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### FROM THE EAST

It was good to see so many brothers at the stated meeting of October 23, 2012. We almost had a full house which was an impressive turn out for our DDGM, Rite Worshipful Brother John VanSlyke. To start off the evening we had a great hamburger feed provided by our Junior Warden, Brother Glen Rosenburg assisted by Worshipful Brother Tony Root and Brother Kenny Adkins. Our DDGM had some interesting suggestions for the Lodge. Thanks once again for all the help from Rite Worshipful Brother Chuck Pittman and Brother Rosenburg for their time in helping the officers prepare for the DDGM's official visit.

We had a fun day at Hidden Valley Golf Course on a beautiful day. The golf tournament had a lot of good help; Brother Steve Molsbee, cooked by far, the best brats I have ever eaten, Brother Harold Metzger handled the money and Brother John Richmond helped put out sponsor signs and took photographs.

On November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2012 beginning at 11:00 a.m. through about 2:00 p.m. Table Rock Lodge #680 will be part of history when the Rainbow Girls are instituted and will hold their installation at the lodge. I hope that everyone will attend and encourage this outstanding program as well as the people who have agreed to dedicate themselves to its success.

There will be a Thanksgiving dinner along with Family Night; also we will be honoring the Widow's and Orphan's and O.E.S. on November 13<sup>th</sup>, 2012 at 6:00 p.m. this will be in conjunction with our stated meeting. The ladies of the Eastern Star will help with the food. The lodge will furnish the meat. This will be a pot luck dinner so bring your favorite food and/or desert for us all to share.

Worshipful Master, Rob Fugua

### FROM THE SOUTH

Tired of turkey, then come to our November 27<sup>th</sup> meeting and enjoy a pasta dinner, garlic bread and salad plus plenty of brotherhood. We will eat at 6:00 p.m.

#### FROM THE SECRETARY

Enclosed is the Masonic Dues notice. We are trying to update our Roster so I am asking that you include your name, address, telephone numbers (home and cell or business) as well as your email address. Some of the addresses I presently have are coming back.

# **CALENDAR DATES:**

November 3<sup>rd</sup>

**RAINBOW GIRLS** 

11:00 a.m. - Institute

Noon - Lunch

1:00 p.m. Installation

November 8<sup>th</sup>

6:30 p.m. First meeting for the Rainbow Girls

(Meet 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays)



**NOVEMBER 6TH** 

November 6<sup>th</sup>

6:00 p.m. Practice

November 13<sup>th</sup>

6:00 p.m. Dinner - Family, O.E.S., Widow and Orphans' night

7:00 p.m. Stated meeting

Chantbaring Greeting

November 22<sup>nd</sup>

HAPPY THANKSGIVING TO ALL

November 27<sup>th</sup>

6:00 p.m. Pasta dinner and brotherhood Stated meeting at 7:00 p.m.

## WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE A MASON

- 1. Sharing the tradition of our founding fathers.
- 2. Improving yourself and those around you.
- 3. Having friends wherever you go.
- 4. Committing yourself to a code of moral ethics.
- 5. Giving freely of yourself and asking nothing in return.