



# Central Coast Lodge # 237

# Trestleboard

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## September Lodge Events



## A Message From the East

### Greetings Brethren

*Happy September, the last month of summer and most often, the hottest month of the year....*

September is the first month of fall in the northern half of the world and the first month of spring in the southern half.

September is the ninth month in the Gregorian calendar and has 30 days. It marks the start of the academic year in many countries—students return to school from their summer break—and the start of the church year in the Eastern Orthodox Church. The September Equinox usually falls on September 22 or 23 and is the start of astronomical fall in the Northern Hemisphere.



Thursday, August 29th our Lodge participated in the 5-Cities Chamber of Commerce Ribbon Cutting to celebrate our new Lodge Sign and our 150th Celebration coming in October. A big Thank You to all the Brothers who participated in the Ribbon Cutting! It was a very good event to spread the word that Masonry has been in the Village of Arroyo Grande for over 100 years!!

Central Coast Lodge #237 had the honor of presenting the Hiram Award to Brother Alex Wynn, PM on Saturday, August 31st at his home in Shell Beach. Alax has been a Master Mason for 43 years and is a Past Master of our Lodge. As well as the Trestleboard Editor for many years. The presentation was given by Brother Frank Luenser, PM and Inspector, 542nd Masonic District.

A few notes for the September calendar:

Our Stated Meeting is Tuesday September 3rd. Dinner is at 6:00 PM and Stated is at 7:00 PM. Dinner will be cooked by Brother Jeff's wife, Sherrill. Beef stew will be on the menu!

If you haven't been to a Stated Meeting lately please join us! The Brother's would be very happy to see you and catch up!

Tuesday nights this month the Officers will be going upstairs to practice the 3rd Degree for Brother Clay Towzer. Clay's 3rd Degree is scheduled for Saturday, November 16th at 1:00 PM at Central Coast Lodge. Please open your books and learn your parts.

The 542nd District Officer's Association School of Instruction for September is Monday the 16th at 7:15 PM at Hesperian Masonic Center, Santa Maria.

Friday night "Cook Your-own and a Movie" will be Friday, September 20th. The fire will be ready by 6:00 PM and the movie (My Spy 2) will start at around 7:00 PM. Bring what you want to put on the grill, and we provide tall he sides!

Hesperian Lodge Dinner 6:30PM Stated Meeting 7:30 PM	2nd
Central Coast Lodge Dinner 6:00 PM Stated Meeting 7:00 PM	3rd
Officers Practice 3rd Degree 6:00 PM	10th
OSI Hesperian Lodge Santa Maria 7:00 PM	16th
Temple Board Association 6:30 PM 3rd Degree Practice 7:00 PM	17th
Cook Yr'Own and a Movie 6:00 PM	20th
Executive Committee 6:30 PM 3rd Degree Practice	24th

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**From the West**

**Greetings Brethren**

An update on a very busy month of October.

Friday, October 11th Central Coast #237 will host an Open House at the Lodge from 2:00 PM thru 8:00PM to celebrate Masonry and our 150th Celebration. Volunteers are needed!

Saturday, October 12th is the Avid Bar-B-Q, our largest of the year and we need as many Brothers as possible to help on the pits and in the kitchen!

Saturday, October 19th is our Central Coast Lodge #237 150th Celebration Bar-B-Q Dinner from 5:00 PM thru 9:00 PM. **Please RSVP your reservation ASAP!**

Thursday, October 24th Grand Lodge begins in San Francisco.

Sincerely,

David A. Murray PM  
 Senior Warden

Remember to make your reservation even if you are A MEMBER OF THE Lodge!



Central Coast Lodge #237  
 Free and Accepted Masons  
 Cordially Invites you to celebrate 150 years of Masonry in Arroyo Grande.

Saturday, October 19th, 2024, from 5:00pm - 8:00pm

Please join us for dinner and dessert while we remember the past and look forward to the future.

Please RSVP with Zack Braun at (805) 474-8891 or via email to info@arroyograndemasons.org

Attire is Business Casual

**September Birthdays**

*Happy Birthday to . .*

Brad Miles Albin	3rd
Dennis Wayne Belden	12th
<b>John David Lander</b>	<b>13th</b>
Skylar Dane Caldwell	23rd
Michael Alan Lady	27th
Wallace James Franklin	29th

**Bold** indicates Past Master

**September Masonic Birthdays**

Wayne Edward Trost	9th
Ray Lavern Scott	18th
James Ernest Bevill	21st
Sherwood Alexander Wynn	24th
Bradley Theodore Anderson	25th
Trevor Carter Luenser	26th
Arthur John Spoo	30th



**Masonic Family**

**From the South**

**Lodge Committees**

**Central Coast Star Chapter No. 97  
Order of Eastern Star**  
Meetings: 2nd & 4th Tuesdays  
7:30 PM  
Santa Maria Masonic Ctr  
Secretary: Tracy Lee  
Ph: (805) 937-3280

**San Luis RAM Chapter No. 62 /  
SLO Cryptic Council #38**  
Meetings: 1st Wednesday  
6:00 PM  
Secretary: Christian Marano, PM  
Ph: (805) 712-9212

**SLO Commandry No. 27**  
Meetings: 2nd Saturday  
9:00 AM  
Secretary: Christian Marano, PM  
Ph: (805) 712-9212

**Santa Lucia chapter #95 OES**  
Meets: 2nd Monday 7p Stated mtg/  
dinner 6p  
4th Monday casual/potluck dinner 6p  
Secretary: Cathy Veley  
(805) 471-0183

**Central Coast Shrine Club**  
Meetings: Mayors Place, Nipomo 4th  
Saturday of the month.  
Secretary: Rusty Kern  
Ph: (805) 733-0483

**Central Coast Assembly IORG #92**  
Meets: 2nd & 4th Fridays 6:30p  
SLO Masonic Center  
Mother Advisor: Victoria Law  
Ph. (805) 260-3172

**Santa Lucia Court # 143 Order of  
Amaranth**  
Meetings: 3rd Friday  
7:30 PM

**Arroyo Masonic Temple Assn.**  
Meetings: 3rd Tuesday  
Board Pres: Zack Braun, PM  
Ph: (805) 474-8891  
Cell: (805) 801-73

**Greetings Brethren**

Just a reminder to all members, if you or someone you know in the Masonic family is in need of assistance DON'T hesitate to contact an officer of the lodge. We are here to help and can connect you with resources. We have had success connecting brothers or family members with Masonic Outreach Services (MOS) for financial or other assistance needed.

Brother Jeff  
Junior Warden



**From the Secretary's Desk**

Another reminder that we no longer mail out Dues Cards. They are available on Imember to print yourself or use the digital version. If you would like yours sent to you, let me know and I mail it to you.

Glenn W. Elliott, PM  
Secretary

**Auditing**

Brad Anderson

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David Murray, PM  
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Fred Schulenburg, PM  
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Glenn Elliott, PM Ex Official

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David Murray, PM

**Candidate's Coach**

Zack Braun, PM

**Charity**

Charlie Kears  
David Murray, PM  
Jeff Messingham

**Delinquent Dues**

David Murray, PM  
Glenn Elliott, PM

**Retention**

David Murray, PM  
Frank Luenser, PM

**Masonic Widows**

Open

**Masonic Youth Groups**

Frank Luenser, PM

**Officers Coach**

Zack Braun

**Sunshine**

All Officers

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**Congratulations to Alex Wynn on his Hiram Award!**



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22	23	24 Executive Committee 6:30 PM Officer's Practice 3rd Degree 7:00 PM	25	26 Breakfast-8:00 AM The Mayors Place Nipomo	27	28
29	30					

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The Mayor's Place in Nipomo is still where to be for breakfast. I invite everyone to join us at 8:30 AM on Thursday mornings for an absolutely terrific time enjoying food and fellowship with your Brothers.

Again... PLEASE... It would be a great help to the Brothers in the kitchen if we could have a 'heads-up' on how many will attend the Stated Meeting dinner and the Cook Your-own and a Movie night. If you plan on attending the Stated Meeting dinner or "Cook Your-own and a Movie", PLEASE either email or call me a day or two before to let me know how many are coming. My contact information is below!

I would like to thank all the Brothers of Central Coast Lodge #237 for their continued effort and support!

Music for September Daughtry, "September" the third and final single from Daughtry's second album 'Leave This Town' (2009)

Happy September!

Charlie Kears PM

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Fraternally,

Charlie Kears, Master

## Need Space??

*For your meetings, family gatherings, receptions, group functions, etc.*

Available for Rent

## Arroyo Masonic Hall

For details call

Jeff Massingham

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