



Masonic News

Harding San Juan Lodge Trestleboard

April

Julius Cadorna

Master



Brethren and Ladies,

I would like to thank everyone who attended the stated meeting for the month of March. Your continuous support is what keeps the lodge together especially during these tough times, even though we have to improvise and do things a little differently. Everything seems to be going in the right direction and hopefully if this keeps up we should be back to our normal ways soon enough. We will be very busy trying to catch up on everything that was hold for such a long time.

It had been our tradition that we dedicate the month of April for our Public Schools Program. The Freemasons have championed public schools for over 160 years now. Please continue to support this program.

All the scheduling for the month of April is still to be determined: 04/04 Easter Sunday, every Monday degree practice, 04/14 our stated meeting for the month of April (virtual), 04/21 OSI practice and 04/24 our Saturday breakfast.

Please stay safe and God bless you all.

Fraternally,

Julius Cadorna

Robert Henning

Senior Warden



Brothers and Ladies,

Looks like everything is starting to open up. We are now in the red tier which means restaurants can open up at reduced capacity; bars and wineries, salons, gyms etc. can all reopen at reduced capacity. Masks are needed to be worn when out in large groups with social distancing important to remember. Washing hands and using hand gel is expected. We are waiting for the word to open from the county, state and our Grand lodge, but it is not too far in the future.

Start studying my brothers, because we have a lot of catching up to do. It has been over a year since we have done any ritual and we will need help from everyone to get the job done.

We all miss being together with our dinners, breakfasts, get togethers, and conversing with friends and family. Everyone should have their shots by mid-May or so. Looking forward to seeing and being with all of you soon

Fraternally, Robert Henning Senior Warden

Richard Duffy

Junior Warden



April showers bring May flowers.

It's a common expression and refers to the shift in weather from winter to spring. I think of it as a way of saying we have to deal with the messy stuff, so we can enjoy the rewards. Working hard can be messy and not always fun. Without the hard work, we don't reap the rewards.

I'm reminded of ritual work and memorization. It's hard, can be messy and requires repetition. My dad, who was a Past Master and my inspiration to become a Mason, once told me, if I study and commit to memory a paragraph a day, in one month I will have memorized most of what I need for my current station or degree work.

I write this as a reminder to myself that I need to get studying. Looking forward I often wonder how I will find time to memorize my lines in a month or so. But then, looking back a month later, I will have wished I had done just a little each day. More and more folks are getting vaccinated for Covid and there are rumors and stirrings that things may reopen to pre-Covid normal before the summer. I need to be ready with my ritual work as Junior Warden, but also start preparing for advanced stations.

Most people make resolutions on New Year's, but break them within the first month, some within the first few weeks. Failure to keep a resolution shouldn't mean waiting another year to try again. January 1st is just a day on the calendar. We can reset our calendar every day for a fresh start. April is spring, a time of new growth and new opportunities. Just like the New Year, April can also be a time for resolutions. Mine is to commit to my Masonic studies and the reward will bloom like a flower when the lodge soon reopens.

Fraternally, Rich Duffy, Junior Warden

Tom Tompkins, PM

Hallboard President



Greetings from your hallboard. Spring is almost here and still no action at the lodge. It is amazing how clean the lodge stays when no one is using the facility. Oh yes, there was a light bulb out on the back patio, Brother Bob Jackson took care of that. Thank you, Brother Jackson.

Even though there is no action at our lodge, the food bank across the street still needs our help. Please consider a monthly food donation to the food bank for the less fortunate. The food bank is still serving over 90 families per day during the shutdown. Families must eat. Please help.

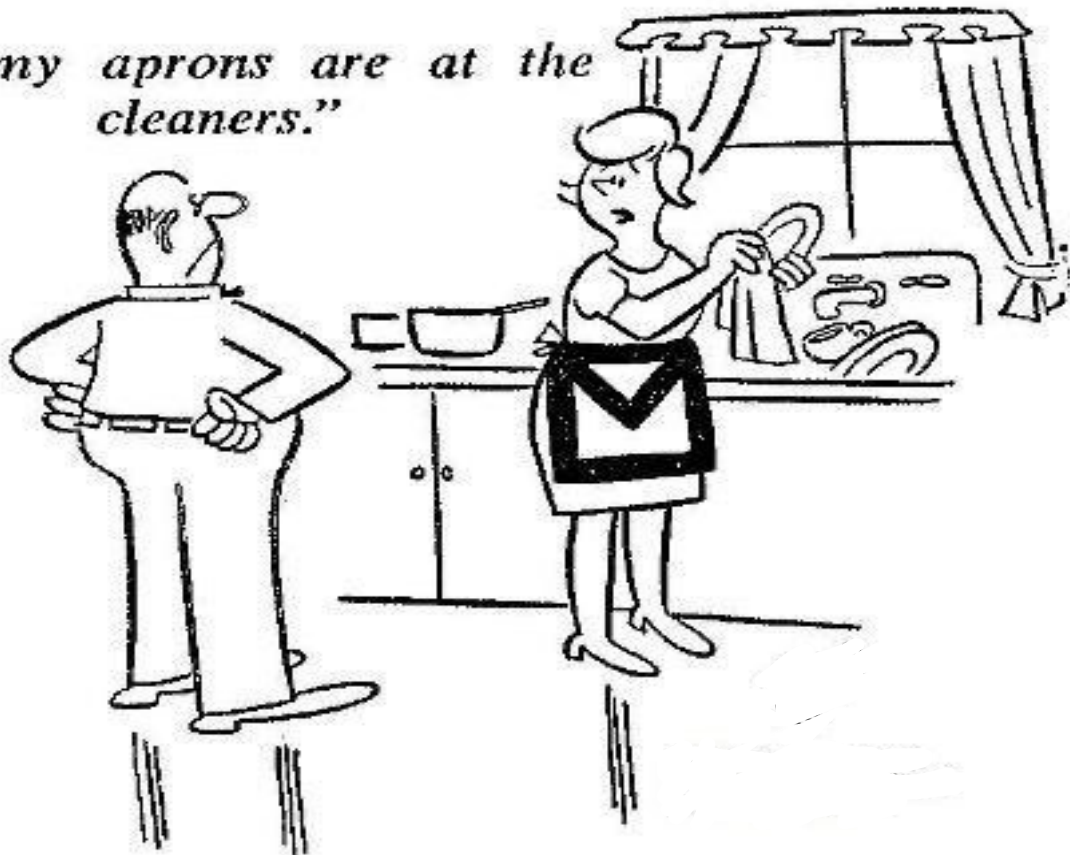
Please contact me if you have a donation and I will meet you at the lodge or swing by your house and pick up the donation. The hungry families in Sacramento County thank you.

Until next time.

Fraternally, Tom Tompkins, PM



"All my aprons are at the cleaners."





April Birthday

Shane Larson	April 3
Bob Jackson	April 5
Wayne Bercier	April 6
Morgan Zumaeta	April 7
Tim Loree	April 10
Brett Eutslerr	April 10
Steven Loebach	April 11
Michael Pulsipher	April 13
Paul Di Loreto	April 15
Ora Harman, PM	April 17
James Jackson	April 18
Lloyd Phillips, Jr.	April 19
Robert Scott	April 20
Richard Heins, PM	April 21
Russell Holland	April 26
Larry Carnes	April 26
Gary Darrow, PM	April 27
Blaine Nickens	April 28
Thomas Tapp, PM	April 30
Tom Tompkins, III, PM	April 30
Robert Matson	April 30

April Masonic Anniversaries

Roy Dutter	1950	71 years
Darrell Redding	1955	66 years
James Duvaras, Jr., PM	1958	63 years
Richard Hile	1962	59 years
Richard Ware, PM	1965	56 years
Ora Harman, PM	1971	50 years
Robert Kerr	1976	45 years
James Hunnicutt	1979	42 years
Wayne Bercier	1980	41 years
Merle Hutton	1983	38 years
Jay Hyde	1985	36 years
Michael Spears	1987	34 years
Eugene Hoover	1988	33 years
Blaine Nickens	1991	30 years
Jess Shrum, Jr., PM	1999	22 years
Thomas Martin	2000	21 years
William Dreher	2001	20 years
Barry Blum	2004	17 years
James Ryan	2006	15 years
Aaron Crosby	2008	13 years
Don McCracken, Jr.	2009	12 years
Justin Rosa	2013	8 years
David Bushman	2013	8 years
Andrew Sanchez	2015	6 years
Raj Pillay	2018	3 years

2021 HSJ Lodge Officers

Julius C. Cadorna (Rosmarie)	Master
Robert D. Henning (Pat)	Senior Warden
Richard L. Duffy (Diane)	Junior Warden
Edward E. Rose, PM (Elaine)	Treasurer
L.R. "Bob" Jackson (Terri)	Secretary
Paul W.A. Cary, PM (Jaime Burnett)	Asst. Secretary
Richard E. Lewis (Violet)	Chaplain
Open	Senior Deacon
Bruce H. Estrada (Brandi)	Junior Deacon
Christopher L. Globis	Marshal
Thomas L. Pryor, PM	Senior Steward
Open	Junior Steward
Bruce F. Gavin (Sharon)	Tiler
Paul W.A. Cary, PM (Jaime Burnett)	Head Candidates Coach
Jeffery E. Robertson, PM (Angela)	Officers Coach

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FOOD LOCKER

Remember to drop off your food donations at the Sunrise Food Ministry at 5901 San Juan Ave, across the street, they can also use empty egg cartons and paper bags.

SUNSHINE

Vi Lewis still recovering at home, Judi Stiles-Hastings still recovering at home. I guess everyone else is ok and getting their Covid-19 vaccinations. Our thoughts and prayers go out to Brother Meadows and family who lost their son Tim.

Sister Lodge Program

For those of you who don't know, we have a sister lodge from Grass Valley, and it is Madison #23.

I spoke to their secretary Brother Tom Krummell and we are going to attend each other's Zoom stated meetings for now and in the future, we will go to one of their stated meetings in Grass Valley when we are allowed too in the future. They have their stated meetings on the 1st Tuesday at 7:30 pm



Brethren,

Our dues for 2021 are \$130.00. Check your dues receipt. It should say: "Paid through December 31, 2021". If not: They are due now and delinquent after January 1, 2021. You can pay by snail mail directly to the lodge address or pay online at www.hardingsanjuan.com.

Fraternally,

Bob Jackson, Secretary

HARDING SAN JUN LODGE CALENDAR

April 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4 8:30 AM Coffee Club	5	6
7	8	9	10 7:00 PM HSJ Stated Mtg. via Zoom	11 8:30 AM Coffee Club	12	13
14	15	16	17	18 8:30 AM Coffee Club	19	20
21	22	23	24	25 8:30 AM Coffee Club	26	27
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