# Pine Castle

Meets 1st & 3rd Wednesday Each Month

1216 Hoffner Avenue, Orlando, FL 32809







### From the East

Greetings from the East Brethren,

Writing this message, I hope that everyone had a very Happy Thanksgiving! We find ourselves at a pivotal moment as a Lodge.

We have been presented with an offer from the City of Belle Isle to purchase our property, which the entire craft will be receiving a summons to consider

this offer on January 4th. With this being said, at that same meeting we will be considering a dues increase. Brothers, I'm going to keep this short this month. I'm calling upon the craft for due deliberation and consideration on all motions at the first stated meeting in January. As I already know there are many passionate feelings on the topics, however as Master of this Lodge we will maintain decorum and as a fraternity will fill find the best outcome for our future.

In closing, I am deeply touched by my brothers reaching out to me over the last few months. I am encouraged to see the Brothers becoming more engaged in our Lodge. I will not be at our next meeting as I will be back in New Orleans, but I am sure that I will go well.

Fraternally,

Jack Calo III Worshipful Master



#### From the West

Greetings from the West!

My brothers, I hope everyone enjoyed their Thanksgiving feasts, and I know that everyone is excited for our end of the year festivities. Even though winter is the end of the year, and it is a bit colder and darker, it's always nice to surround ourselves with family and friends to bring more light and warmth into our lives. That's why it's wonder-

ful to be surrounded by the wonderful family that is Pinecastle, and to know that we'll always have brothers by our sides.

Though it's trite to say it, the year seems to have flown by, and the new year is just around the corner. I'm very much looking forward to a Happy New Year, and I hope that we can find renewed vigor and excitement as we move boldly forward into 2023. It's been an honor to serve this year in the West, and I'll endeavor to make you proud in the East next year.

I'd like to extend my heartfelt thanks to our Worshipful master this year for all that he has done, and for the tremendous amount of support he has given both to the lodge, and to me personally. Thank you Jack Calo III! You a great man and Mason!

Trestle Board

Fraternally, Josh Michaels Senior Warden



#### From the South

Greetings from the South,

We had a great Past Master's Dinner last month. This year was different as we invited the Craft to join. Our Past Masters shared experiences from their tenures. It was an excellent opportunity for fellowship.

For the first dinner of the month, we will have sausage hotdogs. For the second dinner, 1 am planning to do something related to the season. To be determined.

Fraternally,
Paulo Lomba
Junior Warden

#### From the Chaplain

Sickness and Distress:

Bro. Del Smith - continuing health issues

Bro, Bobbie Addison - continuing health issues

Bro. Bill Randles - continuing health issues

Bro. Tom Fair and his wife, Barbara - continuing health issues

Sister Jolee Miles - continuing health issues

Please keep these, our Military and our First Responders in your prayers.

If you know of any sickness or distress, or if I can be of any service to you, please feel free to contact me any time. My cell phone number is 407-784-4660.

#### **Hector Alcantara**

#### Chaplain

## **Charity for November**

November 2 - Russell Home for Atypical Children November 16 -



#### Order of the Eastern Star

HAPPY HOLIDAYS!



Patrick and I would like to wish everyone a happy and safe Holiday season!

Monday Dec 5th is a stated meeting and we will be celebrating ESTARL night.

We will have draping of the charter for Sister Joanne Dessert who passed away Aug 29, 2021.



On Dec. 9 We will be having our Official Inspection with Sister Debbie Rosenthal, Grand Conductress, the Banquet is at 6 and meeting at 730. Please call Cindy or Jean to RSVP. Deadline was Dec 1st but not to late to call.

In Star Love,

Jean Siew Patrick Uppole Worthy Matron Worthy Patron



# Rainbow Assembly

Where has the year gone?

On November 20<sup>th</sup> the assembly had their annual Youth Protection Program. Uncle Moe did CPR training and we are now certified. We learned what to do if a baby was choking and how to do CPR on an infant. We also learned how to use an AED Defibrillator on infants and adults. In the picture Jenna is holding "the baby". Thank you, Uncle Moe.

After the training class the girls put together turkey door hangers. Everyone learned a lot and had a great time.



The girls have a Social Meeting on December  $4^{th}$  and a Stated Meeting on the  $18^{th}$ .

We would like to thank Pine Castle Lodge for their sponsorship and support.

See you next month,

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#### Mother Advisor

#### December

- 12/4 Rainbow Assembly—Social Meeting
- 12/5 OES Stated Meeting 7:30 PM
- 12/7 Stated Communication 6:30 Dinner/7:30 Meeting
- 12/9 Official Inspection—Dinner 6:00pm Meeting at 7:30pm
- 12/17 Masters & Wardens South Seminole 8:00 AM/9:00AM
- 12/18 Rainbow Meeting
- 12/18 Pine Castle Lodge Holiday Snow Extravaganza 4:00PM
- 12/19 OES Stated Meeting
- 12/21 Stated Communication 6:30 Dinner/7:30 Meeting
- 12/25 Christmas
- 12/27 Orange 36 Installation 7:00 PM

#### January

- 1/1 New Years Day
- 1/2 OES Dark due to Holiday
- 1/4 Stated Communication 6:30 Dinner/7:30 Meeting Voting on Sale of Building and Raising of Dues
- 1/7 Installations Eola (8:00am), South Seminole (12:00 pm) Winter Park (5:00 pm)
- 1/9 Installation Mokanna (6:30 pm) Closed Installation
- 1/12 Installation Hiram's Daylight (10:00 am) Closed Installation—Lunch following
- 1/14 Installations Oviedo (8:00am), Winter Garden (12:00 pm)
- 1/16 OES Stated Meeting 7:30 PM
- 1/18 Stated Communication 6:30 Dinner/7:30 Meeting
- 1/21 Installations Pine Castle (8:00am), OB80 (12:00 pm) St. Cloud (5:00 pm)
- 1/28 Installation Orlando (12:00 pm)





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Past Masters

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W:. John Miles

W:. Rene Torres

R:.H:. Patrick Uppole

Bro. Hector Alcantara

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Bro. Joshua Michaels

W:.M:. Jack Calo

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Pine Castle Trestle Board Past Masters 1969 James T. Pegram\* 1970 Arthur C. Forster, PDDGM\* 1971 Marvin Smoot\* 1972 Herbert J. Marsula\* 1973 Dempsey Lott Jr.' 1974 James G. Shenk' 1975 Roy W. Young\* 1976 Jerome Blum, PD1\* 1977 Boyd D. Dorris\* 1978 W. George Shows, PDDGM\* 1979 Richard J. Byle 1980 Olin A. Crabtree\* 1981 Raleigh R. Taliaferro\* 1982 Troy L. Shaffer\* 1983 Ralph S. Pugh\* 1984 Ray T. Cox, PDDGM, PDI\* 1985 Samuel P. Viola' 1986 Gaetano J. DiCarlo\* 1987 Cecil A. Bennin 1988 Richard Marra\* 1989 Donald McKenzie\* 1990 Grover W. Gillingham\* 1991 Burton G. Brim, PDDGM\* 1992 I. Norman Reaves' 1993 Ronald W. Wetherell 1994 Steven R. Hochberger 1995 John W. Robinson\* 1996 Jim Rouse\*

1997 Len Desert\*

2002 J.L. Perez

1998 Joe Ingram\*, PDI

2001 Terry P. Robinson

2005 Steve Bynum, PDI

2006 Steve Owens Sr.\*

2007 Terry A. Slusher

2008 Robert Monroe

2010 Gerry Rushton

2013 Michael L. Diaz

2011 Randy White

2014 John Miles

2016 Jim Guest

2015 Rene Torres

2017 David Souza

2018-19 Patrick Uppole,PDI

Affiliated Past Masters

1957 MD Ludwig Wagner

1972 NJ Robert Rowand

1977 FL Barnard Decker\* 1977 FL Kenneth White\*

2005 FL Donald Martin\*

2005 FL Michael Bollinger

2020 Michael McMillan

2021 Norberto Monell

2009 David Garavano\*

2003 David A. Davis 2004 James Allen Shaw\*

1999 Elbert R. Estes\*, PDI

2000 Thomas O. Nicholls\*

Finance

Bro. Paulo Lomba Bro. Joshua Michaels W:. Jim Guest W:. Rene Torres

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Robert L. Monroe, Sr

Michael Bollinger (43)

Averill Brown (19)

Jack Calo III (13)

David Cochrane (14)

Darryl Donkel (22)

Daniel Galeli (5)

Antonio Garrandes (5)

James Guest (25)

James Hamilton (22)

Colding Irvine Jr (50)

Keith Monell (6)

Stephen Murdock (5)

Thomas Reich (6)

Yuji Sakata (5)

Fadi Saman (6)

Larry Shaffer (40)

Richard Waters (40)