



Central Coast Lodge # 237

Trestleboard

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A Message From the East

April Lodge Events

Greetings Brethren

We have a few events coming up this month.

The first one is our Annual Inspectors Visit.

For the Officers that means tuxedos will be required and we will also have the Presentation of the Flag.

The Arroyo Grande high school Robotics team has accepted an Invitation to go to a Championship Event held in Houston, Tx. The team needs our help with some of the traveling expenses so we will be Bar-B-Quing at the Arroyo Grande High School parking lot on Sunday, April 13th. If you can make it, even if It's for a couple of hours it will be a Tremendous help!

We are practicing for a First and Third Degree that we have coming soon, so please come down to the lodge and help us out.

Fraternally,
Wor. Dave Murry, PM

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| Central Coast Lodge Dinner 6:00 PM Stated Meeting 7:00 PM Inspector's Official Visit | 1st |
| Hesperian Lodge Dinner 6:30PM Stated Meeting 7:30 PM | 7th |
| Officer's Practice Work TBD 7:00 PM | 8th |
| AGHS Robotics Team BBQ 11:00 AM—2:00 PM at AG High School | 13th |
| Temple Board Mtg 6:30 PM Officer's Practice Work TBD 7:00 PM | 15th |
| Cook Yur' Own & A Movie 6:00 PM | 18th |
| OSI — Santa Maria Masonic Center 7:00 PM | 21st |
| Executive Committee 6:30 PM Officer's Practice Work TBD 7:00 PM | 22nd |
| Officer's Practice Work TBD 7:00 PM | 29th |

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From the West

*I*t looks as though Central Coast Lodge may be headed for a busy time. Brother Caldwell is rapidly learning his proficiency in the Fellowcraft Degree and eager to become a Master Mason. The arrival of at least one petition for membership with another on the horizon, I hope we're ready for this small resurgence of interest in our fraternity, I know I am.

The re-start of the Friday Night Cook your Own and Movie night courtesy of Worshipful Charlie and Brother John bodes well for our Lodge. Hopefully activities like this will encourage us to get out of in front of our televisions and socialize with our Brothers, families, and friends again.

Finally, as you know, I proposed a small dues increase to try and bring the Lodge onto a more solid financial footing. For too many years we have been living off the investments of the Lodge and are nearing a time when we may be dipping into principle. If the Lodge is to move forward it is time for us to start supporting it again. This small increase will allow us to not only to help maintain our building but will allow us to become a more active part of our community, something I know we would all like. Please support the \$45 a year raise I have proposed.

Some words for thought courtesy of Santa Monica-Palisesades No. 307,

Brother, I, too, own a television set, but that does not keep me at home on lodge night. I have never yet had one of the characters on television come off the screen and shake my hand. They have never offered me the warm friendship that my lodge brothers do. They have never handed me a cup of coffee or a doughnut. No! Never!

Happy April,

Zack Braun, PM
 Senior Warden



April Birthdays

Happy Birthday to . .

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| Burton Dean Ward | 20th |
| Robert Lee Brewer | 23rd |
| Barry Duane Erlich | 26th |

Bold indicates Past Master



**April
 Masonic Birthdays**

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| Frank Lathom Holloway, Jr. | 8th |
| Clifford Theodore Dugger | 27th |
| Ronald Jerry Coggeshall | 29th |

Bold indicates Past Master



Brethren

I am looking for help with pictures, articles or anything that might be of interest about Freemasonry and Central Coast Lodge in particular for our Trestleboard.

If you have something you think might be of interest to the Brothers please let me know. You can send articles and pictures to me at cekears@gmail.com.

Thank you

Charlie Kears, PM
 Editor

Masonic Family

From the South

Lodge Committees



Greetings Brethren

Please be aware of upcoming rentals of the Lodge. They are Cal Poppy Arts on April 3, 4, and 5. Also a Fraternity rental on April 6 and a second Fraternity on April 13. Then I'm off to Germany. Cheers

Jeff Massingham
Jr. Warden



From the Secretary's Desk

Nothing to report this month.

Glenn W. Elliott, PM
Secretary

**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

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**Santa Lucia Court # 143 Order of
Amaranth**

Meetings: 3rd Friday

7:30 PM

Arroyo Masonic Temple Assn.

Meetings: 3rd Tuesday

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Inspector's Ritual Conference—Ontario, CA

March 15th and 16th, 2025



April 2025

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

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| | | 1 Central Coast Lodge Dinner—6:00 PM Stated Meeting 7:00 PM | 2 | 3 Breakfast at The Mayors Place Nipomo 8:00 AM (Lode Rental Cal Poppy) | 4 (Lode Rental) Cal Poppy | 5 (Lode Rental) Cal Poppy |
| 6 (Lode Rental) Fraternity | 7 Hesperian Lodge Dinner—6:30 PM Stated Meeting 7:30 PM | 8 Officer's Practice 7:00 PM | 9 | 10 Breakfast at The Mayors Place Nipomo 8:00 AM | 11 | 12 |
| 13 (Lode Rental) Fraternity AGHS Robotics Team BBQ 11:00 AM—2:00 PM at AG High School | 14  Trestleboard Deadline | 15 Temple Board Mtg 6:30 PM Officer's Practice 7:00 PM | 16 | 17 Breakfast at The Mayors Place Nipomo 8:00 AM | 18 Cook Yur' Own & A Movie 6:00 PM | 19 |
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| 27 | 28 | 29 Officer's Practice 7:00 PM | 30 | | | |



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707-373-3094

