

... from the East
Fraternal Greeting one and all. It is with no small amount of trepidation that I offer this, my final message, for the Apache Lodge Trestleboard. As many of you are aware I have accepted a new work role that will take me to California. I will remain as Worshipful Master through the completion of this year. A reminder to all that elections for 2010 will be held at the Stated Meeting in November. The installation will be December 12th, the time to be determined. This has been a busy year and we have made significant strides in Apache Lodge. I would like to thank everyone for their hard work in keeping us moving forward as an organization. The efforts of the Board of trustees and the line officers have been key to making my job easier. I cannot thank you all enough for doing so much for this lodge and strongly urge you to keep up the good work. Thank you for our continued support and my best to you all.
Fraternally,

Hal Wing

Hal Wing
Worshipful Master

Reply to our Worshipful Master: Worshipful Brother Hal, it has been a wonderful experience to serve the Fraternity under your leadership. Your ability to understand the situation and bring a peaceful resolve to any situation is remarkable. You will be missed my Brother, God speed and may His blessing be with you and your family always.

...the Editor

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Vern Vehmeier	2009	John Sheets	2009	Gregg Davis	2009
Bill Santiago	2010	R.D. Fields	2010	Carlos Villanueva	2010
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... from the East

...gleaning from the South



Greetings Brethren,

There are changes in the wind. The normal flow of advancement within the line does not exist. The election upcoming needs to stress the demand for continued leadership. The pro tem officers are fully qualified to occupy the chairs you see them in. Here is a nominating committee, and I trust you will heed their recommendations. One of the upcoming themes for the Lodge is training and education. We are looking to bring basic elements of the Craft to light, and hopefully gain from this experience. The training aspect will cover the ritual and floor work with hopes of having a well trained line. Keep your eye on the prize. Elections are November 12th, see you there.

Fraternally,

Jim Hughes

Jim Hughes, PM
Junior Warden, pro tem

"...to those who give us heritage"



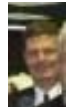
Hello Everyone,

Hey everyone hope you had a great Halloween. This month Bethel No. 13 has a meeting on November 6th that will begin at 7:00pm. We are excited to be initiating new girls. Fun activities are planned for this month that include an Ice Skating fundraiser on Nov. 14th. The cost \$10.00 and all are welcome. We always love to see you and thank you for your support.

Jobie Hugs,
Sarah Hasler
Senior Princess, Bethel No. 13



Mike Evans



MWGM Michael Bishop enjoyed himself at the recent York rite Festival



SK Terrey Kelly, SGW, Gr. Cmdry.



SK Mike Stegen Deputy Grand Commander



Bill



EC "Mac"



The recent York Rite Festival held in Laughlin was very fruitful for Apache Commandery No. 16 with four Pilgrims being Knighted. Mike Evans, Bill Santiago, Carlos Villanueva, Gregg "Doc" Davis. While the Pilgrims were in the Degrees and Orders their ladies enjoyed shopping trips and the activities of the Casinos. It was a great four days with everyone enjoying the adventures.

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All the news that fits, we'll print!
...the Editor

— East Mesa York Rite —

Nov. 11 7:30pm Opens with Council (purple jackets)
OV for the MIGM **Peter H. Johnson**
POT LUCK AT 6:30PM, KT practice 7:00pm w/swords

Looking Ahead

Phoenix—Orders of the Commandery Nov. 2 Order of Malta-6:30pm, and Nov. 21, Order of the Temple at 0800.
Nov. SW Department Conference (All Bodies) - Phoenix
Nov. 15 Honor Guard & Color Guard, Camelback Daylight No. 75 2pm
Dec. 5 Honor Guard & Color Guard, Oriental No. 20, 4pm
Dec. 12 Honor Guard & Color Guard, Apache No.69 (time TBA)



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Brethren

Count your blessing. Thanksgiving is a day for all of us to reflect on our bounties and blessings we have receive. The stores are already stocked with Christmas trimmings and they are rushing the season a bit, but remember to give thanks for all that we have received, and ask our Supreme Being to assist in all of our times of need .

Douglas B. Skowron
Senior Warden

...from the West

....miscellaneous ramblings

November is a prelude to the very busy Holiday Season. Masonic activities are on the increase, and here are just a few of the events you should mark on your calendars.

- Nov. 15 **Installation** of Camelback Daylight 75 Officers 2:00pm
- Nov. 19 Apache Commandery No. 16 KT planning group and practice
- Dec. 3 Arrival of the Poinsettias plants
- Dec. 5 **Installation** of Oriental No. 20 Officers 2:00pm
- Dec. 12 **Installation** of Apache Lodge No. 69 Officers 2:00pm
- Dec. 13 **Christmas Observance**, Apache Commandery No.16, Knights Templar 4:00pm dinner to follow. A must for all Knights Templar. The public is invited

Congratulations are in order for the three Worshipful Masters-elect:

- Michael J. Lambert** Oriental No. 29
- Douglas B. Skowron** Apache No. 69
- Darrell 'Doc' Smith** Camelback Daylight No. 75

...may you and your offices have a very successful year.

Poinsettia plants are available for sale from any member of Apache Commandery. They are selling fast. Soooooo, place you order now by calling **924.3565**


...the gleaner

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Example: One mantle for electric fireplace for sale. Solid wood. Asking \$150.00. call 480-924-3565

November 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Day-light saving time ENDS 7:30pm	2 Mesa Star-light OES meets at 7:30pm	3	4 Apache Trustees meeting 7:00pm	5 7:00pm Apache Lodge No. 69 meeting 7:00pm	6 Bethel No. 13 meeting 7:00pm	7
8	9 Rainbow Assemble No. 9 7:00pm	10 Oriental No. 20 meeting 7:00pm	11 Veteran's Day Mesa Council 6:30 potluck meeting 7:30pm	12 7:30pm Apache Lodge No. 69 Stated Communication Elections	13 Baa Hanii Court # 9 7:30pm	14 4:00pm OES Mesa Starlight practice
15	16 Mesa Star-light OES meets at 7:30pm	17 Oriental No. 20 meeting 7:00pm	18 Scottish Rite Meeting 7:00pm elections of Officers	19 Apache Commandery Meeting 7:00pm	20	21
22	23 Rainbow No. 9 7:00pm	24 Assemble No. 20 meeting 7:00pm	25	26 Happy Thanksgiving 	27 Baa Hanii Court # 9 7:30pm	28
29	30 Oriental Trustee meeting 6:30pm					



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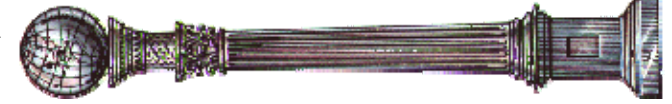
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Stated Communication Nov 13th
Dinner at 6:15, meeting at 7:30pm

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