



TRESTLEBOARD

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From the East



Another busy month has come and gone for the lodge. We have read a petition which is always exciting, to bring in a possible brother and good man and make him better. This month looks to be busy. As we look forward to February which is usually looked at as a month for lovers, let us explore that brother and fraternal love for one another by calling on a brother you have not seen or talked to in forever. Same with our fraternal sisters. Even though we may not be blood, we are all related by the actions and how we care for each other and rejoice in each other's prosperity and promote each other's goodwill.

With that we all should strive to work on having a positive mindset and attitude towards each other and to lodge. We can sometimes focus on the small petty things and get stuck on them. We should try to look at the big picture and strive to bring the best out of what we are but the best out of the situation. It's been proven that positivity spreads and encourages growth where negativity and cynicism causes the growth to wither and die. I know for one that I want us to grow and sustain. I too will be working on this and hope that any person who needs help will reach out just as when I need help I will reach out.

Glenn Story, W.M., P.M.



Job's Daughters Bethel 326

The Daughters of our Bethel would love to have your company and support at our meetings. We are looking for young ladies who can be sponsored for membership by a Masonic Brother.

Please contact our Bethel Guardian, Mrs. Hendra at jdi4kyna@gmail.com

2023 Lodge Officers:

Worshipful Master

Glenn Story, P.M.

518-3943

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Vacant

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Vacant

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HONORING YOU

Sweethearts, Widows and Daughters Dinner

FREE,

YOUR MEAL
IS ON US

LET US

SERVE YOU

13 FEB

6:30-7:30 P.M.

in the cafeteria

Dinner will be Pork Loin plus the fixings, and Pineapple upside-down cake or Ice-cream for dessert.

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**Josephine Chico Chapter
Order of the Eastern Star**

February will bring a special event to our Chapter as we will host an All Member Instructional for members of our Order in the North State. It is a full day of instruction with our 2024 Grand Family.

Our philanthropic project is creating “port pals” for patients with ports for medical procedures. We meet on the 3rd Wednesday from 10 to 2 and would love to have extra hands to help. OES membership is not a requirement.

Genendal Burchfield, Worthy Matron
Gary Hendra, Worthy Patron



**Chico Nile Club
Menzaleh Temple. Daughters of the Nile**

Our Club meets on the 2nd Monday of every month to work on sewing projects for the Kids at Shriners Hospital Northern California.

We create exam gowns and we have quilting projects that are donated to the Hospital for the Kids.

Help with our projects is always appreciated. We sew from 10 am to 12 noon in the small dining room at our Masonic Center.

-Jill Ramsey, President, Chico Nile Club

New Year, Familiar Officers

The Chico Masonic Family Center board of directors has elected officers for the ensuing year. The faces are familiar as they are the same officers from the year before: Dan Heal, president; Ray Dunham, PM, vice president; Steve Moody, PM, chief financial officer and Paul Moreno, secretary. We also say farewell to Cameron Ellis, PM, who while lodge master in 2023 was an ex-officio member.

Due to there being no Senior Warden in Blue Lodge this year, we are short one ex-officio member of the board, this should be resolved soon as a Senior Warden should be in place in the next month.

As always, if you or anyone you know may be interested in renting space for an event, please contact the CMFC facility manager at 530-342-7143 or visit www.chicofreemasonso.org

-Dan Heal, Board President

Sunshine Committee

If you or a brother you know needs anything, please let them know to reach out or let us know. Call Ken Carlsen at 530-520-0873. We want to be of support and if its needed, even relieve our distressed worthy brothers.



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Family Center



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Job's Daughters
CALIFORNIA

Masonic Bodies Info :

Blue Lodge Stated Meeting: 2nd Tuesday of the month. 7:30 P.M. Dinner @ 6:30
Contact: Secretary893-3171

Royal Arch Stated Meeting: 2nd Monday of the month. 7:30 P.M.
Contact: John L Barneson, secretary. . .354-4754

Chico Shrine Club Stated Meeting: 1st Saturday of the month. 10:00 A.M. At the Cozy Diner Banquet Room
Contact: Larry Willis895-0156
Contact: Darrin Deatherage . . .774-7110

Eastern Star Stated Meeting: 2nd & 4th Wednesday of the month. 7:30 P.M.
Contact: Kyna Hendra
Chico326JDI@gmail.com

Daughters of the Nile Meeting: 2nd Monday of the month. 10:00 A.M.
Contact: Jill Ramsey893-5750

DeMolay Stated Meetings: 1st & 3rd Thursday of the month. 7:00 P.M.
Contact: Michael Meyer514-0252

Job's Daughters Stated Meetings: 2nd & 4th Monday of the month. 7:00 P.M.
Contact: Kyna Hendra
Chico326JDI@gmail.com

Rainbow Stated Meetings: 1st & 3rd Monday of the month. 7:00 P.M.
Contact: Laura Ray345-4967

Black Butte Scottish Rite Club
Contact: Steve Moody343-2030

Butte Council No. 50 3rd Monday of the month. 7:30 P.M. Contact: Cameron Ellis. . .345-4754

Butte Commandery No. 5 3rd Wednesday of the month. 7:30 PM
Contact: TBD

2023 Board of Directors:

- Dan Heal- President
- Ray Dunham, P.M., Vice President
- Steve Moody, P.M., Chief Financial Officer
- Paul Moreno, Secretary
- Vacant - Ex- Officio
- Glenn Story P.M., Ex-Officio
- Pete Volpato
- Darrel Roe

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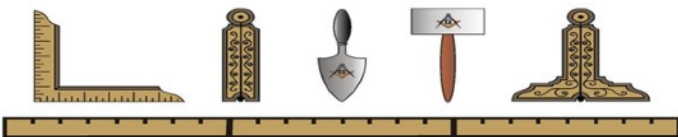
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EXAMPLE

Coffee Soiree

Come to our world-renowned Coffee Soiree. We meet every Thursday morning from 7:00 am till around 9:00 am.



FROM THE KITCHEN AN INVATATION

For all of our **Masonic Sweethearts** our February dinner is dedicated to you. Please come and join us at this dinner and let us recognize you and your importance to your significant other and the lodge.

Please Note: There is also a flyer included with the Trestleboard for RSVP information and if transportation is needed who to contact;

FROM THE KITCHEN

Our Stated Meeting Dinner for January was simple but good. Due to the recent cold weather attendees thoroughly enjoyed our hot Vegetable Beef Stew dinner and those moist brownies for dessert. **Thank You** to our Job Daughters for serving and clean up afterwards, a job very well done!

MENU

February's dinner entrée will be Pork Loin. We slow cook the Pork Loin to keep it moist and delicious. Our side dishes will be potatoes, vegetables, salad and dinner rolls.

DESSERT

Our dessert will be **homemade** pineapple upside cake. This will be served with vanilla Ice Cream, Whip Cream or both.

See you at the Lodge for our **February Stated Meeting Dinner,**
Tuesday Feb. 13th at 6:30 P.M.

Respectively submitted Bro. F.W. (Fritz) Zanker and Wife Laurel

NOTE: Bro. Sean Loch has this dinner off as he stepped up several times this past year and cooked with out any help as I was with Laurel while she was receiving treatments.

THANK YOU, SEAN!