St. Cloud Masonic Lodge No. 221



W:.M:. Harry Mapes| June 2023







Chartered January 21, 1914 District 16, Zone 5 Meetings at 7:30 p.m. and Supper at 6:30 p.m. Second and Fourth Thursdays 901 Oregon Ave. P.O. Box 700542 Saint Cloud, FL. 34769. Saint Cloud, FL. 34770 407-892-3437

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<u>Monthly Messages</u>



Hello Brothers,

I would just like to say that for me we had a great month with everything that went on. We had degrees, First Responders Breakfast, concealed weapons class and Grand Communication.

We are deeply saddened for the loss of two brothers this month. Danny Cripe and Jim Wilder will be deeply missed.

We enjoyed visitors from Pennsylvania, Delaware, Palm Bay and even England. It was a pleasure to meet all these new brothers.

I am looking for more and more Brothers to come and see us on the second and 4th Thursday at the month.

Thanks all the brothers and God bless you

Fraternally, Harry Mapes





Brothers,

Grand Lodge is upon us. After that begins summer vacations and relaxation. I'm looking forward to it.

Fraternally, John Reger





From the South

Brothers,

I am looking forward to the upcoming second degrees for our new members.

Thank you to all for the help in the kitchen and the new equipment. Also, thanks for the help cleaning the lodge and stocking g the kitchen with needed items.

Fraternally, William Kelly

YOUR 2023 OFFICERS







Monthly Messages



Greetings,

Have you ever considered becoming a Perpetual Member?

The Perpetual Membership Fund is an endowment program for your Lodge. Perpetual Membership affords a Brother an opportunity to remain an active supporter of his Lodge long after being called to the Celestial Lodge Above. The funds provided by your Perpetual Membership will help to keep your Lodge on solid financial ground in the future. This, we hope, is the aim of all Master Masons.

The Standard Perpetual Membership is 20 times your Lodge dues plus per capita.

A Brother can purchase the Standard Perpetual Membership using the Installment Plan with \$200.00 down and paid over 60 months. Your Lodge Secretary can provide the paperwork to start you on the road to a Perpetual Membership.

Fraternally,

Donald R. Goolsby, PDDGM Treasurer





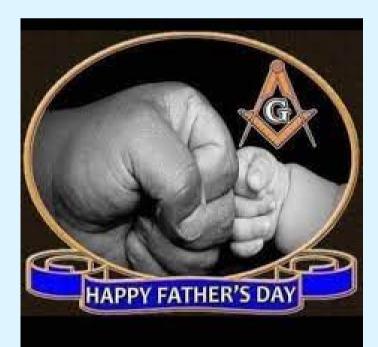




Brothers,

It's that time of year for me to ask for those Brothers who have not paid their dues to do so. We need the money in the Lodge to continue doing our good work and build the Lodge.

Fraternally, Kenny Stichter



Lodge Committee Chairmen

Finance: Bro. John Reger (PM) Vigilance: Bro William Kelly Petitions: Bro. Ernie Paton Education: W:. Harry Mapes Board of Relief: W.M. and Wardens Investigations: As Needed Charity: All Masons Lodge Property: Bro. William Kelly Mentor's: Bro. John Reger (PM)



Jack Lethenstrom (PRRGC) Dale Boutin French Clarence H. Franklin Gary Eugene Stewart John "Big John" Cuttitta (PM) Lawerence Montesi (PM) David O'Quinn Donald Hughes Danny Cripe (PM) Jim Wilder (PM)



We said "Alas, My Brother" to two of our Brothers in May. W:. Danny Cripe and W:. Jim Wilder will be greatly missed.



Old Saint Cloud Masonic Lodge



Past Masters

*Davis H. Gill 1912/13** *W.N. Garner 1914/15 ** *E.E. Livermore 1916** *Sam Brammer 1917/18/53 ** *W.M. Hall 1919** *Lovie C. Riddle 1920** *Ives E. Diefendorf 1921** *Otto R. Bleach 1922** *A. Earle Cowger 1923** *Sidney W. Porter 1924** *Calvin P. Parker 1925** *Dan E. Armstrong 1926** *Holmes E. Crawford 1927** *Lloyd C. Herringer 1928** *Ralph G. Reynolds 1929** *L.U. Zimmerman 1930** *Robert H. Johns 1931** *William H. Dodds 1932** *M. Percy Tindall 1933** *Frank Garside 1934** *lames W. Sage 1935** *William J. Thurber 1936** *Henry L. Godwin 1937** (+)Groves M. Mosses Jr. 1938++ *John B. Mills 1939** *Harvey L. Hersey 1940/43** *Floyd E. Davidson 1941** *John E. Hale 1942** (+)lohn R. Rotundo 1944++ *Ross E. leffries 1945** *Albert Depew 1946** *O. Frank Kirby 1947** *Fred M. Loring 1948** *Horace Y. Smith 1949** *William E. Spencer 1950** *Jay B. Johnson 1951** (+)Curtis J. Bock 1952++ *Norman Mallet 1954** *James H. Young 1955** S. Robert Lackey 1956** *Robert H. Chamberlin 1957** *William R. Godwin II 1958** *Russell J. Depew 1959** *Lloyd Stalvey 1960** *William S. Byrd 1961** *Laurence Wheeler 1962** Edward Cowley 1963 *R.J. Bramhan 1964** *George S. Pankey 1965** *Harold R. James 1966** *Willis E. Leech 1967** *James E. Long 1968** *Arthur W. Campbell 1969** *Allan S. Goodman 1970** *Hubert Z. Fryman, Sr. 1971** Hugh E. Wright III 1972

*John B. Phelps 1973** *Harris Rumsey 1974** *Russell V. Zimmerman 1975** *James L. Swogger 1976** *Robert J. Breese 1977** *Robert Carlyon 1978** Raymond R. Lackey 1979 Danny K. Cripe 1980/93** Frank T. Hopkins 1981 *Robert O. Bell 1982** *lames E. lones 1983** (+)Marshall H. Brown 1984++ *Robert K. Bumgardner 1985** Gerald L. Durbin, PDDGM 1986 *lay R. Young, Jr. 1987** *Eddie C. Williford 1988** *Frank S. Mazzei 1989** Jack D. Lethenstrom, PRRGC ** 1990/2001/2007 ** Barry L. Taylor 1991 *Ernest N. Elliott 1992** Ted R. Smith 1994 Michael E. Rigsby 1995 Allen R. Van Horn 1996/2000 Jerry W. Little 1997 *David W. Stanyon 1998** Larry A. Montesi 1999 ** Joe Parham 2002 Alvin R. Sharp, Ir. 2003 lack V. Miller 2004 Michael Hemphill 2005 *Allen Antoniac 2006** Bob Shonyo 2008 Joe Moore 2009/10 /13 John Cuttitta 2011 ** John Reger 2012 Donald Goolsby 2014 Wendel Tomimbang 2015 William Waggoner 2016 Sidney Mills 2017 John Whitehead 2018 Gerald W. Newland, Jr. 2019 Kenneth A. Stichter 2020 Jason Walters 2021 Nigel Mills 2022 Legend: (**) DECEASED (++) UNAFFILIATED





RAISED IN JUNE

1st	Cary Barbaree
	Jeffords Miller Jr.
2nd	Alan Lackey
	David Minor
15th	Terrance Landry
20th	Clark Egerton
23rd	Thomas Bartels
	William Dunkle
26th	Milton Bell Jr.
	Harry Walling Jr.
28th	James Wilder
30th	Donald Gaskins III

Happy Birthday

- 2nd Richard Realmuto
- 7th Donald Johnson
- 9th Joseph Moore
- 20th Steven Watkins
- 21st Alvin Sharp Jr.
- 26th James Danforth
- 29th Wallace McClendon

Business Advertisements

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Boosters

Bill and Virginia Waggoner Jason Walters Gary and Nancy Walters







Saint Cloud Lodge donates to the following:

- Shriners Hospital for Children
- Scottish Rite Foundation
- Grand Master's Charity
- First Zady's Charity
- Masonic Youth
- Rainbow for Girls
- Boy Scouts of America

Charity Account

Due to taking care of each other, we have significantly depleted our Charity Account. The Protem Worshipful Master requested everyone contribute \$20.00 to help build it back up. If you feel so compelled you can mail in a check or use the PayPal QR code and annotate that it is for Charity.



Masonic Links

St. Cloud Masonic Lodge No.221

<u>Central Florida Masons</u> <u>The Grand Lodge of Florida</u>

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Order of the Eastern Star Chapter No. 46 Meets on the First and Third Thursdays



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Future Ballots / Votes

• None

Upcoming Meetings

- Stated Communication on June 8th, 2023 (Supper 6:30 / Meeting 7:30 p.m.)
- Stated Communication on June 22nd, 2023 (Supper 6:30 / Meeting 7:30 p.m.)
- PLEASE check centralfloridamasons.com/calendar for more events.



Junior Warden's Menu

First Meeting:

BAKED CHICKEN SEASONED BEANS Corn Potatoes Salad Watermelon/grapes

Second Meeting:

MEATLOAF POTATOES COLESLAW COOKIES

2023 Dues

Dues notices have been mailed out. Dues are being collected via the old fashioned way of "pay by check" or via PayPal. If you wish to pay by check they will be \$185.00. If you wish to use PayPal, dues will be \$190.00 be cause of the fees we get charged by PayPal. Please use the QR code below......





Calendars Keep up to date by clicking the links below, check frequently

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Grand Lodge of Florida Calendar

Flag Day: June 14th is Flag Day, commemorating the official adoption of the US flag by the Second Continental Congress in 1777. It celebrates the history and symbolic meaning of the American flag, and is also an opportunity to remember those who fight to protect it and the nation for which it stands.



Famous Mason of the Month Roy Acuff

Roy Claxton Acuff (September 15, 1903 – November 23, 1992) was an American country music singer, fiddler, and promoter. Known as the "King of Country Music", Acuff is often credited with moving the genre from its early string band and "hoedown" format to the singer-based format that helped make it internationally successful. In 1952, Hank Williams told Ralph Gleason, "He's the biggest singer this music ever knew. You booked him and you didn't worry about crowds. For drawing power in the South, it was Roy Acuff, then God."

Acuff began his music career in the 1930s and gained regional fame as the singer and fiddler for his group, the Smoky Mountain Boys. He joined the Grand Ole Opry in 1938, and although his popularity as a musician waned in the late 1940s, he remained one of the Opry's key figures and promoters for nearly four decades. In 1942, Acuff and Fred Rose founded Acuff-Rose Music, the first major Nashville-based country music publishing company, which signed such artists as Hank Williams, Roy Orbison, and the Everly Brothers. In 1962, Acuff became the first living inductee into the Country Music Hall of Fame.

Acuff was a member of East Nashville Lodge No. 560. He also joined the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite, was a member of Al Menah Shrine Temple and joined York Rite. He was member of Edward G. Corbitt Chapter No. 147, Royal Arch Masons. A member of Nashville Council No. 1 Royal and Select Masters and Nashville Commandery No. 1, Knights Templar.

Roy Acuff died at the Baptist Hospital in Nashville on November 23, 1992, of congestive heart failure at the age of 89. He is buried in the Hillcrest section (grave 6, lot 9) of Spring Hill Cemetery on Gallatin Road in

Nashville





First Responder Breakfast

May 24th, 2023



Entered Apprentice Degree

May 25th, 2023



