



Brethren,

...from the East

Just to express my gratitude to our Lodge Officers, Committee Chairmen and especially you the Brethren who has provided outstanding support, participation and attendance to our Lodge meetings and rituals for the first four months of the year.

Herewith are our accomplishments for the said timeframe:

- * We have remained at par with our projected budget for the year (Jan - Mar).
- * Initiated five (5) EA's, two (2) FC's and one (1) MM successfully.
- * Performed 2 Funeral Rites and delivered commemorative pins to the widows.
- * Committees are up and running and we expect all respective chairmen to report on their accomplishments on a monthly basis.
- * Started project on reconciling Brethren list versus actual membership through the Attendance Committee.
- * Good to Outstanding attendance on all Stated Meetings and Rituals.
- * Active participation in all of the Rituals with a number of Brethren pledging to learn Presentations, Lectures and Charges!

As I said (and believe) : An active Lodge is a Healthy Lodge!!

Again if any of you have interest in participating in our Rituals, please approach Bro. Ed (JW), Bro. Jeff (SW) and myself and we will surely accommodate you!

Fraternally,

... from the Secretary's table

Brothers, I request your assistance.

If ANY PERSONNEL INFORMATION (address/phone/etc) has changed within the **last 2 years**, and you have **NOT** notified this office please, please send a email to.....

SECRETARY@APACHELODGE69.COM

And **PLEASE** include your **Full Name**. It will be greatly appreciated. Thank you, Brother Paul



Brethren,

... from the WEST

Regarding the Worshipful Master;

His Jewel is the Square, which is a stonemason's tool to ascertain true and correct angles of the cut and smoothed stone...thus his Jewel symbolizes virtue, or morality.

The Worshipful Master of a Masonic Lodge is the highest ranking of all Lodge Officers which a Lodge may elect.

The Worshipful Master sits in the East of the Lodge room (symbolic of the Rising Sun in the East) and directs all of the business of the Lodge. He also presides over ritual and ceremonies.

Jeff York

... from the South



Brothers all...

Because we cover this with our Prospects and Candidates it bears repeating some of the basic courtesies and protocol to the Lodge at large:

- The WM should never have to wait for the Brethren to file into the Lodge to start the meeting. Please register, obtain and put on the proper apron and be seated in the Lodge before the WM needs to sound the gavel in the East.
- Remember to either turn your phone off or put it on vibrate so as to not disrupt the Lodge while it is in session.
- Remember, when the Lodge is in session, give the proper due guard and sign to the WM from west of the altar when entering or retiring or when arising to address the WM. If the WM is otherwise engaged, then use the SW as the alternate.
- A Brother should never leave their station, place, or sideline seat to visit with the treasurer, secretary, or another Brother unless doing so is part of ritual, been directed to by the WM, the Lodge is "Free from Restraint," or has gone from "Labor to Refreshment."
- Only Master Masons who are members of our Lodge and whose dues are current are authorized to participate in all forms of Lodge voting.
- Do not assume that because no one has asked you to go into the Lodge Officer Line or to be a part of a degree team that you are not wanted! You are highly encouraged to share your interests—let the Wardens and Worshipful Master know what role and parts you are interested in. As many other Brothers will tell you, being in the Officer Line and/or participating on a degree team can make your Masonic journey a whole lot richer. I treasure my relationship with each and every one of you and feel blessed to serve as the JW of Apache Lodge #69.



...from the East Mesa York Rite

The East Mesa York Rite Bodies will meet in convention on Wednesday, May 11 at 7:30 p.m. The meeting will be opened by Damascus Chapter No. 21, Royal Arch Masons. Red Coats and Ties would be nice. Potluck Dinner is at 6:15. Please bring a side dish.

Congratulations to all the new elected and appointed officers. The new Eminent Commander of Apache Commandery, Knights Templar is Dr. Ed Fox. The new Illustrious Master of Mesa Council, Cryptic Masons is Tim Arimborgo, all of Apache Lodge. The new High Priest of Damascus Chapter is Arno Warnke of Oriental Lodge. Installation for East Mesa, Chandler and Scottsdale's newly elected and appointed officers will be at Chandler Lodge on Sunday, May 15th at 2 p.m. All Masons, their families and friends are invited to attend to wish these fine men and brothers a successful year.

Fraternally,

Darius "Mac" McClintock, KYCH

...Celebrate with our Brothers on their special month

MASONIC ANNIVERSARY

1956 - R. Short	2000 - A. Harris
1958 - J. Lokensgard	2000 - J. Peterson
1958 - R. Norgart	2003 - G. Phillips
1968 - J. McCullough	2004 - A. Tabor
1971 - J. Gier	2005 - B. Clark
1976 - K. Allen	2006 - J. Dunn
1985 - G. Cornish	2007 - V. Vehmeier
1988 - A. Gowans	2011 - A. Blue
1993 - A. Fuciarelli	2011 - J. Scott
1997 - N. Frei	2011 - J. Tinnel

2016 Officers

Ross Carballo	Worshipful Master wmaster@apachelodge69.com	480-358-8448
Jeff York	Senior Warden swarden@apachelodge69.com	480-236-4854
Ed Fox	Junior Warden jwarden@apachelodge69.com	480-636-6179
Kurt Shultz	Treasurer treasurer@apachelodge69.com	719-246-9464
Paul Swietek	Secretary secretary@apachelodge69.com	480.206-6163

PLEASE READ

...Notice from Secretary

Brothers,

This is your next to last **MAILED** Trestle Board.

June will be the last one for those who have email or access to a computer. This movement will save approximately \$1,000 per year.

Those who do not, **MUST NOTIFY THIS OFFICE** that you require a mailed TB.

YOU must call or mail a request to continue.
PLEASE state your **FULL** name in either mode.

TB's will be accessible on Apache's web site each month starting with July 2016 TB.

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BIRTHDAYS

Brother's

- B. Berry**
- E. Brown**
- B. Clark**
- D. de Jong**
- A. Fuciarelli**
- R. Grew**
- A. Growans**
- J. Ireland**
- J. Lokensgard**
- D. McConnell**
- A. Ponicki**
- R. Riedl**

D. Ruddy

ANNIVERSARY

Brother P. Swietek

Trustees

Chris Emerson	2019	John Sheets	2019	Bill Greenen	2019
"Doc" Davis	2017	Tim Arimbargo	2017	Gary Doellman	2017
Jeff York	2016	Dick de Jong	2016	Lou Lacilento	2016

MAY 2016

- May 04 - Trustee Meeting**
- May 05 - Meeting / FC degree**
- May 12 - Stated**
- May 19 - Meeting**
- May 26 - Meeting**

... from the Widows Sons

Greetings Brothers!

The Widows Sons Masonic Riders Association is riding and having a blast!

We completed our annual Tombstone run in April, seeing the sites in Southern AZ and even taking a mine tour in Bisbee, traveling 1500 feet under a mountain to do so.

There are still many rides planned for the year, including our annual Sept. run to the North, this year hosted by WB John Tinnel in Seligman. On all of our rides, you can ride along or drive, it's the fellowship we care about!

Bone Box Five Chapter, which is hosted in our very own Apache Lodge #69, has visited many of the lodges throughout the State this season in order to meet more of our Masonic Family. Ask any member you bump into for information on how to join, and visit www.facebook.com/bonebox5/ for pictures of our rides and updates.

Ride safe, and keep the rubber to the road!

Steve "Jr," Bergeron
Secretary, Bone Box Five Chapter

Upcoming in June

- June 01 - Trustee Meeting**
- June 02 - Meeting**
- June 09 - Stated**
- June 16 - Meeting**
- June 23 - Meeting**
- June 30 - Meeting**



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Stated Communication

May 12

Dinner at 6:00pm

Meeting at 7:30pm

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