



# THE TRESTLE BOARD

Lodi Lodge #256, 321 West Pine Street, Lodi, CA 95240-2021

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TBD

### Junior Warden

TBD

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Hector Galvan (209) 747-3535

## From the East



Greetings Brethren and Friends:

The good news is that we are having a First Degree on Thursday April 10 starting at 7 pm for Mr. James Massey. Our two Warden fill-ins, our Marshal, our Senior Warden and of course our Officers' Coach will have a practice on Tuesday March 25th to make sure the degree goes off without a hitch. Hope as many of you as possible can attend.

We also have two other gentlemen interested in becoming Masons, so have a string of degrees in the not too distant future.

For our Public Schools month this year we look to be helping get instruments for the kids based on the excellent idea from Brother Hilliard. As he reminded us, school band instruments can be very expensive which precludes some kids from being able to join in. We are working out the specifics now and will keep you posted.

Now the bad news. Although we are exploring other avenues also, we have begun the process of looking into consolidating with Woodbridge Lodge, if they are amenable. Lodi Lodge simply does not have enough people to go through the chairs and so we are unable at this time to identify any Wardens of a Master for next year. More info to follow, but it is indeed sad if we end up not having a Lodi Lodge in the near future.

Best to everyone and hope to see you at our Stated Meeting and Dinner.

Faternally,

John Herrick

## April Dinner

Menu: Smoked brisket, coleslaw,  
mac & cheese

\$15.00/Person

RESERVATIONS REQUIRED BY

March 31st

For reservations: [256dinner@gmail.com](mailto:256dinner@gmail.com)

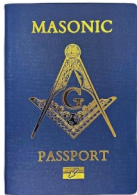
Lodi Lodge #256 F. & A.M.

Stated Meetings: First Thursday at 7:30 PM

321 W. Pine Street

LODI CA 95240

Mailing Address: PO BOX 387 LODI CA 95241-0387



## Traveling Brother's Adventures



At it again...

Bro. Rick Wright, PM visited Selma 277 on March 12th. Small but nice group of guys.

Speaker after dinner was a high school senior who was traveling to New Hampshire for a national judo competition. The lodge voted to send her \$500 to help with expenses and the Sr Deacon, Abraham Saghbini, volunteered to match that amount.

They also give ten \$1000 scholarships to the local high schools in and around Selma every year.

### Lodge Hats for Sale

We currently have Lodi Lodge hats for sale.

We have 7 **Trucker style**

And

2 **Flex-fit**

2-S Flex-fit (6 3/4 to 7 1/4)

Both styles are \$13.00 each.  
(exact change appreciated)

They will be available for purchase at the  
***Stated Meetings***



### April Birthdays

Brother	Date
Christopher Meehleis	4/11
Scott Mc Leod	4/15
Charles Lewis PM	4/17
Edward Potter	4/19
Hector Galvan	4/22
Cameron Heberle	4/26
Dennis Swanson	4/28



# ATTENTION ALL!

ENTERED APPRENTICES  
FELLOWCRAFTS  
MASTER MASONS

If you would like some help with your proficiency or Officer's work,  
I would be happy to assist you.

I am available on Saturdays at 10:30 AM. Please feel free to call me at  
209-747-4849, and let me know how I can best support you. All I ask is  
that you keep the scheduled appointment, as I want to be of help with-  
out replacing your assigned coach or the Officer's Coach, but simply to  
provide additional support.

If Saturday doesn't work for you, please let me know, and we can arrange  
another time that is more convenient.

Looking forward to hearing from you!

Fraternally,  
Rick Wright PM



# Up Coming Events



**Date:** Saturday, April 19, 2025

**Location:** Sacramento Scottish Rite Center 6151 H Street, Sacramento CA 95819

**Time:** 5-9 pm

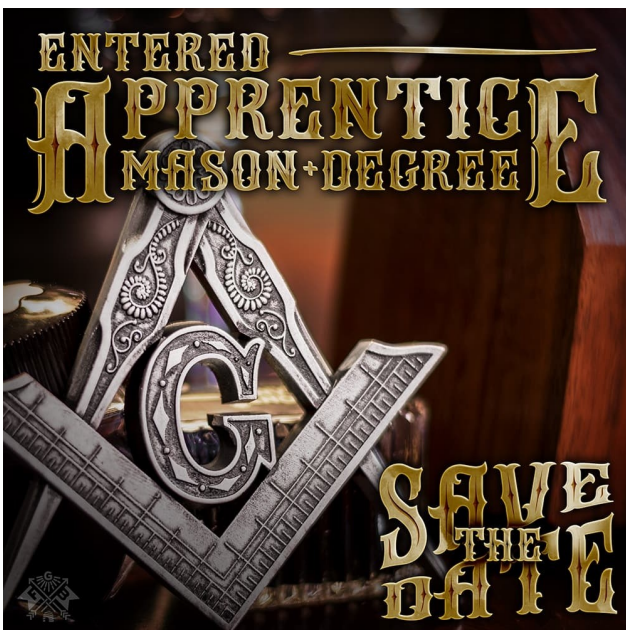
**Price:** \$130.00

Join us for an extraordinary evening commemorating 175 years of Freemasonry in California. This milestone celebration promises to be a memorable experience filled with tradition, camaraderie, and festivity.

Guests will enjoy a delightful gourmet banquet, original songs created for the occasion, uplifting toasts, and captivating entertainment. This is a unique opportunity to gather with friends, reflect on our shared history, and honor the enduring legacy of Freemasonry in California.

Let us come together to celebrate this historic occasion and show our support for an organization that has stood the test of time. Don't miss this once-in-a-lifetime event!

Reserve your place today and be part of this historic celebration!



Lodi Lodge  
321 W. Pine Street  
Lodi, CA 95240  
April 10, 2025  
7:00PM

*\*If any Lodge or concordant body wishes to promote their event please email [loditrestleboard@gmail.com](mailto:loditrestleboard@gmail.com) by the 15th of the month.*





### **Recipient must be...**

A Master Mason of Lodi Lodge #256 in good standing  
Or related\* to a Master Mason of Lodi Lodge #256 in good standing

### **Award recipient will be judged upon...**

- 3.0 Grade point average or above
- Masonic relationship\*
- Currently or active at the time of scholarship in a Masonic youth group
- Involvement in community activities
- Communication skills (reflected in scholarship application)
- Desire to obtain a degree from an accredited college, university or accredited trade school offering transferable credits

- Application deadline will be April 31, 2025 Selection will be made June 1, 2025
- The successful applicant will be notified and the Scholarship Award winner will be presented a check in the amount of **\$2,000.00** by the Master at a stated meeting.
- The award check will be made payable to the college or university that the applicant will be attending.

To obtain an application: Email to: [loditrestleboard@gmail.com](mailto:loditrestleboard@gmail.com) or scan the QR code below.



*\*In terms of these Scholarship Guidelines the term "related/relationship" shall be defined as the applicant's relationship to a Master Mason as: child, step-child, grandson/granddaughter, nephew, niece, sibling, step-brother, step-sister, minor of legal guardian or related in some manner by marriage*

**Application on the next page**



**Lodi Masonic Lodge  
Henry & Karen Hansen  
Memorial Fund  
Scholarship Application Form**

**1. PERSONAL INFORMATION**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone # \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

**2. EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND**

School \_\_\_\_\_

Major \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated Graduation Date \_\_\_\_\_ G.P.A. \_\_\_\_\_

**3. EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

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**4. SPECIAL ACHIVEMENTS, HONORS, AWARDS, AND RECOGNITION**

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**5. GROUPS AND AFFILIATIONS**

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6. Include an individual statement describing unique educational experiences, special projects, career plan, leadership experience, community involvement and **Scholastic goals**. This statement should be no more than 500 words.
7. Include three recommendations from educators, employers or friends familiar with your educational history.
8. Include an up-to-date transcript of your academic record.

*I certify that the information given in this application is true and accurate. I further certify that if, for any reason the above information substantially changes, that I will inform the Lodi Masonic Lodge Benevolent Funds Committee All awards made jointly payable to applicants and designated University and applicant.*

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

**Application Due by April 31, 2025**

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### NOTE

Booster names and business cards  
Have been up-dated as of May 15th

If you do not see your card or name  
Or if your name is incorrect

Contact: Bob Garcia

623-606-9657

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## SUPPORT LODI LODGE No. 256



IN MEMORY  
OF

Robert  
"Bob"  
Herrick





## SUPPORT BLUE LODGE

*John H. Herrick P.M.*



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*SCOTT ANDERSON*



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Click the heading "News"



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All Master Masons of Lodi Lodge are invited to  
advertise in the Trestle Board.

Business Card — \$50/Year

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Contact: Will McVicker, Secretary  
(209) 333-8406

### TRESTLE BOARD BOOSTERS

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George Lester

Larry and Linda Silva

John Herrick










Joseph Maley

The Thornton Family

Park Johnson

Will and Lia McVicker



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30	31	 <b>Woodbridge Lodge</b> Stated Meeting 7:30PM Dinner 6:30PM  <b>Ben Ali Shrine</b> 6:00PM	 <b>Job's Daughters</b> 6:00PM	 <b>Lodi Lodge</b> Stated Meeting 7:30PM Dinner 6:30PM	04	05
06	07	 <b>Grand Lodge School of Instruction at Woodbridge Lodge</b> Host: Lodi Lodge (FC & MM Only) 7:00PM  <b>Job's Daughters</b> Morning Star Lodge Stockton 6:00PM	09	 <b>1st Degree</b> Mr. James Massey 7:00PM	11	12
13	 <b>Cloud 7 Assembly</b> <i>Woodbridge Lodge</i> 7:00PM  <b>DeMolay</b> Tyrian Lodge, Manteca 7:00PM	14	16	17	18	19
20	21	 <b>Job's Daughters</b> Morning Star Lodge Stockton 6:00PM	23	 <b>Eastern Star</b> Heritage Chapter No. 50 7:00PM	25	26
27	 <b>Cloud 7 Assembly</b> <i>Woodbridge Lodge</i> 7:00PM  <b>DeMolay</b> Morning Star Lodge, Stockton 7:00PM	28	30	01	02	03
04	05	06	07	08	09	10

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

DATE	EVENT	TIME
Tuesday, April 1, 2025	Woodbridge Stated Meeting Dinner 6:30 PM	7:30 PM
Thursday, April 3, 2025	Lodi Lodge Stated Meeting Social 6:00 PM, Dinner 6:30 PM *** RSVP w/Secretary by March 31st ***	7:30 PM
Tuesday, April 8, 2025	Inspector's - School of Instruction - <b>Hosted by Morning Star</b> Woodbridge Lodge #131 1040 E Augusta St Woodbridge, CA 95258(All Masons)	7:00 PM
Thursday, April 10, 2025	First Degree	7:00PM

## YOUTH GROUPS

	<b>Job's Daughters</b> Meets at Morning Star Lodge	Second and Fourth Tuesdays	6:00 p.m.
	<b>Rainbow Cloud 7 Assembly</b> Meets at Woodbridge Lodge	Second and Fourth Mondays	7:00 p.m.
	<b>DeMolay</b> Meets at Tyrian Lodge, Manteca	Second Monday	7:00 p.m.
	<b>DeMolay</b> Meets at Morning Star Lodge, Stockton	Fourth Monday	7:00 p.m.