



Brethren,

With the winter holidays past and a new year before us we look forward to a year of opportunity for growth in our personal lives, in the Fraternity, and the greater community as well. We should be ever mindful of that great Masonic emblem of the bee hive. It symbolizes industry and should remind us that the time to be productive is upon us and that we should strive to make our efforts serve a greater purpose; just as the bee does its part for the greater good of the hive.

This year it is the intent of the Brethren and Officers to expand our Scholarship activities and hopefully begin to award more scholarships and greater amounts to well deserving individuals. This will require the assistance and participation of as many Brethren as possible.

So please come get involved. See you in Lodge,

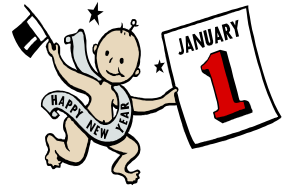
Doug Berry
Worshipful Master

...from the East

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— East Mesa York Rite —

This month begins our yearly activities with several worthy of note. First, January 11th at Sun City Lodge, the Order of Malta will be given to several candidates, including Mark Vandevier who will be one step closer to completion. The Order starts at 7:00 pm.



Closer to home, the Damascus Chapter, Royal Arch Masons will open the East Mesa York Rite in Convention for its monthly meeting on January 9th with a pot-luck at 6:30pm and Chapter opening at 7:30pm.

January 19th is a very busy day starting with the annual meeting of the Red Cross of Constantine and the Appendant Bodies. The meeting begins at 2:00pm with a no-host cocktails at 6:00pm and dinner at 7:00pm. At the same time Bethel No.13 will have its installation with Honored Queen-elect Laura Smith traveling to the East. While in Albuquerque, NM a meeting of the Governing Board of Cryptic Masons Medical Research Foundation is having a two day conference. The Bethel and CMMRF activities are open to everyone. A reminder that 2013 dues are due.

Letters have gone out to everyone with a accurate address. Letters to Dennis DuVan, Richard Cain, John Euell Wallen, WM Dollar Power and Robert Collins have been returned. Contact Jim Hughes at jhughes11@cox.net if you have any questions.

James E. Hughes, KYGCH
Secretary, East Mesa York Rite



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Brothers, *... from the Secretary's table*

I hope everyone's new year is prosperous one.

Please take a moment to look at your Apache Lodge No.69 membership card. If doesn't have 2013 for the year on it, then we need to remedy that.

I know the holidays can drain the checking account, however, your Lodge needs to continue supporting education, charities, crisis centers and Brothers in need.

The income from membership dues is needed from each Brother in order to support these efforts. Support your Lodge by paying your dues.

Fraternally,
John Sheets
Secretary

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John Sheets	2012	Alan Sargent	2013	Dennis DuVan	2014
Wayne Smith	2012	R.D. Fields	2013	Ross Carballo	2014
Richard Cain	2012	Harley Goodson	2013	John Tinnel	2014

...furthering education

Masters Sweetheart Ball

February 16th, 2013

Oriental Lodge Building

6:30pm until 11:00pm



Come and join us for a delightful meal prepared by Master French Chef Bernard Vallet of Paris, France.

A wonderful meal of filet mignon with bordelaise sauce, salmon with garlic butter, asparagus, dutchess potatoes, tomato parmesan and honey glazed carrots; and for dessert, chocolate mousse with fresh berries.

Then dance to the music we all remember and want to hear!

Cost: \$30 each or \$60 per couple!

Seating is limited, so reserve your spot today!

The Dress Code: Formal

All proceeds will go to the Apache Lodge No.69 Scholarship Fund!

Enjoy an evening of dining and dancing while helping those in pursuit of furthering their education to reach their goals.

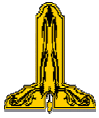
Contact: alanjsargent@gmail.com or call 480-641-4144.

Al Sargent
Treasurer

Has your information changed?

Brothers, I need your help. I would like to get updated email addresses from as many of you as possible. I promise not to spam you, however, I would like to inform you of what is going on in Lodge. Please take a minute to send me an email. secretary@apachelodge69.com

If your mailing address has changed, or you know it will be changing soon, please let me know as well. - **Brother Secretary**



Brethren,

... from the West

Freemasonry has many aspects. It is an opportunity to expand the mind and speculate on the universal lessons taught through the progressive degrees. It is an opportunity to be of service to your community through its charitable endeavors. And, and perhaps of most import, Freemasonry is an opportunity to be among men who wish you well. Men who are, and always will be there for you. The Brotherhood cares and has your best interests at its core.

As we prepare to enter another New Year, remember that you have a friend at your Lodge. It is Good to be among the Brethren!

I hope each of our Brethren and their families have a happy and prosperous New Year. As we learn in the Entered Apprentice degree, the Brethren will promote your welfare and rejoice in your prosperity!

Fraternally,
Mac McClintock, KJCH
Senior Warden



Brethren,

... from the South

Another year has come to a close. It has been an honor and a privilege to serve the lodge as your Senior Deacon. I am looking forward to serving you from the South this coming year.

I would like to thank the Worshipful Master for allowing me to sit in the East. I would also like to thank all the Brothers for their dedication to achieve flawless ritual work. Your hard work and dedication made it a lot easier for me to sit in the East to open, close, and confer the E.A. degree. Thank you all so very much.

We have a new Officer line that brings with it Brothers that have and are honing their skills in the presentation of our ritual work. Looking forward to another rewarding, productive, educational, and fun new year.

Fraternally,
John G. Tinnel
Junior Warden

January 2013

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2 Bethel No.13 Council Meeting - 6pm Apache Lodge Trustees Meeting - 7pm	3 Apache No.69 Meeting - 7pm	4 Bethel No.13 Meeting - 7pm	5
6	7 Mesa Starlight No.16 Meeting - 7:30pm	8 Camelback 75 - 10am Breakfast - 9am Oriental No.20 Stated Meeting - 7pm Dinner - 6pm	9 Valley of the Stars No.62 Meeting - 1pm York Rite Meeting 7:30pm Rainbow Girls Board Meeting - 7pm	10 Apache No.69 Stated Meeting - 7pm Dinner - 6pm	11 Amaranth Baa Hanil Court No.9 Meeting - 7:30pm	12
13	14 Rainbow Girls Assembly No.9 Meeting - 7pm	15 Oriental No.20 Meeting - 7pm	16 Scottish Rite - 7pm Dinner - 6pm	17 Apache No.69 Meeting - 7pm	18 Bethel No.13 Meeting - 7pm	19 Bethel No.13 Installation - all day
20	21 Mesa Starlight No.16 Meeting - 7:30pm	22 Oriental No.20 Meeting - 7pm	23	24 Apache No.69 Meeting - 7pm	25 Amaranth Baa Hanil Court No.9 Meeting - 7:30pm	26 Rainbow Girls No.9 Installation - all day LODGE WORK DAY 8:00 AM
27	28 Rainbow Girls No.9 Meeting - 7pm Oriental 20 Trustees Meeting - 6:30pm	29 Oriental No.20 Meeting - 7pm	30	31 Apache No.69 Meeting - 7pm		



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Dues*

Stated Communication
January 10th
Dinner at 6:00pm
Meeting at 7:00pm

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