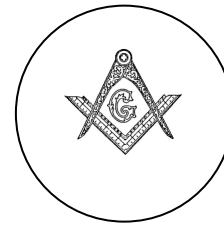


Orange Pickins

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Worshipful Master

Fraternal greetings my brothers!

I would like to start off by telling you all how proud I am to be a Mason and a member of Orange Lodge No. 36. I also have a newfound respect for Memorial Lodge. Sadly it took the passing of a past master to the Celestial Lodge for me to realize this. Worshipful Donald Carpenter, Past Master of our Lodge in 1978, made his final journey in June. His wife and family requested a Masonic funeral. Enough brothers showed up on short notice to fill all of the positions but two, which our brothers from Memorial Lodge were all too happy to fill. The service was excellent! The family could not say enough good things. They were moved to tears. Worshipful Carpenter's oldest son made a \$125.00 donation to the Lodge. It was greatly appreciated.

Also I take this opportunity to inform the Craft that I was presented with a donation of \$1000.00 from the Rotary Club of Apopka. This donation is to be deposited in the Lodge Building Fund to make much needed repairs. My thanks go out to the Rotarians for this generous donation.

Just a reminder, Orange Lodge will be dark in August. There is so much going on in and around not to mention most of us will be away in Tennessee at the Cave degree. This will be my first and I'm really looking forward to it!

Attendance at stated communications is up I'm happy to report as well. We have been discussing upcoming fundraisers like the car show and golf tournament. They should both take place around the end of September or first part of October. Please join us on September 4th for a report on the cave degree.

Peace!

My fraternal regards,

Stephan W. Brick, Worshipful Master

**ORANGE LODGE CONTINUOUS CHARITY
CAMP THUNDERBIRD
909 E. WELCH RD.
APOPKA, FL.**

17th District Masters & Wardens Association and School of Instruction Schedule

<u>LODGE</u>	<u>MONTH</u>	<u>M&W</u>	<u>DIST SCH</u>
Orange 36	August	1	12 & 26
Orlando 69	September	5	9 & 23
Eola 207	October	3	14 & 28
Orange Blossom 80	November	7	11
St. Cloud 221	December	19	9

Scheduled times for the above meetings:

M & W Assoc – 8:00am Breakfast, 9:00am Meeting

Memorial Lodge No.17 Meeting after M&W

District School of Instruction – 7:30pm

IN MEMORY OF

Worshipful Donald Gilbert Carpenter

Worshipful Carpenter entered into the Celestial Lodge

June 25, 2009

Masonic Calendar

- Aug 01** Masters and Wardens Association Meeting at Orange Lodge No. 36
8:00am Breakfast
9:00am M&W Assoc Meeting
10:30am Memorial Lodge No. 17 Meeting
- Aug 10** 7:00pm Orange Lodge Degree Practice
- Aug 12** 7:30pm District Instruction at Orange Lodge No. 36
- Aug 14** Stated Communication cancelled – The Lodge is Dark.
- Aug 15** 1:00pm Called Communication – Master Mason Degree conferred at Eblen's Cave located near Kingston, Tennessee.
- Aug 26** 7:30pm District Instruction at Orange Lodge No. 36
- Sep 04** 6:30pm Refreshments
7:30pm Stated Communication

Orlando Scottish Rite

Scottish Rite Calendar

- Aug 28** Stated Meeting - Tyled
- Oct 10 & 11** Fall Reunion–Reception of new members. Contact any Scottish Rite Mason for membership information and/or petition.

OPEN BOOKS

Schedule for 2009

August 22, September 19, October 24, November 14 & December 12

At Winter Park Lodge No. 239

9:00am to 3:00pm

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Rainbow Assembly No. 134

We had a great time at Grand Assembly. Lindsey Manley is our Grand Religion and Courtney Manley is the Grand Representative to Indiana and the Philippines. Courtney already visited Grand Assembly in Indiana. She had a wonderful time with her Grandma. Congratulations to them both and again to Lindsey who will be installed as our Worthy Advisor August the 1st.

In Rainbow Love and Service,

Kathy Trapp, Mother Advisor (Mom Kathy)

Rainbow Calendar

- Aug 01** 11:00am Orange Assembly 134 Installation at Winter Garden Lodge No. 165
- Aug 04** 6:00pm Advisory Board Meeting
- Aug 11** 7:30pm Bow Club
- Aug 25** 7:30pm Stated Meeting

Masonic Education

Masonry teaches and fosters in the man the qualities of self-respect and self-help – the qualities that make a man fit to stand by himself – yet it must foster in everyone who appreciates it as it should be appreciated, the most beautiful and solemn ritual – it must foster in him a genuine feeling for the right of others and for the feeling of others; and as Masons who help one another help in a way that is free from the curse of help; patronizing and condescension.
– *Theodore Roosevelt*