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## THANK YOU 2017-18 OFFICERS OF GRAND LODGE

A look back to the 2017-2018 Grand Lodge year. A big thank you to the Grand Master MW Scott A. Thomas and all those that made this year special!



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## SPECIAL EVENT

### A ROSE UPON THE ALTAR

CARL CLAUDY PLAY TO HONOR 2018-19 GRANDMASTER CRAIG GROSS

Carl Harry Claudy was a very influential Mason. He was a prolific author and a kind person. Born in 1879, Claudy was a journalist in for the New York Herald and served as Editor-in-chief of the Masonic Service Association from 1929 until his death in 1957. He created the Short Talk Bulletins and personally wrote 350 Short Talk Bulletins for the Masonic Service Association. In addition to the bulletins, Bro. Claudy wrote and distributed innumerable digests, special bulletins, and portfolios of an historical and factual nature.

In 1934, he wrote the first of 12 plays he authored. This month on June 23, 2018, we will present one of Claudy's Masonic plays at Tucson #4, A Rose Upon the Altar, to recognize and honor the new 2018 - 2019 Grand Master of Free & Accepted Masons in Arizona, Most Worshipful Craig Gross, from our lodge and in our lodge. Carl Claudy was well known around the world as a Masonic leader, speaker, playwright and essayist. He wrote several books for Masons. Altogether, Claudy wrote 1,600 articles for 170 magazines and special papers over his lifetime.



When 19, Carl Claudy travelled west to the Alaskan gold fields. Not finding gold after six months, he came home to Washington, D.C., where he started a writing career. The first story he ever wrote appeared in The Washington Post. He freelanced for The New York Herald, eventually joining its staff in 1908 with a special assignment covering the then infant aeronautical industry. Claudy wrote a number of articles on aircraft and published a book titled, *Beginners Book of Model Airplanes*. He wrote a number of books relating to photography and to aviation, including *First Book of Photography: A Primer of Theory and Prize Winners' Book of Model Airplanes*.

During the early 1900s, Claudy photographed many important aeronautical events such as Alexander Graham Bell's tetrahedral kite experiments and the Wright Flyer Army Trials at Fort Meyer, Virginia. His photos of early flights were given to Alexander Graham Bell who placed them in the Smithsonian where they remain today. At the end of World War I, Claudy went overseas as a correspondent for *Scientific American*. An avid athlete and outdoors man, he enjoyed camping, mountaineering, boxing, rowing, crew, tennis and football. Claudy's enthusiasm for the outdoors frequently took him to Montana and inspired many of his short stories written for Boy Scout publications.

In 1911, Claudy was the director of publicity for the National Highway Association. Claudy wrote many science fiction stories for *The American Boy* magazine during the early 1930s. Four novelization books were printed from some of those stories. From 1939-1941, he wrote for DC Comics. Claudy's association with Freemasonry began in 1908, when, at the age of 29, he was raised a Master Mason in Harmony 17 in Washington, DC. He served as Master of his lodge and later as Grand Master of Masons in the District of Columbia in 1943. In honor to our new Grand Master, specially skilled Masonic thespians from Phoenix, coordinated by WB Fred Moore, will grace our lodge room stage to present, "A Rose Upon the Altar," to bring this classic Claudy Masonic play to life. A steak and potato dinner and this Claudy Masonic Play will be held at Tucson Lodge #4.



Additionally, Dr. Christine Vivona will delight diners with her award winning magical harp music. Christine earned her Master of Music at The Juilliard School and a Doctor of Music from the University of Arizona. She can play classical, popular selections, jazz standards, Broadway tunes, Celtic and religious music. Sixty seats will be available and are open to Masons, their family members and friends for this special Masonic event.

See Tucson Lodge No. 4 Secretary Paul Simpson, PM,



## GEORGE WASHINGTON MEMORIAL

The George Washington Masonic National Memorial stands as the most distinguished monument to Washington ever build by a private organization.

Erected in the 1920s and 30s, it soars 333 feet as a beacon of Light and knowledge, educating and inspiring all who visit it. Recognized in 2015 as a National Historic Landmark, the Memorial is one of the most impressive and iconic buildings in the area around our nation’s capital. Our new fundraising endeavor, The Landmark Century Campaign, aims to support a thorough restoration of the Memorial. And we can help!

Today, the Memorial is a museum like no other in the world. Everything we do revolves around our vision: “to inspire humanity through education to emulate and promote the virtues, character and vision of George Washington, the Man, the Mason, and Father of our Country.” Open seven days a week,



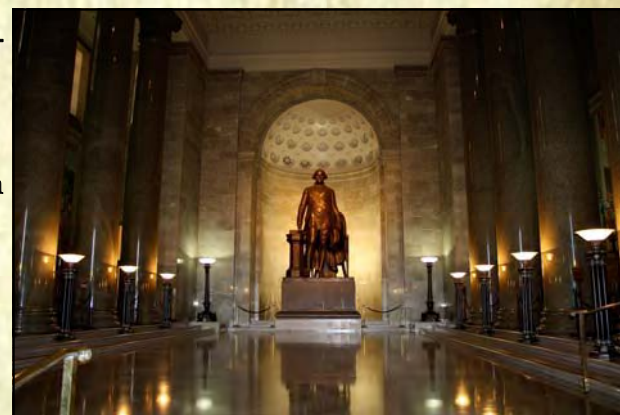
the Memorial offers

detailed exhibits and guided tours that teach the general public about George Washington, his life and virtues, and the role that Freemasonry played throughout his life.

Further, the Memorial is an important space for the performing arts, social gatherings, public events, and educational seminars. And, of course, it is an active

Masonic temple, housing two Craft lodges and regularly hosting visiting lodges from around the country. The Memorial is a central hub connecting Masons to one another, and connecting the Craft to the public, our nation, and our world

For the past decade, the Memorial Association has devoted tremendous energy and resources to the renovation of the Memorial. Major exhibits have been added. Interiors have been repaired and repainted. Lighting has been updated. But the most considerable work is the top-to-bottom restoration of the building itself—the first such renovation since the Memorial was completed nearly a century ago.



Beginning at the Memorial’s pyramid level, we have begun a multi-year project to perform all needed structural repairs. Stone by stone, are repointing the mortar and protecting the building from water penetration. When completed, the building will be in better than new condition.

Having a tree planted on the grounds of the George Washington Masonic National Memorial is an excellent way to honor an important individual in your life. And it’s also a great way to express thanks to an organization, such as a Lodge or Chapter. For a donation of \$750, the tree will be cared for in perpetuity, and a handsome stone marker placed near the tree will

Your generous help is essential in reaching that goal.

The Society of Washington Lodges is for regular Lodges (recognized by the Grand Lodges of the United States) who are committed to supporting the Memorial.

There is a one-time donation of \$2,500.00, which can be applied



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## OUT IN THE STATE

### Prometheus Lodge No. 87

MW Scott Thomas had the opportunity to present Operation Welcome Home a Check for \$1,500 from the Grand Lodge on behalf of Prometheus Lodge 87 as part of the Community Outreach Program. The program began with a reading of In Flanders Fields a Poem read by 4th-grade student followed by a musical interlude and the presentation by MW Scott Thomas and WB Cosmo Magliozzi. We would also like to thank those for making the entire George Washington Gavel event happen and lead us to the relationship we have today with those at Operation Welcome Home.



### Central Arizona Lodge No. 14

Central Arizona Lodge No. 14 is rising from the ground and is on schedule to open soon! Get your traveling Brother's together and be ready to make plans





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### Wayfarers Lodge No. 50 joins with Hiram Daylight No. 73 and El Quixote to Beautify their Lodge

A successful day of cleaning the lodge with representation from Wayfarers Lodge #50, Hiram Daylight #73 and El Quixote Lodge # 83! The inside of the lodge was cleaned and lights fixed. Our Arizona Flag was replaced by one donated by Tom and Doug in honor of their father. Parking lot, driveway, walk ways were cleaned. Tree limbs removed for safety.





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## Arizona Masonry

### Ascension Lodge U.D.

Ascension Lodge U.D is ready for the Grand Communication in June and will request to be awarded a Charter!



## NEW MEXICO MASONICON 2018

FRIDAY  
JUNE 8, 2018  
12 PM - 5 PM

SOCIAL HOUR  
5PM - 6PM

SATURDAY  
JUNE 9, 2018  
8 AM - 5:30 PM

SOCIAL HOUR  
5:30 - 6:30

DINNER & KEYNOTE  
6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

FELLOWSHIP  
8:00 PM - CLOSE

WHERE:  
BALLUT ABYAD SHRINE TEMPLE  
6600 ZUNI RD SE  
ALBUQUERQUE, NM 87108

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### Chandler Thunderbird Lodge No. 15 volunteers at the Ronald McDonald House

A great evening of fun and fellowship as we had a chance to provide some comfort and relief to the families staying at the Ronald McDonald house! A special thanks to brother Stephen for setting this up.





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**AZTLAN LODGE No. 1**

**FAIN MEMORIAL**

**OUTDOOR DEGREE**

**SEPT 8, 2018**



**FAIN RANCH**



**\$35**

INCLUDES

**BBQ LUNCH**

**AND BOLA TIE**



for more info, reservations and map  
visit <http://www.aztlanlodge.org/outdoordegree.html>

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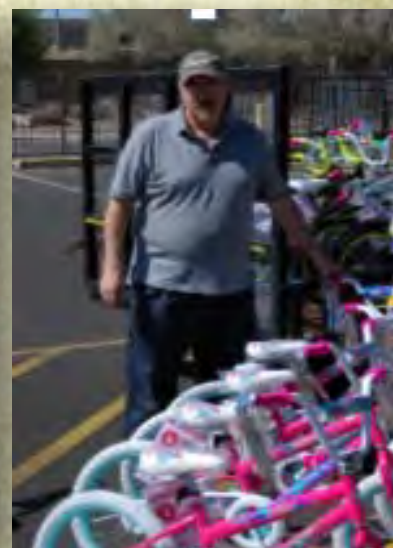
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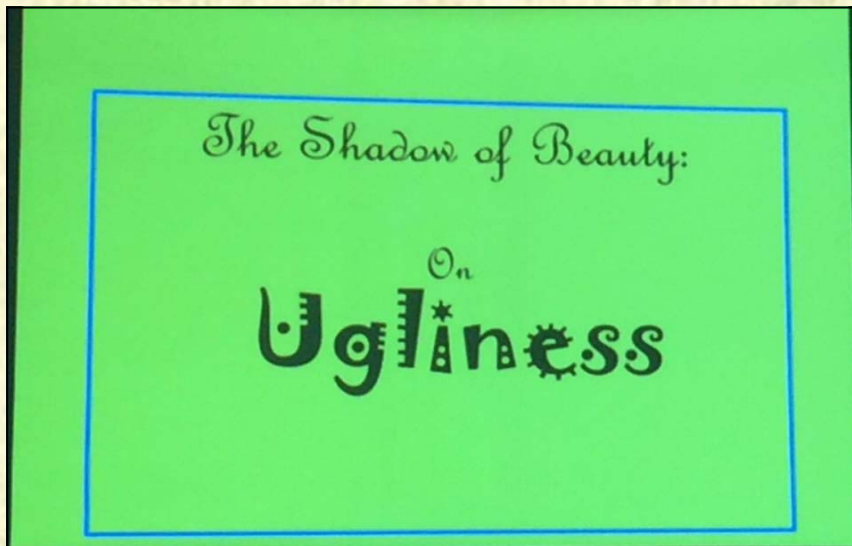
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### Adobe Lodge No. XLI White Night Celebration

5th annual white night at Adobe 41 and a wonderful presentation by MW [Rex Hutchens](#), followed by Agape with brothers and their families.





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El Quixote Lodge No. 83 visits Wayfarers Lodge No. 50



Master Mason Degree at Downtown Lodge No. 86



Getting active again at Eloy Lodge No. 46



Adobe Lodge No. 41 Stated Meeting



Imp. Sir Ed Stoltze at the Salt Lake Shriners Hospital



Hiram Lodge No. 73 updated website picture



Phoenicia Lodge No. 58 making new Deacon and Steward Rods



Central Lodge No. 14's temporary home in MW Cunningham's garage

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Chandler Thunderbird Lodge No. 15 official visit to Prometheus No. 87



Central Lodge No. 14 official visit to Aztlan Lodge No. 1



Newest Master Mason at Chandler Thunderbird No. 15



50 year award at Central Arizona Lodge No. 14



Past Grand Master tackling the Membership recruitment at El Zaribah Shrine



King Solomon Lodge No. 5 celebrates the life of Gene Bull



Wardens Degree at Hiram Daylight Lodge No. 73



Shrine Cinco De Mayo party

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Tucson No. 4 raising a good Man



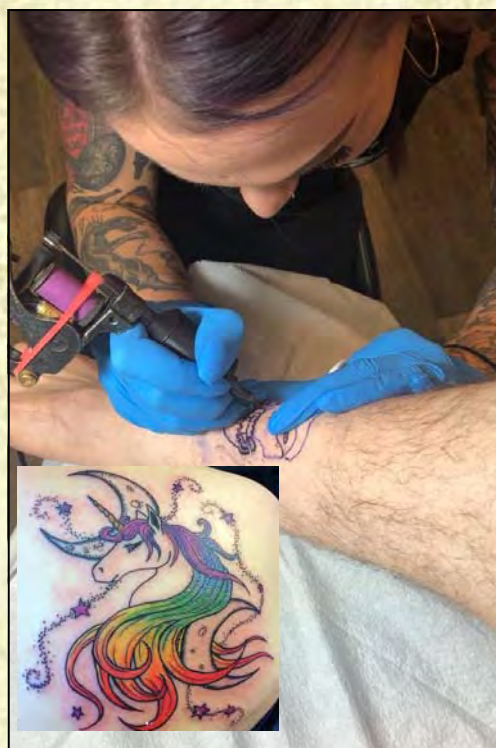
Anahuac Lodge No. 81 initiates a new Brother



Longevity awarded at home by Acacia Lodge No. 42



Central Arizona Lodge No. 14 's new building is bring framed



Some Brothers from 86 getting tattoos together



Adobe Lodge No. 41 visits King Solomon Lodge No. 5



Stated meeting El Quixote Lodge #83 with an official visit from Sr. Grand Warden Greg Vasquez



Reunion of Jobs Daughters Bethel #7, past members and adults!

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Glendale Lodge No. 23 initiates a new Mason



Aztlan Lodge No. 1 at Prescott Valley Days Parade



Cigar Night at Prometheus Lodge No. 87



Flagstaff No. 7 does a great Fellowcraft Degree



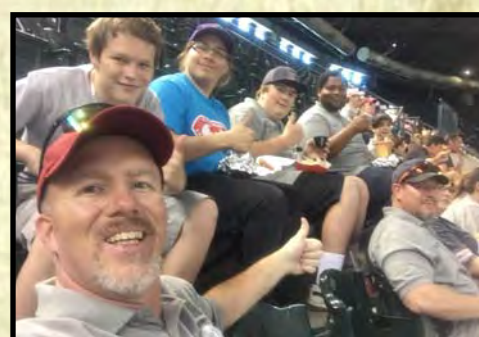
Adobe Lodge No. 41 holds their Annual White Night Event



Flagstaff Lodge No. 7 cemetery clean up crew



Raised to the Sublime Degree of Master at Paradise Valley Silver Trowel Lodge No. 58



Arizona DeMolay goes to the Diamondbacks game

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# Arizona Masonry



Military Degree team at Tucson Lodge No. 4



Paradise Valley Silver Trowel Lodge No. 29 supports the Food Bank



Do you know the owner of this license plate?



Arizona DeMolay at the Diamondbacks Game



Military Degree team conducts a Fellowcraft Degree at Scottsdale Lodge no. 43



Scottsdale Lodge No. 43 raises a Brother to the Sublime Degree of Master Mason



Master Mason Degree at Oriental Lodge No. 20,



Fellowcraft Degree at Acacia Lodge No. 42

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Oriental Lodge No. 20 confers a Master Mason for AZ No. 2



Glendale Lodge No. 23 raised a Master Mason



Newest Master Mason at PVST Lodge No. 29



Ritual practice with El Quixote Lodge No. 83



The Clowns are loose at Sabbar Shrine



Arizona Lodge No. 2 has a Fellowcraft Degree



Widow Sons Fellowcraft Degree at Eloy Lodge No. 46



Chandler Thunderbird Lodge No. 15 passes a new Fellowcraft

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## Arizona Masonry



A number of Brothers visit King Solomon Lodge No. 5



Birthday parties at Downtown Lodge No. 86 are special!



Chandler Thunderbird Lodge No. 15 doing the Chapter



Saguaro Chapter DeMolay looking awesome!



Bethel No. 19 Job's Daughters installation at PVST 58



Widow Sons Second Degree at Eloy Lodge No. 46



Oriental Lodge No. 20 hosted a chest compression and defibrillator session



Grand Lodge DDGM meeting. Getting work done on behalf of the Craft

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Movie Night at Gila Valley Lodge No. 9



Oriental Lodge No. 20



Living Memorial for a Brother at Gila Valley Lodge No. 9



A new Master Mason at Arizona Lodge No. 2



Widow Sons making bike deliveries to worthy students



Prometheus Lodge No. 87 has a new Entered Apprentice



Grand Master at the El Zaribah Potentate's Reception



A Master Mason Degree at Montezuma Lodge No. 35 for Arizona Lodge No. 2

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## Masonic Trivia

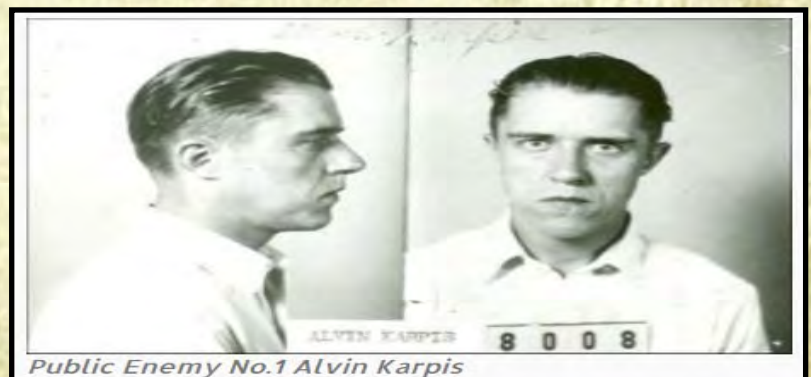
Reverend Cannon William Henry Cooper, was a member of 17 Lodges on three Continents. Was founder and first Master of three of them, he belonged to Lodges in Ireland, England, Australia, New Zealand, British Columbia, and Ontario



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L'assiette au beurre (Buttercup) was a French satirical and anti-clerical magazine founded in Paris in 1901, ceasing publication in 1912 after 594 issues. The edition for 25 June 1904—with 16 full-page illustrations drawn by the Jossot—was dedicated to Freemasonry

In 1936 [Waco Masonic Lodge 92](#) member Buck Buchanan received a special assignment in his role as an FBI Agent: Apprehend Alvin Karpis, Public Enemy No. 1. Bro. Buchanan proved to be the right man for the job as he used his own necktie in lieu of handcuffs when arresting Karpis, the only Public Enemy No. 1 who was ever taken alive! Read more here: <http://www.wacomasonic.org/buck-buchanan/>

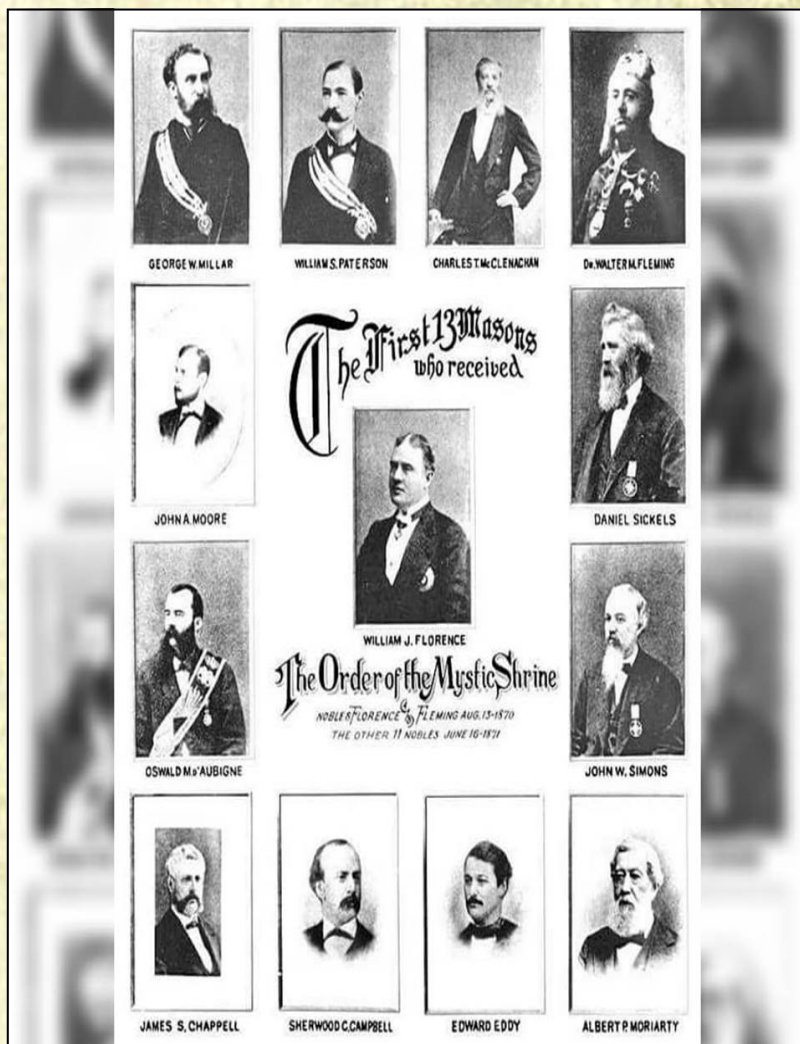


Public Enemy No.1 Alvin Karpis



## Masonic Trivia

American Revolutionary Brigadier General George Rogers Clark (older brother of William Clark of Lewis and Clark) holds a rather unique Masonic distinction in that he had 2 Masonic Funerals. In 1809, he suffered a mild stroke and fell into his fireplace. The severe burns to his leg necessitated amputation. At the General's insistence his severed limb was given Masonic funeral. The rest of the General received the same honor nine years later. Thank you Chickasha Masonic Lodge #94 for the trivia!



These are the first 13 Masons who received The Order of the Mystic Shrine.

In 2013, the Detroit Masonic Temple was reported to be in foreclosure. But an anonymous donor gave \$142,000 so it could pay off its back taxes. Two months later, it was revealed that the donor was none other than Jack White of the White Stripes. He has a special relationship with the Temple because his mother supported the family by working there when he was growing up





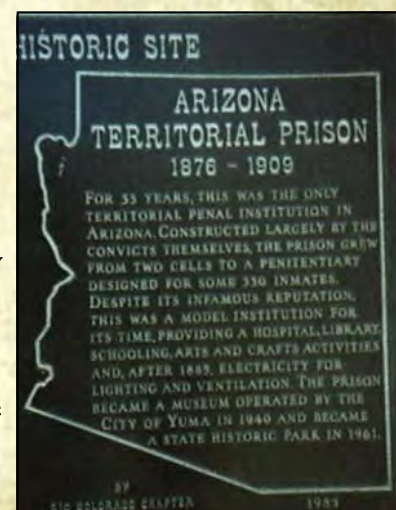
## Masonic Trivia

In 1778, an ill and dwindling old Frenchman, 84 years in age, walked blindfolded and clinging to the arm of his younger and abler American friend. Having waited his whole life, the old man was finally being made a mason at the Lodge of Nine Sisters, an academic lodge in Paris focused especially on the pursuit of the liberal arts and sciences. Following the ceremony, the two men stood before a masonic and academic audience. It is said that the excitement floating in the air was such that it felt electric. This was appropriate as the people around Paris had been referring to the American visitor as the "Electric Ambassador." After an opening speech by the Master of the lodge, the cheers of the crowd came to a crescendo as the two living legends embraced on stage in what was perhaps the single most perfect example of French-American fellowship in history.

The younger was none other than the illustrious Benjamin Franklin. His older friend, the new mason: the immeasurably influential philosopher Voltaire whose remarkable life came to an end just seven weeks later. Today, an apron given to Bro. Franklin by Voltaire can be seen in the Freemasonry Museum of Paris. It is pictured below.



In 1875 Granville H. Oury introduced legislation which would have placed the Arizona Territorial Prison in the Phoenix area but representatives from Yuma, Jose Maria Rendondo and R. B. Kelly, inserted the name Yuma where Phoenix had been and Governor Anson P.K. Safford signed the bill, resulting in the Territorial Prison built in Yuma. A resident of Yuma, A. L. Grow submitted the plans for construction of the prison and won \$150 for his endeavor. The land for the construction of the prison was donated to the Territory by the village of Yuma and the work was soon underway. On February 18, 1876 a ceremony was held on Prison Hill which celebrated the laying of the cornerstone. On July 1, 1876 seven convicts were led up to Prison Hill and were placed in the quarters they helped build. Between the years of 1875 and 1909 the Yuma Territorial Prison held some of the most notorious desperados of the old southwest. Artemus Loudin Grow later moved in Tombstone and was a Charter Member of King Solomon Lodge No. 5. He was Elected Grand Master of [Grand Lodge of Free & Accepted Masons in](#)





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## Masonic Trivia

Besides being a talented performer and businessman, the Wild West showman William Frederick "Buffalo Bill" Cody was also a 32<sup>nd</sup>° Mason and Knight Templar. Entered, passed and raised in Platte Valley Lodge No. 32, NE, Cody was honored with a Masonic funeral upon his passing in 1917.



In *Batman: Operation Scotland*, Bruce Wayne visits Rosslyn Chapel and the legends of the Apprentice's Pillar and Hiram Abiff are told. Written by Alan Grant, drawn by Frank Quitely. DC/ BTMSC 01: 1998. p. 27.



Cyrus H.K. Curtis is recognized as a member of the Advertising Hall of Fame, He is considered the "founder of the modern magazine." Curtis launched magazines such as Ladies' Home Journal and later bought other publications including The Evening Post and The Philadelphia Inquirer. He was very active in Masonic circles, even being awarded the 33<sup>rd</sup> honor in the Scottish Rite.

Currently on display in the Masonic Temple's Library and Museum in Philadelphia, this melodeon dates from 1810-1820. It is thought to have been used by the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania in the Masonic Hall on Chestnut Street, which burned in 1819, and was the first instrument to provide music during their ceremonies. A melodeon is a type of free-reed organ that generates sound as air flows past a vibrating piece of thin metal in a frame, referred to as a reed. The instrument is encased in mahogany and has a unique sound.





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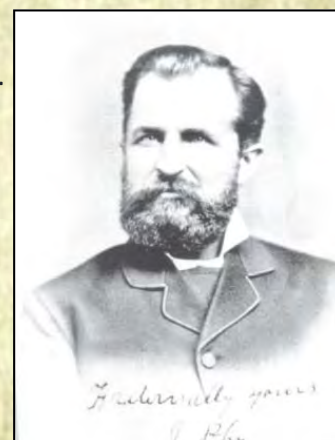
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Arizona's so-called "Classic Gunfight" starred a couple of men, Joe Phy and Pete Gabriel, who really aren't household names in the world of famous gunfighters. Both had been lawmen in several towns before they came to Florence, Arizona. They had mutual friends around the territory and had been friends before trouble arose between them. Their classic duel in the Tunnel Saloon had caused headlines in newspapers all over Arizona and was the subject of conversation for the next fifty years when old timers gathered. Gabriel moved to Tucson where he became a deputy under Pima County Sheriff Peter Brady. It was during this time he met Joe Phy. Gabriel, now sheriff of Pinal County, was fearless and bad men avoided him. He sent a number of them to the "Long Sleep." Their friendship began to cool over a series of minor incidents. On Thursday, May 31st, 1888 the duel finally took place. Gabriel was having a drink in the Tunnel Saloon when Phy burst through the swinging doors. Both men reached for their guns Phy fired, hitting Pete in the chest below the heart. Gabriel fired back, hitting Phy in the pit of the stomach. The lights in the saloon went out and eleven shots were fired. In near darkness, Gabriel moved forward, firing as he went, hitting Phy in the shoulder and wrist. One of Phy's bullets struck Gabriel in the right groin, near his spine and kidneys. Phy mortally wounded staggered outside the saloon and fell on the sidewalk. Gabriel followed him out and collapsed on the ground. Although told his wounds were fatal, Gabriel lived but it was said Phy's death haunted him for the rest of his life. Joe Phy was one of the first Master Mason's raised at Tucson Lodge No. 4, having put his application at the first meeting held Under Dispensation from the [Masons of California](#) on February 28, 1881. A window damaged by the gun fight can be found at the [McFarland State Historic Park](#) and another at [Pinal County Historical Society](#).



Headquarters, Grand Army of the Republic

General Order 11 - 5 May 1868

...a designated for the purpose of strewing with flowers in solemn decorating the graves of comrades who died in defense of their country during the late rebellion, and whose bodies now lie in almost every city, village, and hamlet church-yard in the land. In this observance no form of ceremony is prescribed, but posts and comrades will in their own way arrange such fitting services and testimonials of respect as circumstances may permit.

Let us, then, at the time appointed gather around their sacred remains and guard the passages around them with the choicest flowers of spring-time; let us raise above them the stars old flag they saved from dishonor; let us in this solemn presence renew our pledges to aid and assist those whom they have left among us a sacred charge upon a nation's gratitude, the soldier's and sailor's widow and orphan.

**Bro. John A. Logan**

Freemason (Illinois) - Horse Jockey - Author  
Civil War General  
U.S. Representative (D & R) - U.S. Senator  
V.P. Candidate - GAR Commander



2018 marks the 150-year "anniversary" of Memorial Day, originally called Decoration Day. Like so many things in our country's history, a Freemason had a huge hand in organizing something that would become commonplace in our country. John Logan, an Illinois Freemason, a politician, and an active General in the Civil War, was that man. In the years following the Civil War, Brother Logan founded and was the second Commander-In-Chief for the Grand Army of the Republic (GAR) which was a fraternal organization somewhat similar in purpose to the later established VFW and American Legion. Communities in both the North and South had been holding various and scattered commemorations to honor their loved ones killed in the great conflict before the War had even ended. As GAR Commander, Logan issued General Order 11 which directed the membership to gather on 30 May 1868 "for the purpose of strewing with flowers or

otherwise decorating the graves of comrades who died in defense of their country." Late May was picked because the "choicest flowers of spring-time" would be in full bloom and the weather warm. The American Flag was to be raised over the graves of the fallen and they were supposed to renew their pledge to "aid and assist...the widow and orphan." Bro. Logan also desired that the media be used to publicize the upcoming event so that all members (veterans) might be known and be able to participate in simultaneous observance. Here are some additional items of interest. Bro. Logan served Congress first as a Democrat and then as a Republican. Though from the North, Logan was from a slave-owning family. After the Civil War, he turned down a military promotion and returned to Congress where he was a huge proponent of civil rights for the freed slaves. At the first Decoration Day event at Arlington Cemetery in 1868, attended by President Grant and Gen. Logan, an address was given by General (and Freemason) James Garfield who would later go on to become our 20th President. Logan was a member of the York Rite and Scottish Rite and was elected to receive the 33 degree but died before it could be conferred. Upon his death, Brother Logan laid in state at the Capitol Rotunda utilizing the catafalque constructed for the coffin of Abraham Lincoln, one of our country's highest honors.





# Masonic Education

Bits of Wisdom by WB David Woodland Oriental Lodge No. 20

## FREEDOM

When speaking of freedom, often we are referring to something unwelcome, glad to be gone. It may be the creation of a locality free of evil, squalor, tyranny, confinement, even some people, graduation from school, discharge from the military, and so on. Is it the opposite of achievement? To stretch a point, one could say it is, for freedom and creativity change societies.

One should, if possible, have the freedom to plan, plot, and pursue life's opportunities. To conform totally slams the door to the basic freedoms our Constitution says are necessary for society's success.

Freedom, in any form, for one's self alone, is not freedom worthy of the freedoms held dear in our democracy, and as the result of the gallant efforts of all generations since our founding, in all efforts for preservation. To do our best to express the value we place upon freedom, realize that it is not generic, that efforts to preserve are ongoing, protected, and passed forward, generation to generation.

## MORNING

One can dream of many good things, but get up in the morning and make it happen. Sunrises and chances to achieve are alike; if you hesitate, you will miss them. Mornings are books opening, allowing you to turn the pages of opportunity throughout the day. At day's end, the book closes, but is not sealed. Dream of what is presented, and open the book in the morning.

There are morning people, those who awake joyfully at an early hour, and there are those who are less disciplined. It is our nature to be gladdened and refreshed by the light, more or less instantly. Who among us is ever energized by fading light?

And so it is, that which is new and successful, benefiting many, is call enlightenment. The light arrives in the morning, shines on our fortunes through the day, and leaves to provide rest, and the anticipation of morning.

## PEACE

Think of the word, and the probable thought is peace is the absence of war. This universality of that concept is due to the trauma of war from the earliest attempts to resolve differences with rocks and clubs, until now with organizations, talk, and politics. A much larger look, and we find the broader views and concepts of what peace means.

Peace is life in all its beauty. It is a smile, expressed love, appreciation of family, the absence of abstract concerns. Achieving personal peace, as in peace of mind, gets personified when it's a state of mind, be it health, degree of wealth, a bright and optimistic future. It is always the dream of the striven, the oppressed, and those who are able to know that peace is the grand achievement.

Peace is the dream. Recognition is the reality.

## Scotland Trip in 2019

Brethren,

Many of you heard about a second trip to Scotland. I'm planning a trip to Roslyn Lodge 606 and Roslyn Chapel in May of 2019. We will be putting on a 3rd Degree for Roslyn Lodg3 606.

Roslyn Chapel demonstrating the various symbols and how they relate to Freemasonry. I'm in the process working with WB Geoffrey from Roslyn 606 organizing this beautified and one in the lifetime trip. No Masonic Jurisdiction from the US has ever put on a degree in Scotland; Arizona Masonry will be the first. If you are interested in traveling to Scotland in 2019, please let me know as we are taking reservations. Furthermore, if you are interested in participating in the degree, please let me know, we will hold additions for the several parts as we want to make sure our ritual is "Top Notch."

You will need to procure your own costume and tuxedo. We are in the process of obtaining dispensation from both jurisdictions and more details to follow. Fraternally, WB Cosmo Magliozzi ([cmagiozzi@cox.net](mailto:cmagiozzi@cox.net))



## History of the Grand Lodge

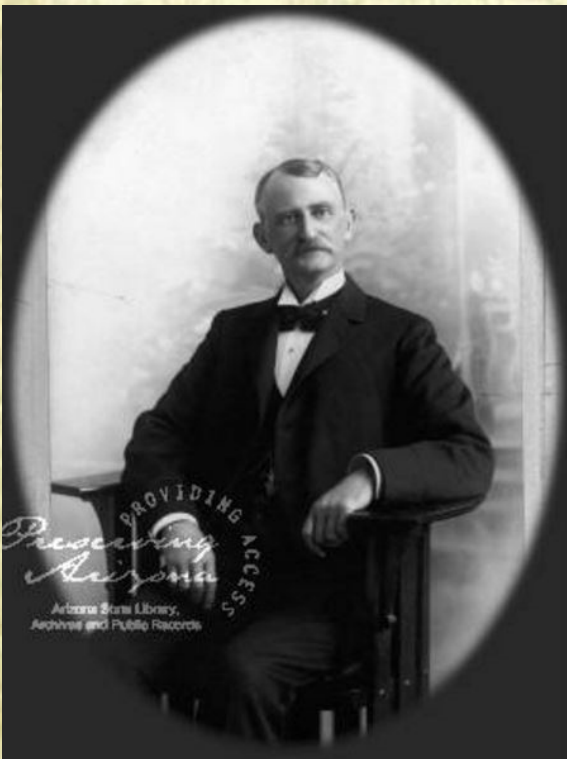
### SPOTLIGHT ON ALONZO BAILEY

### 1883 GRAND MASTER OF ARIZONA

"Alonzo Bailey, ice manufacturer and mining operator, residing at Globe, Gila county, is recognized as one of the most influential and public-spirited citizens of his town. A native of Dresden, Ohio, he was born February 5, 1847, and is a son of Lawrence and Laura (Graves) Bailey, natives respectively of Brookline, N. H., and Croton Falls, Mass., and both of English descent. Lawrence Bailey moved to Ohio in 1830, there married and became a large land holder. He died in 1871 and his wife in 1867. "Until attaining the age of nineteen years, Alonzo Bailey resided at home, meantime receiving his education in the public schools and Kenyon College. After the death of his mother in 1867, he went to Colorado and for two years was engaged in farming and dairy work at Fort Lupton. Subsequently he engaged in contracting with the Santa Fe and the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroads in Kansas and Texas for three years. In 1872 he removed to Silver City, N.M., where he erected a sawmill, kept a set of books, and served in various other capacities for local concerns. His residence in Globe dates from 1877, and for a year he engaged in merchandising. From that time until 1900 he was continuously devoted to the same line of business, but in that year disposed of his interests. "For some time he acted as president of the Old Dominion Commercial Company of Globe, established in 1891. "From the earliest days of his residence in Arizona, Mr. Bailey has been interested in mining, and for some time was a principal owner in the pioneer property and a large investor in the Old Dominion. For several years he has been associated with Alfred

Kinney in the ice-manufacturing business, the two partners having developed the plant from a capacity of one ton per day to that of twelve tons. The firm has adopted the use of a Holden regaled ice machine. In connection with the plant is a soda-water works. "Fraternally Mr. Bailey is prominent in Masonry, having been initiated into the order at Silver City, N. M., in 1876. He is a charter member of the blue lodge and chapter at Globe; is a member of Arizona Commandery No. 1, K. T., of Tucson ; and

Al Malaikah Temple, N.M. S., of Los Angeles. In 1884 he served as the third Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Arizona, which he had assisted in organizing two years before. He is past grand master of the Odd Fellows for Arizona. In the Episcopal Church of Globe, of which he was an organizer, he serves as senior warden. Politically he has always been a consistent Democrat. He was a member of the constitutional convention of Arizona and served in the council in the thirteenth legislature. Among his interests are important real estate holdings in Globe. In 1880 he married Sarah Kennedy, a native of Kansas, and a daughter of John Kennedy, a pioneer stockman of Arizona, who was drowned in the Verde river in 1892. Mr. and Mrs. Bailey have three children, Wynette, Edith and Gertrude.





## AZ Stated Meetings

### Copper Corridor

June 7, 2018 Safford No. 16  
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/156141284847387>  
7:00 pm Stated Meeting

June 7, 2018 Pinal Lodge No. 30  
[www.facebook.com/pinallodge30](http://www.facebook.com/pinallodge30)  
7:00 pm Stated Meeting

June 9, 2018 White Mountain No. 3  
10:00 am Stated Meeting

June 12, 2018 Ray-Winkleman No. 24  
7:30 pm Meeting

June 14, 2018 Yuma No. 17  
[www.facebook.com/groups/165341547176775](http://www.facebook.com/groups/165341547176775)  
7:00 pm Meeting

June 21, 2018 Eloy Lodge No. 46  
[www.facebook.com/Eloy-Lodge-No-46-of-Free-Accepted-Masons-of-Arizona-494580944085012](http://www.facebook.com/Eloy-Lodge-No-46-of-Free-Accepted-Masons-of-Arizona-494580944085012)  
7:00 pm Stated Meeting

June 25, 2018 Gila Valley Lodge No. 9  
[www.facebook.com/gilavalley9](http://www.facebook.com/gilavalley9) @gilavalleylodge  
7:00 pm Stated Meeting

### Northern Arizona

June 6, 2018 Mohave Valley No. 68  
7:30 pm Stated Meeting

June 7, 2018 Flagstaff No. 7  
[www.facebook.com/groups/](http://www.facebook.com/groups/)  
7:30 pm Stated Meeting

June 11, 2018 Winslow No. 13  
7:00 pm Stated Meeting

June 11, 2018 Kingman No. 22  
7:30 pm Stated Meeting

June 12, 2018 White River No. 62  
[www.facebook.com/WhiteRiver62](http://www.facebook.com/WhiteRiver62)  
7:30 pm Stated Meeting

June 12, 2018 Sy Harrison No. 70  
[www.facebook.com/Sy-Harrison-Masonic-Lodge-70](http://www.facebook.com/Sy-Harrison-Masonic-Lodge-70)  
7:00 pm Stated Meeting

June 12, 2018 Aztlan No. 1  
[@aztlanlodge1](http://www.facebook.com/Aztlan-Lodge-1)  
7:30 pm Stated Meeting

June 12, 2018 Havasu No. 64  
[www.facebook.com/Havasus-Masonic-Lodge-No-64-F-AM-](http://www.facebook.com/Havasus-Masonic-Lodge-No-64-F-AM-)  
7:00 pm Stated Meeting

June 13, 2018 Williams Grand Canyon No. 38  
7:30 pm Stated Meeting

June 13, 2018 Central Arizona No. 14  
[www.facebook.com/CentralAZLodge14](http://www.facebook.com/CentralAZLodge14)  
7:30 pm Stated Meeting

June 14, 2018 Chalcedony No. 6  
7:30 pm Stated Meeting





## AZ Stated Meetings

### Phoenix Area

June 5, 2018 Arizona Lodge No. 2  
[www.facebook.com/ArizonaLodge2](http://www.facebook.com/ArizonaLodge2)  
7:00 pm Stated Meeting

June 6, 2018 Paradise Valley Silver Trowel No. 29  
[www.facebook.com/Paradise-Valley-Silver-Trowel-Lodge-No29-F-AM](http://www.facebook.com/Paradise-Valley-Silver-Trowel-Lodge-No29-F-AM)  
7:30 pm Stated Meeting

June 7, 2018 Montezuma No. 35  
7:00 pm Stated Meeting

June 7, 2018 Scottsdale No. 43  
[www.facebook.com/scottsdalemasoniclodge](http://www.facebook.com/scottsdalemasoniclodge)  
7:00 pm Stated Meeting

June 9, 2018 Hiram Daylight No. 73  
[www.facebook.com/HiramDaylightLodgeNo73](http://www.facebook.com/HiramDaylightLodgeNo73)  
10:00 pm Stated Meeting  
**NEW LOCATION** 340 E. Carol PHX, AZ

June 12, 2018 Phoenicia No. 58  
[www.facebook.com/Phoenicia58](http://www.facebook.com/Phoenicia58)  
7:00 pm Stated Meeting

June 12, 2018 Wayfarer No. 50  
[www.facebook.com/wayfarers50](http://www.facebook.com/wayfarers50)  
7:00 pm Stated Meeting

June 13, 2018 El Quixote No. 83  
[www.facebook.com/groups/elquixote83](http://www.facebook.com/groups/elquixote83)  
7:00 pm Stated Meeting

June 13, 2018 Sahuaro No. 45  
[www.facebook.com/groups/Sahuaro45](http://www.facebook.com/groups/Sahuaro45)  
7:00 pm Stated Meeting

June 16, 2018 Arizona Sunrise No. 88  
10:00 am Stated Meeting

June 18, 2018 Pioneer No. 82  
[www.facebook.com/pioneermasons](http://www.facebook.com/pioneermasons)  
7:00 pm Stated Meeting

June 25, 2018 Hunters Paradise No. 85  
[www.facebook.com/Hunters-Paradise-Lodge-85-F-AM](http://www.facebook.com/Hunters-Paradise-Lodge-85-F-AM)  
6:30 pm Stated Meeting

### East Valley

June 5, 2018 Oriental Lodge No. 20  
[www.facebook.com/Oriental20](http://www.facebook.com/Oriental20)  
7:00 pm Meeting

June 6, 2018 Prometheus Lodge No. 87  
<http://tinyurl.com/j9xgqne> @PrometheusAZ  
7:00 pm Meeting

June 12, 2018 Chandler-Thunderbird No. 15  
[www.facebook.com/ChandlerThunderbird](http://www.facebook.com/ChandlerThunderbird) @Thunderbird15AZ  
7:00 pm Stated Meeting

June 14, 2018 Apache Lodge No. 69  
7:00 pm Meeting

### West Valley

June 5, 2018 Camelback Daylight No. 75  
[www.facebook.com/camelback.daylight](http://www.facebook.com/camelback.daylight)  
10:00 am Stated Meeting

June 5, 2018 Acacia No. 42  
[www.facebook.com/AcaciaXLII](http://www.facebook.com/AcaciaXLII)  
7:00 pm Stated Meeting

June 5, 2018 Peoria No. 31  
[www.facebook.com/FreemasonsPeoriaLodge31](http://www.facebook.com/FreemasonsPeoriaLodge31)  
7:30 pm Stated Meeting

June 7, 2018 Glendale No. 23  
[www.facebook.com/glendaleaz2](http://www.facebook.com/glendaleaz2) @glendaleaz23  
7:00 pm Meeting

June 14, 2018 Sun City No. 72  
7:30 pm Stated Meeting



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### Tucson Area

June 4, 2018 Marion McDaniel No. 56  
[www.facebook.com/groups/MarionMcDaniel56](http://www.facebook.com/groups/MarionMcDaniel56)  
7:30 pm Meeting

June 5, 2018 Adobe No. 41  
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/413707212136698/>  
6:30 pm Stated Meeting

June 6, 2018 Aaron No. 49  
[www.facebook.com/groups/](http://www.facebook.com/groups/)  
7:30 pm Meeting

June 6, 2018 Tucson No. 4  
[www.facebook.com/groups/](http://www.facebook.com/groups/)  
7:00 pm Meeting

June 9, 2018 Jerusalem Daylight No. 66  
12:00 pm Meeting

June 12, 2018 Oasis No. 52  
[www.facebook.com/Oasis-Lodge-52](http://www.facebook.com/Oasis-Lodge-52) @oasis52tucson  
7:30 pm Stated Meeting

June 12, 2018 Nelson C Bledsoe No. 74  
[www.facebook.com/profile](http://www.facebook.com/profile)  
7:00 pm Stated Meeting

June 13, 2018 Epes Randolph No. 32  
[www.facebook.com/groups/1033656566693307](http://www.facebook.com/groups/1033656566693307)  
7:30 pm Stated Meeting

June 13, 2018 Builders No. 60  
7:30 pm Stated Meeting

June 18, 2018 Anahuac No. 81  
7:00 pm Stated Meeting

June 25, 2018 Downtown No. 86  
[www.facebook.com/Downtown-Lodge-86-FAM](http://www.facebook.com/Downtown-Lodge-86-FAM)  
7:30 pm Stated Meeting

### Southern Arizona

June 4, 2018 King Solomon No. 5  
[www.facebook.com/groups/](http://www.facebook.com/groups/)  
7:00 pm Stated Meeting

June 7, 2018 Perfect Ashlar No. 12  
[www.facebook.com/groups](http://www.facebook.com/groups)  
7:00 pm Stated Meeting

June 9, 2018 Camp Stone No. 77  
[www.facebook.com/groups](http://www.facebook.com/groups)  
9:30 am Stated Meeting

June 12, 2018 Wilcox No. 10  
7:00 pm Stated Meeting

June 12, 2018 Mount Moriah No. 19  
7:00 pm Stated Meeting

June 13, 2018 Nogales No. 11  
7:30 pm Stated Meeting

June 19, 2018 Green Valley No. 71  
[www.facebook.com/greenvalleylodge71](http://www.facebook.com/greenvalleylodge71)  
7:00 pm Stated Meeting

June 25, 2018 San Pedro No. 55  
[www.facebook.com/groups/sanpedro55](http://www.facebook.com/groups/sanpedro55)  
7:00 pm Stated Meeting





## FUND RAISERS

### The Phoenicia Lodge No. 58 F&AM Raffle!

They're here!! The Phoenicia 58 Skateboard project is in full effect. Limited edition Skateboards sporting an **original Wes Humpston design on a Big Foot template**. Handmade and silk screened in the USA by Splitt Lipp Manufacturing in California. Custom designed by the one and only, Wes Humpston. Legendary Dogtown Skateboard artist and skater. Only 50 of these decks were made by Splitt Lipp Mfg. in California, USA.

Less than half of the run are still available to Freemasons and non-Masons alike. Using the original 1978 Bigfoot template, each deck was shaped

and hand silk-screened to Wes's specifications. Original owners to be included on the "Wes Deck Registry"

A donation of \$150 per board secures a great piece of Skateboarding and Masonic history. Only 50 boards were made in this run.



For more information, please contact Phoenicia Lodge No. 58 directly at [info@phoenicia58.org](mailto:info@phoenicia58.org)



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**Junior Grand Warden:** Boyd Robertson (1)  
**Senior Grand Deacon:** Randy Jager (52)  
**Junior Grand Deacon:** Jim Baker (9)  
**Senior Grand Steward:** George Rusk (20)  
**Junior Grand Steward:** Darrel "Po-Po Mandrell (15,75)  
**Very Worshipful Grand Secretary:** James Rowan (43)  
**Very Worshipful Grand Treasurer:** Michael McGee (13,50)  
**Grand Lecturer:** Ron N. Allen (4,55,74,81)  
**Grand Chaplin:** Jason Stryker (86, 56)  
**Grand Orator:** Ahmet S. Erdemir (32,41)  
**Grand Marshall:** Lance Brown (7)  
**Grand Editor:** Roger Biede III (9)  
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**Grand Sword Bearer:** Michael Bernhardt (45)  
**Grand Pursuivant:** Mark Brown (43,85)  
**Grand Standard Bearer:** Michael A. Dale (17)  
**Grand Organist:** Carlos Rausch (43)  
**Grand Tyler:** Matthew Reidmiller (53,77)

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