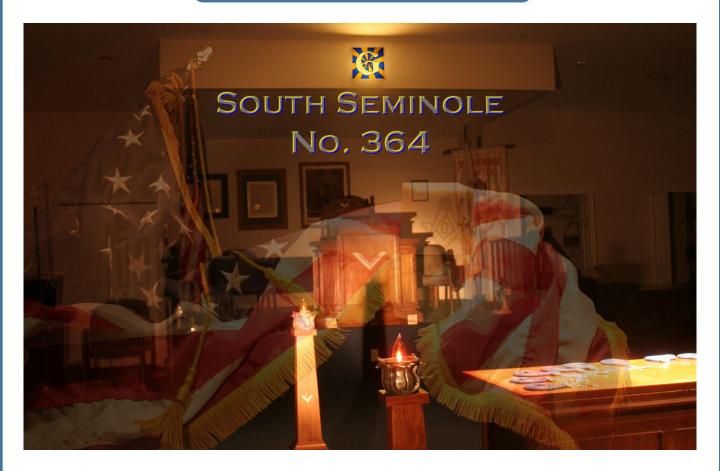
April 2019



South Seminole Lodge # 364

STATED COMMUNICATIONS: 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of

Every Month at 7:30pm with Dinner at 6:30pm



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TRESTLE BOARD

Masonic Highlights

Welcome to the April 2019 trestle-board! Greetings from South Seminole Lodge. Can you believe it's already April? I guess time truly flies when you're having fun! Please keep current with all of our events. There's always a lot going on. If you close your eyes, you'll miss it. Go down to our calendar section and take a peek.

W.: John D. Dibble, Marshal

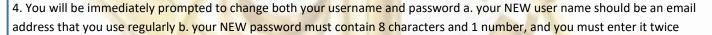


Circumscribe:

To serve as a continued reminder - At the 186th Annual Grand Communication of The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Free & Accepted Masons of Florida, a new online software application named Circumscribe was presented and implemented. Everyone now has access to the new system. It is important for you to log in as soon as possible, review your profile, make changes to your contact information, and upload a current picture for your new permanent

ID card which you will receive in the mail.

- 1. Open your internet browser, and be sure to disable private browsing
- 2. Navigate to: https://glfl.circumscribe.net/
- 3. On the login screen, enter your temporary username & password:



- 5. Upon successfully changing your email and password, you will be required to logout, and then log back in with your new username and password. MAKE SURE TO WRITE THIS DOWN SOMEWHERE.
- 6. Once you have successfully logged back in, you will be taken to your Profile Page. Please verify all of your information on this page, and make any appropriate changes. You will also have the option to upload a current picture for your permanent ID card.

 NOTE: You must upload your picture within 30 calendar days of your first successful login, and no more than 60 days past your Lodge on-board date. Do's of uploading your picture:
- As high a resolution as possible (can be picture taken with smartphone/digital camera)
- No hats or sunglasses
- No other individuals in the picture
- No animals in the picture
- Your face should be positioned to take up as much of the photo square as possible
- 7. You may immediately begin to record your Masonic attendance, and take Master Mason I, II, III exams ONLINE
- For additional support, please contact the Lodge Secretary.

South Seminole is electronic. Brothers, in this day and age it is becoming more important than ever to maintain the lines of communication. As such it is becoming increasingly important that we can communicate electronically and at the very least have your latest telephone numbers and addresses. Please make sure the secretary has your most up-to-date email address and phone number so that he can send you email correspondence on things such as membership updates, newsletters, events, our new trestle-board, and other Lodge communications. We will not be doing any more physical mailings any more except for special cases.

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Brethren,

Where do you belong?

Some of our brothers dedicate much of their time to working for one or more of our charitable endeavors. Others take time to instruct the new brothers in their catechism, and others dedicate a very large amount of time to educate the newest brother all the way to the most seasoned brother. Everything from mentors, instructors, lecturers, to those that work so that our Charities can help so many children and also help our own brethren when they need it. We also had Brothers that have already spent much of a lifetime doing all of the above and now they take a well-deserved rest or break. Some of you have decided that your heart belongs to one of the programs of our appendant bodies. And thank goodness most of you pay your dues on time so that we can continue to pay the bills and never does a dollar earned for charity ever have to go to operating cost. All I ask is that you reread the very first sentence, if you can answer that question then I applaud you. If that question causes you pause, please call me or any of the other officers, or come to Lodge and let's have a discussion and see if we can answer that question together. Every one of the duties and obligations that I have talked about above I'll have several openings and I know that you can fill one of them, and some of you can fill several of them. If you're a newer brother please don't feel like the lodge is ever too busy to have somebody sit down with you one-on-one and figure out where your heart truly belongs. And for the more seasoned Brothers, we are actually growing and we need strong role models, we need mentors, we need seasoned Masons to teach the new and younger generation how to be Masons. And if you have skills and ideas that we have never known or thought of, please come forward. If you became a Freemason oh, you did it to belong, well you do belong. I am not kidding when I say South Seminole 364 needs every Mason that is able to come to Lodge and make something spectacular.

Fraternally:

W.: M.: Timothy D. French



Hello Brothers,



Over the past two months, I've had the pleasure of three young Master Masons at different times join me at Open Books. This is a great start and would love to see others come and experience this for themselves. One of these brothers sat down with me in the lounge area where Open Books is with two other brothers from different Lodges. We had an amazing time talking about Masonry in all aspects. Then, at our last School of Instructions, Right Worshipful Donald Goolsby enlightened us with a brief discussion about the Fellow Craft Degree. To get perspectives like this comes few and far in between. Sometimes, you just don't know what might happen at these events. While I would agree with any brother from South Seminole that we have such great conversations, but occasionally, it is the unique ones that you find through your travels to other Lodges, Districts, States, and World. To quote Right Worshipful William B. Erd, "Travel, Travel, Travel."

Fraternally,

Luis Tellez, Senior Warden



Hello Brothers,



Greetings from the South in this Beautiful month of April! Spring is here and as we move forward into the year; it is exciting to see what this year has brought to us and where we are headed.

We have three new Entered Apprentice Brothers to congratulate; Jonathan Rincon, Stephen Towery and Kenneth Hagen Jr., who were initiated into our Fraternity recently.

I had the pleasure of serving in the East as Worshipful Master for this successful degree and wanted to congratulate and thank all the degree team members for their part in assisting to bring these Brothers from darkness to light. Thank you Worshipful Master Tim French for delivering the EA Lecture and Worshipful Tom Hoopes for delivering the Charge. I'm sure that this will be a day of remembrance that our new EA's will not soon forget.

There will be another Entered Apprentice Degree coming soon with a Fellow Craft Degree following and a Master Mason Degree thereafter! As a Lodge, we have many things happening within the next few months keeping us very busy including our Lodge refurbishment projects and Charitable obligations helping schools, teachers, children and families.

Thank You in advance for our service together as Brother Masons!

There will be one more supper planned for the month of April to which I am sure will make your mouth water for more!!! Suppers for the month of May will be made for us by the Ladies of The Oriental Shrine, to whom we will be making our supporting donations.

Thanks again and I am looking forward to what our future has in store to South Seminole Lodge No. 364!

Fraternally,

Robert E. Dibble, Junior Warden

"In order to deserve, we must pay our dues and steadily work for perfection. We must relish in struggle and relinquish pride. We must dispel fear and seek enlightenment. We must shun division and honor love. We must know our hearts and seek to understand others. We must try, live, create. feel, grow and love."

Bryant McGill, Stanford Lectures on Poetry, 1990



My Brothers,



As we continue to move forward in 2019 we don't want to leave anyone behind. If you haven't received your 2019 dues card please send an email to secretaryssl364@gmail.com. It could be that you didn't get a dues notice, forgot to pay for 2019, or just a mistake on my end. Rest assured there is a reason and we must address it.

Charity: We continue to support seven school backpack food programs for needy kids in the area. Charity fundraising income is up, but we still suffer from more opportunities that we have volunteers to take advantage of. If the soccer and football events are beyond your cable tows, please volunteer to open the Lodge on Sundays for our Church, help with degree work, or just teach some of the new Brothers and candidates. Anything you do frees others up for the more physical activities.

Lodge Property: Upgrades and needed repairs are underway throughout the Lodge. Come to Stated meetings and events to see how your building continues to improve with age. We miss you.

Fraternally:

W.: Skip Yonchik, P.M. Secretary



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Brothers,

The Shrine Circus is right around the corner on this coming up May 4th and 5th. The RV Club from the Shrine has graciously offered to assist us again on these dates. If you would like to assist us, and if you are not already working the also very important Orlando City Soccer event on Saturday the 4th, you must do a back-ground check with the Grand Lodge at no cost before assisting. I can help in completing the necessary paperwork if you would like to assist. Thank you for your continued support.

Fraternally,

Luis Tellez, Senior Warden



Up & Coming

Masons Under Instruction.

Entered Apprentice with

Joseph Morse:

Jonathan Rincon Stephen Towery Kenneth Hagen Jr. **Entered Apprentice with**

W∴M∴ Jeff Battaglia:

Gary Campbell Bryan Mason Noah Henson Jeff Tillinghast

Fellow Craft with Bruce Carter:

Dwayne Hayes Josh Singer

Frank Hutto

Master Mason with Chad Oehmke:

Michael Wagner Giovanni David

Martin Cornish Michael Ruiz



(Masonic Anniversaries for April:

February

Arvin Jay Meyer - 4 Years Luis Alfredo Tellez - 4 Years Christopher Michael Wall - 7 Years John Anthony Russell - 20 Years Michael Gregory Lautenburg - 25 Years Paul Warren Freeman Sr - 34 Years Lawrence David Kelley - 34 Years Jeffrey Wayne Gerlitz - 39 Years Clarence Leslie Snyder - 61 Years Ray Earl Norman - 65 Years





Birthdays for April.

4/4 - Anthony W Rossi

4/5 - Max Roudolph Jones

4/7 - Gary Richard Hussian

4/8 - Arthur Thomas Erskine

4/15 - John David Dibble

4/21 - Clarence Leslie Snyder

4/25 - Douglas Brent Guthrie

4/27 - James Reynolds Cunningham

South Seminole Masons

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	Curtis F. Blow * U.D 8	& 1968	Edwin C. Henderson	1996
	Verbun A. Jones *	1969	Paul W. Freeman, Sr.	1997
	Frank Bingham *	1970	Kenneth N. Holladay *	1998
	Louis Kirby *	1971	Marty Nash APM *	1998
	Francis P. Oddo *	1972	Donald Maurizio *	1999
	Troy Tatum *	1973	Joseph Cordeiro	2000
	William P. Byles *	1974	Randy L. Vess	2001
	Carl E. Strom *	1975	B. Franklin Ellis	2002
	J.C. Valentine *	1976	E. Neal Tish	2003
	Rodger T. Peterson, Sr *	1977	Samuel A. Tish	2004
	William B. Ritter *	1978	Douglas B. Guthrie	2005
	Phillip G. Marriott *	1979	John J. Walsh *	2006
	Max R. Jones	1980	William D. Dieringer	2007
	Samuel M. Lewis DDGM,		Robert T. Billoni *	2008
	Past Grand Master *	1981	Herman (Skip) Yonchik 2	2009/10
	Thomas E. Embree DDGM	1982	Thomas Hoopes	2011
	Ottis R. Erickson DDGM *	1983	Greg Rushing	2012
	William R. Ellis	1984	Jose Ayala	2013
	William E. Johnson	1985	Petronio Martins	2014
	Carl E. Lloyd *	1986	Christopher Wall	2015
	John F. Schroth, Sr.	1987	Gary Bouton	2016
	Edward K. Herr *	1988	Tim French	2017
James D. Dickenson DDGM		1 1989	John Dibble	2018
	John W. Bornman	1990		
Jay W. Leffert* 1		1991	Affiliated Past Masters	
	Billy M. Mew	1992	Ellis Hormats, New York *	1969
	Roger C. Reynell	1993	Don Grable, Spain	1969/70
	John A. Melanson *	1994	Jeff Gerlitz, Wisconsin	1983

2019 Committee Chairmen:

Finance Bro. Luis Tellez Masonic Vigilance Bro. Robert E. Dibble Petitions Wor: Skip Yonchik Masonic Education Bro. Luis Tellez **Board of Relief** W.:M.: Tim French Charity, Wills & Gifts W.:M.: Tim French Lodge Property Wor: Skip Yonchik Corporate Relations W.:M.: Tim French

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Jeff Battaglia, Orlando

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Rerpetual Members:

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Ralph Cruz
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James Harvey Dunty III
Benjamin Franklin Ellis
Thomas Earl Embree
Michael Parke Fisher
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Paul Warren Freeman Sr

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Jeffrey Wayne Gerlitz
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Donald Wayne Grable
Douglas Brent Guthrie
Theodore Elsworth Hammond Jr
David Robert Harden
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Edwin Calvin Henderson
John William Holian Jr
Kenneth Charles Jordan

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Gregory Kent Rushing
John Anthony Russell
William Junior St John
Richard James Swanner
Billie James Thornton
Douglas Sherman Tomlinson
Joseph Raymond Valdes
Christopher Michael Wall
Chad Jason Oehmke

Thomas D. Roberts

Upcoming Events

April 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	SSL DeMolay Chapter Meet- ing - 7:30pm	SSL Stated Comm 7:30pm with a 6:30 Meal	3	4	5	Master's & Wardens - 8:00am
7	8	9 SSL EA Degree - 7:00pm with a 6:00 Meal	10 Legislation Meeting - Mokanna #329 at 6:30pm	11	12 SSL DeMolay Parking Event/ Advisory - 4:30pm	13
Rainbow Hope Assembly Meeting - 4:00pm	SSL DeMolay Chapter Meet- ing - 7:30pm	SSL Stated Comm 7:30pm with a 6:30 Meal	17	18	19	Orlando City Soccer - 12:00pm
21	22	23	District SOI - Orange Blossom #80 at 6:30pm	25	26	Open Books - Winter Park #239 at 8:00am
28 Rainbow Hope Assembly Meeting - 4:00pm	29	30 MLT - Eola #289 at 7:00pm				

Upcoming Delectables From the Kitchen.

1st Tuesday Stated Communications - 4/2:

Bacon Egg & Sausage Quiche, Biscuits, Carrot Cake, Iced Tea, Lemonade, Coffee



3rd Tuesday Stated Communications - 4/16:

Chicken Bacon Ranch Casserole, Salad, Cookies, Iced Tea, Lemonade, Coffee



The Door - By: Victor E. Moore

I thought to myself, as my hands touched the door,
What in the world am I doing this for?
Dressed as I never expected to be,
Were they going to play some fools game with me?

I stood there a moment, when I heard the command, You must knock on the door with your own hand.

The door opened slightly, I thought to go in,
But to my surprise, there were questions again.

I knew not the answers, but luck was with me,
My guide seemed to know what the answers should be!
When the door finally opened, and I was led in,
I said to myself.......It's about to begin!

When they start to laugh, I'll hold my head high, I'll not step back, no matter what the outcry!

As I walked on in, I could feel their eyes,
But I heard no laughter.....I heard no outcries.

They seemed to be following some sort of a skit,

I wasn't quite sure how all of it fit.

My apprehensions were eased, my fears were no more,

It was not as I imagined from without the door.

As I was soon to discover, it was a most solemn event,
Instruction and guidance were their only intent.
When it was all over I knew one thing for sure,
I would never regret..... that first knock on the door.

Bits & Rieces

Food pantry Delivery!









Sterling Park PTA

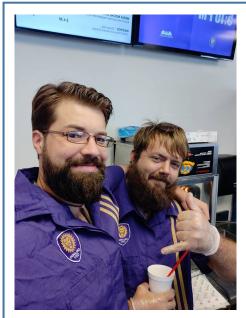








Sits & Rieces











Doing what it takes...







Entered Apprentice Degree—Congrats!





We have the Traveling Cup!

Mason D. Bear and the Mrs.



IF WE PLAY DEAD, THE BEARS WON'T EAT US!!



Do you have pictures you'd like to share?

Please send them to us and they will be posted in the next Trestle-board!!