

Trinity Lodge #694

Calendar for October

2007

October 9th – 7:00 PM – Entered
Apprentice Degree for
Andrew Phillips

October 16th – 7:00 PM - Practice

October 23rd - 7:00 PM Practice

October 30th - 6:00 PM Dinner
7:00 PM Master's Degree
for Patrick Wyerick

From the West

A message from Brother Tony Francis who is on Active Duty:

Please pass along to the rest of the brothers that I am very pleased by what I saw on the web site and I am double pleased by what work you and the rest of the brothers did to have a successful shot out. I brag about it here on the ship and have passed the web site around, and a few guys think it is a great site. I should be there for the stated meeting in November and am ready to restart what little life I have left.....lol... I miss coming to the meetings and being with my bros.

I can say that I am very proud to be a Mason. I have traveled a good part of the

world and have found brothers along the way. Something I honestly wasn't real sure I would see. I have kept my eyes peeled and have always been looking for the square. The Square, a working tool, a common name for the Masonic sailors at sea. It is said, out here at least, that the Square can be used to find water. One of life's necessities. I look at that and think, hey, there is something to that. One major common thread with all life is water. Without it, all could be lost. The plants would die, other essentials would dry up leading to nothing but the wind to wisp away all the sands of the sea leaving nothing but a world full of shattered dreams. Without Masonry in my life, I feel as if I would have dried up and crumbled like the oak leaf on the front lawn. All Things are connected to water, so why not use the Square to aide your journey to quench your thirst. I can tell you that out here, out in the parts of the world that are getting zero, there are Squares (Masons) that are picking up the spirits of the less fortunate and holding out the Square so they can reach a little further to give someone a hand. This is what quenching your thirst is about. It's not, hey look at how much I made today with my stocks or did you see what the Cowboys did to the Rams, it's outreach. You can't do it without a heart and in my life I can't do it without my Square.

Thanks again for all your efforts

Senior Warden
Brother Tony Francis

Trinity received three new petitions at the stated meeting this month and we have a Master's Degree scheduled for November 30th. Your attendance and participation especially for the Master's Degree is needed by the Lodge.

Brother Williamson has a few XL long sleeve T shirts from the Trap Shoot still available for sale and at \$13 they are a bargain. Call or email Brother Williamson to reserve yours now.

Brothers Kimbell and Graziani have been assigned to a committee to form a school of instruction for all the new candidates. Brother Williamson was also assigned to assist them. If you are interested in helping the new candidates make certain you contact one of these Brothers as I know your assistance would be greatly appreciated.

If you were not at the stated meeting you missed a superb educational program prepared by Brother Williamson. The second and third segments of that program are scheduled to be on the agenda for the next two stated meetings so I will entreat you to join us at those meetings and enjoy something more than "business as usual".

Bob Winchester - Secretary.

Does your Dues Card show 2007?
Dues notices will go out in November!
Will YOU be suspended in January?