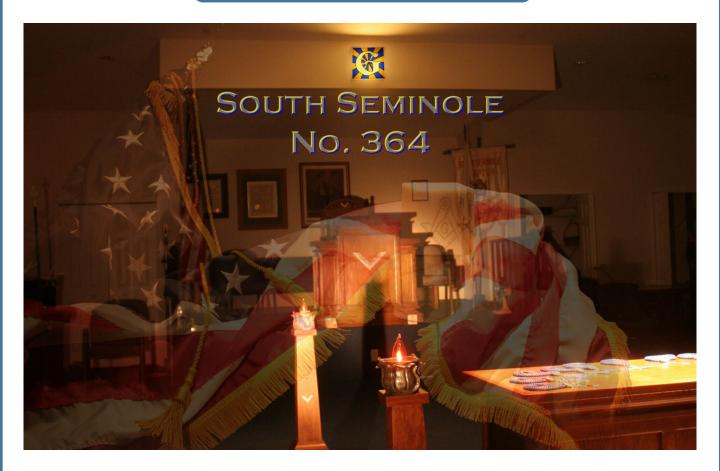
## November 2021



# 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



#### Greetings from the East!!!

Welcome to the month of November at South Seminole Lodge No 364! On top of our newest Brothers coming in as Entered Apprentice Masons and passed to the Fellow Craft Degree, our focus is being placed on Master Mason Brothers finding their place in our Lodge.

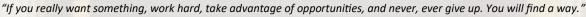
A message to all Brothers reading this Trestle Board— to those that are in good standing with our Lodge and have taken a back seat and have not been with us for a while, I ask that You come back and fellowship with us again. We miss the comraderies that were and are made, along with the experiences that you can share with us and our new Brothers beginning their Masonic journeys. You are part of the story that puts us here today. We have a rich history here with South Seminole Lodge.

Going forward into this month, we will have another Fellow Craft Degree. The date will be announced, please be ready to come out and support our new brothers. Activities in other Lodges will be posted soon and can also be found on the Central Florida Masons web site Calendar and our TeamReach Calendar. Thank you for the communications.

Keeping focused and On the Level!!!

Fraternally,

W∴ M∴ Robert E (Ed) Dibble, Worshipful Master



~ Jane Goodall





#### My brothers,

2021 has been a challenging year for everyone. I am so proud of what South Seminole Lodge has been able to accomplish. From bringing in new brothers, to growing our fraternity with charitable causes, we have done much. I look forward to 2022 and all the great things we will accomplish and I am filled with hope. I have great expectations that 2022 will be a positive year for growth and change in our world. I hope that we will continue to make a positive impact on those around us and have faith that we will accomplish goals that we have not even thought of yet. Please feel free to reach out to me if you have any questions or concerns about 2022.

Fraternally,

Nathan Wilson, Senior Warden





My Brothers,

My brothers, as the year comes to a close, I want to thank everyone for the great year. I also want to thank everyone who has helped me in the kitchen. I wish to put outa great big thanks goes to Steve Towery for being there just about every time we had to prepare food. We have a great team coming up and I am looking forward to the next year with everyone.

Fraternally,

Murray Martin, Junior Warden



Additional Words From...

My Brothers,



The Secretary

Pay your dues please. They are due on December 27th and we will need help with the foster children. If you owe for 2021 still, even if you are having problems, please call Wor. Tim French (407-252-4939). Thank you so much!

Fraternally:

W∴ Tim French, Secretary



My Brothers,



Our Lodge remains financially healthy and on budget. Insurance increased significantly each year, and is our biggest single expense item. We should finish the year on plan if we can collect the few remaining outstanding 2021 dues and fees. Cash or checks are always welcome and can be deposited in the locked mailbox outside the Secretary's office.

We will be installing a computer in the Library to allow for easy completion of your Circumscribe registrations. Please create the log in, upload a pic, and input/correct your contact information. You can then easily pay dues and fees without the 3% cost to the Lodge that Square charges us. Under FL law, we cannot pass those charges along, so the Lodge must just absorb them. If you need help, see or call any officer or senior Brother. If you run into an issues when paying... call Skip (954-684-5147), or reach out to Wor. French.

Utilities, especially electricity, continue to run significantly above budget due to increased usage of our building, hot weather, and some wasteful operation of air-conditioning and lighting. All Brothers are asked to help make sure we remain vigilant in controlling these costs. If you have a smaller meeting or instruction, please use the library and don't power up the dining or Lodge room systems unnecessarily. It has a small air conditioner for that very purpose.

Fraternally,

W∴ David Yonchik, Treasurer



# Things Remembered

August, September, October Degrees

Pelestial Rodge

Fellow Craft Degree - 9/28/2021

♦ None

- Entered Apprentice Degree 10/26/2021
- Entered Apprentice Degree 11/09/2021







#### Masonic Anniversaries for September, October, Kovember.

#### September

William Junior St John - 43 Years

Gary Wayne Boyce - 40 Years

Jose Gabriel Ayala - 37 Years

Ronald Eugene Ferguson - 36 Years

Robert John Havlicek - 29 Years

Joseph Cordeiro - 27 Years

Valentine Sellati Jr - 21 Years

Carlos Gomez Sr - 15 Years

Gregory Kent Rushing - 15 Years

Noah W Hinson - 2 Years

Gary Lee Campbell - 2 Years

Brian Mason - 2 Years

#### October

Charles Raymond Crouch - 61 Years

Michael Parke Fisher - 53 Years

Juan Lopez Palmer - 48 Years

Hal Benjamin Donahey Jr - 47 Years

Joseph Raymond Valdes - 41 Years

Phillip Craig Dozier - 38 Years

Christopher Porter Johns - 25 Years

William Taylor Litton - 25 Years

Paul Warren Freeman Jr - 25 Years

Thomas Sidney Kaffenberger - 23 Years

Jeffery Dean Battaglia - 10 Years

#### **November**

John William Holian Jr - 55 Years

Billie James Thornton - 55 Years

Cleveland Paul Perdue - 48 Years

David Robert Harden - 31 Years

Jeffrey Curtis Pierson - 31 Years

Timothy Bruce Ellis - 22 Years

Anthony W Rossi - 15 Years

Brian Paul Huttner - 6 Years

Daniel Joel Taylor - 6 Years

Steven Michael Smith - 6 Years

Robert Earl Milstid - 3 Years



#### thdays for September, October, Kovember:

#### September

9/3 - William Taylor Litton

9/3 - Joseph Raymond Valdes

9/5 - Robert Lee Thompson

9/8 - Paul Russell Blanton

9/9 - Jody Ray Addington

9/9 - Charles Curtis Friel

9/11 - Robert Earl Milstid

9/17 - Kenneth Charles Jordan

9/18 - Theodore Elsworth Hammond Jr

9/21 - William Earl Townsend Jr

9/22 - Donald Wayne Grable

9/25 - Billie Marvin Mew

#### October

10/5 - Raymond Santiago

10/6 - Daryl Franklin Spangenberg

10/8 - Edwin Calvin Henderson

10/11 - Marshall Ellis Hinson

10/12 - Paul Warren Freeman Jr

10/13 - Hal Benjamin Donahey Jr

10/14 - Thomas Earl Embree

10/17 - John Scott Meyer

10/17 - Daniel Joel Taylor

10/21 - James Vincent Johnson

10/21 - Robert John Havlicek

10/22 - Maurice Winsor

10/24 - Giovanny Lee David

10/27 - Francis Adelbert Hiser Jr

10/31 - Gary Wayne Boyce

#### November

11/11 - Jeffery Karl Gerlitz

11/11 - Aaron M Peck

11/12 - Gregory Kent Rushing

11/13 - Arvin Jay Meyer

11/14 - Rodney Earl Cavin

11/14 - Steven Michael Smith

11/15 - Dylan Alexander Saile

11/17 - Brian Mason

11/20 - Michael Anthony Ruiz

11/20 - James Hollis Strawser

11/23 - Luis Alfredo Tellez

11/23 - Douglas Sherman Tomlinson

11/29 - Pierre Mascia

# Officer Section Procedures Notice for the Graft It is REQUIRED that all candidates, including sitting officers seeking advancement, be nominated prior to opening of the

first Stated Communication in November. Any Brother can be nominated, or self-nominate, for any elected chair. Please note - Being in the line is not a guarantee of automatic advancement, nor should you feel the need to advance if you are not ready or circumstances do not allow you to commit to it. If you wish to run for any office, get in touch with our Secretary before the first Stated Communication in November.



#### Announcements

December 7th - Officer Elections—Please Attend to Vote

December 21 - Lodge Will Be Dark— No Meeting—MERRY CHRISTMAS!!





Child & D. OS OS R

My Brothers,



This year has been a great year for our Child ID program. We have done a great job with our community out reach and helping families protect their children. We have one more ID for the year. This will be held at Reiter Park in Longwood on December 10th from 6-9 PM. All help will be appreciated and will go a long way to help our community.

Remember, to be a volunteer for Child ID, everyone participating needs to have their background checks completed with Grand Lodge. This is free and the fillable PDF Form can be found on the Grand Lodge site. Once filled, follow the instructions on the form to submit it to the Grand Secretary via e-mail.

#### **BACKGROUND Check FORM LINK**

Thanks for everyone's continued help!
Sincerely,

Murray Martin, Junior Warden



#### **Charity**

Brothers, Family & Friends,

Schools have restarted and we are again supporting teacher programs thru both Donorschoose.org, and our Adopt-a-Teacher out-reach. If you are interested in helping, talk to WM Dibble, or Wor. Jeff Battaglia. To continue our leadership position in the State for Charity, we must find new sources of revenue. Our Charity Reserve investments generate some dividend income and we are again doing parking fundraisers when Casselberry City events happen next door. These programs, plus the donations to the Charity basket at meetings, are not enough. Any ideas are welcome, please bring them forth at our Stated Communications.

Thank You!

W.: Skip Yonchik, Treasurer



**Charity of the Month** 



We are continuously supporting the local Adopt-a-Teacher program through Donors Choose. Sometimes we get letters of thanks back from these teachers, which you will see when we post them to our Facebook page and here.

Masonic Highlights

Welcome to the November 2021 Trestle Board! We're coming to the end of another year - only one monthe left. Make it count! Watch that calendar and join us at any of our many events!!

Fraternally,

W∴ John D. Dibble



#### Circumscribe:

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.

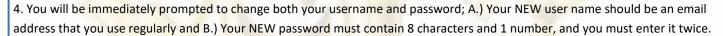
WHAT YOU SEE HERE, BUT

REPLACE THE % WITH YOUR MEMBER NUMBER

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.

Wanting to go digital? Download a QR code reader app on your smartphone or other smart devices and go straight to the trestle board area of our Web site to read it and our past trestle boards.



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Rast Masters:			Deceased *
Curtis F. Blow * U.D 8	<b>&amp;</b> 1968	Paul W. Freeman, Sr.	1997
Verbun A. Jones *	1969	Kenneth N. Holladay *	1998
Frank Bingham *	1970	Marty Nash APM *	1998
Louis Kirby *	1971	Donald Maurizio *	1999
Francis P. Oddo *	1972	Joseph Cordeiro	2000
Troy Tatum *	1973	Randy L. Vess	2001
William P. Byles *	1974	B. Franklin Ellis *	2002
Carl E. Strom *	1975	E. Neal Tish	2003
J.C. Valentine *	1976	Samuel A. Tish	2004
Rodger T. Peterson, Sr *	1977	Douglas B. Guthrie	2005
William B. Ritter *	1978	John J. Walsh *	2006
Phillip G. Marriott *	1979	William D. Dieringer	2007
Max R. Jones	1980	Robert T. Billoni *	2008
Samuel M. Lewis * DDGM,		Herman (Skip) Yonchik	2009/10
Past Grand Master	1981	Thomas Hoopes	2011
Thomas E. Embree DDGM '	*1982	Greg Rushing	2012
Ottis R. Erickson DDGM *	1983	Jose Ayala	2013
William R. Ellis	1984	Petronio Martins	2014
William E. Johnson *	1985	Christopher Wall	2015
Carl E. Lloyd *	1986	Gary Bouton	2016
John F. Schroth, Sr.	1987	Tim French	2017
Edward K. Herr *	1988	John Dibble	2018
James D. Dickenson DDGN	1 1989	Tim French	2019
John W. Bornman	1990	Luis Tellez	2020
Jay W. Leffert*	1991		
Billy M. Mew	1992	Affiliated Past Masters	
Roger C. Reynell	1993	Ellis Hormats, New York	* 1969
John A. Melanson *	1994	Don Grable, Spain	1969/70
Thomas D. Roberts	1995	Jeff Gerlitz, Wisconsin	1983
Edwin C. Henderson *	1996	Jeff Battaglia, Orl. 69	2017/2019

#### 2021 Committee Chairmen:

Finance Bro. Nathan Wilson Masonic Vigilance Bro. Murray Martin Petitions W .: Tim French Masonic Education Bro. Nathan Wilson **Board of Relief** W∴M∴ Robert E. Dibble Charity, Wills & Gifts W∴M∴ Robert E. Dibble W∴ Skip Yonchik **Lodge Property Corporate Relations** W∴Tim French

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Building Rental
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By-Laws

Outreach

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Bro. Nathan Wilson
W∴ Tim French
Bro. Nathan Wilson
Bro. Murray Martin
W∴ Skip Yonchik
W∴M∴ Robert E. Dibble

Bro. Nathan Wilson

### Respetual Members. Joseph Cordeiro

Charles Raymond Crouch
Ralph Cruz
James David Dickenson
Charles Thomas Dunty
James Harvey Dunty III
Michael Parke Fisher
Paul Warren Freeman Sr
Jeffery Karl Gerlitz
Jeffrey Wayne Gerlitz
Drake Arnold Grable

Donald Wayne Grable
Douglas Brent Guthrie
Theodore Elsworth Hammond
David Robert Harden
Robert John Havlicek
John William Holian Jr
Kenneth Charles Jordan
Samuel Marigny Lewis Jr
PGM Pierre Mascia
Billie Marvin Mew
Jerry Scott Morey

Ray Earl Norman
Sprague Owings
Truman Parker
Cleveland Paul Perdue
Raymond Alfred Ralph
Roger Charles Richards
Anthony W Rossi
David Bruce Roy
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
Skip Yonchik
Tim French
Richard Sawyer

Stop trying to motivate your members by lighting a fire underneath them...



Inspire them instead, and light the fire within them!

# Rainbow Hope Assembly No. 82





Rainbow Assembly Hope #82 had the privilege to visit Racewood Equine Barn on August 22, 2021. Our current Worthy Advisor, introduced us to the horse she barrel races with and gave us a lot of background knowledge on horses and their care. We had a great time touring the facilities and meeting the 32 horses and other farm animals housed there.

# **South Seminole DeMolay**





South Seminole DeMolay

Invites you to

A Celebration of our Founder

FRANK S LAND

Saturday, November 13, 2021

At 5:00 pm

South Seminole Masonic Lodge 122 Triplet Lake Drive Casselberry, FL 32707

> Menu: Pulled Pork Macaroni and Cheese

Potato Salad Baked Beans

Cost: \$10

Please send your reservations by November 6 to:
Tamara Jenkins
tajenkins@cfl.rr.com
407 625 4277

# Upcoming Events November 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	SSL Stated Comm 7:30pm with a 6:30pm Meal	3	4	5	Masters & Wardens - OB #80 - 8am Island Degree-OB #80 - 4pm
Rainbow Hope Assembly Meeting - 4:00pm	8 SSL DeMolay Chapter Meet- ing - 7:30pm	9	10	11	Parking Fund- raiser - SSL 4pm -9pm	South Seminole DeMolay Dinner - 5:00pm
14	15	SSL Stated Comm 7:30pm with a 6:30pm Meal	17	18	19	Open Books WP #239 - 8am
Rainbow Hope Assembly Meeting - 4:00pm	SSL DeMolay Chapter Meet- ing - 7:30pm	Entered Apprentice Degree - SSL 7pm-8pm	24	25 Thanksgiving!!	26	27
28	29	30 Fellow Craft Degree - SSL 7pm-8pm				

#### Upcoming Delectables From the Kitchen.

1st Tuesday Stated Communications - 11/2:

Chicken Pasta, Salad, Cookies, Iced Tea, Lemonade, Coffee



#### 3rd Tuesday Stated Communications - 11/16:

Ham, Mac & Cheese, Cookies, Iced Tea, Lemonade, Coffee

# Roem of the Month

## We Meet on the Level - By: Peter Ryan





Adopt-A-Teacher





**Traveling Brothers** 



## **EA Degrees - Congrats Brothers!!**







# Bits & Rieces

## **Fellowship**









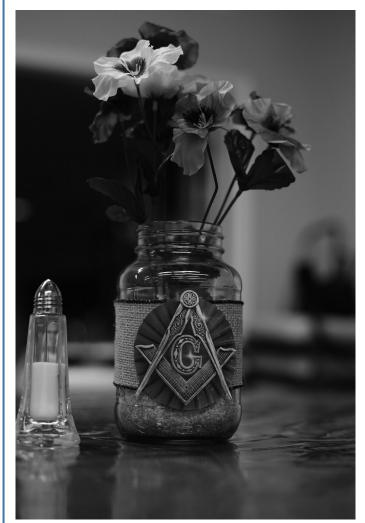






# Bits & Rieces

## **Our Lodge**









### **JROTC Presentation**









## **Platinum Citizen Participation Award**





## Supper





# Sits & Rieces

## **Brothers**













Do you have pictures you'd like to share? Please send them to us and they will be posted in the next Trestle-board!!