January 1, 2025. You may pay by check, made out to **Sun City Lodge #72**, or by **Zelle®** to **SunCity72Sec@gmail.com**. *If you have any questions or concerns about being able to pay your 2025 dues, please contact me.*

Stay healthy, Brethren!



Fraternally in Peace and Harmony,

Gary A. Loeb, PM

SunCity72Sec@gmail.com

mobile – 484-354-9063

MASONIC ANNIVERSARIES

Brother	Date	Years of Membership
Patrick H. Nowland	12/5/1981	43
Matthew C. Arnett	12/28/2002	22
Edward J. Anderson	12/9/2006	18
Brian N. Brown	12/6/2007	17
Allen F. Wilcox	12/1/2011	13
Frank P. Visceglie	12/29/2011	13
Corey J. Chavez	12/11/2012	12



Brother	Birthday
Frank F. Adelman	Dec 1
Shawn M. Barker	Dec 5
James F. Miller Jr	Dec 7
Larry L. Coppi	Dec 9
John C. Givens IV	Dec 10
Randy L. Gyorffy	Dec 11
Raymond A. Wiedmeyer	Dec 12
William P. Clark	Dec 15
Patrick A. Goodwin	Dec 15
Robert W. Bachman Sr	Dec 17
Ted A. Lloyd	Dec 17
Edward A. Srsen	Dec 21
Harvey Finks	Dec 24
Royce D. Kidd	Dec 25
Harrison M. Cantrell	Dec 26
Thomas P. Dawson	Dec 28

**HAPPY
BIRTHDAYS
TO ALL!**



SUN CITY LODGE #72
SICKNESS & HEALTH
THE "ALMONER'S VOICE"



One of Freemasonry's core values is looking after others, and Almoners are at the forefront of delivering care and support to lodge members and their families. When things change in life, having a strong support system can make all the difference.

Never feel "embarrassed" or "uncomfortable" in reaching out for support or help with your Lodge Almoner. All conversations and communication are strictly private. Anything shared will only be released to the Lodge with your absolute permission.

DECEMBER 2024

SUN CITY LODGE NO 72 - ALMONER NEWS

Brethren,

I am sad to report the Necrology this month of Bro. Edward Hanzel — See separate Necrology page.

If you have any news that you wish to share with the Brethren, Births, Weddings, Celebrations, do let me know via email.

For privacy my full Almoner report is attached separately in the members section.

Stay healthy Brethren.

W. Bro Barry White

Almoner.

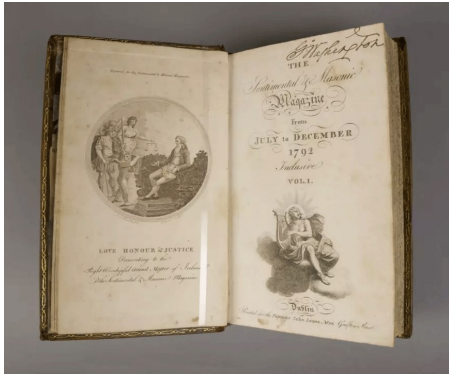


Sun City Lodge Almoner contact information:

W. Bro Barry White,

Contact information in Members Area





MASONIC EDUCATION, Washington — W.Bro Barry White, LGR, PZ

Brethren, I came across this article recently and thought it may be interesting to those new and older members, who are unsure where this all started and our founders ! *W.Bro Barry White.*

The origins of Freemasonry are obscure. The creation of the Craft (as it is also called) occurred over time between the first recorded gentleman joining an Edinburgh stonemasons' lodge in 1599 and the 1721 publication in London of *The Constitutions of the Free-Masons* by Scots Presbyterian minister James Anderson.¹ intellectual, and spiritual lessons through three initiation ceremonies. Freemasonry's three degree are modeled after a craftsman's progress: Apprentice, Fellowcraft, and Master Mason. Freemasonry was, and remains, open to all men of good reputation who profess a belief in Deity (referred to in lodge as The Supreme Architect of the Universe). By the 1750s a variety of Christian and non-Christians, European, and non-European men, and a few women, were members.²

Freemasonry grew popular within cities as political, commercial, and intellectual elites gathered within a lodge. With aristocratic, and later royal patronage, Freemasonry evolved into the preeminent fraternal organization of the eighteenth century. The earliest records of American Masonic lodges are in Philadelphia. In 1732, Boston's St. John's Lodge was duly constituted by the Grand Lodge of England and remains the oldest lodge in North America. Interwoven with the British Enlightenment, Masonic lodges formed throughout Europe and the Americas. The network of Scots, English, and Irish Lodge helped knit the British commercial empire together.³ Although American elites initially joined the Freemasons to keep pace with genteel English behavior, the fraternity contributed to the spread of the ideas and ideals behind the American Revolution. During the revolutionary era, Masons of note included George Washington, Benjamin Franklin, James Otis, and Paul Revere. While individual Freemasons actively participated in the American Revolution, Freemasonry, as an institution as well as its local lodges, remained politically neutral.⁴

Washington joined Freemasonry in the Lodge at Fredericksburg, Virginia. He was 20 years old when he received the first degree of Entered Apprentice on November 4, 1752. He paid the lodge two pounds and three shillings to join. Ten days after turning 21, on March 3, 1753, he was passed to the second degree of Fellowcraft. On August 4, 1753, he was raised to the third degree of Master Mason. The lodge's surviving minute book records Washington attending only two more meetings: September 1, 1753, and January 4, 1755.⁵

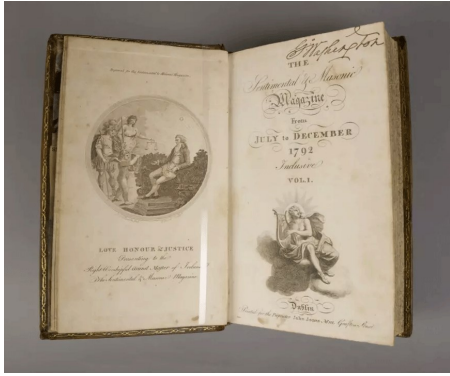
Many of Washington's brothers in the Fredericksburg Lodge later served within in the Continental Army or Virginia Militia, including Hugh Mercer, George Weedon, and Thomas Posey. Washington's "Mother Lodge" was renamed and numbered as Fredericksburg Lodge No. 4 after the creation of the Grand Lodge of Virginia in 1778. It continues to meet today.⁶

Beginning in 1778 and through the remainder of his life, Washington was a frequent participant in Masonic ceremonies. On June 24, 1779, for example, Washington attended American Union Lodge's celebration of the Feast of St. John the Baptist. That lodge comprised officers and enlisted men within the Connecticut regiments. He also visited King Solomon's Lodge in Poughkeepsie, New York, on December 27, 1783.⁷

After the war, in 1784, Washington accepted the invitation of his friends and neighbors to attend a June banquet at Alexandria Lodge No. 39, where he was elected an honorary member. Four years later he agreed to be charter master of the lodge when it transferred its allegiance from the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania to the Grand Lodge of Virginia. In 1794, the lodge commissioned William Williams to paint Washington dressed in Masonic regalia. After Washington's death the lodge changed its name to Alexandria-Washington Lodge No. 22.⁸

As president, Washington exchanged letters with many Masonic local lodges and state grand lodges. He also met delegations of Freemasons during his visit to Rhode Island in 1790 and his 1791 tour of the southern states. His most significant Masonic activity, however, occurred on September 18, 1793. Acting as grand master pro tem, he presided at the Masonic ceremonial laying of the United States Capitol cornerstone.⁹

At Washington's 1799 funeral, brothers of Alexandria Lodge performed Masonic rites. After Martha Washington's death the lodge acquired many valuable items from the estate, including a Masonic apron sent from France in 1793. With these items and many curiosities, the lodge opened a museum in 1812.¹⁰



MASONIC EDUCATION — Continued...

In 1910 the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association was formed. Then in 1932 the Association dedicated its great Masonic Memorial to Washington in Alexandria, Virginia. Today Alexandria-Washington Lodge No. 22 displays many of its valuable Washington artifacts and continues to meet there.

The George Washington Masonic National Memorial welcomes the public seven days a week to view its many exhibitions and enjoy the spectacular view for the top of its 333 foot tower.¹¹

Washington himself best articulated his membership in, and relationship to, Freemasonry when he replied to the brethren of King David's Lodge in Newport, Rhode Island, in 1790:

*Being persuaded that a just application of the principles, on which the Masonic Fraternity is founded, must be promotive of private virtue and public prosperity, I shall always be happy to advance the interests of the Society, and to be considered by them as a deserving brother.*¹²

Mark A. Tabbert Director of Collections George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association

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Sun City York Rite, St. Andrew Commandery # 17

The December 2024 Conclave of St Andrew Commandery will be held at the Sun City Masonic Center on Saturday 14 December. Coffee and light refreshments at 8AM followed by practice at 8:30 AM. The monthly conclave opens in full form at 9AM.

Following the close of the asylum on Saturday 14 December, there will be a luncheon and Christmas Observance hosted by the Commandery. All Sir Knights, their Ladies, and friends are invited to join in this celebration of the birth of our Lord and the Captain of Our Salvation, Jesus Christ. RSVP is necessary to plan for the luncheon. Saturday Lunch RSVP should be directed to Pat Hayes, St Andrew Commandery Recorder.

Sir Knights from St Andrew Commandery participated in the chivalric work at the Colorado River Fall Festival in Laughlin Nevada on Tuesday 22 October. Ryan Clark was knighted at that event and a photo of him, after the ceremony, is below. In the photo are (from the Left), Dave Miller, Richard Young, Ryan Clark, and John Huth, all Sir Knights from St Andrew Commandery.

St Andrew Commandery meets every month on the 2nd Saturday of the month at 9AM except for the month of August. All regular conclaves are at the Sun City Masonic Center and include coffee and donuts at 8AM with practice at 8:30 AM. St Andrew Commandery now provides for Zelle processing of dues payments and donations. Contact Dave Miller or Pat Hayes for additional information.





Oasis Chapter # 15 † Stewart Council # 16 † St. Andrew Commandery # 17

More information from Lodge secretary

The next meeting of Oasis Chapter will be on Friday, 17 January 2025. The Pot Luck Dinner is scheduled for 6:30 PM with Education following at 7PM. The monthly meeting is scheduled to open at 7:30 PM.

Oasis Chapter will be conferring the Most Excellent Master and Royal Arch Degrees on Friday, 20th December 2024. Pot Luck Dinner is scheduled for 5:45 PM with the degree conferral activity beginning at 6:30 PM.

Best wishes to all Companions and their families for an enjoyable Holiday Season!

Oasis Chapter (red) shirts are now available for purchase. The shirts are \$30.00 each. Contact Dave Miller with your order information, which should include-

+ Shirt Size; and,

+ What, if anything, you want printed on the Left breast side of the shirt.

Payment should be made to Oasis Chapter.

Oasis Chapter No 15, Royal Arch Masons, meets every month on the 3rd Friday of the month at 7:30 PM except for the months of August and December. All regular meetings are at the Sun City Masonic Center and include Pot Luck Dinner at 6:30 PM with Education scheduled for 7PM. Oasis Chapter now provides for Zelle processing of dues payments, shirt purchases, and donations. Contact Dave Miller or Pat Hayes for additional information.



Oasis Chapter # 15 † Stewart Council # 16 † St. Andrew Commandery # 17

More information from Lodge secretary

The next meeting of Stewart Council will take place on Monday 27 January 2025 at the Sun City Masonic Center. Pot Luck Dinner is scheduled for 6:30 PM with Education at 7 PM. The monthly meeting opens in full form at 7:30 PM.

Stewart Council (purple) shirts are now available for purchase. The shirts are \$30.00 each. Contact Dave Miller with your order information, which should include-
+ Shirt Size; and,
+ What, if anything, you want printed on the Left breast side of the shirt.
Payment should be made to Stewart Council.

Stewart Council No 16, Cryptic Masons, meets every month on the 4th Monday of the month at 7:30 PM except for the months of August and December. All regular conclaves are at the Sun City Masonic Center. Stewart Council routinely includes a Pot Luck Dinner at 6:30 PM with an opportunity for Education at 7PM. Stewart Council now provides for Zelle processing of dues payments and donations. Contact Dave Miller or Pat Hayes for additional information.

PAST MASTERS FELLOWSHIP 72

The Past Master's Fellowship (PMF) of Sun City Lodge is scheduled to next meet on :
Thursday, 12 December 2024 beginning at 5:00 PM in the Jackson Room of the Sun City Masonic Center. If you want to have Zoom connectivity for this PMF gathering, please contact Gary Loeb (623.972.2217, suncity72sec@gmail.com).

Remember that before the Sun City Lodge December Stated Meeting there is dinner. Dinner is served at 6:00 PM prior to the Stated Meeting. RSVP for the dinner is encouraged. RSVP with a dinner reservation at SunCity72RSVP@gmail.com.

Welcome to Doug Peck, the newest member of our Past Master's Fellowship! He had a fine year in the Masonic East and we look forward to his participation in future PMF gatherings.

The Past Master's Fellowship has set up collection barrels for the recycling of aluminum cans and clear plastic bottles. These collection barrels are located in the South hallway for the Sun City Masonic Center. Everyone using the Center is encouraged to bring these used items that they have available for recycling and deposit the items in the designated barrel. Please refrain from including garbage items. Proceeds from the collected items assist the Past Master's Fellowship to support various Sun City Lodge activities and recognitions.



SUN CITY WEST HIGH TWELVE CLUB

Sun City West High 12 Club monthly meetings continue on the second Friday of December at 8AM At the Friday, 08 December meeting, the Club will receive a Seasonal message from Pastor Mike. The breakfast meeting will be at the THE LINKS NEIGHBORHOOD GRILL, 18823 Country Club Parkway in Westlake Village beginning at 8AM. Please note the December Meeting location.

Planning is underway for the Annual February Pancake Breakfast to be held on Saturday 08 February 2025 at the Sun City Masonic Center. Tickets will be available at the December meeting. Mark your calendar now!!

The Sun City West High 12 Club continues to work on including local Masonic Widows in Club events. The Club's efforts have assisted local Masonic Lodges in maintaining contact with the Masonic Widows living in the West Valley area.

Membership in the Sun City West High 12 Club is open to all Master Masons. Masonic Widows are also welcome. For additional information, contact Dave Miller or Gary Fullington (Contact info from the Lodge Secretary)



***Annual Sun City West High Twelve Club &
Sun City Masonic Lodge #72 F&AM***

February 8 , 2025 Breakfast Served: 7:00 to 10:00 AM



**Buttermilk Pancakes / French "Texas" Toast / Scrambled Eggs / Sausage Patties Butter / Syrup
& Sugar Free Syrup / Coffee / Orange Juice**

\$10.00 Per Person / \$5.00 for Children under the age of 6

Raffle: 1st Prize: \$100.00 / 2nd Prize: \$50.00 / 3rd Prize: \$25.00

Tickets: \$1.00 per Ticket; 6 Tickets for \$5.00.

(Drawing at 10:00AM. Winner need not be present)

Sun City Masonic Center: 18810 N. 107th Ave. (North of Union Hills on 107th)

Funds raised to Benefit Local Charities

Co-Sponsored by Sun City West High Twelve & Sun City Lodge #72 F&AM

Information & Tickets: Contact: Gary Fullington 623-972-2217 or In-Person Lodge Building Mon/Wed/Fri: 9-12:00

SUN CITY LODGE # 72, F&AM

THE 3RD ANNUAL SURPRISE STADIUM FUND RAISING
EVENT FOR 2025



FEBRUARY 15TH

TO

MARCH 22ND

THE 3RD ANNUAL SURPRISE STADIUM FUND RAISING EVENT WILL KICK OFF ON FEBRUARY 15TH AND WILL BE RUNNING EVERY WEEKEND UNTIL MARCH 22ND. ONCE AGAIN, WE WILL BE RUNNING A CONCESSION STAND FOR THE SPRING TRAINING GAMES AT SURPRISE STADIUM. IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN PARTICIPATING IN THIS EVENT, PLEASE CONTACT RYAN CLARK TO SIGN UP OR IF YOU HAVE ANY FURTHER QUESTIONS. A FOOD HANDLERS CARD AND BASIC ALCOHOL SERVER'S CERTIFICATION IS REQUIRED BUT CAN EASILY BE OBTAINED ONLINE. WE LOOK FORWARD TO HEARING FROM YOU.

MANY THANKS

RYAN CLARK

RSAMCLARK@GMAIL.COM



Sun City Masonic Center Building Managers, Trust Update

Building Trust Trustee's Report

The Building Trust Board advised in Trestleboard last month that, our Fall Clean Up would begin on **November 1, 2024**. The Lodge Storage Space is completely filled and we are out of storage space. We began checking cabinets, and cabinet tops, and closets. We found items that were not marked, nor identified belonging to any group or Organization.

The items located in the Small Kitchen Closet area will be changed to create more space and cabinets rebuilt and painted. Items sitting on top of the cabinets, must be marked and identified; for example; OES has chairs, rugs, altar etc. including materials on top of shelves and cabinets. We opened a small cabinet on the end and found hangers, but robes and other items laying on the floor. However, we're not sure what Organization utilizes this cabinet.

We will ask each Organization to **Mark, Consolidate and clean up** by no later than **December 31, 2024**. This will help the Board to identify items used on a regular basis.

Please contact Brother Gary Fullington or Bob Meizinger for any questions you may have regarding your concerns.

This must be accomplished by no later than **December 31, 2024**. **On January 2, 2025**, the Board will begin the necessary changes in accordance with Safety and Maintenance. **We checked several storage areas in the vicinity and based on a 5 X 5 controlled climate, starts at \$25-30 a month.**

Our Building Trust Board has made major improvements and will continue to make further improvements to enhance the Building. We greatly appreciate your support.

QADESH TEMPLE # 35 SUN CITY NILE CLUB



December 2024

Dear Sun City Nile Club Ladies,

We had a wonderful outcome to our official visit by having it at the lodge – wonderful luncheon – beautiful camaraderie.

Our December 2 meeting will have a Christmas theme as well as our luncheon. Please come for a visit.

Yours truly, Pr Dora Nickell, President



New Horizon Court #12

Order of the Amaranth

December 2024

New Horizon Court Members

We'll now that the paperwork is moving along, dates are in motion, and soon we will have an initiation planned for two more new members.

We will also be having some fun with our HL Karen Machamer, GRM and SK John Munster, GRP on their official Christmas Party at Kinishba Court lodge on December 15, 2024 at 2pm.

Our budget committee has completed their job and we will be working hard to meet the items that need to be addressed

We had a wonderful celebration with a thanksgiving dinner at our November meeting with our members, spouses, and significant others.

Our December meeting on December 9 will be our Friendship Night & hopefully we will be seeing a lot of our counterparts.

Soon there will be a couple of fund raisers for our court – so be looking at emails as we go forward in trying to raise money for our court.

HL Pat Zimmerman, Secretary

Masonic Funnies !

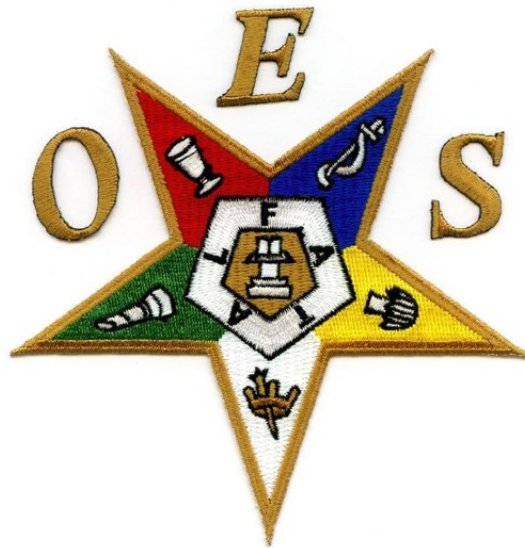


"I was built by a Freemason!"

MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL



Happy Holidays



PEORIA OES #59:

Our Shoe drive has been extended through the end of January. The box in which to place the shoes is in the hallway next to the recycling station for the water bottles. Please donate your gently used shoes for those in 3rd world countries where the main mode of transportation is on foot.

We – the Peoria Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star would like to congratulate the incoming officers of Sun City Lodge # 72
Congratulation also to WB Doug Peck on a great year as Master of Sun City Lodge #72!

Merry Christmas, and Happy New Year to our Brothers and Sisters in the various Appendant and Associated organization that meet at the Sun City Masonic Building. For those of you that celebrate other holidays at this time of year, our heartfelt well wishes and felicitations go out to you as well.

With Fraternal regards and Star Love,

Richard Jensen – Associate Patron.