



Bay Cities Lodge No. 337

F. & A. M.

Stated Meetings: First Tuesday 8:00 PM

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July 2022

July Calendar

Tuesday 5th Stated Meeting No stated dinner

Tuesday 12th 3rd Degree Practice 7PM

Tuesday 19th 3rd Degree Practice 7PM

Wednesday 27th Executive Board Meeting

Via zoom, 7 PM, check email for invite information

**Bethel No. 15 International Order
of Job's Daughter**

El Cerrito - Albany DeMolay

**Mission Bell Chapter No. 205 OES
ALL DARK IN JULY**



One of two 2nd Degree Conferrals in June
Just one of the amazing events we've had!

From the East

***Roll out those lazy, hazy, crazy days of summer
Those days of soda and pretzels and***

The sun rises as we & the 337 pass the totem marking the halfway point of 2022 (*holy cow ~ can you believe Covid still rages on?*) so much to do, hope for and be wary of..... still our lodge's designs look promising.

After a rough & rugged start BC has again a full line of committed officers, over 3/4s of our EA candidates have passed to fellowcraft, committees are slowly filling up and though budgetary concerns for both hall & lodge loom **BIG**, they are being met with determination and resolve as we journey into new frontiers. Though the Trestle Board's drawings are in constant flux, the calendar ever changing we labor on steadily addressing, improving, refining and completing the necessary business at hand.

Amid the proprietary mail to possibly change investment management out to all brothers, a return to masking guidelines, those from the retention & secretary @ dues, on going 2nd degree conferrals, their practices, cancellations, your JW winning ritual competition & an officers' table buffet @ June's st. Dinner, it was indeed a wild start to summer months. July always being dark please note your officers will labor on while other brethren hopefully enjoy R & R this summer.

So little of 2022 time & miles to go before we're done

Fraternally John Forcum WM



Private rentals are returning to El Sobrante/ Richmond's **Best** and most **Affordable** venue your Masonic Hall
Plenty of parking, small & large + full kitchen settings

For rental information ~ Call Hall Manager

Denise Wright

510-332-0376

July Birthdays

First Name	Last Name	Birth
Rudolf	Yugo	7/1
Mario	Mandapat	7/2
Bernardo	Quirino	7/4
Gregory	Rueger	7/5
John	Caldwell	7/5
Jaine	De Guzman	7/5
Nikolaus	Jackson	7/6
John	Dworak	7/8
Stephen	Winfrey	7/8
Martin	Hathaway	7/9
Michael	Harvey	7/11
Thomas	Thompson PM	7/11
Steven	Parks	7/12
Richard	Johnson	7/13
Manases	De Fiesta	7/13
Kenneth	Gustafson	7/14
Brian	Zediker	7/14
Wilfred	Blessing	7/16
Johannes	Kupelian	7/16
Generoso	Apacible	7/17
Randall	Parent	7/18
Billy	Hastings PM	7/18
Gregory	Tam	7/19
Jerry	Wilson	7/20
Romeo	De Lumen PM	7/21
Keith	McPherson	7/22
Fred	Aichinger	7/23
Eduardo	Apelado PM	7/23
Neil	Andre	7/24
Robert	Fouke II	7/25
Donald	Davis	7/25
Francis	Williams	7/27
Wayne	McBride	7/37
Elmer	Manaid PM	7/28



Bay Cities welcomed 56 participants, 8 to 9 Bay Area lodges present & raised \$3,050 for Masonic Charities and our Job Daughters



Our Trophy winners @Fellowship at the Greens

RSVP Dan Laynes, JW, 1-510-688-8145

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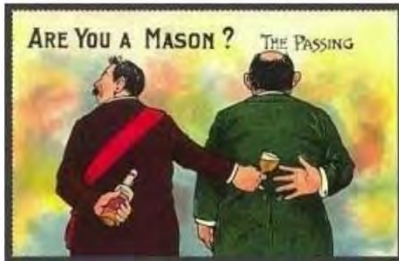


August 2nd Stated Meeting & Tailgate Potluck Buffet

Bring your signature side, Lodge will furnish entree & dessert (\$5.00 members~~Spouses, widows & children free).

September 6th Stated Meeting & Dinner

Meatloaf, mashed potatoes, vegetable, salad, dessert and beverage (\$10.00 members, \$5.00 Spouses ~~~ widows & children under 6 free)



We finish 2nd Degree Conferrals **In August**
Please watch for announcements on your social media & IMember2.0



No one does it better than BC

Thank you brethren for a great charity event!
The 337 is so blessed with the hardest working masons

Full version of our TB returns in August

**Know a Brother, Family, Friend or Widow of BC, who wants our
Trestle Board emailed monthly & is not now receiving it?**

Email the TB editorial staff @ dan.hariton@comcast.net or ab6ac@yahoo.com

to request being added to our list

(list updated by second week of every month)

Please give name, email address & relationship to Bay Cities Lodge

From the West

“Harmony being the strength and support of all societies especially of ours”

Supporting what is already a key component of the Masonic experience is very important. By making sure that members recognize the deep and lasting relationships that Masons develop, the Fraternity will not only increase it's practicality and especially social applicability to current members but also demonstrate it to the prospects and the community.

Conforming interest in our institution should not be ignored and all people must be made welcome to our Lodges. Bay Cities Lodge is currently in need of committee members who can create a Lodge atmosphere where members feel engaged that will help them develop true friendships.

The newest committee that the Grand Lodge of CA would like to see in Lodges is the “ Welcoming Committee “. This body will ensure all prospects and guests are offered information and receive special attention when they enter or approach the Lodge. We encourage all Bay Cities members to support and build on the concept of “ who can best work and best agree “. If you want to be a part of member relationships, participate in leading the Lodge with harmony as a priority.

Fraternally, Noel T Santos SW

NEW ADDITIONS TO OFFICERS or COMMITTEES

CHAPLAIN	Thomas Mueller
WEBMASTER	Joseph Collignon
	Assisted by Bobby Forto
Membership Retention	Genaro Paredes (Chairman)
Sports & Outdoors	Emil Miranda (Chairman)
Audit and Budget	Virgilio Cabading

Albany Berkeley High Twelve Club No. 8



High Twelve Club officers Clark Johnson & Joe Collignon invite men to our ever growing meeting in **Pinole at Sizzler Hilltop**. And this recent change to a new Pinole meeting site just off the I-80 makes our Club even more convenient to masons from Contra Costa and Solano County area lodges to attend. We meet 11:30AM on the 2nd and 4th Monday of each month. Though this July we will also be dark.



Bay Cities' last conferral In June With two out of six FC proficiency completed & Another two 2nd degree Conferral to finish the list of eight scheduled this year.

Can 3rd degree conferrals be far off?

Don't think so officers are preparing right now

Keep abreast of your lodge's awesome events

And we'll see you soon in August!

We hope then to restart mailing the TB to those not receiving its emails