



The Trestleboard

Message from the East

My Brothers,

I am humbled and deeply honored to have been elected to serve as Worshipful Master of Boynton Lodge No. 236 for this year. It's a responsibility that I have been really looking forward to. The Secretary, Wardens, and I have been working together to plan a successful year for us all, with the added precautions we've had to adopt since this pandemic started.

We've done a lot of work inside and outside of the Lodge with needed repairs and upgrades during 2020. We are continuing this and maintaining the Lodge for future generations of Brothers. If you see something that needs to be put away, do it. Anything to be thrown away, do it. If the trash can is full, take the bag to the dumpster and put a new one where needed. This is our Lodge, our home.

We are known far and wide throughout the Masonic world. I hope you'll be as proud of Boynton Lodge No. 236 as I am.

Peace and Harmony Prevailing,
Scott Schwartzberg, Worshipful Master

Message from the West

Brethren,

Thank you for your confidence in electing me to Senior Warden for 2021. I certainly am excited to continue the work of the Lodge with fun activities, community interactions and events as well as a busy schedule of Masonic Degrees.

Let's support our Junior Warden by responding to emails seeking replies to Lodge refreshment meals and fellowship before our meetings. We need your support to make the tremendous effort of providing these meals successful for our Lodge and we can't do it without you all.

And finally, I look forward to assisting the Worshipful Master in our Lodge this year and appreciate your help and feedback along the way!

Sincerely and Fraternaly,
Steve Otto, Sr. Warden

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Visit Our Website

www.boyntonlodge236.com

Regular Communication
2nd and 4th Thursday of
each month at 7:30pm.

**Except November and
December when it shall
be the 2nd and 3rd
Thursday.**

Dinner Served at 6:30pm

RSVP to Eugenio Rosado

Dress Code

Officers & Brothers are
required to dress in coat
and tie. Officers dress in
white tuxedo for degrees
and official visitations

Meeting Schedule

- Jan 14: Stated
Communication
- Jan 28: Stated
Communication

District Deputy

R.:W.: Rex Bradford

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District Instructor

R.H. Roy D. Strohacker

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Committees

FINANCE

Steve Otto

W.: Brad Partridge

W.: Robert Mandell

W.: Mark Bogert

R.: W.: Michael Gambarrotti

Marty Kaye

Eugenio Rosado

VIGILANCE

Eugenio Rosado

Brad Partridge

Ross Cooper

PETITIONS

W.: M.: Jason Fisher

Anthony Kresty

John Reeve

Ross Cooper

MASONIC EDUCATION

Scott Schwartzberg

W.: Brent Ferns, Sr.

W.: Brian Work

BOARD OF RELIEF

Scott Schwartzberg

Stephen Otto

Eugenio Rosado

Marty Kaye

CHARITY

W.: Brent Ferns, Sr.

Steve Otto

Marty Kaye

LODGE PROPERTY

Stephen Otto

W.: Stamatis Stamatopoulos

Alan Cohen

Message from the South

My Brothers,

Greetings, Brethren! I hope you enjoyed the company of loved ones and a great holiday season. This new year, our lodge will be setting new education goals among other important projects. These ambitious goals can be attained through dedicated teamwork. Our lodge has demonstrated through the years the strength and resilience to accomplish any goals it commits to do, no matter the circumstance. I hope this year will not be the exception. Brothers, let's join forces to ensure a very successful Masonic year.

Sincerely and Fraternaly,
Eugenio Rosado, Jr. Warden

Message from the Secretary

My Brothers,

Thank you for electing me as your secretary, I am humbled by the trust you have in me. It is my honor and privilege to serve the lodge in this capacity and will continue to work hard to keep the Lodge strong.

It being a new year, we look forward to all that a new beginning has to offer. The WM is planning new activities, as well as us getting back to doing what we do best. We will be continuing to hold our meetings and gatherings with all the restrictions and precautions that we have been following these last few months. The officers have been tireless working to make sure we are as safe as we can be.

As say goodbye to 2020 and hello to 2021, please make sure that if you have not yet sent in your 2021 dues, do so as soon as you can. Also, if you have not yet finished paying your 2020 dues, please get those in as well.

I thank you again my brothers, and I look forward to our continued growth in 2021.

Sincerely and Fraternaly,
RW Michael Gambarrotti, Secretary

Chaplain's Chat

"The importance of improvement, setting an example, and shouldering responsibility for the future are our Masonic goals. And where will it all end? In brotherhood. What we build today will endure. That is our hope and our faith." – Stanley F. Maxwell

Brethren,

As we begin a new year, many are trying to stay true to their New Year's resolutions. Some may have already stumbled along that path. Since we, as Freemasons, are taught to learn and improve ourselves in Masonry, I encourage us all to remember that we should face each new day as a chance to improve ourselves in various ways. Each dawn is a chance to be a better man and Mason than you were the day before.

Most Worshipful Brother Benjamin Franklin, who came from humble beginnings, reflected each day on what he deemed to be the most important 13 virtues and grading himself on his progress in developing those virtues. As we strive to become good men made better, perhaps we can learn from this practice, and I include a link here for further understanding: <https://www.artofmanliness.com/articles/lessons-in-manliness-benjamin-franklins-pursuit-of-the-virtuous-life/>

Happy New Year, Brethren!

Brent M. Ferns, Sr., PM
Chaplain

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W.: Steve Stamatopoulos

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Historian:

RW Richard Philpott

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Brick Program

Our brick program is alive and well. If you would like to purchase a brick, please remember:

- The Square and Compasses (Gold Bricks) are available for the cost of \$100.00 each.
- The Letter G (Blue Bricks) are available for the cost of \$200.00 to Past Masters of Boynton Lodge ONLY. These bricks are restricted to name, WM Date & DDGM date.
- No business advertisements are allowed on any brick.

Please make a check payable to Boynton Lodge No 236 and send it to the Lodge address along with



the inscription you desire. If you have any questions you may call, W.: Ross Cooper at: (561) 702-0859

Birthdays

Nabil Karroum

Richard Philpott

Fidel Watlington

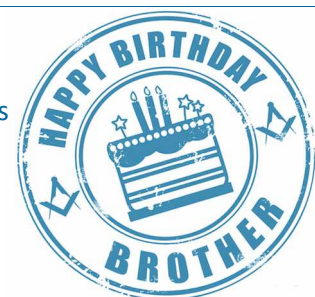
Robert Kares

David Haycock

Geoffrey Williams

Sheldon Hall

Joseph Ciardullo



Investigations

Angel Abrego

David Felker

Daniel Friedman

Awaiting Degrees

F.C.: Carlos Perdomo Ryan Fernandez Robert Sayih Barry Arfa
 Kelvin Tolentino Erwin Gondesen James St. Juste

M.M.: JC Villar

Passed to the Celestial Lodge

Upcoming Events

Jan. 14: Stated Communication

Jan 16: Open Books—9am-12-pm
 Harmonia Lodge No. 138

Jan 21: Stated Communication

Boosters

R.:W.: Michael Gambarrotti

Raymond O'Connell