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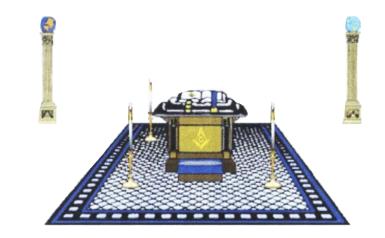


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# Trestle Board "<u>On The Level</u>"

**Grand Strand Masonic Lodge No. 392 A.F.M** 916 6th Avenue North - North Myrtle Beach, South Carolina



## Message From the East

Brothers welcome to another Masonic Year at Grand Strand Lodge #392. We are pleased to have the Trestle Board to keep the brothers informed of Lodge and Masonic activities.

We started off February with a Fellow Craft and a Master Mason Degree. On March 26th we will raise three Fellow Crafts to Master Masons. We look forward to more Candidates this year. We will continue our Charity project helping Sea Haven with their misson. I ask the Brothers to suggest any person or group in need, that we may be able to help in our Charity work. If you

have a suggestion for a fund raiser, we would like to hear about it.

We hope to see you at the Master Mason Degree and/or our Regular Communication to enjoy Masonry in action. God Bless You.

~ Worshipful Master, James Anderson

### **Lodge Activities**

2nd Monday of the Month....Regular Communication 3rd Monday of the Month... Masters and Wardens Club

\* March 26th - Master Masons Degree Supper 7:00 PM - Work 7:30PM

#### Prayers

Brothers lets all take time and say some prayers for David Sowell who is recovering from a kidney transplant, and Tommy Bennett who is taking Kemo for Cancer. Dear Lord Bless our Brothers. Please put your hand upon their shoulders and heal them and give them comfort. Thank you.

## GRAND STRAND Lodge No. 392 A.F.M. TRESTLE BOARD



## Welcome back to "ON THE LEVEL"

Grand Strand Lodge # 393 Trestle Board is now up and running. Last October just as we were ready to print, a bolt of lightning destroyed the hard drive and we lost all the data. We were ready to print. We lost our address list and all our memory. It took about a month, after a lot of research, to find out nothing could be recovered. All was a total loss. Brother Ellis Barnes did all our set up and printing.

By the time he purchased a new computer and reloaded all of his own business data, his business had grown and he did not have time to devote to the Trestle Board. Also he had moved his family and office and found it was inconvenient to attend our lodge and has Demitted to Seaside Lodge. We wish him well and thank him for his past services.

We are very fortunate to have Brother Randy Black come to our rescue. He will be doing the layout and we have made arrangements to have it printed. You will be pleased to know that the money we receive from our advertisings will cover our costs.

#### Web Site

Brother Randy Black is multi-talented and is setting up our Web site and will be assisted by Brother Lee Hitchcock. Our Web site will be hosted thru the 29th District site (www.mastermason.com/sc29/) and will be up and running in April. For additional information or suggestions, please contact W. Bro Chris Holland at 843-280-5430.

## **Bylaws Change Notice**

This is to notify the membership of a Bylaws change that must be read at three business meetings before it is voted on.

On March 10, the audit committee suggested the dues should be raised. We receive \$3,700 in dues, but our expenses are around \$10,000 each year. The following motion was made and will be read at the next three meetings.

MOTION; The dues shall be changed from \$44.50 to \$75.00 per year, and the lifetime membership will change from \$500 to \$750, starting in January 2009.



The following is not part of the motion

and is a way for us to help any member who is not financially able to pay the new dues amount should the motion pass.

Just Cause; Any member who cannot afford the dues change can contact the Master before November 30th each year, and request financial relief from our charity fund to pay for said dues.

### Lodge No. 392 Honors New Master Masons

Brother Joshua Smith - Sept 28, 2007 Brother Kevin Causey - Nov 27, 2007 Brother Leo Kosakowski - Nov 27, 2007 Brother David Hughs - Jan 23, 2008

## Charity

The Sea Haven Shelter Home appreciates the replacement uniforms we donated for the boys attending the Alternative School and the food we take to them that we have left over from our meetings.