



Central Coast Lodge # 237

Trestleboard

December 2024

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A Message From the East

December Lodge Events

Hesperian Lodge Dinner 6:30PM Stated Meeting 7:30 PM	2nd
Central Coast Lodge Dinner 6:00 PM Stated Meeting 7:00 PM	3rd
Central Coast Lodge Installation of Officers 7:00 PM	10th
Temple Board Mtg 6:30 PM Holiday Refreshments 7:00 PM	17th
Christmas Eve Lodge is Dark	24th
New Years Eve Lodge is Dark	27th

Greetings Brethren

Happy December, the Month of Giving, Joy and Change!

December celebrates National Christmas Lights Day, the International Day for the Abolition of Slavery, National Mutt Day, Cyber Monday, Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day and, of course, Christmas Day.

Regarding change, after 5 years in the East I will be moving a little South to the Chaplain's Chair.

From COVID in 2020 and 2021 and Zoom Stated Meetings to the return to in-person Stated Meetings and re-building of our Lodge over the following 3 years I would like to thank all the Brothers for their resilience, desire and hard work in keeping our Lodge alive. Also, a huge 'Thank You' for your support and guidance as I flailed and learned through the last 5 years. I love our Lodge as I know all the Brothers do.

Congratulations to our newest Master Mason, Brother Clay Towzer. He was raised on Saturday November 16th in Central Coast Lodge #237. Thank you to all the Officers who participated in the Degree and to all the sideliners including several of his 'Widow's Sons' Masonic R.A. Brothers.

Our Stated Meeting is on Tuesday December 3rd. Dress will be Coat and Tie for the Officers. Don't miss the dinner at 6:00 PM before we go upstairs.

It is that time of year and we will be Installing our 2025 Officers Tuesday, December 10th at 7:00 PM. There will be food and adult beverages afterwards to celebrate! Our Installation of Officers will be closed to the public and dress will be tuxedos.

The 542nd District Officer's Association School of Instruction will be dark for the Month of December. It will return in January of 2025.

Friday night "Cook Your-own and a Movie" will also return in January. A date will be posted in the January Trestleboard.

The Mayor's Place in Nipomo is still where to be for breakfast on Thursday mornings. I invite everyone to join us at 8:00 AM for an absolutely terrific time enjoying food and fellowship with your Brothers.

* Again... PLEASE... It would be a great help to the Brothers in the kitchen if we could have a 'heads-up' on how many will attend the Stated Meeting dinner. If you plan on

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From the West

Greetings Brethren

Well, the holidays are here so everyone have a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

I am looking forward to being the Master in the New Year and would like to thank all the brothers for stepping up and making next year an enjoyable one. It would be nice to see a few more side liners at the meeting so if you need a ride to the lodge, please give me a Call and we can arrange transportation.

Officers' Installation will be held on December 10th at the lodge starting at 7:00 PM. This will be a closed installation meaning only brothers can attend.

Here is a list of the Officers for next year:
 Master: David Murray, Senior Warden: Zach Braun, Junior Warden: Jeff Massingham, Treasurer: Garret Matsuura, Secretary: Glenn Elliott, Chaplain: Charlie Kears, Senior Deacon: Fred Schulenburg, Junior Deacon: Howard Hess, Senior Steward: Cliff Dugger, Junior Steward John Fictor, Tiler Eric Mahan, Marshall: Burt Ward and Officers Coach Zach Braun.

David A. Murray PM
 Senior Warden

November Birthdays

Happy Birthday to . .

Wayne Edward Trost	7th
Dean J. Johnson	10th
Alan Brian Aherne	11th
James Ernest Bevill	25th

Bold indicates Past Master



Wallace James Franklin	1st
Alan Brian Aherne	18th
Walter Douglas Glover	26th



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Masonic Family

From the South

Lodge Committees

**Central Coast Star Chapter No. 97
Order of Eastern Star**
Meetings: 2nd & 4th Tuesdays
7:30 PM
Santa Maria Masonic Ctr
Secretary: Tracy Lee
Ph: (805) 937-3280

**San Luis RAM Chapter No. 62 /
SLO Cryptic Council #38**
Meetings: 1st Wednesday
6:00 PM
Secretary: Christian Marano, PM
Ph: (805) 712-9212

SLO Commandry No. 27
Meetings: 2nd Saturday
9:00 AM
Secretary: Christian Marano, PM
Ph: (805) 712-9212

Santa Lucia chapter #95 OES
Meets: 2nd Monday 7p Stated mtg/
dinner 6p
4th Monday casual/potluck dinner 6p
Secretary: Cathy Veley
(805) 471-0183

Central Coast Shrine Club
Meetings: Mayors Place, Nipomo 4th
Saturday of the month.
Secretary: Rusty Kern
Ph: (805) 733-0483

Central Coast Assembly IORG #92
Meets: 2nd & 4th Fridays 6:30p
SLO Masonic Center
Mother Advisor: Victoria Law
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**Santa Lucia Court # 143 Order of
Amaranth**
Meetings: 3rd Friday
7:30 PM

Arroyo Masonic Temple Assn.
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Greetings Brethren

It was a pleasure to be part of our recent 3rd degree for brother Clay Tawzer. It has been a while since I have even seen the degree performed. We are very fortunate to have such a strong group of leaders in our lodge. There were endless compliments from our guests following the degree and we will be doing it again very soon.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to All.

Jeff Massingham
Jr. Warden



From the Secretary's Desk

Another reminder that we no longer mail out Dues Cards. They are available on Imember to print yourself or use the digital version. If you would like yours sent to you, let me know and I will mail it to you.

Glenn W. Elliott, PM
Secretary

Auditing

Brad Anderson

Investments

Cliff Dugger, PM
David Murray, PM
Tildon McGill, PM
Fred Schulenburg, PM
Charlie Kears, PM Ex Official
Garret Matsuura, Ex Official
Glenn Elliott, PM Ex Official

Budget and Finance

J Johnson
David Murray, PM

Candidate's Coach

Zack Braun, PM

Charity

Charlie Kears
David Murray, PM
Jeff Messingham

Delinquent Dues

David Murray, PM
Glenn Elliott, PM

Retention

David Murray, PM
Frank Luenser, PM

Masonic Widows

Open

Masonic Youth Groups

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Officers Coach

Zack Braun

Sunshine

All Officers

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“Central Coast Lodge No. 237 2024”



Open House
Friday, October 11th



150 Year Celebration Dinner
Saturday, October 19th



Wor. Alex Winn, PM
Hiram Award!
Saturday, August 31st



The AVID Barbeque
Saturday, October 12th



Widow's Sons MC for Lunch
Sunday, June 26th

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Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

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8	9	10 Installation Of Officers 7:00 PM	11	12 Breakfast at The Mayors Place Nipomo 8:00 AM	13	14
15	16	17 Temple Board Mtg 6:30 PM Holiday Refreshments 7:00 PM	18	19 Breakfast at The Mayors Place Nipomo 8:00 AM	20  Trestleboard Deadline	21
22	23	24 DARK	25 	26 Breakfast at The Mayors Place Nipomo 8:00 AM	27	28
29	30	31 DARK	1 	2 Breakfast at The Mayors Place Nipomo 8:00 AM		

December 2024



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Free & Accepted Masons

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attending the PLEASE either email or call me a day or two before to let me know how many are coming. My contact information is below!

I would like to thank all the Brothers of Central Coast Lodge #237 for their continued effort and support of our Lodge!

Music for December, *Pentatonix*, "The Best Of Pentatonix Christmas" released October 4, 2019.

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Fraternally,

Wor. Charlie Kears

Need Space??

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Arroyo Masonic Hall

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