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**Las Palmas-Ponderosa Lodge #366, F&AM**

August 1995

### **From the East**

Brethren,

I hope everyone is enduring the heat we are having in Fresno this summer that has finally arrived. This stated meeting we're going to award two Hiram Awards. This year, like last year, the award winners will be announced before the regular stated meeting begins. So please be in attendance as your name might be the one announced.

I would like to again congratulate brothers Harry Dyck, his son Harry Dyck, Jr and brother Ron Ulrich.. Harry received his 50 year pin and his son Harry Dyck Jr. and Brother Ron Ulrich received their 25 year pins. I was so pleased at the attendance for the award ceremony last month. Dinner was served to 225 members and everybody should give themselves a big pat on the back. Let's keep it up and see if we can do the same for the Hiram Award Night.

This year our Lodge has again been honored. We will be hosting our second Grandmaster's Dinner. The date will be September 28, 1995. The tickets will go on sale very shortly at the Secretary's office. Please get your tickets as soon as you can, for once they're gone, they're gone!!! And our fabulous Mary Perch and her crew were asked personally to oversee this event and to handle the preparation so you know what that means. The meal will be another super fantastic one!!! Let's have a real big turn out for our Grand Master and give him a real warm Las Palmas-Ponderosa welcome.

Fraternally,  
Lawrence T. Banks II  
Master



### **From The West**

In July we witnessed the conferral of a 50 Year Pin (Golden Veteran Award) on Brother Harry M. Dyck, Sr. by Most Worshipful Sam M. Pavlovich, Past Grand Master. 25 Year Pins were presented by Worshipful Douglas Cairns, Inspector of the 293rd Masonic District, to Brothers Harry M. Dyck, Jr. and Ronald L. Ulrich. (my school and DeMolay pals from days gone by) Congratulations to you, my friends and brothers!

The Summer is going by very quickly and it will soon be time to start our Fall activities. The officers are preparing to assume advanced stations for our return to degree work. We will resume our activities on September 7th, with a 2nd Degree.

With all this in mind, I would like to hear from any member of the Lodge who would like to participate in our work. You do not have to be an officer of the Lodge to take part in the ritual work of our degrees, charges, etc. Please feel free to call me at 432-8262 and let me know what you would like to do.

Don't forget our Stated Meeting on August 17th, dinner at 6:30 p.m.

Thought for the day: *We cannot direct the wind...but, we can change the sails.*

Fraternally,  
Cline "Cub" Jack  
Senior Warden



## From the South

Brethren,

Hope that your summer is going well with you. This is the time of the year most of us kick back, go on vacations, being with family and friends and enjoying ourselves. I personally love summer; picnics, cookouts, potlucks, going on excursions, what a wonderful time of the year. Some of us, or should I say most of us have regular jobs to attend, and we must go to work. However, we make the time to enjoy some of the pleasures of summer, for too soon fall and winter will descend upon us and a whole year must pass before summer is here again. Enjoy, Brothers.

Aloha Nui,  
Ralph Medeiros  
Junior Warden



## Calendar

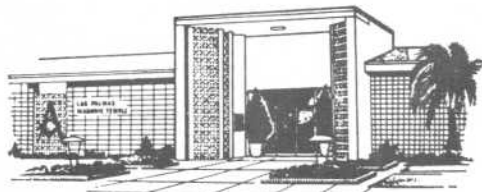
- Aug. 4 Dark
- Aug. 10 Dark
- Aug. 17 Stated Meeting 7:30  
Dinner 6:30  
Hiram Award Presentation
- Aug. 24 Dark
- Sept. 28 Grand Master's Dinner - Las Palmas

## School of Instruction

- Aug. 26 3° at Clovis 8 A.M.  
Grand Lecture
- Sept. 26 Madera Lodge
- Oct. 24 Sanger Lodge
- Nov. 15 Fresno Lodge

## NOTICE

Brothers, there are some of you who have yet to pay their 1994 dues. Are you one? If you are unable to pay your dues, please see the Worshipful Master Lawrence (Tip) Banks II Ph 227-4840, Senior Warden Cline (Cub) C. Jack Jr. Ph 432-8262 or the Secretary Marvin Wallace 268-2303. Suspension letters will be forth coming.



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