

Brethren,
It is always difficult to leave a position you truly enjoy, but the time has come. The newly elected officers are well qualified and the line of progression is very solid. With the continuing number of new candidates we are in a great position for a fantastic future. It's exciting to take part in all the many things that are going on as your Lodge grows and there is an opportunity for each Brother to participate. Come to Lodge – enjoy the Fellowship and ask an Officer or Committee Chairman what you can do to help. Your Brethren have need of your talents and skills.

... from the East

I wish everyone a very Happy Holiday Season and a prosperous New Year. I hope to see you soon!

Fraternally,
Dennis DuVan
Worshipful Master

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...the Editor

— **East Mesa York Rite** —

Companions and Sir Knights of East Mesa York Rite,

The untimely death of Michael Lee Evans is a deep felt loss for all of us. It leaves our membership with a difficult task.

A dispensation was requested and granted to hold a special election to fill Companion Evans office. Therefore, at the December meeting we will be electing a installing a **King** for Damascus Chapter No.21, RAM.

Please take note of this, and make every effort to attend this very important meeting.

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Secretary, East Mesa York Rite



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

2012 dues cards are now available.
Dues are \$108.00 and are due by December 31st, 2011.

Dues for Brothers that are 75 years of age or older and have been members of Apache Lodge No.69 in GOOD STANDING for 5 or more consecutive years are \$40.00.

Brothers, the Lodge needs your dues for its daily operations. Please support your Lodge by paying your dues on time. If you are having financial problems, do not hesitate to contact me. Whatever the situation is, we can figure it together. Just let me know.

Fraternally,
John Sheets
Secretary

... to those who give us heritage



Hello everyone!

I hope you all had a good Thanksgiving!

The Job's Daughters are keeping busy this month starting with a meeting on December 2nd to include details regarding the annual Secret Santa Gift Exchange.

Then, serving dinner to Oriental and Apache Lodge's during the first and second week of the month.

Then, on to a Holiday Theatre and Dinner night at the Hale Theatre in Gilbert on December 10th. The showing for *A Christmas Carol* starts at 3pm. Tickets are \$18.

We are also making time to serve the community with gift-wrapping again at Arizona Mills in Tempe. We will be wrapping presents beginning December 17th thru the 24th. Come on down and get your Christmas gifts wrapped....and perhaps even join us in the wrapping process.

Brothers, we can always use your help. As always, we hope to see you at our meetings, including the installation on January 21st, 2012.

Have a Happy Holiday Season and a Fantastic New Year!

Destiny Lesko
Honored Queen
Bethel No.13, Mesa, AZ

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John Sheets	2012	Scott Julien	2014	Ross Carballo	2014
Gregg Davis	2012	George Hutnak	2013	Richard Cain	2012
Dennis DuVan	2014	Bill Greenen	2014	Bill Santiago	2013

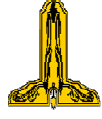
Congratulations

The elections results for the Lodge officers for 2012 are in:

Worshipful Master	Doug Berry
Senior Warden	William Greenen
Junior Warden	Wayne Smith
Treasurer	Mac McClintock
Secretary	John Sheets

The new Board of trustees members are: **Dennis DuVan, Bill Greenen, Richard Cain, Scott Julien and Ross Carballo.**

Worshipful Brother Doug Berry and his officers invite you to the installation on December 11th, 2011 at 1pm at the Masonic Hall located at 726 N. Center Street in Mesa.



... from the West

Sir Knights, Brothers, Sisters, Family and Friends,

Come out and join us for a Christmas celebration at Oriental Lodge No.20 on December 4, 2011 @ 3pm.

Apache Commandery No.16 will be putting on our traditional Christmas Observance with caroling by the Jobs Daughters. The observance will be followed by a pot luck dinner.

Bring a dish to share for the holidays. Apache Commandery No.16 will supply turkey, ham and cake. This celebration is open to the entire Masonic family and friends. Please plan on sharing the holidays with us.

Merry Christmas,
SK *Bill Greenen*, IC
Senior Warden



Brethren,

... from the South

Thank you. It is an honor to be nominated and elected to the office of Junior Warden.

Again, I say thank you to each and every one of you. I accept and request your help to make this coming year a rewarding one.

May the Fraternity reflect the spirit of friendship and Brotherly love. May the blessings of Heaven rest upon us.

Fraternally,
Brother Wayne Smith
Junior Warden

A great time for a Knife and Fork degree

Dinner for the Stated Communication will be served at 6pm. The December menu will feature another true Masonic dinner. The possibilities are endless with dessert served by the Jobies. The Junior Warden is open to dinner suggestions?



December 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 Apache 69 – 7pm	2 Bethel 13 – 7pm	3
4 Masonic Christmas Event – 3pm	5 Mesa Starlight 16 OES – 7:30pm	6 Camelback 75 – 10am Oriental 20 – 7pm	7 Bethel 13 – 6pm Apache Trustees – 7pm York Rite – 7pm	8 Apache 69 Stated Meeting – 7pm	9 Amaranth Baa Hanil Court No.9 – 7:30pm	10 Oriental 20 Officers Installation – 10am
11 Apache 69 Officers Installation – 1pm	12 Rainbow Girls Assembly No.9 – 7pm	13 Oriental 20 – 7pm	14 Valley of the Sun No.70 OES – 1pm York Rite – 7:30pm	15 Apache 69 – 7pm	16 Bethel 13 – 7pm	17
18	19 Mesa Starlight 16 OES – 7:30pm	20 Oriental 20 – 7pm	21 Scottish Rite – 7pm	22 Apache 69 – 7pm	23 Amaranth Baa Hanil Court No.9 – 7:30pm	24 Christmas Eve
25 Christmas	26 Oriental Trustees – 6:30pm Rainbow Girls Assembly No.9 – 7pm	27 Oriental 20 – 7pm	28	29 Apache 69 – 7pm	30	31 New Year's Eve

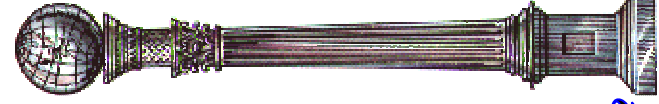
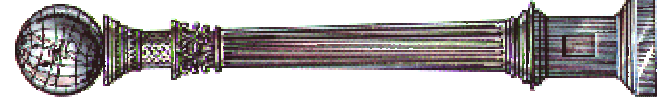
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Stated Communication
December 8th
Dinner at 6:00pm
Meeting at 7:00pm
Dues are due!!

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