



## Message From the East

We are back in the Light of Masonry and opened our Lodge with 35 brothers and enjoyed an outstanding meal from our Steward Randy Black... beef stew over rice with mixed veggies and a chocolate cobbler that was devastating. No body left hungry. Randy also took pictures of our officers for our web site.

During the dark months, John Trexler was a candidate for his EA Degree at Horry Lodge #381 and Ken White received his FC Degree at Myrtle Beach Lodge #353 and will sit for his Master Masons at the Outdoor Degree at Atalaya on October 18th. We are the hosts. The Grand Master is coming and will be King Solomon. We thank Lodges 381 and 353 for their courtesy work. Rick Louis was Raised June 18th in our Lodge prior to going into the dark.

Our next meeting will be Oct. 13th. We will have a practice for the Outdoor Degree on the 15th of Oct. We are the hosts and will be responsible for the opening and the first Section. The Masters and Wardens Club will perform the second Section in costume. Please come and support the Lodge and enjoy the evening with the Lodges of the 29th District and meet the Grand Master.

~ Worshipful Master, James Anderson

## Thoughts and Prayers

We ask the Good Lord to comfort our sick and bereaved. Please give them strength and hear our prayers and Dear Lord put your hand upon them and relieve them of there suffering. We pray that you will especially look after Bob Cape, Randy Black's wife, Kathy, George Wertheimer's father in law, John Worley and his wife Tracy's father, Richard Brown's wife Sandy, Kevin Causey's brother, and continue to strengthen Bros David Sowell and Tommy Bennett.

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

September 2008



## What is Free Masonry

It is the oldest, largest, and most prestigious fraternity in the world. We are kind of like a civic club, a charitable institution, and a fraternity all rolled up into one.

We are like a civic club in that we do a lot of community and state wide projects. We are like a major charity in that we give almost \$1.5 million away every day. But most importantly, we are a fraternity for men doing good things for each other, and trying to bring men of good morals and ethics together in our community.

**ANNUAL OUTDOOR DEGREE**  
OCTOBER 18th  
ATALAYA, HUNINGTON STATE PARK  
5:00pm Dinner      6:00pm Work

## Committees

### Building Maintenance & Improvement:

W. Bro Rex Thompson, Chairman, W. Bros Rick Causey, Steve Smith and Rhett Vereen, and Bros David Sowell, Heath Stone, Wilson Rankin, John Worley, George Wertheimer and Mike Fowler

### Past Masters Council:

All Past Masters; W. Bro Richard Brown, Chairman

**Funeral:** All members; W. Bro Billy Holmes, Chairman

**Trestle Board:** W. Bro Chris Holland and Bro Randy Black

**Website:** W. Bro Chris Holland and Bros Randy Black and Lee Hitchcock

**Charity:** W. Bro Chris Holland, Chairman, W. Bros Richard Brown, Tom Kronenwetter, Milford Powell and Bros Heath Stone and Lee Hitchcock

## JOIN A COMMITTEE AND GET INVOLVED!!

Contact W. Bro Chris Holland (843) 385-1165

## 2008 Dues Reminder

This is to remind all brothers who have not paid their 2008 dues (\$44.50) to mail them by Oct. 31st to Del Vereen, 2231 Hwy 111, Little River, SC 29566 -8614. Those not paying their 2008 dues by Oct. 31st will not be able to sit in the lodge until their 2008 dues are paid.

## A Magnificent Gift

Brother Bill Moore of Wilmington Lodge #319 and an Honorary member of Grand Strand Lodge #392 presented our Lodge with a cross stitched, tapestry wall hanging 3 ft x 4 ft, depicting the pillars, tools, and symbols with the eye over seeing the fraternity.

**Ask, and it shall be given to you**  
**Seek, and ye shall find**  
**Knock, and it shall be opened unto you**

*Matthew 7:7*

## Thank You!

W. Brother Steve Smith donated and W. Brother Rhett Vereen installed a new Digital thermostat in our dining room. We appreciate your generosity.

Brother George Wertheimer spent 2-days cleaning and scrubbing the Lodge this summer. Thank you, it looks like new. He also cleaned the glass case in the lobby, making more room for memorabilia. If you have anything of Masonic interest or value, you may wish to donate or loan it to the Lodge for all to see.

Next, we will tackle the G-room some Saturday morning. We will need a truck to haul it to the dump.

